



WEEKLY UPDATE

MONSIGNOR SLADE CATHOLIC SCHOOL
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Next week's calendar:

Monday, March 21, 2022:

- SCHOOL CLOSED, Faculty Retreat

Tuesday, March 22, 2022:

- Aladdin Rehearsal, 2:45-4:30 p.m., Auditorium

Wednesday, March 23, 2022:

- Athletic Council meeting, 6:00 p.m., Room 110

Friday, March 25, 2022:

- Aide to Ukraine out-of-uniform day, \$2 per student

Saturday, March 26, 2022:

- Showchoir sings National Anthem at Baltimore Blast game, 6:05 p.m.

Important News & Notes:

Special Tuition Assistance out-of-uniform day: In support of the efforts of Catholic Relief Services (CRS) and Caritas Ukraine, Monsignor Slade will donate the funds raised from this month's out-of-uniform day to help ease the suffering of the people of Ukraine. The out-of-uniform day will take place on Friday, March 25, 2022, and the cost is \$2 per student. To learn more about the work of Catholic Relief Services for Ukraine, please click on the link below:



https://support.crs.org/donate/donate-ukraine?ms=agicrs2022ukr00her01&_ga=2.16337909.2121782581.1647520377-755760755.1647276953



Celebrate Earth Day with a zero-waste lunch! On April 1st, students should bring lunches which do not create more waste (i.e. no paper napkins, plastic utensils, wrappers or baggies, etc.). Please pack with reusable containers only. More details will follow in next week's update!

Operation Mato Grosso - Food Drive for Lent, March 2 - April 14 Monsignor Slade Catholic School is partnering once again with a Peruvian school named Lord of Polalucay, which is the only Catholic school in Yungay, Peru. During Lent, we would like to continue our mission work and collect food items to benefit those in need with our sister school in Peru. The food collected will be used at the mission school, and also at soup kitchens, local hospitals, and others in need in the town of Yungay, Peru. See flier attached for further information.

Yearbook Purchase: Parents, if you are interested in purchasing a yearbook for your child, please complete the form by using the following link:

<https://forms.gle/49LxUUvF6CzFhxgG8>

The cost of the yearbook is \$25.00 and will be charged to your FACTS account in April. **Please be reminded that eighth grade students do not need to order a yearbook.** The cost of the yearbook is included in their graduation fees.

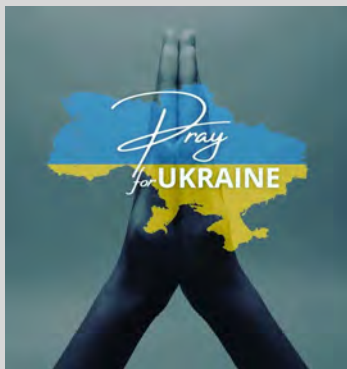
Lost and Found Items: There are still quite a few lost and found items in the office. If your child is missing any item, such as a jacket, sweatshirt, hoodie, lunch box, water bottle, etc., please make time to come into school and check through the lost and found. Any items not claimed by Easter break will be donated to the used uniform exchange and/or a charitable thrift store.



Grade Level Reminders:

8th Grade - Parents, please use the following link to list high school acceptances, as well as scholarships and/or awards your child has received this year:

<https://forms.gle/ddEcGKCqASrfce286>



Grade Level Reminders (continued):

8th Grade - Diploma Name Form 2021-2022 - Parents, please complete the following form with your child's name exactly as you would like to have it listed on his/her diploma. <https://forms.gle/guLPTfDxbmqdayu9>

8th Grade - Mount Saint Joseph High School is pleased to announce Summer at the Mount academic, arts, and leadership summer programs. The programs are designed for students who are interested in STEM topics such as genetics research, engineering, or ecology; students interested in the arts, such as dance, graphic design, etc. They also have programs in finance, Algebra, English, and history, as well as study skills seminars for students starting high school this fall. Please see the flyer attached for more information. Registration is now open here: <https://www.msjnet.edu/summer-enrichment-opportunities>

Advancement Announcements:

Enrollment

Financial Assistance: BOOST Applications are open! Deadline for submission of applications and all materials is 11:59 p.m., April 29, 2022. <https://marylandpublicschools.org/Pages/boost/index.aspx>

Completing Enrollment:

- Enrollment agreements for the 2022-2023 academic year were sent on **March 1, 2022**. **Enrollment agreements for all students should have been completed by March 15, 2022.**
- Once enrollment agreements for **all students in the family** are complete, proceed to FACTS to activate your 2022-2023 account. **All FACTS accounts must be activated by May 1, 2022.**
- **Any FACTS account which is inactive as of May 2, 2022, will be assessed a \$100 late-processing fee.**
- All other checklist items or updated enrollment materials should be submitted as the coming school year nears.
- 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 2022-2023 academic year.

