

William H. Hannon Foundation Supports Its Local Catholic School: St. Monica Catholic Schools

St. Monica Catholic Schools has received a \$50,000 grant from the William H. Hannon Foundation to support the renovation of the 66 year-old lower high school gymnasium on the school's Santa Monica campus. St. Monica Catholic Schools is undertaking a \$4 million campus improvement program. A school board member has pledged \$2.5 million as a challenge grant to generate new monies restricted to the school's development project. The William H. Hannon Foundation's contribution will go towards meeting that challenge grant. Improvements planned for the gymnasium include new locker rooms, space for an athletic trainer as well as a team room.

"St. Monica's is right down the street from our Foundation's office. They are our neighborhood Catholic school and we have supported them for many years. Their current building program will allow them to add new students who seek admission to the school, but because of current space limitations are not able to attend," said Kathleen Hannon Aikenhead, President of the William H. Hannon Foundation.

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