

Harford Day School

Bel Air, Maryland

Edmeades & Stromdahl, Ltd. has designed multiple projects for the Harford Day School over the last 10 years. We have designed new buildings, additions, and renovations to create the true sense of a "campus" to this private school in Harford County, Maryland.



Our first project for the school was in 1997 when the school desired to separate the middle school students from the elementary school students with a brand new middle school building. At the time, the existing facility consisted of an accretion of buildings and additions which were built over a period of 40 years. The collection of buildings lacked focus and the site was very restricted. We chose a subordinate location for the middle school behind the existing classroom building. By concentrating on the spaces between the new middle school and the existing structures, we were able to create several courtyard spaces which unite the various buildings into a true campus. The round atrium commons area is the main design element of the middle school entrance courtyard and also functions as a multipurpose space. A covered arcade connects the two entrances of the middle school and forms a gracious edge to the campus courtyard. The building also provides general classroom space, as well as a computer lab, art room and a music room. These various classroom spaces are connected by a raised atrium corridor with a fountain as the feature element in the entrance lobby.



Several years later, from 2003-2005, we designed a series of additions, including a storage addition, administrative area renovation, and a health suite redesign. Our most recent work was completed in 2008, which included a new science wing and multipurpose room for plays, musicals, and athletic functions.

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PROJECT PROFILE

Client:

Harford Day School
Moore's Mill Road
Bel Air, MD 21014

Project Type:

New Middle School
New Multi-Purpose &
Science Wing Addition

Location:

Bel Air, Maryland

Size:

Middle School: 16,000 SF
Multi-Purpose Addition:
11,000 SF

Status:

Middle School:
Completed 1999
Multi-Purpose Addition:
Completed 2008

Role:

Full A/E Services:

- Site Evaluation
- Master Planning
- Construction Cost Projections
- Design
- Construction Documents
- Bidding/Negotiations
- Construction Administration

Cost:

Middle School:
\$ 2,000,000 Const.
\$ 117,400 Design
Multi-Purpose Addition:
\$ 3,366,000 Const.
\$ 243,949 Design

Reference:

Su Harris,
Dean, Harford
Day School
410.838.4848



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Site Plan

