



WEEKLY UPDATE

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.

Next week's calendar:

Monday, September 4, 2023:

- SCHOOL CLOSED, Labor Day

Tuesday, September 5, 2023:

- 9/11 food drive continues through Monday, 9/11/23

Wednesday, September 6, 2023:

- In-school Mass, 10:00 a.m., Auditorium
- Slade Night at Italia's Corner Cafe, 4-9 p.m.
- HASA Executive Board meeting, 5:30 p.m., Room 110

Friday, September 8, 2023:

- Slade Spirit Wear Day
- Student Council officer elections

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Important News & Notes:

Worldwide Freedom Harvest: In partnership with Happy Helpers for the Homeless, Monsignor Slade is once again participating in the Worldwide Freedom Harvest in honor of the victims and heroes of September 11, 2001. Here at Slade, we simply call this our "9/11 Food Drive." This year's food drive began on August 24th at our Snowball Social and it ends on Monday, September 11, 2023. This food drive helps support local soup kitchens, pantries, shelters, families and individuals in need. All donations will be sent to the Anne Arundel County Chapter of the Maryland Food Bank. Please see the flyer attached for further details. Thank you so much for your generosity with our first service project of the school year!

Parent and Student Handbook Acknowledgement Form: Please don't forget! We ask that you complete the acknowledgement form confirming that you have reviewed the parent and student handbook, which is posted on our website under the "Parents" tab. You can complete the form by using the following link: <https://forms.gle/G9VWZrNMpxRye2r77>. Printed copies of the handbook will be distributed next week for your convenience.

Late pick up of students: Please be reminded that dismissal is held at 3:00 p.m. Any student not picked up by 3:15 p.m. is considered a late pick-up. Families will be charged a late pick-up fee of \$20 for every 15 minutes they are late. Parents are required to come in to the front office and sign out their child(ren) after 3:15 p.m. As stated in the Parent & Student Handbook, "Any student remaining on school property after 3:15 p.m. on regular school days, or after 12:30 p.m. on early dismissal days, will be taken inside and supervised by a staff member. A fee calculated on the length of time of such supervision will be charged on a per family basis. The fee will be \$20.00 for the first 15 minutes or portion thereof and \$20.00 for every subsequent 15 minutes or portion thereof." Thank you in advance for adhering to this policy.

Heaven Sent Cafeteria Service: Attached you will find weekly menus from Heaven Sent Catering for the month of September. Next week's menu isn't dated, but it stands out because there is no lunch service listed for Monday (Labor Day). All subsequent menus are dated for your convenience.

The cafeteria program also wants to remind you that, though you have the ability to order online ahead of time, you can also send your child to school with money to purchase lunch directly from the cafeteria staff. Please note: All money sent to school should be in an envelope marked with the student's name and homeroom, and stating the purpose for the money. (See pg. 38 of the Parent & Student Handbook). As always, if you have any questions, please feel free to call Heaven Sent at 443-527-5566 or email at jford@heavensentcaters.com.

Help Wanted: Substitute teachers: Monsignor Slade Catholic School is seeking individuals who are interested in serving as substitute teachers. To learn more about substituting at Slade, please email your interests and resume to Mr. Cameron Stehle, Principal, at c.stehle@mssladeschool.com.

Lunch Monitors Needed: Earn service hours while helping during student lunches. We have three shifts: 11:15-11:45 (Grades 3-5), 11:55-12:25 (Grades 6-8), and 12:30-1:00 (Grades K-2). Volunteers need to be VIRTUS-compliant. Please contact Mrs. Katie Sullivan, Support Programs Coordinator, at k.sullivan@mssladeschool.com.



Super Slades

Week of 9/05/23-9/08/23

Top Row: Tomi-Jo Wilson, Jack Thompson, Nina Rubin, Roman King, Collin Bozek

Bottom Row: Sofia Muniz-Chong, Lillian Cunningham, Carrie Patterson, Hunter Smith

Important News & Notes (continued):

Recess Monitors Needed: Earn service hours while helping out during outdoor recess. We have three shifts: 11:45-12:15 (Grades 3-5), 12:25-12:40 (Grades 6-8), and 1:00-1:30 (Grades K-2). Volunteers need to be VIRTUS-compliant. Please contact Mrs. Katie Sullivan, Support Programs Coordinator, at k.sullivan@mssladeschool.com.

