

# Monsignor Slade Catholic School

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## 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.*

Weekly Update

October 20, 2017

## Upcoming Events:

- Monday, 10/23/17
  - Candy Sale ends
- Tuesday, 10/24/17
  - Multicultural Day, Parents self-guided walkabout, 8-9 a.m.
- Wednesday, 10/25/17
  - Band Boosters Meeting, 7 p.m., Auditorium
- Friday, 10/27/17
  - Halloween at Slade
    - Parade at 11:00 a.m.
  - HALF-DAY, Dismissal 12:15 p.m.

## Important News and Notes:

- **Super Slade winners for the week of October 16<sup>th</sup>:**
  - Jackson Blake – Concern for Others
  - Owen Toth – Hard Work
  - Liam Holstege – Hard Work
  - Justin Kripas – Concern for Others and Respect
  - Gabriela Garcia – Concern for Others
  - Erin Shepherd – Concern for Others
- **Family Information Form** – Two weeks ago, a personalized form was sent home to verify the family information we have in our school database. The forms were due back by October 17<sup>th</sup>. If you have not yet returned the form, please note: we must have your family's form by Monday, October 23<sup>rd</sup>, in time for inclusion in our annual family directory. This publication is a handy resource for parents and teachers.
- **Multicultural Day at Slade** – Don't forget! On Tuesday, October 24<sup>th</sup>, we are celebrating United Nations Day with a school-wide multicultural day. The students have been researching countries from around the world to learn about that country's culture. If you would like to see the students' work, feel free to come in from 8-9 a.m. on Tuesday, October 24<sup>th</sup>, for a self-guided walkabout.
- **Halloween Costume Reminders** – Please remember that students may not wear face masks or full-face make-up to school on October 27<sup>th</sup>, which is our Halloween celebration day. We also do not allow children to carry toy weapons of any kind. Thank you for your cooperation.
- **Rebate Program Reminders** – Please help us earn money for the school by participating in these rebate programs. Thank you!!!
  - **Box Tops** – Our first submission of box tops is coming up at the end of October. If you have been saving box tops at home and have not sent them in to school, please do so right away. Parent volunteers sort, clip and count them to help us earn money for Slade. Please continue saving them throughout the year and turning them in when you have a bunch.
  - **Labels for Education** – Unfortunately, the labels for education program is coming to a close, but they are still allowing us to submit what we have until January. Over the years, we have earned many free art, PE

and classroom items through this program. Although there are very few items being sold with the labels on them, if you have some labels for education at home, please send them in right away so that we can prepare them for submission in January.

- **Aluminum cans** – Yes, we do still accept cans! Please turn in your aluminum cans on Fridays. Place bags next to the double doors of the storage building, near the end of the handicap ramp.
- **Paper recycling** – The green and yellow Abitibi bin is behind the storage building and is for paper recycling only. You may turn in your old catalogs, magazines, newspapers, office papers, envelopes, school papers, workbooks and paperback books. Shredded paper is acceptable, but please bag up the shreds before putting them in the Retriever bin. Do not put any plastic, cardboard or trash in the recycling bin.
- **Printer cartridge collection discontinued** – Because there are only a few brands being accepted for recycling, the effort has become greater than the benefit for this project; therefore, at this time, we have decided to end this fundraising program. We are sorry for any inconvenience this may cause.

### Advancement Announcements:

- Has your child attended Monsignor Slade from Edu-Care through the current grade? If so, please send his/her name, the grade level in which he/she entered and the year he/she will graduate from MSCS to Mrs. Carrie Hilmer, [c.hilmer@msladeschool.com](mailto:c.hilmer@msladeschool.com)
- We are looking for tour guides for the 2017 and 2018 Open Houses. If you are able to volunteer your time on November 10, 2017, or January 28, 2018, please contact the Advancement Office.
- Recruitment season is upon us. Remember, if you refer a family to Monsignor Slade, both you and the newly enrolled family are able to receive a discount on tuition the year following their enrollment. See the attached flyer regarding the "Spirit of Slade" referral program.

### HASA Happenings:

- **Candy Sale** – Don't forget! The Candy Sale ends on Monday, October 23<sup>rd</sup>. Make sure to get out and sell your candy this weekend. All money should be turned in on Monday. If you should still want any additional candy, please contact Stephanie Zerhusen at 443.623.6446 or [Smzerhusen21@hotmail.com](mailto:Smzerhusen21@hotmail.com). Thank you for your participation in this fundraiser.
- **Paint Night** - Join us on Friday night, November 10<sup>th</sup>, from 7 – 9 p.m. for Monsignor Slade's first Paint Nite event. What's better than a night of painting (BYOB) and laughing with fellow parents, adult family members and friends? This event is for adults 21 years and older only. It is a 'bring your own beverage' event; however, small snacks will be available for purchase. If interested in volunteering or if you have questions, contact Kerry McDaniel at [kklmcd5@yahoo.com](mailto:kklmcd5@yahoo.com) or 443-514-8696. Tickets must be purchased in advance by clicking on this link [https://www.paintnite.com/events/\\_1219762](https://www.paintnite.com/events/_1219762). Tickets are limited so get yours today.

