

### **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, 2/19/24

School Closed for President's Day Holiday

#### Tuesday, 2/20/24

 Tuition Assistance Out-of-Uniform Day (\$2 per student)

#### Wednesday, 2/21/24

• Athletic Council Meeting 6:00 pm (Cafeteria)

#### Thursday, 2/22/24

Used Uniform Sale 3:00 -6:00 pm (MPR)

#### Friday, 2/23/24

Slade Spirit Day

#### Lunch Menu

February 19th -23rd (flyer attached)

#### Super Slades



Top row: Francesca Huminski, Penelope Hondrum

Middle Row: Desiree Kirton, Emily Rath, Joseph O'Hara

Bottom Row: James O'Hara, Jackson Blake, Mara Larkin

Not Pictured: Maxx Geldmacher

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#### **Important News & Notes:**



**Donuts with Dads (7:15 - 7:45 am)** 

Wednesday, 2/28 — Last name starts with A-L

Thursday, 2/29 — Last name starts with M-Z

#### **HASA Spirit Night**

#### Join us Wednesday, February 21, 2024 for HASA's Spirit Night at Glory Days Grill

located at 1616 West Nursery Road in Linthicum Heights where 20% of your in-store or curbside order will directly benefit our school!

Show the flyer (printed or on your phone) to your server OR mention the fundraiser when placing in person or carry out orders. More information can be found on the flyer.

#### **Used Uniform Sale**

Our next used uniform exchange and sale will be held on Thursday, February 22, 2024, from 3:00 - 6:00 pm in the multi-purpose room (MPR).

Volunteers are needed. Use this link to sign up:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C094FAFA928A6F5C52-slade1

#### MSCS will be closed on Monday, March 18, 2024.

The <u>Tuition Assistance Out-of-Uniform Day will be held on Tuesday, 3/19/24, for students who wish to participate.</u>

#### Financial Aid for 2024-2025 School Year:

The 2024-2025 FACTS Grant & Aid Tuition

Assistance Application is now open. Any student in need of tuition assistance can apply via FACTS. The application will close on February 28, 2024.

#### EduCare Corner

PreK-2, PreK-3 and Extended Care



#### Summer Program info is here!

Please see the attached informational flyer for details! Registration will open on March 15, 2024.

#### Reminders...

- ⇒ Please be sure to bring your phone when signing your children in and out each day as we have adopted the same sign in and out process as the main school.
- ⇒ On February 19, 2024 EduCare/Extended Care will be closed along with the main school in observance of President's Day.

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#### **Recruitment and Enrollment:**

#### **Enrollment**

Enrollment agreements for the 2024-2025 academic year will be sent no later than March 1, 2024. Please complete the agreement for your student(s) once you have received it. Families cannot move forward to activate their 2024-2025 FACTS account until all agreements for all students in the family have been completed. All other checklist items or updated enrollment materials should be completed as soon as possible.

**Spirit of Slade Referral Program:** Current families can earn \$500.00 toward future tuition payments for each family referred to Monsignor Slade Catholic School. Tuition credits will be applied after the referred student(s) has/have been enrolled for a year. Instruct applicants to put your current student's name or family name on any application submitted.

#### **Advancement Announcements:**

It's February! We invite you or your student to share the reasons why you love Monsignor Slade. You can share via email, social media posts, or a short video. Share with Mrs. Hilmer, too! (c.hilmer@msladeschool.com)



Save the Date! Next September, Monsignor Slade Catholic School celebrates 70 years of educating students in the Catholic tradition and helping them to know, love, and be disciples of Christ.

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@msladeschool.com.

#### Alumni

We are seeking alumni from the Classes of:

2014	2009	2004	1999	1994	1989
1984	1979	1974	1969	1964	X

We are seeking alumni updates for our website and the Roadrunner newsletter. Know an alum who has recently married, joined religious life, started a new job, or experienced another life achievement? Please share the news—or encourage the Holy Trinity or Slade alum to share that news with us!

Please submit a contact information update at <a href="www.msladeschool.com/alumni">www.msladeschool.com/alumni</a> or news of a life event, achievement, or momentous occasion via <a href="https://www.msladeschool.com/alumni/submit-your-news">https://www.msladeschool.com/alumni/submit-your-news</a>

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#### **HASA Happenings:**



#### HASA LENTEN SPAGHETTI DINNER -FRIDAY, MARCH 22, 2024

Monsignor Slade Catholic School Home and School Association is hosting a Lenten Spaghetti Dinner on Friday, March 22, 2024.

Purchase tickets here: https://forms.diamondmindinc.com/msladeschool/spaghettidinner

Ticket includes spaghetti, garlic bread, caesar salad, and a drink. Bring cash for 50/50 raffles, and baked goods for dessert. Additional non-alcoholic drinks will also be available for purchase. Crab & Anchor Apparel will be on site as well to print Slade Spirit Wear! Electronic payments accepted. Hope to see you there!

If you are interested in volunteering for the event, please sign up via this link: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C094FAFA928A6F5C52-47921338-slade

#### RACE FOR SLADE - Friday, April 26, 2024

Save the date Friday, April 26, 2024 for this year's Race for Slade event. The annual Race for Slade is one of the Home and School Association (HASA) biggest fundraisers. Race for Slade promotes physical fitness, builds school spirit and



pride, instills a sense of accomplishment in our students, and creates a fun and memorable way for them to support their school.

Fundraising will kick off on Friday, March 22, 2024. Keep an eye out in the newsletter and on social media for more information and updates.

