

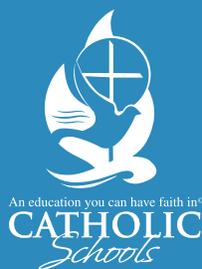
SIENA CATHOLIC SCHOOLS of *Racine*



What's next?

A search committee has been actively interviewing applicants for the role of President for Siena Catholic Schools of Racine, and two additional open roles for the leadership team, identified below, have been posted. If you know someone who would be qualified to fill these roles, please contact Brenda White at whiteb@archmil.org. We ask for your continued prayers as we establish these three critical leadership roles for our new system.

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Siena Catholic Schools of Racine Officially Becomes a Not-for-Profit Corporation in Wisconsin

In an exciting step for the formation of our new school system, its articles of incorporation have been approved by the State of Wisconsin, establishing Siena Catholic Schools as a not-for-profit corporation.

The articles of incorporation for an organization establish its name, governance, and purposes and are outlined in a document that is submitted to the state. The state's approval grants status to an organization as a corporation. Incorporation is typically the first formal step in creating a not-for-profit organization.

The articles of incorporation for Siena Catholic Schools identify its purposes as follows:

- to conduct, maintain, and operate as an accredited not-for-profit corporation for religious, charitable, and educational purposes.
- to prescribe and regulate the course of instruction for the corporation's schools and to do all things necessary, proper, and desirable as permitted by law for the promotion of charity, education, and religion.
- to establish the financial responsibility for the operation of the corporation's schools with parents and alumni, parishes, foundations, corporations, friends, and others as appropriate.

Archbishop ListECKI Confirms Founding Board Members

In another milestone in establishing the system's governance, Archbishop Jerome ListECKI has confirmed the Founding Board for Siena Catholic Schools of Racine. Board member nominations were solicited at community summits held in February and March. The Racine Area Catholic Education Steering Committee assessed all nominations received and submitted a recommendation to the Archbishop. Criteria for selection included expertise, familiarity with current school and parish operations, participation on the Racine Area Catholic Education Collaboration Task Force, and pastor recommendations. Please pray for this Board (members listed on the following page) as it works to advance the mission and implementation of the new system.



If you have questions or need more information about Siena Catholic Schools of Racine, please visit racinecatholicschools.org or contact **Sarah Toepfer, Catholic Schools Marketing Manager, at toepfers@archmil.org**. Thank you in advance for your interest, support and prayers.

Founding Board Members	Expertise/Skill Area	Additional information
Emily Ansani	Financial	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Former Vice President, Bank of America, Capital Markets Risk Management Parishioner: St. Lucy
Linda Townsend Christ *	Governance Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Speech Pathologist, Yorkville and Kansasville School Districts Current St. Catherine Corporate Board Member Parishioner: St. Richard
Elizabeth Hoff *	Communications	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Director Communications, R&D AbbVie Former Chair, John Paul II Academy school committee Former Chair, Small World Montessori School Board of Directors Parishioner: Sacred Heart
Dan Horton *	Financial	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Retired Chief Administrative Officer – S.C. Johnson & Son. Retired Dean – Alverno School of Business Parishioner: Sacred Heart
Ray Johnson	Human Resources	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Retired Human Resource Director, S.C. Johnson & Son Parishioner: St. Joseph Parish
Dean Landry *	Financial	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tax Director at Northwestern Mutual Trustee, St. Rita Parish
Heather Orth *	Education Governance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ESL Educator, Racine Unified School District Parishioner: Sacred Heart
Brenda White *	Education Governance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assoc. Superintendent of Schools – Archdiocese of Milwaukee Former Principal: St. Margaret Mary, Wis. Hills Middle School, Holy Apostles

* Member of Racine Area Catholic Education Collaboration Task Force

Mission: Our schools are committed to educating in a Catholic learning environment rooted in Christ's teachings and characterized by academic excellence, servant leadership, student diversity, personal accountability and respect for every individual.

Vision: Our schools will effect positive change in the community by graduating life-long learners, grounded in strong Gospel values, who are prepared for higher education and meet the challenges of a rapidly-changing world with compassion and hope.