Slade Spirit Day: As part of a new initiative from our principal, Mr. Cameron Stehle, today we celebrated our first "Slade Spirit Day," with faculty and students wearing Slade spirit wear to school. Spirit days are part of a continued effort toward community-building within the school and will allow students to wear spirit wear rather than their formal uniform on that particular day. Spirit days are optional, and if a student does not choose to dress in spirit wear on these days, he/she should come to school in the regular school uniform. These days will typically fall on Fridays, but may be designated to other days as decided by Mr. Stehle. All Slade Spirit Days will be marked on the school calendar. Please see the insert below that outlines the rules and expectations for Slade Spirit Days:



- Students should wear an official Monsignor Slade Catholic School spirit wear shirt, quarter-zip, sweatshirt, or other top (as purchased from the Slade Spiritwear Store [Homepage Here](#))
- Any other Monsignor Slade Catholic School spirit wear (including Slade sports teams shirts, jerseys, and P.E. uniform) can be worn on these days with the exception of hats which may not be worn inside the building.
- Spirit wear that is defaced, torn, altered or written on is not permissible.

More information and regulations about spirit wear days can be found on page 46 of the new Parent & Student Handbook for 2023-2024. Please note that spirit wear days are not an opportunity for students to ignore school policies concerning, hair, nails, shoes, jewelry, style and length of clothing. You can find all uniform policies in the current Parent & Student Handbook, which is posted on our website.

Grade Level Reminders:

Middle School Students: Save the Date! High School Fair at Slade - September 25th!

This fall, the Archdiocese of Baltimore is offering Catholic high school fairs throughout the area for middle school families who want to learn more about its schools. Monsignor Slade will host a fair on September 25th, beginning at 6:00 p.m., but there are other fairs available from September 18th through October 5th. The Open Fair takes place from 6:00 -6:30 p.m., followed by three Breakout Sessions. Registration is not required, and these fairs are open to students and families from any school who wish to attend. Please see the flyer attached for the full schedule.

From the School Nurse:



Missing Immunizations

- According to Maryland state law, all children must have the required State of Maryland immunizations in order to attend school. Parents are responsible for providing proof of immunization to the school prior to the student attending or proof of an appointment for necessary immunizations within 20 calendar days of the first day of school.
- If your child is not up to date on immunizations, you will receive an email by Monday, September 4, 2023.
- All immunizations must be up to date or proof of an appointment must be submitted to the school nurse by Monday, September 18, 2023.

From the School Nurse (continued):

- Please email any questions or concerns to the school nurse at j.albaugh@mmladeschool.com.

Orange Emergency Forms

- Please be sure to return completed orange emergency forms to your child's home-room teacher as soon as possible.
- Be aware that there is a back to the form which includes any medical conditions or medications that your child is taking. If any changes arise during the school year, you are required to update the form.
- This signed form authorizes EMS to take your child to the hospital in case of an emergency, and will be able to provide information regarding allergies and medications. In addition, this form allows the school to have the most up to date contact information for parents/guardians and other emergency contacts.
- Please be sure to sign and date the bottom of the first page of this form.

Food Allergies

- If your child has a food allergy, please make every effort to bring in emergency medication (epinephrine/antihistamine) for your child.
- All medications must be dropped off by a parent or guardian and be accompanied by a medication administration form which can be found on the Slade website under the forms & documents link on the parent resources list.

Student Medical Information

- If your child has a medical condition that impacts their daily life, please alert the school nurse so it can be documented and resources or accommodations can be utilized during the school day.

Advancement Announcements:

Wasn't Sneak-A-Peek and Snowballs a GREAT time? Thanks for sharing your family's excitement to start the school year, meet Mr. Stehle, and build our awesome Slade community!



Key Enrollment Information

Parents of students in 1st-8th grade received emails via the Admissions & Enrollment Portal and mcs@mmladeschool.com requesting completion of an online form titled, Parent/Student Chromebook Agreement. Students must have a completed form on file by September 4, 2023, in order to use their assigned Chromebook at school. To complete the form, log into your enrollment portal at: mmladeschool.schooladminonline.com/portal.

Contact Mrs. Carrie Hilmer with any questions, c.hilmer@mmladeschool.com

Advancement Announcements (continued):

IMPORTANT! Please add the following email address to your safe senders list in order to ensure you receive all school-related emails: info+mssladeschool@schooladminonline.com and [mcs@msladeschool.com](mailto:mscs@mssladeschool.com).

Spirit of Slade Referral Program: Limited seats remain in elementary grades and 6th grade for the 2023-2024 school year. Monsignor Slade families can earn a \$500 referral credit toward their 2024-2025 tuition after a referred, new student has been enrolled for a full year. Referred applicants must indicate the referring family name or student's name on the application. Referral credits cannot exceed full tuition expenses. Think of friends and neighbors who might be seeking a new educational experience and share the great news about Monsignor Slade.

