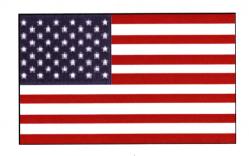


State Representative Faul Semmel Welcomes World War II Veterans



February 24, 2006

The Lutheran Home at Topton Topton, Tennsylvania



I would like to express appreciation to the Lutheran Home at Copton for the use of Henry Auditorium and for supplying refreshments for today's event.

We would also like to thank all the participants listed in this program, and most importantly, thank you to the World War 99 Veterans and their families for attending today's event.

Program

Invocation –

Pastor Clarence Reeser Retired Pastor World War II Veteran, US Army

Presentation of Colors – Topton American Legion Honor Guard

Marilyn Roth

Pledge of Allegiance

National Anthem -

Retire the Colors

Patriotic Music -

Introduction of Guests and Speaker –

Keynote Speaker -

Marilyn Roth

Representative Paul W. Semmel

Mr. Stan Reinhard Past State Adjutant for the PA Department of the American Legion Past Chairman of the PA Veterans Memorial Commission

Tribute to World War II Veterans

Representative Paul W. Semmel

Video –

Presentation of Pins and Certificates –

Benediction –

Pastor Clarence Reeser

Greatest Generation

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Dear Mr. Druckenmiller,



House of Representatives COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA HARRISBURG

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PENNSYLVANIA EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY COUNCIL

February 2, 2006

Thank you for agreeing to be a part of our ceremony honoring World War II Veterans. It truly is our pleasure that you will be organizing the honor guard for this event. The dates and location of this event will be as follows:

Friday, February 24, 2006 - 2:00 p.m. (Doors open at 1:15 p.m.) – The Lutheran Home at Topton, Henry Auditorium

Friday, March 3 - snow date for February 24

The schedule will be as follows:

Invocation Presentation of Colors National Anthem Pledge of Allegiance Retire the Colors Patriotic Music Introduction of Guests and Speaker Keynote Speaker Video Presentation of Pins and Certificates Benediction

Light refreshments will be served afterwards. We hope that you and the other members of the honor guard will be able to stay for the ceremony and the refreshments.

If you have additional questions or need additional information, please do not hesitate to call Katherine Lichtenwalner in my district office at 610-799-0187. Again thank you for your participation.

Sincerely,

W. Semmel

State Representative 187th Legislative District

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January 20, 2006

Dear World War II Veteran:

During the past few months, I have asked World War II veterans who live in the 187th Legislative District to contact my office so I can honor them for their service and dedication to our country.

It is my extreme honor and pleasure to invite you and a guest to attend a special ceremony at the **Lutheran Home at Topton, Friday, February 24, 2006**. This program will be held in the **Henry Auditorium** and will begin promptly at **2:00 p.m. and conclude by 3:30 p.m**. Light refreshments will be served afterwards. (A campus map is enclosed for your convenience.) If there should be inclement weather on the 24th, the ceremony will take place on Friday, March 3rd. My office will notify you the day before if the ceremony will need to be rescheduled.

I will present a House of Representatives certificate of appreciation and commemorative lapel pin to each of you. The veterans will be seated alphabetically in front to facilitate the handing out of the awards. If you are unable to attend personally, a family member can accept the award on your behalf. Mr. Stan Reinhard, past Chairman of the PA Veterans Memorial Commission and past State Adjutant for the PA Department of the American Legion will serve as keynote speaker for this event.

Please return the enclosed post card noting your attendance plans by February 10th or call my office at **610-683-9199**. Please respond even if you do not plan to attend.

I look forward to meeting and honoring you at the World War II Veterans' Recognition ceremony on February 24th.

Sincerely,

Paul W. Semmel State Representative 187th Legislative District

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