The format of the race is changing this year to help bring in even more people from the Slade community. During the school day, the students will run their traditional Race for Slade. DJ Fo4 will be back again spinning tunes and getting the students pumped up! GiGi's Snowbarn will be there for a special treat after a hard race. We also have some other fun surprises for the students throughout the run.



NEW THIS YEAR! We are hosting the event on a half day of school. After pick up, we will host a Family Color Run.

Color Runners will be doused from head to toe in a different colored powder. Participants wear white at the starting line and finish the race plastered in color.

We are working with Crab & Anchor Apparel to offer Color Run shirts for purchase. Hope to see you there!

#### FOLLOW HASA ON SOCIAL MEDIA

Did you know HASA is on social media? Make sure you like and subscribe to our Instagram and Facebook pages. Search: MSCS Home and School Association on the apps.

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#### **Sports Section:**

#### **Council Positions**

The Athletic Council needs to fill our Secretary and Intramural/Clinic Basketball Commissioner positions for next school year, 2024-2025. Voting on positions will occur in March so please submit your interest as soon as possible to <a href="SladeACpresident@gmail.com">SladeACpresident@gmail.com</a>. For more information on the positions please email the Council President.

#### **SPIRITWEAR**

Check out our sports spirit wear website for each individual sport offered at Slade, click the top of the page to see listing of each sports gear page (can be worn on Slade spirit days): https://rebelsportsgroup.com/slade athletics/shop/home

**Spring soccer registrations are now open.** Please register quickly so teams can be determined. If you have any issues with registration, please email msladesoccer@gmail.com

## PARISH & SCHOOL PARTNERS:

#### Parish News:

Our Lady of the Chesapeake & St. Jane Frances Parishes: Calling all 8th Graders who attend Our Lady of the Chesapeake or St. Jane Frances. The Church is hosting an 8th Grade Retreat, which is open to all current 8th grade parishioners. It will be held on Saturday, March 25, 2023, 12:00-6:00 p.m., at Our Lady of the Chesapeake Church. For more information, contact timiole@verizon.net.

Our Lady of the Chesapeake & St. Jane Frances Parishes are also sponsoring a St. Patrick's Day Bazaar from 3-10 p.m. on Friday, March 17th.

Here's the info!









# Heaven Sent Cafe lc

# Weekly Special Menu



February 19 - 23 2024

**Monday- School Closed** 

**Tuesday - Southwest Bowl** 

Wednesday - Chicken Alfredo with Garlic Bread

**Thursday - Shrimp Fried Rice \$8.50** 

Friday- Pizza Day









Glory Days Grill will donate up to 20% of food purchased in store and curbside to-go to Monsignor Slade Catholic High School \*\*let your server know you are there for dining for dollars\*

Join us February 21, 2024 Glory Days Grill -Nursery Road 1616 W. Nursery Rd Linthicum Heights, MD 443-960-4343



**PROUDLY SUPPORTS** 



#### MONSIGNOR SLADE EDUCARE CENTER

# SUMMER PROGRAM 2024

#### **REGISTRATION OPENING ON MARCH 15, 2024**

#### FOR CHILDREN CURRENTLY ENROLLED IN PREK-2 & PREK-3

MAY 28TH THROUGH AUGUST 23RD

7AM TO 5PM

OUR DAYS WILL BE PACKED WITH FUN AND ENGAGING ACTIVITIES! CHILDREN WILL ENJOY WEEKLY WATER PLAY DAYS, MESSY CRAFTS, AND SURPRISING SCIENCE EXPERIMENTS. SEVERAL IN HOUSE FIELD TRIPS AND SPECIAL VISITORS ARE PLANNED TO FURTHER ENHANCE OUR FUN.

**\$330 PER WEEK** 

#### FOR CHILDREN CURRENTLY ENROLLED IN PREK4 - 4TH GRADE

JUNE 7TH THROUGH AUGUST 23RD

7AM TO 6PM

BUSY IS WHAT WE'LL BE! WATER PLAY, SNOWBALLS, COOKING PROJECTS, MESSY CRAFTS, AND SO MUCH MORE. WE'LL GO ON FIELD TRIPS - SWIMMING, BOWLING, MINI GOLF, ETC. WE'LL HAVE SPECIAL VISITORS - SCIENCE GUYS, ECO ADVENTURES, FANGS, FROGS, AND MORE, ETC.

JOIN US FOR THIS FABULOUS ADVENTURE!

**\$310 PER WEEK** 

#### FOR CHILDREN CURRENTLY ENROLLED IN 5TH - 7TH GRADE

JUNE 7TH THROUGH AUGUST 23RD

7AM TO 6PM

STEAM!!! THIS PROGRAM IS GOING TO BE PACKED WITH THEM ALL - SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING, ART, AND MATHEMATICS. OUR WEEKLY FIELD TRIPS AND SPECIAL VISITORS WILL COMPLIMENT OUR STEAM ADVENTURES. DON'T MISS OUT ON THE FUN!

**\$310 PER WEEK** 

The Center will be closed July 1-5 and August 5-9
SPACE IS LIMITED

Families can commit to as few or as many weeks as they like

Sponsored by the Home and School Association (HASA)



FRIDAY, APRIL 26, 2024

# FAMILY GOLOR RUN

### FUNDRAISING KICKS OFF FRIDAY, MARCH 22, 2024

After the 12:15pm dismissal, we will host a Family Color Run to coincide with our traditional Race for Slade event.