SPIRITWEAR UPDATE: A new shirt design just dropped! Visit our spiritwear store monsignorslade.itemorder.com to purchase this design in Men's, Women's and Youth performance-style t-shirts. The design will also be available on hoodie sweatshirts! Make sure you get yours for a future Spiritwear Friday!



Parish News:

St. Jane Frances de Chantal: If you are a St. Jane parishioner and you have a child that you would like to enroll in preparation of the sacraments of 1st Reconciliation and 1st Eucharist, please use the following link to register:

<https://de710a.sites.ecatholic.com/religious-education-2023-24>

If you have any questions, please contact Melissa Boyle at Mboyle@stjane.org.

HASA Happenings:

SPORTS CARDS & COLLECTIBLES SHOW – Saturday, Sept. 9th - 9am-3pm

This event runs all year long. The next card show will take place on September 9, 2023. The rest of the dates to round out 2023 are: 10/14/23, 11/11/23, and 12/16/23. The dates for the 2024 shows will be provided in December. Keep an eye out for special signings with Orioles and Ravens players!!

ORIOLES GAME - Saturday, September 16, 2023

O-R-I-O-L-E-S! Help support Monsignor Slade Catholic School by buying a ticket to the Orioles vs. the Tampa Bay Rays on Saturday, September 16, 2023, at 7:05pm. TICKETS ARE SELLING FAST! LIMITED SUPPLY STILL AVAILABLE! \$5.00 from every Upper Reserve Ticket goes straight to the school! Use this link to purchase tickets:

<https://fevo.me/mscshasa23>

Tickets are generated based on your needs, so if you want to sit with friends and family, consider buying tickets at the same time.



CHARLESTON GIFT WRAP – SALE BEGINS SEPTEMBER 18, 2023

Our Charleston Wrap fundraiser kicks off soon! Look out for our Charleston Wrap fundraising info coming soon and get ready to check off your holiday gift list! You're going to LOVE what you see, and your support will help us reach our fundraising goal!

HASA Happenings (continued):

SPIRIT NIGHT - LEDO PIZZA - MILLERSVILLE - Wednesday, Sept. 20, 2023

Join us Wednesday, September 20th for the first HASA Spirit Night of the school year at Ledo's Pizza in Millersville where 20% of your order's proceeds will go towards our school! Be sure to mention the school's fundraiser on any in-person, carry out, or online orders placed from 11am to 9pm. More information can be found on the flyer!

DESIGNER BAG BINGO - Friday, September 29, 2023

MSCS Home and School Association is hosting a Designer Bag Bingo event. Purse brands include Coach, Kate Spade, Vera Bradley and more!



Tickets: \$30 in advance, \$35 at the door. Tickets available for purchase at:

<https://forms.diamondmindinc.com/msladeschool/hasabagbingo>

Friday, September 29, 2023

Doors open at 5:30pm, Bingo starts at 6:00pm

MSCS Cafeteria, 120 Dorsey Road, Glen Burnie, MD 21061

Tickets include 3 Bingo Cards for all 20 games and chances to win door prizes. Basket Raffles, 50/50, dabbers, food and refreshments will be available for purchase.

TRUNK OR TREAT – Friday, October 27, 2023

To Sign up for a Trunk or to Volunteers, please use this link:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C094FAFA928A6F5C52-slade2>



Sports Section:

Competitive Basketball: The Athletic Council would like to welcome and introduce competitive basketball co-commissioners, Jennifer Weatherstein and Stacy Eberling.

Cheerleading: For those interested, be sure to check out the attached cheerleading flyer.

Athletic Council Open Positions:

Treasurer (3 year term)

Program Coordinator

You will receive all of your service hours in each position. Please join our team!!! Without volunteers, we can't provide our sports programs. Please email SladeACpresident@gmail.com for more information.



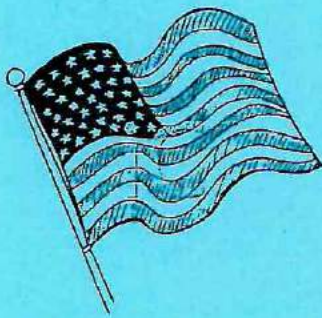
PLEASE JOIN US FOR

The Twenty-Second Annual WORLDWIDE FREEDOM HARVEST Non-perishable Food Drive

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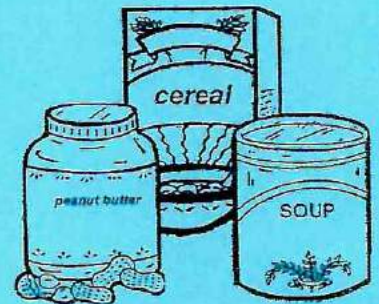
September 11th, 2023

*In Honor of the Victims and Heroes of
September 11th, 2001*



Items Most Needed:

- Tuna
- Soup
- Canned fruit
- Peanut butter
- Cereal
- Juice



Local soup kitchens, pantries, shelters, families and individuals will benefit from the Freedom Harvest. The human tragedy of hunger in Maryland is immense.

