

Seneca Township High School District 160

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Dear Seneca High School Family Members,

After months of enthusiastic anticipation, on July 2, 2012, I began my first official day as superintendent of Seneca Township High School. As the cliché goes, “I hit the ground running.” Reflecting back upon that first day, I can honestly proclaim it to be great! I truly feel honored to serve as your superintendent.

The 2012-2013 school year begins my 25th year in education. Although the past five years working at the Regional Office of Education were terrific, I am eager to return to my passion – the teaching and learning process within a school district. My basic philosophy can be boiled down to one simple idea; schools exist to provide students with the programs, supports, and opportunities to reach their potentials. Whether a student’s future includes college, trade school, the military, agriculture, or the workforce, Seneca High School students need to be well-prepared academically, socially, and ethically for a successful future.

I am eager to work with the staff, administration, students, parents, and the entire Seneca Community to continue our pursuit of excellence and the development of a superior educational program. I welcome the opportunity to meet you and I look forward to establishing a positive working relationship with you as we cultivate a common vision of educational quality. Getting to know your child/children is very important to me as I enthusiastically await our first day of school on August 21, 2012.

Lastly, the entire Carlson Family – my wife Cathy and daughters Alyssa, Bree, and Catie and I – are thankful for this opportunity to become a part of the Seneca educational community.

Yours in education,



Jim Carlson
Superintendent

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P.S. Watch your mail, Registration Packets will be out soon!

“Where Students Come First”