Dear Alleman Family and Friends,

Let me begin by saying what an absolute honor it is to be the Principal of Alleman Catholic High School. Alleman High School truly develops a faith-lived community by exemplifying gospel values through Catholic education. Alleman High School is very proud to educate the whole student; academically, spiritually, and socially. Alleman High School knows that each student has a special set of gifts and talents given to them by God. It is our responsibility to foster those gifts and talents.

I am very proud to say that 2015-2016 was another great year at Alleman High School! First, our senior class earned an incredible 4.9 million dollars in college scholarships. Our senior class had a 100% graduation rate and we had an amazing 16% of our senior class earn Academic All-State Honors. Alleman High School is very proud of our 23.6 average Composite ACT score, as well as having a median GPA of 3.27. Furthermore, through our Christian Service outreach our students at Alleman High School completed over 23,000 hours of Christian Service! A few of our larger projects included the Student Hunger Drive where we donated 85,000 pounds of food to the River Bend Food Bank and our 3rd annual Dance Marathon where we raised more than $26,000 dollars for the University of Iowa Children’s Hospital. Finally, our athletic teams had great seasons highlighted by Boys Golf and Boys Track and Field 3rd place finishes at state!

We made some great improvements and upgrades during the 2015-2016 school year as part of our Strategic Plan. These included: adding a certified Resource Teacher to our staff to provide academic support to our students, renovations to the 2nd floor new wing classrooms, and major renovations to the library. The largest improvement we made was launching our 1-to-1 technology program for our students. We are enhancing students learning and instruction with the use of Chromebooks. We are going 1-to-1 meaning that every student at Alleman High School will have a Chromebook to enhance their educational experience. This project will be phased in over the next for years. This is truly an exciting time in the history of Alleman High School.

I want to thank each and every one of you for your amazing and generous support of our great high school. It is because of all of you that we are able to provide a world-class education here at Alleman High School!

May God Bless You Always and In All Ways,

David Hobin

Principal
The dedicated faculty and staff of Alleman Catholic High School represent one of our greatest assets. These individuals are highly qualified, experienced, and committed to academic excellence. They are excellent role models for our students and go above and beyond to make sure each and every student is successful.

**FACULTY & STAFF (2015-2016)**

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“Love the class sizes and the individual attention you can get from teachers. You can get help from any teacher in the school and they would be glad to help.”

- Alleman Student Satisfaction Survey

Faculty average more than seventeen years of teaching experience and 60% have achieved a master’s degree or beyond.
**Academic excellence is an Alleman tradition.** As a predominantly college-preparatory school, Alleman's faculty and guidance staff work together to prepare students for their next level of education. Alleman students consistently perform higher than their local and national counterparts in standardized tests, including the ACT. This preparation, coupled with many opportunities for service leadership, paves the way for great opportunities to grow academically and spiritually. At Alleman, good students become great people!

- **$4.9 Million** awarded in scholarships and grants and awards to seniors (a four-year value).
- **16%** of the Class recognized as Illinois State Scholars
- **17** Presidential Scholarships
- **15** Dean’s Scholarships
- **88** Other University Scholarships

**CONGRATULATIONS PIONEERS FOR PLACING IN THESE ACADEMIC COMPETITIONS!**

**Worldwide Youth in Science & Engineering**
2nd Place Regional Winners

**Illinois Council of Teachers of Mathematics**
2nd Place Regional Winners
3—First Place Individual Awards
2—1st Place Team Awards

Hands-on, lab sciences at Alleman.
All Hail the Pioneers!

Alleman offers the following athletics: **Fall**—Football, Boys Golf, Girls Golf, Girls Tennis, Boys and Girls Cross Country, Girls Volleyball, Boys Soccer, Girls Swimming. **Winter**—Boys and Girls Basketball, Wrestling, Gymnastics, Boys Swimming. **Spring**—Boys and Girls Track, Baseball, Softball, Boys Tennis, Girls Soccer. Cheerleaders are present at football and boys basketball games and the Emeralds Dance Team performs at home boys basketball games.

Below are highlights of the year from our student-athletes!

Senior Kyler Yodts was the winner of the prestigious Western Big 6 Don Morris Award.

Girls Softball won the WB6!

Boys Golf placed 3rd at the 2015 state meet.

Boys Track and Field placed 3rd at State!

At the end of the 2015-2016 school year, the Alleman family bid farewell to Steve Smithers, who served as Athletic Director for 11 years.