*Sponsored by: HAPPY HELPERS FOR THE HOMELESS
Call (443) 433-2416 to participate or for more information.*



Heaven Sent Catering llc



Weekly Special Menu

Monday - School Closed

***Tuesday - Chicken Alfredo With
Garlic Bread***

***Wednesday - Walkin Taco with
Churro***

***Thursday - Chicken Patty
Sandwich with Fries or Orange
Slices***

Friday - Pizza Day



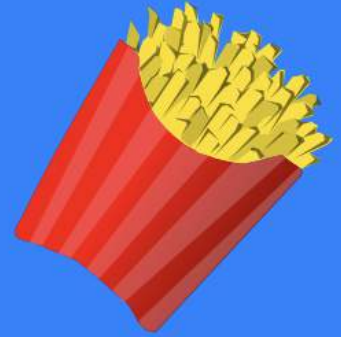
HEAVEN SENT CATERING

Weekly Special Menu

September 11- 15, 2023

Monday- Tortellini Alfredo with
Garlic Bread and Green Beans

Tuesday- Beef lomein
with Egg Roll



Wednesday - Chicken and Waffle

Thursday- Meatball subs with Fries



Friday - Pizza Day



Heaven Sent Catering Ulc

Weekly Special Menu



September 18 - 22, 2023

**Monday- Mac & Cheese Bowl with Crispy
Chicken Chunks**

**Tuesday - Double Bacon Cheese Burger
with Fries**

**Wednesday - Sweet and Sour chicken
with Rice**

**Thursday- Pulled Pork with Fries or Side
Salad**

Friday- Pizza Day



Heaven Sent
Cafe Etc



Weekly Special Menu

September 25 - 29, 2023

Monday - Baked Ziti & Garlic bread

**Tuesday - Southwest Bowl with
Mixed Fruit Cup**

**Wednesday - Cheese Steak Sub with
Fries or Carrots with Ranch**

**Thursday - Quesadilla with Spanish
Rice**



Friday - Pizza Day






2023 HIGH SCHOOL FAIRS

6:00 – 6:30 PM
(Meet & Greet with Admissions Representatives)

6:35 – 8:05 PM
(Information Sessions with Admissions Directors)



- SEPTEMBER 18, 2023**
St. Joseph School, Fullerton
- SEPTEMBER 19, 2023**
Immaculate Conception School, Towson
- SEPTEMBER 20, 2023**
Resurrection-St. Paul School, Ellicott City
- SEPTEMBER 21, 2023**
Sacred Heart School, Glyndon
- SEPTEMBER 25, 2023**
Monsignor Slade School, Glen Burnie
- SEPTEMBER 26, 2023**
School of the Incarnation, Gambrills
- SEPTEMBER 27, 2023**
Cardinal Shehan School, Northeast Baltimore
- SEPTEMBER 28, 2023**
St. Ursula School, Parkville
- OCTOBER 2, 2023**
St. Mark School, Catonsville
- OCTOBER 5, 2023**
St. Margaret Middle School, Bel Air



**Registration Not Required.
All Are Welcome to Attend!**





Monsignor Slade Catholic School

“Spirit of Slade”

Referral Program

Monsignor Slade Catholic School sponsors a family referral program, “Spirit of Slade,” which rewards the families of currently enrolled full-day Pre-K–7th grade families who refer new families to Monsignor Slade Catholic School.



- ◆ Open to all MSCS families with students currently enrolled in full-day Pre-K2 through 7th grade
- ◆ For every new family that lists your family's name in the “Referred by” field on their enrollment application and completes one full year of school at MSCS, your family will receive a **\$500** tuition credit for the following school year.
- ◆ Tuition credits are awarded on a per **FAMILY**, not per student, basis.
- ◆ You may refer more than one new family and receive additional credit. The amount of referral tuition credits cannot exceed the total tuition rate for one student in a family in any given year. Credits will not be applied until a family’s FACTS account is activated for the year in which the credits are to be received. Tuition credits cannot be redeemed for cash.



To help as you refer new families:

- ◆ A new family is defined as a family NOT currently enrolled in the Edu-Care program/Pre-K2-8th grades at MSCS.
- ◆ Prospective families must list the full name of a referring parent or student on their initial enrollment application. Only one family may be listed as a referring family. There are no exceptions.

