

Monsignor Slade Catholic School

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MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of Monsignor Slade Catholic School is to promote Catholic faith and intellectual development in our students. We do this by teaching about and modeling the precepts of the Catholic faith, as well as challenging our students with a rigorous course of study. We do this so that they will use their faith, knowledge, and skills to shape their futures positively and work for the benefit of the whole society.

Weekly Update

February 24, 2017

Upcoming Events:

- Sunday, 2/26
 - Slade Family Bingo, 2-5 p.m., Cafeteria (See flyer attached.)
- Wednesday, 3/01
 - Ash Wednesday
 - In-school Mass
- Friday, 3/03
 - Out-of-uniform day for students who wore their uniform at Mass during Catholic Schools Week. Notification will be sent via email.

Important News and Notes:

- **Super Slade winners for the week of February 21st:**
 - Erin Parsons – Cooperation
 - Diana Balassa – Responsibility
 - Alexander Melendez – Hard Work
 - Blake Messick – Concern for Others
 - Owen Coffee – Responsibility
 - Rebecca Hong – Hard Work
- **Registering your new student for the 2017-2018 school year** – Any current Slade family who has a child entering Slade as a new student in the fall, should register that child **by February 28, 2017**, to receive priority of admissions. This priority of admissions includes those families participating in our Edu-Care programs. If you have any questions regarding registration for your new student, please feel free to contact Mrs. Carrie Hilmer, Advancement Director, at 410-766-7130, ext. 107, or c.hilmer@mssladeschool.com.
- **Re-registration for the 2017-2018 school year** – Please be reminded that re-registration for your current students is due by February 28, 2017. You will be receiving notification from SchoolAdmin if you have not yet re-registered. Beginning March 1, 2017, admission will be opened to all families. At this time, we will begin forming waiting lists in some grade levels. Please be sure to reserve your child's seat for next year now. If you have any questions or concerns about re-registration, please contact Mrs. Carrie Hilmer, Advancement Director, at 410-766-7130, ext. 107, or c.hilmer@mssladeschool.com.
- **New this year! Each family will be signing tuition contracts through SchoolAdmin.** The tuition contracts will be sent to you via email in mid-March. Upon receipt, you will enter your Parent Portal to ratify your contract, and then commit to your FACTS tuition payment plan. Tuition deposits will be due upon completion.
- **Extended Care rates for 2017-2018 school year** – Last week, you received notice from our School Board with the new tuition rates for next year, which reflected a 2% increase over the current school year – the lowest increase in over 10 years! In addition, we are happy to announce that, for the 2nd year in a row, our before- and after-care rates will not increase. Rates for extended care will be the same as they are for the 2016-2017 school year.
- **From the Healey Education Foundation** – Families are the key partners with school faculty, staff and administration in promoting the mission of our school. With that in mind, we are requesting the participation of all school families in a survey, which will be sent to you via email on Monday, February 27th. Your response will

assist us in developing recommendations for the school, and we ask that you respond by Friday, March 9th. All responses are anonymous and will be sent directly to the Healey Education Foundation.

Grade Level Reminders:

- **Attention 8th Grade Parents:** A letter was sent home with your 8th grader last week with details concerning an upcoming meeting for 8th grade parents to begin planning for the annual 8th Grade Dinner Dance. The meeting will be held this Tuesday, February 28th, in the MPR at 7 p.m. We have attached the letter for your convenience.

In addition, if your 8th grade student has received a scholarship, award or other distinction, from any of the area high schools recently, please send a copy of the notification to Mrs. Alexa Cox, Principal.

HASA Happenings:

- **FAMILY BINGO** – Family Bingo is taking place **this Sunday, February 26th!** Tickets are available at the door. See the attached flyer for further details.
- **COLOR RUN** – Come join us on Saturday, April 8th, for Slade's 3rd Annual Family Color Run! We need registrations and payment by March 10th! All are welcome! This is a fun event and is not timed. You won't want to miss out, so register NOW! See the attached flyer!



We even have a special guest joining us this year---The Oriole Bird!

If you should have any questions, please email Kerri Keller at kkeller21@gmail.com.

