

Next week's calendar:

2) 9:00 - 11:00 am

Grandparents Day (EduCare, PreK-4, & K)

9:00 am - 11:00 am

**Slade Spirit Day** 

Winter Sports Assembly

9:00 - 11:00 am

**Book Fair** 

Thursday, 4/18/2024

**Book Fair** 

Friday, 4/19/2024

1:45 pm

Grandparents Day (Gr. 1 &

Grandparents Day (Gr. 3-5)

Tuesday, 4/16/2024

**Book Fair** 

Wednesday, 4/17/2024

### 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.

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#### Important News & Notes:

#### Yearbooks:

Parents, if you are interested in purchasing a yearbook for your child, please contact Mrs. Kathie Sullivan at k.sullivan@msladeschool.com The cost of the yearbook is \$25.00 and the cost will be charged to your FACTS account.

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.



Now that we're back from break, we cannot slow down!

Our Current Total is \$57,145! Let's keep it going through April. Funds raised from this event will go towards security upgrades for our school. New Incentive – Raise \$200 and your student(s) will be entered into a drawing to win 1 of 4 reserved parking spots at pick up! Parking spot of your choice and you'll have it for the rest of the school year.

#### Super Slades



Top row: Gunner Perry, Nora Stieber, Kate Franklin Middle row: Sean Foote, Kori Kenealey Bottom row: Annabelle Hondrum, Owen Cronk, Abigail Griest Not pictured: James Rolf **REGISTER FOR FUNDHUB:** <u>www.getmovinfundhub.com</u>, School Identifier: 65bd3cde5add9

#### DEADLINE FOR PARENTS TO PURCHASE COLOR T-SHIRTS IS MON-DAY, APRIL 15, 2024.

Purchase Color Run T-Shirts Here: <u>https://chesapeakedistribution.com/products/slade-official-short-sleeve-shirt? pos=1& sid=3489a2d41& ss=r</u>

#### **DID YOU KNOW THE COLOR RUN IS FREE?!?!**

We encourage families to participate in the color run event after early dismissal. We suggest bringing a small protective bag for your cell phone, hat, sunglasses, towel, and baby wipes (powder will get everywhere).



#### SignUp for the Color Run Here:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C094FAFA928A6F5C52-48772360-color#/

The annual Race for Slade is one of the Home and School Association's (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.

#### Weekly Update

#### Grade Level Reminders:

**MAP Growth Spring Administration:** Parents and Guardians, please be aware that the following is the testing schedule for the spring administration of the MAP Growth assessment for all student in **grades 2-8:** 

Monday, April 22

8:30 a.m. - Reading Tuesday, April 23 8:30 a.m. - Math Wednesday, April 24 8:30 a.m. - Language Usage

Thursday, April 25

8:30 a.m. - Science (3rd, 5th, & 7th grades ONLY)

Please ensure that all students have a hearty breakfast each day and are well rested for each day's testing. If at all possible, please do not schedule any appointments during the testing window.

Attention 7th grade parents: All Archdiocesan 7th graders will take the Pre-HSPT on Wednesday, May 1st, and results will be sent home with T3 Progress Reports. The Pre-HSPT mirrors the HSPT identically, so it will be excellent test prep for when our students take the HSPT as 8th graders in December.

There is no cost to our families for taking the Pre-HSPT, as our school pays for testing materials and administration. All 7th graders will take the Pre-HSPT, regardless of where your child plans to attend high school. Our school will use Pre-HSPT results to conduct an over-arching review of our students' strengths and weaknesses, allowing us to help our students achieve even greater success on the HSPT.

#### Edu-Care Corner Pre-K2, Pre-K3 and Extended Care



**Summer spots are filling up fast! Register today!** To register your child for our summer program, please complete this google form - <u>https://forms.gle/5jUHTCF6fFkW3D6e7</u>

Calendars detailing our planned activities and special events can be found on our website in the downloads section of the Before and After School Care page - <u>https://</u> www.msladeschool.com/academics/before-after-school-programs

#### We now have a Part-time Pre-K2 Program!

We are now enrolling for our part-time Pre-K2 class that will start with the 2024-25 school year. Class will be held on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 8am to 11:30am. Please see the attached flyer and our website for further details. Spread the word!

