



WEEKLY UPDATE

MONSIGNOR SLADE CATHOLIC SCHOOL
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Next week's calendar:

Monday-Thursday, 3/12-3/15/18—
Tech Week for School Musical

Tuesday, 3/13/18—Advancement
Committee Meeting, 6:30 p.m.,
Room 110

Wednesday, 3/14/18—HALF-DAY,
Dismissal 12:15 p.m.; Professional
Development for Faculty, P.M.

Friday, 3/16/18—Slade Spirit Day—
Students may wear Slade spirit wear
or green & white attire; Progress
Reports distributed; Spring musi-
cal—*Sound of Music*, 7 p.m., Auditorium

Saturday, 3/17/18—Spring musi-
cal—*Sound of Music*, 1 & 7 p.m.,
Auditorium



Super Slades
Week of 3/05/18

Gwen Macola – Honesty
Joe Sunderland – Responsibility
Caylee Ernest – Cooperation
Andrew Bennie – Responsibility
Corina Crill – Tolerance
Sophie Greene – Concern for Others

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Important News and Notes:

Geo Bee Update - Eighth-grader Tim Keller has been notified by the National Geographic Society that he is one of the semifinalists eligible to compete in the 30th Maryland National Geographic State Bee. The champion from each state will advance to the National Geographic Bee, which will be held May 20-23 at the National Geographic Society headquarters in Washington, D.C.



This year, the State contest will be held at the Maryland Public Television Studios in Owings Mills on Friday, April 6, 2018. Tim will be competing against approximately 100 area students for a spot in the national competition in May. We wish Tim the very best of luck. We know he will make us proud!

Slade's 4th Annual COLOR RUN is Saturday, April 14!!! You don't want to miss this wonderful family and friends event. The cost is \$12 per registrant and includes a 2018 Color Run t-shirt and water/snack. Our special guest, the Oriole Bird, will be joining us for photo opportunities and to help kick off the morning event.

Registration closes TOMORROW, March 10th!!! REGISTER NOW!

If you are interested in volunteering this year, or if you have any questions, please contact Color Run Co-Chairs, Kerri Keller or Gina Williams at sladecolorrun@gmail.com.

Standardized Testing—All students in grades 2-8 will be administered the Iowa Assessment, which is the standardized test used by the Archdiocese of Baltimore Department of Catholic Schools. These tests will be conducted April 11-20, 2018. Please do not schedule appointments for your student(s) during these important testing days. As always, please make sure your student has had a good breakfast and is well-rested in preparation for standardized testing. Thank you for your support and cooperation!

OPERATION MATO GROSSO—Food Drive for Lent, February 14 – March 29, 2018—Throughout 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, soup kitchens and hospitals, as well as others in need in the town of Yungay, Peru. We are collecting six staple items: pasta from Pre-K & K, sugar from Gr. 1 & 2, flour from Gr. 3 & 4, rice from Gr. 5 & 6, canned veggies from Gr. 7 and cooking oil from Gr. 8. Thank you for your generosity!

Grade Level Reminders:

Attention 8th Grade—Scholarship information needed! Please send a copy of any award letters that you receive for scholarships or special programs from area high schools to Mrs. Cox, Principal, and/or Mrs. Datz, Administrative Assistant. We would like to keep track of the many achievements of our outstanding graduates to announce during the graduation ceremony.

Advancement Announcements :

Middle School Information Night will take place on April 26, 2018. This event for prospective middle school students and their parents provides an opportunity for an in-depth look at our middle school program and a chance to visit with current students and teachers. If you would like recommendation cards to share with friends, family or neighbors, please contact Mrs. Hilmer at c.hilmer@mssladeschool.com

Contracts for the 2018-2019 school year will be sent out in early April and must be completed by May 1st. Current families will use their parent portal in SchoolAdmin to choose their payment schedule for next year and to pay their \$200 per-family tuition deposit.

Save the date! The Class of 2014 Reunion is scheduled to take place on **April 20, 2018**. We have recently learned of a conflicting band competition. Please share the following message with alumni you know: *Please access the article about the Class of 2014 Reunion on the Monsignor Slade website to complete a quick survey regarding availability to attend.*

HASA Happenings:



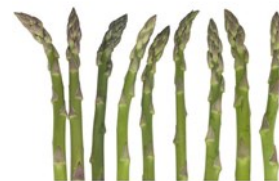
Bull and Oyster Roast—Tickets are now on sale for our second annual Bull and Oyster Roast. This year's event will be held in the Slade auditorium on Saturday, April 28th, from 6-10 pm. Enjoy a delicious menu catered by Monaghan's Catering, music and dancing, raffles, a money wheel, and silent auction with great prizes. Don't miss out on this exciting event—tickets are selling fast! See the attached order form to reserve your tickets today. Have fun and support our school with the biggest event of the year!