- **CRUISE RAFFLE** – This week, we kicked off our spring raffle for a 7-day Carnival Cruise for Two. Three (3) tickets were sent home to each family yesterday through kidmail. Our goal is to sell 2,500 tickets and raise \$20,000 for our school. We cannot do this without the support of our families. Each family is asked to help us meet our goal by selling at least 3 tickets. We will have monthly drawings for all who turn in their tickets, plus we will have a prize for the top seller. If you are unable to help with this fundraiser, you **MUST** return your unsold tickets in order to avoid having your FACTS account charged for the unreturned tickets.
- **BULL & OYSTER ROAST** – Our spring Bull & Oyster Roast is just over 2 months away, on Saturday, April 29th from 6-10 p.m. We are excited to have a delicious menu provided by Monaghan's Catering. There will also be unlimited beer and wine served. Entertainment will be provided by Mad Planet. We will have a silent auction, sticky picks games, Barrel of Booze raffle, as well as a Money Wheel. Gather your friends and family, and get your tickets now for our biggest fundraiser of the year! Tickets are \$50 each or \$45 each with a table of 10. See the ticket order form attached. Only 300 tickets will be sold, so don't miss out!
- **DONATIONS FOR SPRING BULL & OYSTER ROAST** – Last week, parents received a letter requesting a donation of \$10 from each family to help support the silent auction for our spring Bull & Oyster Roast. We will be creating themed items sponsored by each grade to bid on during the event. Your support is greatly appreciated. Each family who donates \$10 will receive an out-of-uniform day on a date to be announced. See flyer below.

Attachments included:

- Family Bingo Information– February 26, 2017
- Eighth Grade Dinner Dance Committee Meeting – February 28, 2017
- FACTS Grant & Aid Application Information – Deadline February 28, 2017
- Yearbook Order Form – Deadline February 28, 2017
- Color Run Registration Form – April 8, 2017
- Bull Roast Ticket Ordering Information – April 29, 2017
- Bull Roast Basket Raffle Donation Letter
- Calendar and Menu for March 2017

I'm a great believer in luck, and I find the harder I work, the more luck I have.

~Thomas Jefferson

BASKET & BAG FAMILY BINGO



Sunday, February 26, 2017

Monsignor Slade Catholic School
120 Dorsey Road
Glen Burnie

Doors open at 1:00 p.m. / Games begin at 2:00 p.m.

Prizes: Longaberger Baskets & Vera Bradley Bags

* all baskets & bags are filled with “kid-themed” items *

*** 20 regular games * specials * raffles * door prizes ***

Tickets: \$15.00 in advance / \$18.00 at the door
(all players, including children, must purchase a ticket)

Food and drinks will be available for purchase

This fundraiser is in no way connected with, nor is it approved or sponsored by, The Longaberger® Company or Vera Bradley.

FAMILY BINGO TICKETS - Please return to Mrs. Mary Ward, Room 108

I would like to order _____ tickets for the Family Bingo on February 26, 2017.

Enclosed is my check in the amount of \$ _____ .

Name _____ Phone Number _____

Child's Name _____ Homeroom _____

Hello Parents of 8th Grade Students!

Believe it or not, it's time to plan the 8th Grade Graduation Dinner Dance for our children, which will be held on Thursday, June 1st. This is a very special event that is coordinated by a committee of interested parents. Your assistance is welcomed in planning this memorable evening for the graduates. There are many committees that will be formed to work on specific aspects of the evening, so there are plenty of opportunities for everyone to help!

If possible, please plan to attend an informal meeting for all 8th grade parents on **Tuesday, February 28, 2017, at 7 p.m. in the MPR** to discuss the 8th Grade Dinner Dance. Sign-up sheets to establish sub-committees and chairpersons for the following committees will be available: Set-Up, Clean-Up, Food and Beverage, Servers, Photographer, DVD, T-Shirts, Invitations and Decorations. We will also discuss theme ideas for the dance. The students ultimately vote on and choose their theme.

In addition, we will be collecting ~5 photographs from each 8th grader for a DVD that we create for the dance. Please begin gathering school-related photos (such as field trips, sports, classroom parties, concerts, etc.) that have been taken during your child's years here at Slade. Group shots are preferable over individual pictures. This DVD is for the entire class; therefore, even if you are not able to help with the planning of the dinner dance, ALL families should gather and submit the requested photos. More information related to this request will follow in the next few weeks.

