

Thomas "T.J." Kakabar

Conemaugh Township Area School District Superintendent

We are pleased to welcome Mr. Thomas "T. J." Kakabar as the district's new superintendent. Mr. Kakabar, a native of Salix, comes to us from the Penns Manor School District where he was superintendent from 2006 until accepting the position with Conemaugh Township.

Mr. Kakabar is a 1987 IUP graduate. He received his master's degree in supervision and administration from Frostburg State. In 2006 he earned his superintendent's certification from Shippensburg University.

He began his career as a social studies teacher at Forest Hills. From there he moved to Portage, serving as athletics director, assistant principal, and later, high school principal.

T. J. has been married to his wife Jean for over 25 years. Together, they have two daughters, Allison and Sara, that are both attending Pitt.

He serves on the district 6 athletics committee. In his spare time he enjoys family time, cooking, and golfing.