

A digest for busy administrators!

CSAANYS



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Position Opening: Director

We are currently searching for a person to fill the position of Director. The applicant should have sufficient NYS Catholic school experience so that our principals respect and relate well to him/her. The applicant should be politically savvy and comfortable representing CSAANYS at meetings with other organizations, the state and federal government, school districts and the State Education Department and other nonpublic school organizations. We are seeking someone who is willing and able to spend most of his/her time reading the publications the Association receives daily; researching available resources on the internet; digesting, analyzing and summarizing all of it and then producing consumable output for our members.

Application process is currently open. Please send letters of interest and resume to.

Search Committee
406 Fulton Street #512
Troy, NY 12180

For Qualifications and Functions call 518-273-1205 or visit <http://www.csaanys.org> and click on Job Opportunities.

What former CSAANYS Executive Director has recently completed her qualifications and will be awarded a Doctorate in Educational Leadership from St. Mary's University of Minnesota?

CSAANYS Director Honored at Retirement Dinner

Sister Mary Catharine Ryan, CSJ's contributions to this organization were acknowledged at the March Board meeting. Sr. Catharine has had a long and varied career in Catholic secondary, undergraduate and graduate instruction. In addition, her administrative experience is substantial. She began her stay at CSAANYS as a "Field Representative" in 1998 and it is only due to continuing health problems that she resigned in October 2003. On behalf of the Association, thank you.



Sr. Mary Catherine Ryan, CSJ and Vice President Mary Margaret Henshaw at March Board meeting retirement dinner.



Rejoice, Rejoice the Lord is Risen! Rejoice!

Another "R", a very important "R" because it is the heart of Christianity... We are to be a happy people because we know that God the Father loves us enough to have sent His only Son to save us. How bad can things be when one

knows that ultimately all is well—we are loved and have been saved! The Lord has risen! The Easter Season has arrived.

Spring is the season that Easter embodies. There is something life-giving about Spring. Days grow longer. The cold, dark, depressing darkness of Winter yields to the sun's warm glow. The earth, pregnant with life, bursts forth with colors, sounds and smells that awaken the senses and bring hope.

If you are a gardener you know exactly what I mean, if not — become one! Plant a seed, root a branch or buy a plant and wonder at life. It will fill your heart with joy and hope. Your school problems will assume perspective. They will still be there, but in the grand context of life they are manageable. You know that we have already won the game that really matters. With that knowledge comes the ultimate administrative health. No problem is insurmountable; life does go on. There is a tomorrow!

OUTSTANDING 2001-02 Mandated Services Claims

The following was copied directly from the State Education Department web site!

"03/24/04 - UPDATE

Chapter 16 of the Laws of 2004 provided the New York State Education Department with a deficiency appropriation for Nonpublic School Aid. These funds will be used to pay outstanding approved claims for services provided during 2001-2002 school year. Payments are anticipated to be completed by April 15, 2004.

If you have not received payment by that date, you can email an inquiry to GRANTSWEB@mail.nysed.gov. It is important that you include your project number (0600-03-xxxx) and your BEDS Code in your email. "