



# Penn-Del Tips

The official newsletter of the American Baptist Men of Pennsylvania and Delaware

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## The PREZ SEZ . . .

### A Message from our President, Bob McQue, Sr.

In the last Penn-Del Tips I told you that God had blessed us with additional Area Vice Presidents to maintain local communications with the men in the churches of our region. This time the news is even better. We now have only two vacant positions: the North West Area, and the Pittsburg Association. If the men of your church have not been contacted by one of the Area Vice Presidents, give him a call with a contact person and phone number. The following are our current Area VP's:

Delaware	Alonzo Mackey	302-838-1239
SouthEast	Joseph Kapes	610-380-0375
Philadelphia	Jamal Rahman	267-901-0454
NorthEast	Michael J. Spece	570-771-6024
North Central	Marland Johnson	570-596-3319
South Central	Randy Smith	717-225-6269
SouthWest	George Sprock	724-424-5598
Pittsburgh	Vacant Call George Sprock (Temporary)	
NorthWest	Vacant Any Volunteers?	

Our Secretary, Gary Stump, has given many years of service to ABMOPAD, and desires to be replaced. If anyone feels led to perform Secretary Duties for the Board (mainly keeping minutes), please contact me.

Having substituted as Retreat Registrar for our recent retreat, I found that late registrations were a real "headache". Please note that anyone registering for the 55th Retreat prior to January 31st, 2009, will receive a \$15.00 discount. Why not take advantage of the bargain?

Praying that each of you grow closer to God as you serve Jesus,

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### Help The Boosters Help Clara's House!

As chairman of the Booster Ministry of the American Baptist Men of Pennsylvania and Delaware, I am pleased to report that the funds from Booster Call 52 have been sent and received at the Cameroon Baptist Seminary in Kumba. We sent \$4,100.00 This was a great response.

Now to update you on how Booster Call 53 is going. This call is for a Mission Ministry need at Clara's House. Clara's House is a program to help women who are in unplanned or crisis pregnancy situations. Our target is to raise \$6,000.00 for this Mission.

Presently at this writing we have reached over 1/3 of the target goal. If you are interested in supporting this call, feel free to use the enclosed envelop for your gift. Let's go over the top.

Bob Swan, Booster Chairman



**You can advertise the 55th Annual Retreat at your church by downloading posters from [www.abmopad.org](http://www.abmopad.org)**

### Want To Help The Disaster Relief Program?

The Greenfield Baptist Church Women held a "Tool Shower" to supply the Disaster Relief Small Trailer. The results are shown in the picture. The "Tool Shower" also produced donations of more than \$600.00. Perhaps your men could do something similar.



### Discount For Advanced Retreat Registration!

Register for the 55th Annual Retreat, and pay a \$75 deposit by January 31, 2009 and you will receive a \$15 discount on the balance of your registration! Not valid on per-diem rates. Youth are still half price this year! Time is running out. Hurry up and register so you can save! There is a registration form conveniently included with this edition of the Penn-Del Tips.