



WEEKLY UPDATE

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Be a Light for All to See
Matthew 5:16

Important News & Notes:

Teacher of the Year: As we celebrate Catholic Schools Week, we reflect on how strong we are as a school community made up of so many wonderful members: our priests, parents, students, staff, and teachers. One of the exciting things about this time of year is that we have the privilege of announcing our teacher-of-the-year recipient. This year, it is with great honor that we announce Monsignor Slade Catholic School's 2020-2021 Teacher of the Year: Mrs. Beverly Winter.



It is appropriate that the Archdiocesan theme this year is "A Light for All to See" because when you think about Mrs. Winter, she certainly radiates an infectious enthusiasm that shines all through Monsignor Slade Catholic School.

Mrs. Winter has over 30 years of dedicated service to Slade, her students, and her community. She has a positive Christian attitude that comes across in all that she does. Words that have been used to describe her include: team-player, positive, empathetic, loving, dedicated, and passionate.

It is evident that she embodies the mission of Catholic schools as she strives to reach each student where he or she is and move that student forward toward reaching his or her full potential. We are so very fortunate to have Mrs. Winter as part of our school community, and we offer her our sincere congratulations!

Congratulations!! We'd like to congratulate Jayden Aleman, grade 7, for placing 2nd at the State level of the Patriot's Pen essay contest. He represented District 6 Post 160 and competed with 289 other students from across the state. Jayden will receive a cash award totaling \$1,025.00, a certificate, a United States flag, the Auxiliary President's pin, the Commander's pin and coin, the VFW Patriot's Pin, the Auxiliary portfolio, and a notepad with the Patriot's Pen logo. We are so very proud of this wonderful accomplishment! Congratulations, Jayden!!



Thank you, Thank you, Thank you!! Thank you to all families who donated funds toward the purchase of Chick-fil-A boxed lunches for the faculty and staff as part of Faculty and Staff Appreciation Day during Catholic Schools week. Also, many thanks to Larry & Jean Donato, grandparents of Sydney (1), Avery (4), and Noah (6) Herbert, for providing a Panera boxed lunch for the faculty and staff. We are so thankful for the continued support and generosity of our families!



A huge 'Thank You' to all of our families. Your generous donations to the St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry are truly overwhelming!!



Pets in the Parking Lot: We are requesting that you leave your pets at home when dropping off or picking up your children. Some children may become frightened or have pet-related allergies. However, if you do bring your pet with you, they must remain in your vehicle. Thank you for your cooperation!

Advancement Announcements:

Enrollment:

Re-registration for the 2021-2022 academic year has ended. Current students who have not re-registered will be assessed a late re-registration fee of \$100 per student. These fees will be applied to the student's enrollment agreement for the 2020-2021 academic year.

Enrollment agreements for the 2021-2022 academic year will be sent next month. Please complete enrollment agreements for your student(s) once you have received it. All other checklist items or updated enrollment materials should be completed as the coming school year nears.

Refer New Students to Slade!

A Virtual Pre-K & Kindergarten Information Night will take place on Thursday, February 25, 2021. Registration is requested. Prospective families should register prior to the event at msladeschool.com.

Help us to be successful:

1. Email event details to your friends.
2. Share with your social media followers or in a social group.
3. Post on your community NextDoor page.

Share the good news about Slade!

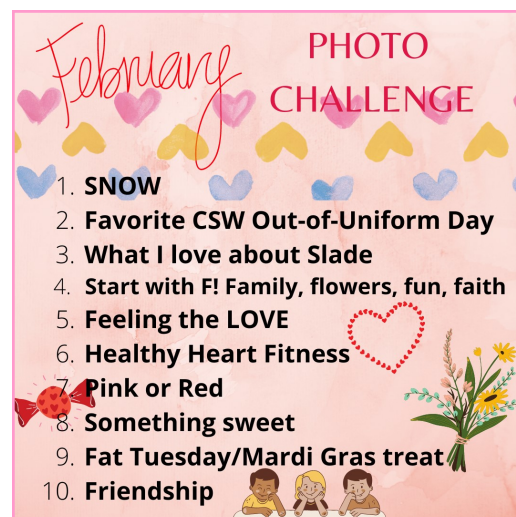
Write a positive review on our Facebook page, Google, GreatSchools, Niche, Private School Review, etc. Send a printed copy (whether screenshot or print-out) to Mrs. Hilmer with your name and student's name included. Reviews which can be confirmed will be entered into a gift card drawing. Five winners will be chosen. Questions? Contact Carrie Hilmer, Advancement Director, at c.hilmer@msladeschool.com.