**Alleman’s 2015 Athletic Hall of Fame**

Alleman inducted the following individuals into the 2015 Hall of Fame: Tom Dilulio, 1996 (Wrestling, Football); Brian Trapkus, 1996 (Basketball); Dave DeJaegher ('76) Football Coach; 1968-1969 Boys Basketball team.

**All six spring varsity sports received recognition from the IHSA by earning over a 3.0 cumulative GPA - Girls track and field set the pace with a team average 3.65 GPA.**
Total Revenue for Alleman during the 2015-2016 school year is $3,218,933.

Tuition and Fees ($1,423,483)
Includes tuition and fees for 440 students. The tuition and fee total is offset by family discounts and tuition assistance. Also included in this amount are the academic and band fees for partner Catholic School students who take classes at Alleman.

Development Revenue ($1,006,303)
More than $1500 per student was raised through the Development Office to help offset the cost of educating each Alleman student. The major sources of operational development fundraising are the Heritage Ball and Dream House Raffle, Pioneer Calendar sale proceeds, Annual Appeal, Birdies for Charity, income transferred to the school from the Alleman Endowment Fund, and memorial gifts left to the school.

Parish Subsidy ($578,918)
Alleman Catholic High School is very fortunate to have tremendous financial support from the 14 parishes of the Rock Island Vicariate (listed on the back page). Parish subsidies account for 18% of Alleman’s revenue.

Athletic and Other Income ($210,229)
Athletic income includes season ticket sales, gate receipts, state tournament incomes, all sports program advertising, and an annual contribution from the Alleman Booster Club. Other school income sources include interest on school accounts, bookstore income, and rental income for use of facilities.

The true cost of Catholic education is more than $7,000 per student.
This amount is subsidized by more than $2800 from combined fundraising efforts of our Development Office and contributions from local Parishes.
Alleman has the LOWEST high school tuition in the Peoria Diocese. Generous donors and parishes help to keep tuition low.
Thank you for supporting Alleman!
Total Expenses for Alleman during the 2015-2016 school year are $3,244,569. Expenses are categorized and broken down below.

Salary and Benefits / Academic Expenses ($2,540,972)
This category includes teacher salaries, technology, textbooks, educational supplies, the Counseling department, and school library.

Instructional and Student Service Expenses ($48,274)
Includes textbooks, classroom supplies, student publications, academic department expenses, counseling testing and supply expenses.

Academic Support Expenses ($166,318)
Includes audit, faculty in-service, conferences, copiers, duplication services, technology support, development office expenses, postage, business office forms, memberships and certifications.

Insurance Services ($94,482)
This total includes property liability insurance and vehicle insurance.

Maintenance, Utility, Vehicles, Repairs ($229,172)
This total includes cleaning and housekeeping supplies, equipment repair costs, annual maintenance contracts, snow removal, and utility expenses for the school’s building and grounds.

Extra-Curricular Activities ($165,351)
Extra-curricular expenses, competition entry fees, IHSAA state tournament competition expenses, and home contest event expenses for the school’s academic and athletic teams.
The goal of the Christian Service Program is to encourage students to share their God-given talents with others in the school, at the local parishes, and in the community. Students are required to complete a minimum of 20 hours of community service each year. Collectively, Alleman students performed 23,000 service hours during the 2015-2016 school year—more than twice their requirement!

Students volunteered with many organizations throughout the year including SPEC, American Red Cross, Habitat for Humanity, Peer Justice, River Bend Food Bank, TEC, Gilda's

Dance Marathon—DM3
Students raised more than $26,000 for the University of Iowa Children’s Hospital. Not only was it fun... but more importantly “IT’S FOR THE KIDS!”

Student Hunger Drive
1st place Division B with 256 pounds of food per student.
1st place overall winner with 116,913 pounds of food.

Blood Drive
Two Blood Drives were organized by Student Council members.

Habitat for Humanity
Students served meals to volunteers working at Habitat for Humanity house-build sites.

23,000 Hours
Christian service hours.

With an average of 52 hours per student—this is more than twice the school requirement.
Fine arts are a vibrant part of student life at Alleman.
This section captures the heart of the arts at Alleman during the 2015-2016 school year. Students performed a fall musical and spring play during the 2015-2016 school year. The Pep Band and Pioneer Singers also performed during the Christmas Musical and Spring Band Tour. Alleman’s art students submitted a giant pastel as part of this year’s Bucktown Center for the Arts Annual Pastel competition.