****Monsignor Slade Catholic School reserves the right to change, amend, or end this program at any time.***



For more information or with questions, please contact:
Carrie Hilmer, Advancement Director
410-766-7130, ext. 107 or c.hilmer@mssladeschool.com

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HOME & SCHOOL ASSOCIATION (HASA)**

Ledo Pizza: LEDO PIZZA MILLERSVILLE
8531 VETERANS HIGHWAY
MILLERSVILLE, MD 21108

When: **SEPTEMBER 20TH 2023 ~ 11AM-9PM**

Online Code: Fundraiser

(Please enter the code above into the Coupon/Fundrasier Code area on the Checkout page for the organization to receive credit for your order)

ONLINE - CARRYOUT - DINE-IN

**Bring in this flyer, show it on your phone,
enter the code for online orders, or just mention
you are here to support this fundrasier and 20%
the proceeds will be donated to the organization!**



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Monsignor Slade Catholic
School

CHEERLEADING REGISTRATION IS OPEN!

GRADES 1ST-4TH

-CHEERLEADERS WILL PERFORM DURING
BASKETBALL GAMES AT SLADE

register at www.sladesports.com
August 28 -September 19, 2023

Contact Jenn:
sladecheerleading@gmail.com
410-804-7105

GRADES 3RD-5TH

-JOIN OUR COMPETITION SQUAD-

Registration will open at a later
date



September 2023

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	<p>28 Opening of School HALF-DAY for all students</p> <p>Pre-K4 & Kdg. Last names A-L</p> <p>Pre-K4 Half-day Dismissal 11:30 a.m.</p>	<p>29 Opening of School</p> <p>Pre-K4 & Kdg. Last names M-Z</p> <p>Pre-K4 Half-day Dismissal 11:30 a.m.</p> <p>Pre-K4 Full-day & Kdg. Dismissal 12:15 p.m.</p>	<p>30 Regular School Day Grades Pre-K4—8</p> <p>Pre-K4 Half-day Dismissal 11:30 a.m.</p> <p>Pre-K4 Full-day and Gr. K-8 Dismissal 3:00 p.m.</p>	<p>31 Regular School Day Grades Pre-K4—8</p> <p>Pre-K4 Half-day Dismissal 11:30 a.m.</p> <p>Pre-K4 Full-day and Gr. K-8 Dismissal 3:00 p.m.</p>	<p>1 Regular School Day Grades Pre-K4—8</p> <p>Br. Bag Breakfasts - Gr. 3 & 4</p> <p>Student Snack Sale</p> <p>Slade Spirit Day</p>	2
<p>9/11 Food Drive continues thru week→</p>	<p>4 SCHOOL CLOSED Labor Day</p>	5	<p>6 In-school Mass</p> <p>Slade Night at Italia's Corner Café 4-9 p.m.</p> <p>HASA Open Forum Mtg., 6:00 p.m., Auditorium</p>	7	<p>8 Student Council Officer Elections</p> <p>Slade Spirit Day</p>	<p>9 HASA Sports Cards & Collectibles Show 9 a.m.- 3 p.m. Cafeteria</p>
<p>9/11 Food Drive continues thru week→</p>	<p>11 9/11 Food Drive ends</p>	<p>12</p> <p>Advancement Committee Meeting 6:30 p.m.</p>	<p>13 Back-to-School Night Grades 1-5 6:30 p.m.</p>	<p>14 Back-to-School Night Grades 6-8 6:30 p.m.</p> <p>High School Info Night—Gr. 8 only, immediately following BTS Night</p>	<p>15 Student Council Home-room Rep Elections</p> <p>Slade Spirit Day</p>	16
10	<p>18 HASA Gift Wrap Sale begins</p>	19	<p>20 HASA Spirit Night at Ledo Pizza—Millersville 11 a.m.—9 p.m.</p> <p>Athletic Council Meeting 6:00 p.m.</p>	21	<p>22 HALF-DAY Dismissal 12:15 p.m.</p> <p>Slade Spirit Day</p>	23
17	<p>25 Tuition Assistance Out-of-uniform Day \$2 per student</p> <p>Archdiocesan High School Fair at MSCS 6:00-8:00 p.m.</p>	26	<p>27 Individual Picture Day Gr. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and Edu-Care</p>	<p>28 Individual Picture Day Pre-K4. Kdg., 6, 7, 8 and Edu-Care</p>	<p>29 HASA Designer Purse Bingo, 6:00 p.m.</p> <p>Slade Spirit Day</p>	30
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