Bull and Oyster Roast Cruise Ticket Raffle—We need help selling tickets for our second annual cruise raffle. The winner will be drawn at the Bull and Oyster Roast on April 28th. An envelope with three tickets was sent home with your oldest/only child. We are asking each family to sell three tickets. Prices are as follows: 1 ticket for \$10.00 or 3 tickets for \$25.00. If you need more tickets, please return the clip-off included with your tickets indicating how many extra tickets you would like. If you do not wish to participate, please return the tickets by March 1st, so that they might be re-distributed to another family. We are trying to sell all 1,500 tickets before the event. If tickets are not sold or returned by April 28th, the value of the tickets will be charged to your FACTS account. If you have any questions, please email Cindy Milligan at milligan3c@aol.com. Thank you again and good luck!



From the Health Room:

*I look outside my window for any sign of spring,
Like the green shoots of a crocus and the colors that it brings.
When all hope is lost, I wake up and see,
Tender green asparagus shoots poking out to greet me!!*



Asparagus, the true harbinger of spring, is one of the very first vegetables to appear each spring. A perennial, Asparagus beds take 3-4 years to mature. The green spears poke out of the soil and can be harvested for a few weeks every spring. After that, the plant takes over and sprouts a bushy top. In the fall the asparagus plant, which grows up to 3 feet tall, is covered with poisonous red berries.

For many, asparagus is seen as the mushy side dish our grandmothers made us eat. Such memories have tainted the reputation of asparagus, which when cooked right can taste incredible!! Like so many vegetables, preparation makes all the difference. Over cooking asparagus not only takes away from its taste, but decreases its amazing nutritional value. Asparagus is an excellent source of many vitamins and minerals. In particular it is especially rich in folate, an important nutrient for pregnant woman.

So next time you are at the grocery store, pick up some fresh asparagus spears and give yourself a spring time boost!!

Wishing your family a healthy start to spring,
Katherine Lynn, R.N., and Jessica Schrumm, R.N.



Take the green plunge today and try this simple recipe from the Food Network:

Ingredients:

1 pound fresh asparagus, trimmed and peeled, see Cook's Note
4 tablespoons olive oil
1 teaspoon sea salt



Directions:

- ◆ Preheat a grill.
- ◆ Place asparagus on a plate. Drizzle oil over the asparagus and turn spears until they are coated. Sprinkle with salt and turn again.
- ◆ Grill asparagus for 5 minutes over a hot grill. Each minute or so, roll each spear 1/4 turn. Asparagus should begin to brown in spots (indicating that the natural sugars are caramelizing) but should not be allowed to char. Dripping oil may cause flare-ups use caution. Remove from grill and serve immediately (eating spears with your fingers enhances the experience).



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.

Monsignor Slade Skate Night
Sponsored by the Home School Association



*** Bring your family and friends to the Monsignor Slade Skating Party ***

When: Friday, March 23rd
5:45-7:45pm

Where: Wheels Skating Center
1200 Odenton Road in Odenton

Tickets: \$4.00 in advance Advance tickets will be sent home within 2 days of order.
Advance tickets must be ordered by Wednesday, March 21, 2018.

\$5.00 at the door **Credit/debit cards are NOT accepted for admission.**

Skate rental is payable at the door only and is a cost in addition to admission. The cost is \$3.00 for quad skate rentals and \$4.00 for in-line or speed skate rentals. Children may use their own skates or rollerblades if they have never been used outdoors.

Directions: Route 170 towards Odenton. Proceed through the 175/170 intersection. Take a left at the next traffic light onto Odenton Road. This will bring you behind the skating rink. Wheels is approximately $\frac{3}{4}$ mile on the left at the top of the hill. You can also enter from Rt. 175 and go up the hill across from the Dairy Queen.

Snow Policy: If the county cancels activities then skating is cancelled. You can check the website at <http://www.aacps.org>

Food/Gum: No outside food or drinks are allowed in the building. Gum chewing is not permitted in the building

For more details call: Stacey Coffee 410-292-0154

Please return to Stacey Coffee C/O Owen Coffee Homeroom C2

SKATE NIGHT FORM: Cut this form at the dotted line to order advance tickets. Send the form with payment to your child's teacher.