### Attachments included:

- "Spirit of Slade" Referral Form
- Parent Cleaning Day Information
- Paint Night Information
- Daisy Girls Scouts Info – Kindergarten



*There is something incredibly nostalgic and significant about the annual cascade of autumn leaves.*

~Joe L. Wheeler



## Monsignor Slade Catholic School

# “Spirit of Slade”

## Referral Program

Monsignor Slade Catholic School is excited to announce a Family Referral Program, “Spirit of Slade,” that will apply toward the 2018-2019 school year. Please consider sharing the opportunity to be enriched by the “Spirit of Slade” and this community with other families. Our parents and current students are our greatest ambassadors; we count on you to help our school grow and succeed. This program will reward both currently enrolled full-time Pre-K4 - 7th grade families who have referred new families to Monsignor Slade Catholic School and the new family who enrolls.

### Current Families

- ◆ Open to all MSCS families with currently enrolled Pre-K4 (full-time) through 7th grade students
- ◆ For every new family that lists your family's name in the “Referred by” field on their enrollment applicant form and completes one full year of school with us, your family will receive a \$250 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 Catholic rate tuition for any given year. Tuition credits cannot be redeemed for cash.

For example:

- ⇒ You recommend Family A for next year. Family A registers, lists your family in the “Referred by” field on the application form, and successfully completes the 2017-2018 school year at Slade. Your family will then receive \$250 credit toward the 2018-2019 school year in FACTS.
- ⇒ Your family was also listed on Family B’s application and they successfully completed the 2017-18 school year. Your family will receive another \$250 credit toward the 2018-2019 school year.
- ⇒ This can be repeated additional times for the same school year until the credit to your account equals one full 2018-2019 tuition rate (registered Catholic amount). \*For referring family only.

### Prospective New Families

- ◆ A new family is defined as a family NOT currently enrolled in either the Pre-K program or the Pre-K4- 8th grade at MSCS.
- ◆ Prospective families receive a \$250 tuition credit by listing the fully enrolled Pre-K4 (full-time) - 7th grade Referring Family’s name on their initial enrollment application. Tuition credits are awarded on a per **FAMILY**, not per student, basis. Tuition credits **are not** transferrable.
- ◆ Only one family may be listed as a Referring Family. There are no exceptions to this.
- ◆ New family must be registered by October 31, 2017, and complete the entire 2017-2018 school year and be current on all accounts in order to earn \$250 credit toward 2018-2019 tuition.

***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](mailto:c.hilmer@mssladeschool.com)**

**PARENT CLEANING DAY**  
**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2017**  
**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  
STV/STAND compliant,  
**CHILDREN UNDER THE AGE OF 18**  
**ARE NOT ALLOWED!**

Come help us make Slade shine!  
THANK-YOU!



# WINE & PAINT NIGHT

*PAINT \* SIP \* REPEAT*



Join us for Monsignor Slade's first Paint Nite event. What's better than a night of painting (BYOB) and laughing with fellow parents, adult family members and friends?

**Date:** Friday, November 10<sup>th</sup>

**Time:** 7:00 - 9:00 Doors open at 6:30

**Where:** Slade Cafeteria

Tickets must be purchased in advance by clicking on this link:

[https://www.paintnite.com/events/\\_1219762](https://www.paintnite.com/events/_1219762)

For every ticket sold \$15 will go back to Slade to benefit the STEM lab.

This event is for adults 21 years and older only. It is a bring your own beverage event; however, small snacks will be available for purchase.

Questions or to volunteer: Contact Kerry McDaniel [kklmcd5@yahoo.com](mailto:kklmcd5@yahoo.com) or 443-514-8696



## **Attention: All Kindergarten Girls**

All girls in Kindergarten are eligible to participate in Holy Trinity Cluster's (Monsignor Slade) Daisy Girl Scout program. The Daisy program is a two-year program that includes enriching experiences, trips, sports, crafts, skill building, community service, cultural exchanges and fellowship. They have fun with friends, learn about scouting and earn learning petals.

We are currently looking for interested adults to serve in volunteer leadership positions to begin a Daisy Troop. Adult involvement and support is critical to ensure a positive scout experience. Please consider being a part of your daughter's group. No experience is necessary, and we are here to help. A Daisy troop cannot be managed without adult volunteers.

Daisy Girl Scout troops meet twice a month in the Girl Scout Hut next to the Holy Trinity Parish Center.

Contact Julie Browne if you or your daughter is interested, or for more information, at 410-315-9485 or [julie@cyberconsultinginc.com](mailto:julie@cyberconsultinginc.com).

