

State Representative

**ROB  
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**PROUDLY SERVING THE 89<sup>th</sup> LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT – FRANKLIN COUNTY**

## You're Invited! **2024 SENIOR FAIR**

**FRIDAY, SEPT. 13, 9 A.M. TO NOON**

**Fayetteville Volunteer Fire**

**Department Social Hall**

**101 W. Main St., Fayetteville**

The fair is FREE to attend and open to all area senior citizens and their family members or caregivers.

More than 80 vendors representing various state agencies, local governments, businesses and nonprofit organizations will be on hand to provide information and answer questions important to seniors. Health screenings, free breakfast and door prizes will also be offered.

The fair is sponsored by Shippensburg Rehabilitation & Health Care Center.



## **AARP SMART DRIVER COURSE**

Seniors wanting to sharpen their driving skills and receive a discount on their auto insurance are encouraged to sign up to attend an upcoming AARP Smart Driver Course I am hosting on Oct. 24 and 25.

Classes will be held at Chambersburg Area School District Administration Building, 435 Stanley Ave. in Chambersburg from 8 a.m. to noon. Participants must attend both days\*.

By taking the course, participants will learn the current rules of the road, defensive driving techniques and how to operate their vehicles more safely in today's increasingly challenging driving environment.

There is no test to pass, and upon completion of the course, participants may be eligible to receive Pennsylvania's multi-year auto insurance discount for insured drivers age 55 and older.

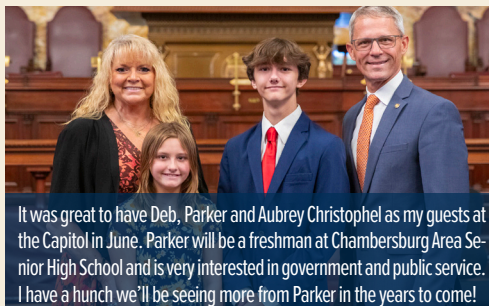
The course costs \$20 for AARP members and \$25 for non-members paid by check or money order. **Space is limited.** Register by calling my district office at 717-264-3943.

## **In the Community...**

*Nothing is better than spending time with the people I serve. Celebrating your achievements, hearing your thoughts and concerns, providing state resources, and helping solve your state government-related problems are what I enjoy most about being a state representative.*



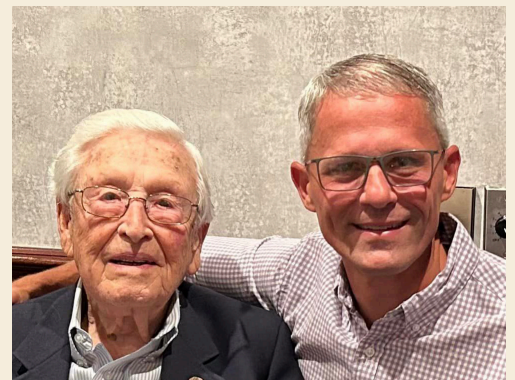
I had the opportunity to join Rodney Rotz, his family, friends and coworkers to celebrate his retirement from over 20 years of service with Nitterhouse Masonry Products and over 40 years of service with James River Corporation. Best wishes for an enjoyable retirement, Rodney!



It was great to have Deb, Parker and Aubrey Christophel as my guests at the Capitol in June. Parker will be a freshman at Chambersburg Area Senior High School and is very interested in government and public service. I have a hunch we'll be seeing more from Parker in the years to come!



I had the opportunity to participate in the grand opening of the new Rita's Italian Ice in Chambersburg! What a fun atmosphere and great facility. Congratulations to owners Keila and Mark Trace!



Sam Worley recently turned 103! I had the privilege to spend some time with him celebrating his birthday. He is truly one of the best from The Greatest Generation! A member of the class of 1939, he was working for the PA Turnpike and was attending Shippensburg University when, in 1942, he received his draft notice to report for duty in World War II. Over the years he has served our community in various ways, including as a Franklin County commissioner and mayor of the Borough of Chambersburg. I am blessed to call Sam my friend.



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## Keeping In Touch...

Every other week, I send out an email to update residents about important happenings at the state Capitol and in our community. You can sign up for these informative emails by logging onto my website at **RepKauffman.com** and clicking on the “**Resources**” tab. Your information is only used by my office and is not shared with or sold to any third parties.



## GET READY FOR **REAL ID**

The deadline for enforcement of the federal REAL ID Act is now set to begin on May 7, 2025.

As of that date, you will have to present a federally accepted form of identification to board a commercial domestic flight or visit a secure federal building that requires ID at the door. Federally accepted forms of identification include a Pennsylvania REAL ID driver's license or ID card, a U.S. passport or passport card, or a military ID.

While all Pennsylvanians must comply with the new law, obtaining a state-issued REAL ID is not mandatory. PennDOT will continue to offer standard-issue driver's licenses and photo IDs.

Full enforcement of the law has been delayed several times due to the COVID-19 pandemic, which was hindering efforts to process REAL ID applications across the country.

To learn more about REAL ID and how to obtain one, visit [www.penndot.gov/REALID](http://www.penndot.gov/REALID).

## **DEADLINE EXTENDED FOR** 2023 PROPERTY TAX/RENT REBATE PROGRAM

The deadline for senior citizens and Pennsylvanians with disabilities to apply for rebates on rent and property taxes paid in 2023 has been extended to Dec. 31.

Income limits for the Property Tax/Rent Rebate Program increased this year to \$45,000 for both homeowners and renters. If you were earning too much to qualify before, you may be eligible now. Remember to exclude 50% of Social Security when determining your income. The law I supported to expand the program also increased the maximum rebate to \$1,000.

The program is open to residents age 65 years and older; widows and widowers 50 years and older; and people with disabilities 18 years and older.

Remember — you do not need to pay anyone for assistance to apply for the rebates. Apply online at [my.path.pa.gov](http://my.path.pa.gov), or contact my office for help.

Rebates began being distributed July 1, as required by law.



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