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

**MSDE BOOST Financial Assistance Application Deadline Approaching!** The State of Maryland offers scholarships for FARMs-eligible students. The application deadline is May 3, 2024. If your student may qualify and you have not yet applied, please do so! The application and more information can be found at:

https://www.marylandpublicschools.org/Pages/boost/index

#### Enrollment

Slade Class of 2026 families, we need your help! There are open seats remaining in the 7<sup>th</sup> grade for the 2024-2025 school year. Please remember to take advantage of the Spirit of Slade Referral Program and recommend Slade to your friends, family, and neighbors who may be considering Catholic high schools–attending MSCS for 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grades could streamline the admissions process for them!

The 2024-2025 Enrollment deadline on April 1st required all returning families to complete enrollment agreements and activate their 2024-2025 FACTS Tuition Payment accounts. All other checklist items or updated enrollment materials will be requested in the summer as the start of the 2024-2025 school year nears.

Waitlists have formed in PreK-2 (full-day), PreK-3 (full-day), PreK-4, Kindergarten, and 2<sup>nd</sup> Grades. We anticipate waitlists forming in 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, and 6<sup>th</sup> Grades, too.

#### HASA Happenings:

SLADE NIGHT AT CAMDEN YARDS – Friday, May 10, 2024 Please join family and friends of Monsignor Slade Catholic School for our Orioles High 5 Fundraiser. Watch the Baltimore Orioles take on the Arizona Diamondbacks on Friday, May 10, 2024 @ 7:05pm. It's also Mr. Splash Bobblehead Giveaway night! \$5 from every Upper Reserve ticket sold benefits the school. Purchase Tickets: https://fevo-enterprise.com/event/Monsignorslade24



#### **Sports Section:**

#### Slade Sports NEEDS Volunteers!!!

We need to fill the following positions to continue to offer the programs next school year:

- •Clinic/Intramural Basketball Commissioner
- •Secretary
- •Med Kit Coordinator

Please email SladeACpresident@gmail.com for more information. All positions receive full service hours each year.

Heaven Sent Catering eekly Special Nenu **April 15-19 2024** 

### Monday - Tortellini and white sauce Garlic bread

### Tuesday - Taco soft with Churro

### Wednesday- General Tso Chicken over Rice

Thursday - Corn Dogs w/ Tots

Friday- Pizza Day



HEAVEN SENT

TASTE ABOVE THE



### The Book Fair is Coming! April 16, 17, 18

Grades PK4 to Grade 5 Will Attend During Grandparents' Day

 PK & K
 Wednesday, April 17 9:00-11:00 AM

 Grades 1-2 Tuesday, April 16 9:00-11:00 AM

 Grades 3-5 Thursday, April 18 9:00-11:00 AM



**Click Here for Volunteer Sign Up** 

**Click Here to Visit our Scholastic Webpage** 

Contact: Mrs. Linda Abrams l.abrams@msladeschool.com

### Something new is happening at Monsignor Slade Edu-Care Center

### Part-time Pre-K2

Part-time program for children 2 years of age. Starting September 2024 Tuesdays & Thursdays 8:00 to 11:30am

## APPLY NOW!

Monsignor

Check out our website for more details and admission info https://www.msladeschool.com/ or call 410-766-7130



# **RACE FOR SLADE 2024 Friday, April 26, 2024** NEW GOAL - \$60,000!

By donating to Monsignor Slade Catholic School's Race for Slade, you are contributing to a project that enriches our school in a major way enhancing our security at school!

### Our goal is to have all students registered ONLINE! Follow these 3 simple steps to register:

- Login to <u>Getmovinfundhub.com</u> and complete your student webpage with picture. School Identifier: 65bd3cde5add9
- Make an online donation using the red **DONATE** button
- Share with friends and family, they want to help!
  - Send 10-15 emails and/or text messages
  - Post on Facebook, Instagram, X (formerly Twitter)
  - Help your child reach their goal!







## Friday, April 26, 2024 Event Timeline:

- Students will run the Race for Slade traditional event during school hours
- Early Dismissal is 12:15pm
- FREE Family Color Run will begin at 12:45pm and end at 1:45pm
  - We encourage all family members to participate!
  - Dress accordingly for a Color Run. Powder will get thrown on your clothes.
  - If you are interested in purchasing a Color Run TShirt, they are available purchase through the Spirit Wear Store.

**<u>Click Here to Purchase</u>** 



## Glen Burnie Sports Card Show

## Saturday April 13, 2024

### Doors open at 9am MSCS Cafeteria

100 Vendor Tables featuring your favorite sports and non-sport memorabilia.