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Montrose School Moves to Medfield

Medfield, MA- The Montrose School in Natick announced today that it has purchased a 13.5 acre parcel for a planned \$10 million campus in the heart of Medfield Center. Inspired by the teachings of the Catholic faith, Montrose is an independent college preparatory school for girls in grades 6 through 12.

The school purchased the previous Bayer Laboratories site. They expect to begin renovations this year for a school opening in September 2006.

“This is a great twenty-fifth anniversary gift for Montrose,” said Dr. Karen Bohlin, head of the school. “For the last twenty-five years Montrose’s mission of educating the whole person has laid a foundation of excellence in academics and character development. Now, it is time for Montrose to build a home campus that befits our mission.”

The extended Montrose family and generous friends raised the money to purchase the property. The sale price was \$7.4 million.

Bohlin, who is also a nationally-known author and educator, said the move will provide more private school classrooms for girls in the Metrowest area. “We are delighted. We look forward to writing the next chapter of Montrose history in Medfield.”

About Montrose School

Founded in 1979 and currently located in Natick, Massachusetts, Montrose is an independent college preparatory day school committed to academic excellence and character development for girls in grades 6-12. Awarded the prestigious distinction as a *National School of Character* in 1999 Montrose remains a leader in its mission to educate the whole person. (www.montroseschool.org)