If you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to me via email (poopasark@aol.com) or cell (202-997-1258).

Looking forward to seeing you on February 28th!

Sincerely,

Stacey Angerome

Please sign and return the clip-off below to Stacey Angerome, K/O Connie Angerome, C-1, before February 24, 2017.

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Please check one.

Yes, I will attend the Dinner Dance meeting on February 28, 2017.

No, I am unable to attend the meeting but am interested in participating on a committee.

I am interested in the _____ Committee.

Printed Name _____ Signature _____

E-Mail Address _____ Phone Number _____

8th grade student name _____



Grant & Aid Assessment

FACTS Management makes quality education affordable for families by assisting schools in awarding financial aid. We work with schools to create a custom application and collect financial data so schools can make accurate award decisions based on financial need.

To apply for financial aid, visit online.factsmgt.com/aid. The application deadline is February 28, 2017. Should you require assistance to complete the application, please contact your school.

After completing the online application, you will need to upload or fax all required supporting documentation. Uploaded documents must be in PDF format and the size of each document must be less than 20 MB. If you are unable to upload, fax the required documents to 866.315.9264. Please **DO NOT** use your mobile device to photo copy required documents due to problems with legibility.

The following supporting documents are required to complete the application process:

- Copy of the most recent **IRS Federal Form 1040, 1040A or 1040-EZ U.S. Individual Income Tax Return** (the year of the tax return depends on the tax requirements of the school). If applicant and co-applicant file separately, we require both tax returns for the same tax year. We do not require State Tax Returns.
- Copies of **all the current year W-2 Wage and Tax Statements** for both the applicant and co-applicant. **NOTE:** If you are applying before you have received all the current year W-2 Wage and Tax Statements, please submit them as soon as they become available.
- Copies of all supporting tax documents if you have business income/loss from any of the following:
 - Business** - send Schedule C or C-EZ and Form 4562 Depreciation and Amortization
 - Farm** - send Schedule F and Form 4562 Depreciation and Amortization
 - Rental Property** - send Schedule E (page 1)
 - S-Corporation** - send Schedule E (page 2), Form 1120S (5 pages), Schedule K-1 and Form 8825
 - Partnership** - send Schedule E (page 2), Form 1065 (5 pages), Schedule K-1 and Form 8825
 - Estates and Trusts** - send Schedule E (page 2), Form 1041 and Schedule K-1

***IMPORTANT: If you file a tax return but do not have W-2 wages because you are self-employed, you will be required to submit a copy of your current year Federal Form 1040 Tax Return.**

- Copies of all supporting documentation for **household Non-Taxable Income** such as: Social Security Income, Welfare, Child Support, Food Stamps, Workers' Compensation, and Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF). If you do not file a tax return, you are required to provide documentation of all income received.

*All documentation received is imaged upon receipt and then destroyed.

You may login to your FACTS user account to review the status of your application. **Please allow 2 weeks processing time from the date you provided the supporting documents before inquiring further about receipt and/or status of the uploaded or faxed documents.** Application deadlines are set by the institution awarding the scholarships. If you are applying after the deadline, please contact your school to ensure that your application will be accepted.

*A non-refundable application fee may be required before your application will be submitted.

NOTE: Award decisions are made by the institution providing grant and aid, not FACTS.

For more information, visit FACTSmgt.com/grant-and-aid



LAST CHANCE!!!
Deadline – February 28, 2017
YEARBOOK ORDER FORM
2016-2017 School Year



Please find below a clip-off to order your yearbook(s) for the 2016-2017 school year. If you desire to receive a yearbook for this school year, we must receive an order form with payment.

The cost of the yearbook is \$22.00, and must be paid at the time the book is ordered. If you would like to order a yearbook, please fill in the order form below.

REMEMBER: Eighth grade students do not need to order a yearbook. The cost of the yearbook will be included in their graduation fees.

Please send this order form, along with a check made payable to M.S.C.S., in an envelope marked, "Yearbook Order, Attention: Mrs. Kathie Sullivan".

