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News From Around PA

Court of Common Pleas has ten openings. Two of the candidates are 'out' attorneys from Philadelphia running to help their "community." They are Abbe Fletman and Chris Mallios.

The COLOURS Organization, Inc. has moved from Center City to West Philadelphia. It is an activist organization which works mostly with those in the African American community who identify as homosexual, bisexual or transgender. With this move they hope to expand their concentration on youth and "to make connections with nearby Drexel University and University of Pennsylvania."

Lehigh University will be hosting its second annual L.G.B.T.Q.I.A. Intercollegiate Conference on February

16th. The acronym stands for lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, questioning (or queer), intersexed and allies.

Community College of Philadelphia has launched a Gay Straight Alliance Club.

PA Gaming Control Board reports 2012 gross revenue from slot machines was \$2,470,935,317. Only Nevada had more slot revenue.

News from National Scene

Recently a **California Boy Scout** announced he is homosexual. Last month his application for Eagle Scout was approved by a volunteer review board, which then forwarded it to the local Scout Council. The local council rejected the application because he is over 18 and "this young man proactively stated that he does not agree to Scouting's principle of 'Duty to God' and does not meet Scouting's membership requirements. Therefore, he is not eligible to receive the rank of Eagle." Homosexual activist groups are hoping to pressure the BSA into approving the application.

Fiscal Cliff deal reached on New Year's Day. The entire

PA delegation of 19 Congressmen and Senators Casey and Toomey voted for the 'deal' which included ten tax increases for every one spending cut.

The Washington DC **National Cathedral**, an Episcopal congregation, announced it will implement a new "rite of marriage" for its homosexual members. The Very Reverend Gary Hall, says, "I think it is an important symbolic moment."

On December 21st the **Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals** blocked the California ban on change therapy from going into effect when it granted an injunction pending the [appeal in Pickup v. Brown.](#)

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