

# Sir Albert Love Catholic School Parent Council Committee <u>Minutes</u>

Date: November 22, 2023

Time: 6:30-7:30

**Location: SAL Library** 

Present	Regrets	Name	Role
		Jennifer Harvey	Principal
		Kirstin Ciampaglia	Co - Chair
		Nicole Scovino	Co - Chair
		Joanne Reeson	Secretary
			Parish Representative
		Paula Polley	Staff Representative
		Daniela Fernandez	Parent Representative
		Nicole Cunningham	Parent Representative
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	Agenda Item	Decision / Action Taken	Person(s)
			Responsible
1.	Welcome & Opening Prayer	Mrs. Harvey opened the meeting at 6:30pm with a prayer.	
2.	Principal's Report	Faith/Social	
	1 1	Justice/Outreach	
		1) Students in K-8 continue to have monthly visits with our Rosary Apostolate.	
		2) Remembrance Day – poppy donation collection - \$300 to	



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3) Food drive for Christmas – Monday December 4 – Friday December 8.

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4) Christmas Angel tree – list of family members and their ages – if able – we encourage families to take an "Angel" from the tree to support.

#### Sports/Clubs

- 1) Tripleball and Volleyball tournaments are happening this month.
- 2) Chess Club for Grades 3-6 started today.
- 3) Knitting Club continues for Grade 7 and 8 students.
- 4) Lego club starting in January Grades 1-3

### **School Improvement**

- 1) Staff had a recent presentation on Culturally Responsive Teaching by our English Language Learner resource teacher.
- 2) We continue to learn about self-regulation and well-being.
- 3) Student Wellness group leads "Wellness Wednesday" tips on the announcements each week with an alternating focus on the following: physical, emotional and nutritional wellness tips for students.

#### **Fundraising**

1) Chocolate fundraiser raised \$5700 for the school.

## Safe and Caring Schools week Nov. 20-24

1) November 20th – Presentation for Grades 4-8 by Sam Demma: Everyone has a giant invisible backpack and in these backpacks, we carry the thoughts and opinions that other people place on us. Things that stop them from loving themselves and expressing who they truly are. This program aims to help your students remove the mental burden on their



	shoulders and provide them with an empowering outlook on the past, present and future.  2) Each day the announcements has a prayer related to acceptance, love and kindness for everyone as well as a personal challenge for students each day to help build these traits within themselves.
	Advent/Christmas
	1) Christmas Door competition begins on Dec. 1st and judging for a winner - Dec. 4th. Winning class gets Timbits.
	2) Dwyer Band performing Christmas music for students – Dec. 5th
	3) Family Advent Night – Dec. 7th - 6 pm
	4) ShareLife Candy Jar guesses – 50 cents each guess or 5/\$1. New jar every week of December.
	4) Kindergarten Christmas Concert – December 15th – 1 pm. Details to come.
	6) Spirit Week – December 18-22 <sub>nd</sub> .
3. Closing Prayer	Ms. Harvey closed the meeting with a prayer

**Next Meeting: Wednesday February 21st 2023**