Don't be disappointed!!

Please send order to: "Yearbook Order, Attention: Mrs. Kathie Sullivan"

2016-2017 YEARBOOK ORDER FORM

I would like to order _____ yearbook(s). Each book is \$22.00

(Please note: Eighth grade students do not need to order a yearbook. The cost of the yearbook is included in the graduation fee.)

Signature Parent/Guardian: _____

Student: _____ Homeroom: _____

please print



ANNUAL FAMILY

COLOR RUN!!

Saturday, April 8, 2017

The cost is \$12 per participant.

The cost includes a 2017 Color Run t-shirt, fun color run/walk, water, and a snack!
The course is all located on campus. The race will begin at 8:30 a.m. ***This is not a timed event.***

Sign Up Form: T-shirts are 100 % preshrunk cotton.

Sizes: Youth (XS, S, M, L, XL) or Adult (S, M, L, XL, XXL)

Full Name of Participant: _____ T-Shirt Size: _____

Total Participants: _____ X 12= _____

Total Amount: _____

*****If you would like to purchase a shirt separately, the cost is \$8 per shirt. ******

T-Shirt Size _____ x \$8 = _____

T-Shirt Size _____ x \$8 = _____

T-shirts should be: ___ Delivered to _____ in room _____.

___ Held for pick-up on the morning of the race.

*****All checks should be sent to the office ATTN: COLOR RUN and made payable to MSCS.*****

If you have any questions or would like to volunteer, please email Kerri Keller at kkeller21@gmail.com. Service hours are available.

Registration deadline is March 10th, 2017

Registrations after March 10th are not guaranteed a shirt.

Monsignor Slade

BULL and OYSTER

Roast

Saturday, April 29th

6-10pm



FOOD • DRINKS • MUSIC • PRIZE WHEELS • 50/50 • SILENT AUCTION

DRAWING TO WIN A Cruise Getaway 

Ticket Order Form

\$50 per person

\$45 per person with table of 10

Parent(s) Name(s) _____ Phone _____

Email address _____

Child's Name _____ Homeroom _____

TOTAL # of Tickets _____ x \$50.00 = \$ _____

TOTAL # of Tables _____ x \$450.00 = \$ _____

Please make checks payable to MSCS



Return to school ATTN: CAS Ticket Order

February 16, 2017

Dear Slade Families,

The Home and School Association (HASA) is currently working on one of the biggest fundraisers of the year, the Bull & Oyster Roast. This event will be held at our school on Saturday, April 29, 2017, from 6 to 10 p.m.

In order to make this event successful, *we need your help!* We are asking that each family send in a minimum donation of \$10. The donations will be used for purchasing items to be included in the themed baskets. Each grade will have its own theme and the grade-sponsored baskets will be auctioned off at the bull roast. Some of the themes may include:

- ~Crab Feast Basket
- ~Ravens' Basket
- ~Orioles' Basket
- ~Spa Day Basket
-and more!

All monies raised at this event will go towards the HASA commitment to contribute funding to the school budget in an effort to keep yearly tuition costs lower.

****With a minimum donation of \$10 per family, your child(ren) will receive an out-of-uniform day.****
(Out-of-uniform date to be determined.)

If you are able to help with this event, please complete the clip-off below and send it in with your donation. Make all checks payable to MSCS.

If you have any questions, please contact Rochelle Crapster @ slademom2223@aol.com

Thank you in advance for your donation!

Sincerely,
Rochelle Crapster
HASA Treasurer

Please return clip-off to Mrs. Kathie Sullivan, Attn: Bull & Oyster Roast Basket Raffle

