



**SAINT MARY'S COLLEGE OF CALIFORNIA**  
**All IN Campus Democracy Challenge Action Plan**  
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**ACTION ITEMS:**

- 1) The Provost will announce the launch of the ALL IN Campus Democracy Challenge in her Fall Welcome to the College community.
- 2) The documentary *Charlie vs Goliath*/<http://www.charlievsgoliath.com/>  
<https://www.facebook.com/charlievsgoliath/> will be screened on campus, date TBD
- 3) Students in the following courses will participate in *voter registration and turnout activities* in conjunction with their coursework: COMM 116, Advertising and Civic Engagement; COMM 161, Communication and Social Justice; JCL 10, Introduction to Justice, Community, and Leadership; POL 103, Elections and Voting; POL 135, Environmental Politics.
- 4) The Associated Students of Saint Mary's will recruit volunteers, give them voter registration training, and place them at *registration tables* in the student dining hall and near the Library for two weeks in October,
- 5) The Saint Albert Library will place *information in its lobby and display cases* about registering to vote, changing one's address, and signing up for

vote-by-mail. It will also organize a related *book display*.

6) Reference librarians will lead an "*Ask a Librarian*" session on finding nonpartisan information on local and state candidates and ballot measures, date tbd.

7) The Politics Department has a page on its website with links to *voter registration resources* <https://www.stmarys-ca.edu/politics/voter-registration-resources>. The page also links to the 2016 NSLVE report.

8) A *voting place* will be located on campus on Election Day so students need not leave campus to vote.

9) All election-themed activities will be publicized on campus through digital signage, messages in the campus news bulletin, and the Saint Mary's Facebook page.