Advancement Committee Meeting Reminder: Tuesday, February 11, 2021, at 6:30 p.m.

Advancement Committee Chair position will be open in 2021-2022. An Advancement Committee chair is needed to run Advancement Committee meetings, assisting in promoting Monsignor Slade's enrollment, development, and community outreach efforts. Please consider sending a letter of interest to Mrs. Hilmer.


February Photo Challenge

Seeking some February fun? Join this month's photo challenge! Submit photos via email or social media depicting an element of the photo challenge listed below.



HASA Happenings:

Chick-fil-A Spirit Night: A big ‘Thank You!’ to all the families who came out to support our Spirit Night, which was held yesterday, February 4th, at two area Chick-fil-A restaurants, Quarterfield Crossing in Severn and Arundel Mills in Hanover. We had a great turn out and hope that your family enjoyed having Chick-fil-A for dinner! Stay tuned for news about our next spirit night, which will be held in March.

Scrip Program: Attached you will find information from our Scrip chairperson  about purchasing gift cards for Valentine’s Day. Don’t miss out on this timely opportunity!

Sports Section:

The Athletic Council needs your help to fill two positions for the 2021-2022 school year: Lacrosse Commissioner and Council Secretary. This is a perfect opportunity to be trained by the current incumbent. All interested parties please email sladeacpresident@gmail.com for more information on how to apply. Voting for both positions will take place in March.

Lacrosse Commissioner

Earns all 12 required service hours each year.

The Duties of the Commissioner:

- Administer all aspects of the sports program to ensure its effective and efficient management while adhering to the Slade Athletic Policy, Slade Values Code, Archdiocesan policy, and school policy.
- Provide for consistency in operation among the individual lacrosse teams where applicable.
- Participate in Athletic Council meetings.
- Cast a vote as an active member of the Council.
- Manage all aspects of the Sports program budget, including the submission of annual budgets to the school administration.
- While in season, prepare and submit monthly reports regarding the Sports program to the Athletic Council.
- Conduct program scheduling and fields.

Secretary

Serves a three-year term starting 2021-2022 school year. Earns all 12 required service hours each year.

The Duties of the Council Secretary:

- Attend and keep an accurate account of the minutes for all council meetings.
- Distribute meeting minutes to council members prior to the next meeting for review and approval at the next scheduled meeting.
- Maintain a file of all incoming and outgoing communications and records to and from the Council.
- Provide advance notification of all members of the Council for both special and regular meetings.
- Maintain and keep the current text of the bylaws.



Mission Statement

Rooted in Catholic faith and committed to academic excellence, Monsignor Slade Catholic School is dedicated to forming the whole child to know, love, and be disciples of Christ.



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We will be placing our next order for delivery of physical cards on Monday, Feb 8. Get your orders in now for delivery in time for any Valentine's Day gift you are planning.

If you haven't enrolled, MSCS enrollment code is L1DBA58B28L12. You can register and place orders either through the mobile app or the website.

For any questions, please contact Jonathan at MSCS.Scrips@gmail.com.



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February 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Jan. 31 Virtual Open House for Prospective Families 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.	1	2	3	4	5	6
CATHOLIC SCHOOLS' WEEK						
			Virtual HASA Exec. Board Meeting 5:30 p.m.	HASA Spirit Night Chick-fil-A - Quarterfield Crossing & Arundel Mills locations 3-7 p.m.		
7	8	9 Virtual Advancement Committee Meeting 6:30 p.m.	10	11	12 Brown Bag Breakfasts Gr. 1 & 2	13
14	15 Presidents' Day SCHOOL CLOSED	16	17 <i>Ash Wednesday</i>	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25 Virtual Pre-K & Kdg. Information Night 6:30 p.m.	26 Tuition Assistance Out-of-uniform Day \$2 per student	27
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