Waitlists have formed in **Pre-K2, Pre-K3** (full-day), **Pre-K4, Kindergarten**, and **3rd, 7th, and 8th** grades. Please share this information with any family you refer to our school.

Advancement

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 can either earn ½ service hour for the reviewing family or entry into a gift card drawing.** Five winners will be chosen before Easter Break. Questions? Contact Carrie Hilmer, Advancement Director, at c.hilmer@mssladeschool.com.

Mark Your Calendars! Previous updates indicated that our SpringForward days of Giving would take place from April 4-10; in order to accommodate the "Race for Slade," we will shift to April 8 - 15. Monsignor Slade Catholic School's Advancement Committee invites you to take part in our SpringForward Days of Giving.

March Photo Challenge

What's happening for your family this March? Join this month's photo challenge! Submit photos to: c.hilmer@mssladeschool.com, or social media depicting an element of the photo challenge listed below.



HASA Happenings:



Race for Slade: On Friday, April 1, 2022, the students will be lacing up their sneakers and running in the annual Race for Slade. At the end of this update, you will find the parent information letter, as well as the donation letter you will use to send out to your family and friends. If you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to Dawn Keyton at dawnslade2023@gmail.com.

We have also started to receive emails from volunteers and will be reaching out to those families who signed up through the service hours program at the beginning of the year. You should be receiving a follow-up email next week regarding volunteering for the event and what type of help is needed. We are also looking for a co-chair to help with the event this year, so please reach out to Dawn Keyton if you are interested.

Save the Date! - May 20, 2022: The Home and School Association has a committee of parents who are working on a spring event for adults only, called "Tailgate Toss." The plan is for the event to be a catered gathering of adults on a Friday evening to enjoy friendship, music, some delicious food, and a couple of drinks. The event will be offered "tailgate-style" and will also feature a cornhole tournament. The event is slated to be held on Friday, May 20th, from 6-9 p.m., and the cost would be \$100 per couple, which would include a boxed meal for two and 4 drink tickets. Watch for a pre-sale survey next week so that we can gauge interest in the event. We will need to sell a minimum of 50 couples to make this event happen.

In order to make the "Tailgate Toss" a success, we need your help!! We are still looking for volunteers to help with ticketing/marketing, coordinating the corn hole tournament, set-up and clean-up, decorating, and more! If you are interested in helping in any of the areas listed above, please contact Joe Burke at joe@jburkecatering.com. We need a full committee of volunteers to get this event off the ground. We hope you will consider this opportunity.

Sports Section:

Check out our new Slade spirit wear!! More sports will be added soon.

Get your Slade Athletics gear here:

https://rebelsportsgroup.com/slade_athletics/shop/home

Need Volunteer Hours???

The Athletic Council needs to fill the following positions: Field Hockey Commissioner, Basketball Co-Commissioner and the Athletic Council President for next school year. All interested parties please email SladeACpresident@gmail.com for more info.

Terrapin Times:

Here's a quick video of Poppy saying "Hi!" on St. Patrick's Day!



https://drive.google.com/file/d/1kvkX35i7L-M9H9D8WgPb-NZc_GFaBbIb/view?usp=sharing



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 a disciple of Christ.



OPERATION **MATO** GROSSO

Food Drive for Lent

March 02 – April 14, 2022

Monsignor Slade Catholic School is once again partnering with a Peruvian school named Lord of Pomallucay, which is the only Catholic school in Yungay, Peru. During Lent, we would like to continue our mission work and collect food items to benefit those in need with our sister school in Peru.

DURING THIS *LENT* KEEP DON'T FORGET PEOPLE IN NEED

We will collect 6 staple food items:

PASTA	Pre-K and Kdg.
SUGAR	Grades 1 & 2
FLOUR	Grades 3 & 4
RICE	Grades 5 & 6
CANNED VEGGIES	Grade 7
COOKING OIL	Grade 8

The food collected will be used at the mission school, soup kitchens and hospitals as well as others in need in the town of Yungay, Peru.

This year marks the 6th Operation Mato Grosso Annual Food Drive, our school was the first school to join this Annual Food Drive back in 2017. As always, the objective is to fill shipping containers of food to send to Peru, right after Easter.