Student's Name: _____ Number of Tickets: _____

Homeroom #: _____ Amount Enclosed: _____

Make checks payable to Monsignor Slade.



4th ANNUAL FAMILY

COLOR RUN!!

Saturday, April 14, 2018

The cost is \$12 per participant.

The cost includes a 2018 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.

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

Full Name of Participant: _____ T-Shirt Size (Y or A): _____

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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 = _____

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

Contact Info: (phone) _____

___ 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 Gina or Kerri at sladecolorrun@gmail.com. Service hours are available.

Registration deadline is March 10th, 2018

Registrations after March 10th are not guaranteed a shirt.

**BULL & OYSTER ROAST
THEME BASKET RAFFLE**

March 2, 2018

Dear Slade Families,

The Home and School Association (HASA) is currently working on the biggest fundraiser of the year, our Bull & Oyster Roast. This year, the Bull & Oyster Roast will be held at our school on Saturday, April 28, 2018, from 6-10 pm.

In order to make this the biggest fundraiser, ***we need your help!*** We are asking that each family send in a minimum donation of \$10. These donations will be used for purchasing items to be used in themed baskets. The baskets will be auctioned off at our event. Some of the themes may include:

- ~Crab Feast Basket
- ~Oriole's Basket
- ~Backyard Fire Pit
- ~Spa Day Basket

.....and more!

All monies raised at this event will go towards our many HASA sponsored events AND offsetting your family's yearly tuition.

**With a minimum donation of \$10, your family will receive an out-of-uniform day on Monday, April 9, 2018.

If you would like to help with this event, please complete the clip-off below and send 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 any donations you are able to contribute!

Sincerely,
Rochelle Crapster
HASA Treasurer

***Please return clip-offs to Mrs. Kathie Sullivan by Friday, March 29, 2018
Attn: Bull & Oyster Roast Basket Raffle***

Bull & Oyster Roast Basket Raffle

Name & grade of student _____

Name & grade of student _____

Name & grade of student _____

Total Amount Enclosed

\$ _____

Monsignor Slade

BULL *and* OYSTER Roast

**Saturday,
April 28th**

**MONEY WHEEL
50/50
SILENT AUCTION
DJ & DANCING**



6-10pm

**FOOD & DRINKS
Catered by MONAGHANS**

DRAWING TO WIN A
Cruise Getaway 

Ticket Order Form

\$55
per person

\$50 *per person*
with table of **10**

Parent(s) Name(s) _____ Phone _____

Email address _____

Child's Name _____ Homeroom _____

TOTAL # of Tickets _____ x \$55.00 = \$ _____

TOTAL # of Tables _____ x \$500.00 = \$ _____

Please make checks payable to MSCS



Return to school ATTN: Bull Roast Ticket Order



9 X WORLD CHAMPION BALTIMORE BLAST SUMMER CAMP

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SOCCER INSTRUCTION BY MEMBERS OF THE 9 x MASL CHAMPIONS - BALTIMORE BLAST

JULY 23 – 27

TIME: 9AM – NOON

COST: \$140 AGES 5-13

ALL CAMPERS RECEIVE:

**SOCCER BALL * 1 - TICKET TO (4) FOUR GAMES
DURING 2018 - 2019 SEASON**

*** CAMP T-SHIRT * INSTRUCTION FROM BALTIMORE
BLAST PLAYERS**



PARENTS NAME: _____ EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

NAME: _____ ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP CODE: _____ MALE/FEMALE:

AGE : _____ T-SHIRT SIZE: _____

PHONE: HOME: _____ WORK: _____ CELL : _____

Soccer Organization: _____

CAMP LOCATION: MONSIGNOR SLADE SCHOOL

I _____ do hereby for myself, my heirs, and assigns, waive and release any and all claims to damage against the Baltimore BLAST and any camp locations and it's assigns or authorized representatives conducting camp as a result of any or all injuries incurred by _____ traveling to or from, or while participating in the camp.

Make checks payable to Baltimore Blast Soccer or use your credit card and fax to 410-732-1737 or scan and email to Mconway@BaltimoreBlast.com or Please send this completed form along with full payment to: Baltimore Blast, 7006 Golden Ring Road, Baltimore MD 21237

Credit Card: Visa / MC _____ AMEX _____ Card # _____

Exp date _____ V # _____

Signature _____