

Tom Quinn for State Rep
165th District of Pennsylvania

It's Time to Expect More

“It is a privilege to be involved in an election that is about hope, change, and working for justice for everyone. I am honored to be on the ballot.”

–Tom Quinn, Democrat for PA's 165th

October 1, 2008

Less than 5 weeks to go and we have been working hard. In the next couple of days a mailing from our campaign will reach over 10,000 homes in the district bringing our positive message to voters. We need your help to let people know about this campaign over the last few weeks- \$5, \$10, \$25, \$50, \$100 or more would be a huge help at this point. [DONATE!](#)
[<http://www.actblue.com/page/quinn165>]

We are sprinting towards the finish line and our victory in November. Here is what we were up to this month...

Marple Pride Day:

Sat., Sept. 13

A wonderful community event. To see pictures, go to Marple Pride Day
[<http://www.tomquinnforstaterep.com/marplepride.html>].

Radnor Rally for Change:

Sun., Sept. 14

The community in Radnor came out in force for this event. If you missed the updates you can read about it here and watch the video of my speech at-[Radnor Rally](#)
[<http://www.tomquinnforstaterep.com/events.html>]

Comcast Newsmakers:

Tues., Sept. 16

I filmed a segment for Comcast in Philadelphia that will air during this coming week on Comcast. 5 minutes goes fast, but I

seemed to be able to articulate who I am and not say anything silly. Let me know what you think when you see it.

Radnor TV:

Thurs., Sept. 18

John Nagle interviewed me for four 15 segments that will air in Radnor this month. One is already on our site at [Radnor TV](#).
[<http://www.tomquinnforstaterep.com/videos.html>]

My Letter on School Funding in Delaware County Times:

Thurs. Sept. 18

I offered my idea for how to bring fairness to how we fund our schools while still keeping seniors in their homes- [Read It](#)
[<http://www.tomquinnforstaterep.com/news.html>]

Canvassing in Springfield, Marple and Radnor:

Sat. Sept. 20

With the help of volunteers we reached over 1,500 houses this weekend alone as we walked the streets wearing our brand new "Tom Quinn for State Rep" T-shirts. We will be going out again as a group in October and also the weekend before the election.

Friday September 26th- Radnor Conservancy Gala

Susan and I had a good time at the Radnor Conservancy Gala at the Ardrossan Mansion. We had never been there before and to those of you who do not know it was

the inspiration for *The Philadelphia Story*. The Conservancy is doing good work preserving open space in Radnor and the event was very well attended.

Saturday September 27th- The Delaware County Democrats Annual Pechin Award Breakfast

Frank Daly was honored by the Delaware County Democrats for all that he has done for the party. Our campaign had our own table and the room was filled with a spirit of optimism of what the election will hold.

What about the rest of my time?...



I have now knocked on 4,643 doors. Over 1,100 this month. You can contribute 1 penny for every door here- [Knock on Doors With Me!](http://www.actblue.com/page/knockingondors)
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With the help of volunteers and now the Obama Campaign, which is also dropping our literature, we have directly reached 10,000 homes with our literature and will double this in the next couple of days when our first district wide mailing goes out. I am also proud to say that I have knocked on at least one door in each of the 45 voting precincts that make up this district.

- A woman in Radnor shrieked when she saw I was a Democrat. "They are all a bunch of thieves! Who are you running against?" I answered and she said "Never heard of him, but I'm sure if I knew anything about him I'd hate him to!" Not getting that vote. Not sure who is.
- At a door in Springfield a little boy about 4 answered the door. I asked him if Mom or Dad was home and he said, "Yes. I have on no pants!" And he ran away. And, yes, he did not have on pants. A much cuter story than the guy in Marple with no pants last month.
- In Radnor a woman came to the door and told me to "Wait right there." She never came back.
- In Springfield in honor of Sarah Palin a woman asked me if I ever ate a moose-burger. I said, "No, but I have put lipstick on a pig." Not even sure what that means, but she laughed.
- In Marple a woman said, "I sure hope you win." I do too.

Yard Signs

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This has been an amazing experience and I am just now getting to the interesting part. On October 14th Governor Rendell will be attending an event for the campaign and I will be coordinating canvassing and literature drops with the Sestak and Obama Campaigns throughout the month. We will have a debate on the 22nd and I will be attending various meet the candidate events and knocking on more doors. Not sleeping much, but the finish line is in site. I appreciate you coming along with me and we will work hard, have fun and continue to let people know that they have a real choice in this district for the first time.

All the best and if someone knocks on your door it could be me and please for goodness sake make sure you have your pants on!

All the best,

Tom Quinn
Democrat for the 165th

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Change in the 165th!

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