

## PENNSYLVANIA INTERSCHOLASTIC ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION, INC.

550 Gettysburg Road • PO Box 2008 Mechanicsburg, Pennsylvania 17055-0708 (800) 382-1392 • (717) 697-0374 FAX (717) 697-7721• www.piaa.org

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: August 6, 2024

Media Contact: Lyndsay A. Barna lbarna@piaa.org

## PIAA Bids Farewell to Executive Assistant Debrah Rosenberger

Rosenberger spent 16-years at the PIAA

**MECHANICSBURG, PA** – Born and raised in northern York County, Deb Rosenberger is a graduate of Northern High School. She has worked for the Pennsylvania Interscholastic Athletic Association (PIAA) for 16 years. Rosenberger has played a vital role in the office. She started in the business office, moved to the officials' department before becoming the office manager and dedicated support staff member for Dr. Robert Lombardi, in October 2018. Rosenberger is an active grandmother, mom, wife of 40 years and is often referred to as the first lady of the PIAA.

"Deb has been known as the first lady of the PIAA. Under her leadership, as office manager, the office has flourished. She has been a tremendous staff member and friend. We all owe her a great debt of gratitude to the association, and we will miss her tremendously," said Dr. Robert Lombardi.



Rosenberger is pictured with her family at the 29th Annual PIAA Officials' Convention.



## PENNSYLVANIA INTERSCHOLASTIC ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION, INC.

550 Gettysburg Road • PO Box 2008 Mechanicsburg, Pennsylvania 17055-0708 (800) 382-1392 • (717) 697-0374 FAX (717) 697-7721• www.piaa.org

This past weekend, Rosenberger was bestowed the Beverly Owens-Gaither Meritorious Service award. This award is presented to a registered or non-registered PIAA official who has consistently shown a devotion to PIAA, interscholastic athletics and the athletes we serve. The award winner shows a constant and consistent devotion through their working relationship with PIAA in its many activities. Rosenberger fulfills all those qualities and more.

Rosenberger is excited to spend more time with family as she's a proud grandmother of four grandchildren. She will be missed by the PIAA family as she heads for retirement.



Left to right: Dr. Robert Lombardi, PIAA Executive Director, Debrah Rosenberger and Pat Gebhart, PIAA Associate Director at the Officials' Convention.

## Pennsylvania Interscholastic Athletic Association

Beginning in Pittsburgh, on December 29, 1913, PIAA was given the privilege of serving its member schools and registered officials by establishing policies and adopting contest rules that emphasize the educational values of interscholastic athletics, promote safe and sportsmanlike competition, and provide uniform standards for all interscholastic levels of competition.