

Sligo Middle School

After School Activity Program

<i>Activity Name</i>	<i>Activity Location</i>	<i>Activity Day</i>	<i>Sponsor's Name</i>	<i>Activity Details</i>
<p><u>Homework Club</u></p> <p>Starting: 9/20/11</p>	Media Ctr	Tues, W. Th	Ms. P. Jackson	Homework Club can be beneficial for all involved. The students who attend the club can work together and learn from each other, while the adults (usually parents) who are involved can see where the children are struggling and learn more about the kind of learner each child is. SMS offers a homework club to help children study after school. This club meets in the Media Center. If additional assistance is needed a Homework Club sponsor will search out other staff assistance.
<p><u>Newspaper Club</u></p> <p>Starting – 9/27/11</p>	Media Ctr	Tuesday	Mr. Wilkins	Students will research and write articles that will be published in the monthly school newspaper. Students will develop their writing skills through journalism.. Student will use a variety of resources to gather information to create their newspaper articles. Student will synthesize the information that they gather to create their newspaper story.
<p><u>SGA</u></p> <p>Starting – 9/7/11</p>	Room 127	Wednesday	Ms. Russo, Ms. Trone	Students participating in SGA will: Sponsor events that enrich school life, raise standards and expectations for behavior and academics, build communication with all student groups and serve as the voice of the students, promote school spirit and pride, and develop leadership skills among students. Officer's work together to create a sense of community, responsibility and pride among the student body, teachers and staff.
<p><u>Environmental Club</u></p> <p>Starting – 10/5/11</p>	Room 125	Tuesday	Mr. Hoben, Ms. Spivey	The environmental club's objectives include assisting in the collection of a wide variety of recyclable items to help the school and our environment. It will also assist in beautifying the grounds around Sligo through different group projects. The students who participate will be earning SSL hours towards the state requirement for graduation.
<p><u>TV Production</u></p> <p>Starting – 9/22/11</p>	TV Studio	Thursday	Mr. Wilkins	Students will learn how to report news and share announcements to the student body. Students will be introduced to the TV studio; There will be studio, production and equipment training. Students will learn how to use the videotape recorder, sound mixer, studio cameras, switcher, studio lights, and modulator. Student will learn how to perform on TV. The TV Production Club is an after school program that teaches the students how to use video cameras and digital still cameras to communicate. The club has a formal meeting once a week and students who demonstrate their proficiency are allowed to use the equipment during their free period, lunch, or after school. The members are club work on projects that demonstrate what is happening at SMS. The club also works on news segments that portray what is happening at SMS to the public via channel 19. The club also teaches the students how to take an idea and transform it to the TV screen. The students also have the opportunity to edit what they shoot and get a portfolio of their work at the end of the year.

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<u>Yearbook Team</u> Starting – 10/5/11	Room 127	Thursday	Ms. Trone	Yearbook staff is an organization developed to create and design the yearbook. Students in the yearbook club work to improve their skills and then apply them to the yearbook. It requires a great deal of writing and time. It also requires time outside of class and school to take pictures, work concessions for extra funds, and work on copying or editing at deadline time. It becomes a daily practice of journalism skills to stay ahead of the action and be prepared for upcoming events. The Yearbook Club is an opportunity for SMS students to preserve memories. The students work together to design the cover of the yearbook, and to organize the yearbook's layout. This club meets weekly and requires a strong commitment to team work. The students are responsible for taking photos, attending events and committing to a weekly meeting for production purposes. As deadlines approach the students need to be flexible in meeting days as well as time commitments.
<u>GRRL Tech</u> Starting – 10/11/11	Room 216	Tuesday	Ms. Plum	GRRL Tech (Girls Really, Really Love Technology) meets each Wednesday after school. Girls do a variety of web design projects in workshops led by Montgomery College Professor, Priscilla Wilson. First session is Wednesday, October 13 th . The class also promotes literacy as the girls are creating original texts as well as are analyzing instructions and other web texts.
<u>Visible Men Group</u> Starting - TBA	Room 121	Thursday	Mr. Frempong	Visible Men uses a “pillars of strength” approach to working with young men- incorporating character development, exploring realistic images of success while challenging popular culture, and addressing common risk-factors that impede success, with an academic and prevention- education focus. The in Vision project will help to strengthen boys’ ability to be successful by strengthening communication skills, widening their network of supportive peers, challenging traditional masculinity, and offering an opportunity for boys to participate in a meaningful, fulfilling program outside of school time.
<u>Young Writers’ Academy</u> Starting: 10/11/11	Room 128	Tues/Thurs.	Ms. Rickford	Young Writers' Academy meets each Tuesday and Thursday after school. Local writing professionals and theatre artists lead a broad array of writer workshops and students complete creative writing projects. Ms. Sandra Romero is the Teacher Sponsor. First sessions are Tuesday, October 12 and Thursday, October 14
<u>Drama – Fall Talent Show Auditions</u> Tuesday October 11 th from 2:40-4pm in M1 <u>Mandatory Rehearsal</u> (everyone must attend) Tuesday October 18 th from 2:40-4pm in M1 <u>Optional Rehearsals</u> Wednesday October 19 th	Auditorium	See info	Ms. O’Brien	Additional information forth coming via Drama flyer