Fall Musical and Spring Play
Students from the Drama Club performed “Shrek, the Musical” at Alleman’s Tracy Spaeth Performing Arts Center in the Fall. This comedy which included remarkable costumes and a fire-breathing dragon left everyone in stitches! Students also performed two western one-act comedies: “The Day Ma’s Boys Done Went to Town to Rob the Bank, Again,” and “The Day Black Bart Balderdash and Dangerous Dan McGrew Nearly Went to Dueling at Miss Kitty’s Golden Nugget Saloon,” by John Donald O’Shea.

Spring Band Tour & Variety Show
Students from Alleman’s Pep band along with band students from the 5-8 grade Partner Schools at Jordan, Our Lady of Grace and Seton visited partner schools and performed in a Spring Concert at Alleman’s Performing Arts Center. Students also entertained and shared their talents at the Spring Variety Show!

Pioneer Singers
Alleman’s Pioneer Singers shared their voices at Festival of Trees and during visits to local nursing homes over the Christmas season. They also performed at the annual Holiday Luncheon and during the Spring Band Tour.

Above: A pastel art piece crafted by Alleman students was on display this spring.
My Dear and Wonderful Alleman Supporters,

Because of the fantastic and most generous support of our alumni and friends, we were able to make many improvements to Alleman this past summer. We made extensive improvements and updates to the Fr. O’Connor Library. We updated the 2nd floor Counseling Office with new flooring, paint and lighting. We also renovated the four foreign language classrooms this past summer. With that, we have now renovated all of the original wing classrooms and labs. It is so very important to us to maintain our facilities so that our students can have the resources they need to receive a quality education. Alleman, after 67 years, is in great shape!

In my 57 years at Alleman, I have witnessed generous and dedicated supporters to Alleman and to Catholic education. This past year was no different. The love you have for the little ole school is simply incredible. Our Alleman family is truly amazing! We are blessed to call many alumni and friends supporters of Alleman. You are true Pioneers.

On the next page, you will see ways that you can continue to support Alleman in our fundraising efforts. You are sharing in our mission and for this I remain eternally grateful. Alleman would not be possible without your devotion, your dedication to Catholic education, and your fantastic loyalty. You are and will remain greatly loved by the little ole priest.

Always & Ever,

Director of Development

Funding from generous donors helped to make possible library renovations (below) and improvements to the Counseling Department (above). New flooring, paint and furniture were all a part of these capital improvements.
In 2015-2016, development activities of Alleman Catholic High School represented 31% of total school revenue.

Development activities are critical to keeping the cost of tuition at Alleman low. Alleman is grateful for all donations and supporters, including our students, school families, alumni, and community supporters! We are also thankful to the 14 Parishes in our Vicariate who financially support Catholic education.

**Heritage Ball and Dream House Raffle**
This is Alleman’s biggest fundraiser of the year, and is essential to making a Catholic education affordable for families in the Quad Cities. The combined raffle, auction, dinner and dance provide an enjoyable evening while supporting Alleman at the same time.

**Annual Appeals**
Annual appeals such as the Father’s Year End Appeal and Birdies for Charity are used to make necessary capital improvements at Alleman Catholic High School. Matching gifts offered by employers are a great way to double or even triple your donation! The Alumni Scholarship Fund provides tuition assistance for students based on financial need.

**Memorials and Bequests**
Remembering Alleman in your will or as a beneficiary to an IRA are two examples of how you can make a lasting impact at Alleman. Another way to benefit the high school is by designating Alleman for memorial gifts in honor of your departed loved ones.

**Endowed Scholarships**
By donating to the Alleman Endowed Scholarship Fund, you can establish a scholarship in your family’s name that will help make a student’s dream of attending Alleman Catholic High School a reality. The scholarship recipient can be selected based on criteria of your choosing, such as financial need, academic performance, or parish affiliation.

**Pioneer Calendar Sale**
The Pioneer Calendar Sale is a way to support Development Office efforts in meeting their annual budget to the General Fund. This is not only a great way to support Alleman Catholic High School, but also gives the purchaser a chance to win a cash prize each day of the calendar year.
Alleman has a long and established tradition of academic excellence that is underscored with strong moral values and Christian service. We work hard to prepare our students morally, ethically, academically and spiritually. We Prepare the Way.

Alleman Catholic High School is fully accredited as a secondary institution by the Diocese of Peoria, the State of Illinois, and the North Central Association. Alleman offers more than 100 different courses excluding those which can be taken through the Area Vocational Center.

College Readiness*

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*According to the State of Illinois Report Card. Percent of students who scored a 21 or higher on the ACT. Average percent of IL QC High School Districts 30. 40 & 41.