



## American Family Association of Pennsylvania Weekly Update

### Seeking to Expose Attacks on Faith, Family and Freedom with a few wins thrown in!

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**News From Around PA**

The AFA of PA has added **“Candidate Endorsements,”** a list of endorsements by organizations and individuals for US Senate, Governor and Lt. Governor to our website.

Officers of the **University of the Arts** Queer, Trans and Non-Binary Club in Philly held the school’s first queer prom. “Prom monarchs” were chosen instead of Prom King and Queen.

**Dr. John Fryer, a homosexual psychiatrist,** gave an anonymous speech to the American Psychiatric Association (APA) in May 1972 urging the APA to remove homosexuality as a mental disorder, which they did in 1973. Elected officials in Philly will hold the John Fryer 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration on May 2. Resolutions commemorating Frye have been introduced by Congressman Evans (PA-1) and Senator Casey.

**News From National Scene**  
US Rep. Rick Allen, R-Ga., and the House Republican Conference hosted a **special**

**order hour** where about three dozen House Republicans took to the floor of the US House to discuss the importance of faith and prayer in their lives.

On the heels of Elon Musk acquiring Twitter the Dept. of Homeland Security (DHS) has announced the formation of the **Disinformation Governance Board,** which will “coordinate countering misinformation related to homeland security.” DHS appointed Nina Jankowicz as executive director. Last week on NPR she stated “I shudder to think about if free speech absolutists were taking over more platforms.” The Missouri Attorney General has called it the “ministry of truth”, referring to George Orwell’s book 1984

Oklahoma superintendent of public instruction, Joy Hofmeister, has told the **Stillwater School District** that they must abide by the Biden Administrations “transgender guidance” allowing boys in girls’ bathroom, locker and shower rooms. Parents are not happy and are urging Governor Kevin Stitt and the legislature to create a law that will ban biological males from entering girls’ facilities.

Hofmeister, a former Republican, is running as a Democrat against Stitt to become OK’s next governor.

**Shawnee State University** in Ohio has agreed to pay a professor, who was forced to use the pronouns demanded by a student who identified as transgender, \$400,000 in damages and attorney’s fees, rescind a written warning issued against him and lift all requirements for the professor to use false pronouns to identify a student. But the school affirms it will continue “to stand behind a student’s right to a discrimination-free learning environment.”

**The US Census Bureau** will spend ten million taxpayer dollars for “critical research” to figure out how to best add questions about sexual orientation and gender identity on census surveys.

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