



PRESS RELEASE

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Tech Corps Wisconsin, Inc. (TCW) is pleased to announce the latest effort in its continued support of educating children, and spreading computer literacy, in the state and specifically within the Southeast Wisconsin area with the announcement of a project at St. John's Lutheran Elementary School in Racine, WI.

"We have been asked to help them with this project by supplying 38 refurbished Pentium 4 desktop computer systems to update the computers we installed in 2009, and also an additional 18 computers to replace the existing classroom computers" said Michael Pitsch; Executive Director for Tech Corps Wisconsin, Inc. In addition, the schools will also receive 8 laptop computers to support the use of Smart boards for classroom instruction. Tuesday May 31th is the installation date of the computers at the school located at 510 Kewaunee Street in Racine, Wisconsin.

"These computers will facilitate curriculum delivery, and be a great addition for our children in the school, as we endeavor to provide a modern, relevant, and sustainable school environment here at St. John's School," said Principal Janet Pesch.

"Tech Corps Wisconsin is a wonderful program. The computers they provide to us will be used to enhance academic studies here at St. John's School," said Technology Coordinator, Michelle Gyax.

This project is a continued experiment in re-defining how education is delivered to our community's citizens, wherever they are, to better prepare them to meet the challenges of their futures. The collaborative nature of the project includes a number of public and private businesses throughout SE Wisconsin who provided the material donations and the volunteers who are completing the work. "We are pleased to have been asked to participate in this venture to help make a difference in the futures of area children," said Pitsch.

To volunteer, donate or sponsor please call 262-619-0931

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Tech Corps Wisconsin, Inc. is a statewide, 501(c)(3) non-profit volunteer organization dedicated to bridging the digital divide by providing access to technology for children and adults.