For more information regarding this mission, please visit the following website:
<https://givebeyondborders.org/>

PARENT CLEANING DAY
SATURDAY, April 2, 2022
7:30—12 Noon



Please enter the school through the side entrance of the cafeteria (down the outside stairs). Bring your cleaning gloves and a bucket or two. Slade provides the cleansers, scrub brushes, and dirt. Bring your travel mug, bottled water or anything else that will jump start your morning (a snack, an i-Pod, a work buddy).

Because parents do not need to be
VIRTUS compliant,
CHILDREN UNDER THE AGE OF 18
ARE NOT ALLOWED!

Come help us make Slade shine!
THANK YOU!





1... 2... Ready... GO! It's time to



Our annual **Race for Slade** is Friday, April 1st.

There are some exciting changes for this year's Race for Slade!
Please read the following new information carefully.

Attached you will find our annual **Race for Slade** donation letter. We are asking each family to help your child(ren) fill out 10 or more letters; then, either mail or email them directly to your family and friends. Normally, we would supply 10 copies of the letter to each student; but, the school is working toward our Green School initiative. Since this is one of the school's largest fundraisers, we ask that you please do your best to help by sending out at least 10 letters to friends and family members.

We ask that students come to school in their gym uniforms and make sure that they have a water bottle with them for the day of the race.

Please help us make the **Race for Slade** a great event for your child(ren) and for Monsignor Slade!

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions!

Dawn Keyton, Chairperson dawnslade2023@gmail.com



Dear _____,

On Friday, April 1, 2022, I am lacing up my sneakers and running in the annual **Race for Slade**. This school year, we are raising money to help fund the creation of a Monarch butterfly garden, as well as to help toward the purchase of solar panels for the school as part of our Green School initiative.

Will you please sponsor me in the **Race for Slade**?

It would be a great way to show your support of my wonderful education! All you need to do is commit to sponsoring me. My part is a little tougher! In return for your donation, I will run as many laps as I can – I will **Race for Slade**! One hundred percent of all money raised in this event will help to fund the creation of a Monarch butterfly garden, as well as to help toward the purchase of solar panels for the school as part of our Green School initiative.

Once again this year, we have an online option for donating to the **Race for Slade**. Please visit our site at <https://www.msladeschool.com/giving/fundraisers/race-for-slade> to donate online. If you would like to donate via mail, please complete and detach the bottom portion of this letter with a check for your sponsoring contributions no later than **Friday, April 29, 2022**. Please make checks payable to Monsignor Slade Catholic School, located at 120 Dorsey Rd, Glen Burnie, Maryland 21061.

Thank you for supporting Monsignor Slade and me!

Student Name:

Homerom:

Grade:

Donation \$:

Sponsor Name:

SUMMER AT THE MOUNT

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Check out Mount Saint Joseph's academic, arts, and leadership summer programs!

DRAMA

June 21-July 1

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June 27-July 1

BIODIVERSITY

June 27-July 1

ALGEBRA I BOOT CAMP

June 27-July 1

FIELD TRIPS OF FAITH

July 5-8

ADOBE PHOTOSHOP®

July 11-15

MODEL UN

July 11-15

NATIONAL HISTORY DAY

July 11-15

XAVERIAN LEADERSHIP

July 18-20

ENGLISH BOOT CAMP

July 18-28

CREATIVE WRITING

July 18-22

FTC® ROBOTICS

July 25-29

JAZZ

August 8-12

STUDY SKILLS SEMINAR

Sessions Offered:

June 21-24

Session 1: 8:00-10:15 a.m.

Session 2: 10:30 a.m.-12:45 p.m.

June 27-July 1

Session 3: 8:30-10:15 a.m.

Session 4: 10:30 a.m.-12:15 p.m.

July 11-15

Session 5: 8:30-10:15 a.m.

Session 6: 10:30 a.m.-12:15 p.m.

Designed to introduce incoming 9th-grade students to the skills necessary for success in high school.



REGISTER AT WWW.MSJNET.EDU/SUMMER



Monsignor Slade

PRESENTS

Disney's
Aladdin
JR.

MUSIC BY
ALAN MENKEN

LYRICS BY
HOWARD ASHMAN, TIM RICE
AND **CHAD BEGUELIN**

BOOK BY
CHAD BEGUELIN

BASED ON THE DISNEY FILM WRITTEN BY RON CLEMENTS, JOHN MUSKER, TED ELLIOT & TERRY ROSSIO.
DIRECTED AND PRODUCED BY JOHN MUCKER & RON CLEMENTS.

April 8th

6:30 PM
OPENING SHOW

April 9th

2:00 PM
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7:00 PM
CLOSING SHOW

(TWO SHOWS)

TICKETS AVAILABLE AT
SHOWTIX4U.COM

