# ELEMENTARY VALIANT NEWS

## **Their Goal is Stopping Yours!**

They shoot, they score, and they win! Great job to our middle school co-ed soccer team for being undefeated in their division! With great teamwork, amazing coaches, and a strong bond, this team never fails to surprise us with their great sportsmanship. The team has two more game in the league this season.

We are so proud of you all, and appreciate the hard work that goes into being a winning team. Amazing job, Valiants! Thank you Coach Archey & Ms. De La Cruz.







SC: "How does it feel to be one of the three captains on the team?"

"It is a very cool experience and one to never forget!"

-Kaylei Nacrur (8A)

## Our Daycare Staff: Ms. Ayala

We love our teachers and staff, and that definitely includes our daycare teachers! We welcome **Ms. Ayala**, a light-hearted and humorous support staff. She been here for a few months now and primarily oversees fourth and fifth grade dayare students.

SC: "Ms. Ayala, how do you feel about working here at Saint Genevieve?"

A: "I feel good! It's fun working here."

SC: "Why do you enjoy working here at Saint Genevieve? Anything specific?"

A: "I totally enjoy working here. Everyone is so nice, and I especially enjoy working with the kids here. I feel honored to be working here with such nice teachers, adorable kids, and amazing staff."





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#### **Ending the Year Like a Valiant Skater!**

To all of the middle school valiants, whether you are a soon-to-be school leader or an on-the-brink-of-being-a-high-schooler, there's no doubt that appreciating the legacy we've left behind for the years to come is worth celebrating. So, your 2022-2023 Student Council has arranged, not a Legacy *Dance*, per say, but a Legacy *Skate*!

Like, as in, ice skating... haha!

All seventh and eighth graders are invited to join us at the LA Kings Valley Ice Center for a fun ice skating event on May 12th! It will go on from 2:00-5:45, however, students don't have to stay or arrive from or at those times, as they can join anywhere within the time zone! Snacks and a private party room will be provided for students to hang out with one another, and students will be on a private skating rink! If the student would like to attend the skate, they don't necessarily have to be on the ice— since we've rented a rink and a private party room, students will also be able to have fun talking to one another, as well as having both snacks and a good time!

So, whether you're a seasoned skater or new to the sport, come out and have a COOL time!

## Armenian Genocide

The Armenian Genocide was the treacherous massacre of what was potentially millions during World War I. These killings would soon lead up to the deportation of Armenians to the deserts, where surviving took pure luck, as many died from harsh conditions or from being killed by others passing by.

The definition of a genocide is the "deliberate killing of a large number of people from a particular nation or ethnic group with the aim of destroying that nation or group".

The Armenian Genocide is something never to be forgotten nor repeated in history, as the horrible conditions many faced before death was absolutely tragic. Still, today, many Armenians continue to go on marches on April 24th to commemorate those who died, and to remind us never to forget what happened.