from 2:40-4pm in M1
Tuesday October 25th from
2:40-4pm in M1
Thursday October 27th from
2:40-4pm in M1

Mandatory Dress

Rehearsals: (everyone must attend)

Tuesday November 1st from
2:40-4pm in M1

Wednesday November 2nd
from 2:40-4pm in M1

Performance:

Friday November 4th @

7:15pm in the Gym

*performers must arrive by
6pm

Drama: Spring Drama:

Audition:

Thursday December 8th from 2:40-
4pm in M1

Wednesday December 14th from
2:40-4pm in M1

Call Back Audition:

Thursday, December 15 from 2:40-
4pm in M1

Rehearsals:

**Mandatory Rehearsal (everyone
must attend) Tuesday December
20th from 2:40-4pm in M1**

*Other rehearsals are based on your
role and will occur: Tue, Wed &
Thurs. between January and May
from 2:40-4pm. (some rehearsals
will go after 4pm, those will be
announced no later than our first*

<p>January rehearsal)</p> <p>Performance: Friday May 4th @ 7:15pm in the Gym. Saturday May 5th @ 7:15pm in the Gym</p>				
<p>Extended Day Program</p> <p>Starting – TBA</p>	TBA	Tues. Wed.	TBA	See attached schedule and information
Sports			Tues, Wed, Thurs	<p>See attached schedule for needed information</p> <p><u>SOFTBALL</u> Thursday Sept. 27 Girls vs. Eastern Wednesday Oct. 5 Boys vs. Newport Mill Wednesday Oct. 12 Boys vs. Takoma Park Tuesday Oct. 18 Girls vs. Key Tuesday Oct. 25 Girls vs. Silver Spring Intl.</p> <p><u>CROSS COUNTRY</u> Wednesday Oct. 5 @ Newport Mill Wednesday Oct. 12 @ Takoma Park Tuesday Oct. 18 vs. Key Wednesday Oct. 19 vs. Eastern</p> <p><u>BASKETBALL</u> Wednesday Dec. 21 Girls vs. Key Wednesday Jan. 4 Boys vs. Takoma Park Wednesday Jan. 11 Girls vs. Lee Wednesday Jan 25 Boys vs. Silver Spring Intl. Thursday Feb. 2 Boys vs. White Oak Tuesday Feb. 14 Girls vs. Newport Mill</p> <p><u>SOCCER</u> Wednesday April 11 Girls vs. Eastern Tuesday April 17 Boys vs. White Oak Tuesday April 24 Boys vs. Lee Wednesday May 2 Girls vs. Key Wednesday May 9 Boys vs. Silver Spring Intl.</p> <p>All games at 3:00 except Basketball which is at 3:15 All games listed are HOME games other team not listed is away against the same school</p>

Jazz Band	Room. M2	Spring 2011	Ms. Parks	
SSL Hours	Room 115	As needed	Ms. Monroe	See Mrs. Monroe for information on Student Service Learning Hours
Math Help	Room 114	Wed. and Thurs	Ms. Colbert	
Math Help	Room 131	Tues and Thurs.	Ms. Stubbs	
Math Help		By Appointment	Ms. Goldstein Ms. Grandusky Ms. Snider	Please see Math Teacher for additional information and their scheduled day for Math Help after School.