Bull & Oyster Roast Basket Raffle Family Donation

Name & grade of student _____

Name & grade of student _____

Name & grade of student _____

Total Amount Enclosed \$ _____

March 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 <i>Ash Wednesday</i> In-school Mass	2	3 Trimester 2 ends	4 Trimester 3 begins Knights of Columbus Basket/Bag Bingo
5 BINGO Knights of Columbus Doors open at 12:30 p.m. Early Bird at 1:00 p.m. Games begin at 1:30 p.m.	6	7 Advancement Committee Mtg. 6:30 p.m.	8 Professional Day HALF-DAY Dismissal 12:15 p.m. HASA Exec. Board Mtg. 6:30 p.m.	9 School Board Meeting 7 p.m.	10 Student Bake Sale	11
12	13	14	15 Athletic Council 6:30 p.m.	16	17 SLADE SPIRIT DAY Out of uniform Day —Slade spirit wear or green & white attire only Spring Musical <i>Wizard of Oz</i>	18
19 BINGO Knights of Columbus Doors open at 12:30 p.m. Early Bird at 1:00 p.m. Games begin at 1:30 p.m.	20 Faculty Retreat SCHOOL CLOSED	21	22	23	24 Skate Night at Wheels in Odenton 5:45—7:45 p.m.	25 Class of 2013 Alumni Event
26	27	28	29	30	31	
Standardized Testing Grades 3-8						

March
Monsignor Slade Lunch Menu
Tommy's Food Service "Great Food for Great kids"

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		1 Cheeseburgers, French fries, Broccoli	2 Pancakes, French toast, Sausage, tater tots, Baked cinnamon apples	3 Pizza Day 
6 Baked Ziti, meatballs and side salad	7 Chicken Nuggets, French fries, Carrots	8 Half day Cafeteria Closed	9 Soft Tacos, Spanish rice and corn	10 Pizza Day 
13 Chicken Nuggets, French fries, Carrots	14 Rotini w/marinara sauce, meatballs, Side Salad	15 Cheeseburgers, Homemade Mac and cheese, Broccoli	16 Pancakes, French toast, Sausage, tater tots, Baked cinnamon apples	17 Pizza Day 
20 School Closed	21 Cheese Ravioli w/marinara sauce, meatballs, side salad	22 BBQ chicken wings or breast, mashed potatoes, green beans	23 Chicken sandwich, French fries, Carrots	24 Pizza Day 
27 Corn Dog, French Fries, Carrots	28 Soft Tacos, Spanish rice and corn	29 Rotini w/marinara sauce, meatballs, Side Salad	30 Cheesesteak, Mac and cheese and green beans	31 Pizza Day 

Combo lunch is \$4.00 and includes the entrée, side, choice of milk or juice. Hotdog or Grilled cheese combo is \$4.00 and includes sandwich, sides (i.e. veggie, starch) and milk or juice. Available daily: Variety of subs, hotdog, and grill cheese sandwiches, homemade soups, pretzels and freshly baked cookies daily. We also have ice cream on Tuesday & Friday (on Pizza day). We do not deep fry any food. Prices and menu may change without notice.

A LA CARTE PRICE LIST ONLY
A variety of these items are available daily

Hotdog	\$2.50	Beverage:		Chicken Patty Sandwich	\$3.00
Grilled Cheese	\$2.50	Milk or juice	\$0.75	Chicken tenders (3pcs)	\$2.50
Turkey & Cheese Sub	\$3.00	Bottled water	\$1.00	Chicken wings (4pcs)	\$3.00
Ham & Cheese Sub	\$3.00	Gatorade	\$1.25	Cheeseburger	\$3.50
Homemade Soup:	\$1.75	Cookies	\$0.85	Corndog	\$2.50
chicken noodle		Potato Chips (1oz)	\$0.85	Philly cheesesteak	\$3.00
tomato		Sun Chips (1.5oz)	\$0.85	Pizza (1 slice)	\$2.00
cheesy potato		Pretzel	\$0.85	Soft beef taco (1)	\$1.00
Assorted Salad:	\$3.50	Fresh Fruit	\$1.00	Mac N Cheese	\$2.50
Greek, Chicken, Tuna, or Egg				Ravioli (7 pcs)	\$3.00
Sides:				Yogurt (Yoplait 4oz)	\$1.00
French Fries or Tater tots	\$2.50			Cinnamon bun	\$1.50
Rice or Mashed potato	\$2.50				
Buttered noodles	\$2.50				
Veggie	\$1.00				

Please E-mail us at lunch@mssladeschool.com for any inquiries. Visit our website www.tommysfoodservice.com for more information.
Thank you, Tommy and Linda