



## 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**

**Lititz based realtor Jason**

**Burkholder** hosted a Silent

Witness Peacekeepers

Alliance Training in order to

teach how to create a buffer

zone between Christians who

want to witness to the

LGBTQA+ participants at

today's pride festival at Lititz

Springs Park. Simply put: the

organizers of the 'pride'

festival want to silence any

opposing viewpoints!

The **PA State Education**

**Association** passed a

resolution urging the state to

provide free school meals to

all students and to cancel

student lunch debt.

**US House attempt to censure**

Congressman Adam Schiff (D-

CA) failed. Democrats put

forth a motion to table the

resolution and it passed by a

vote of 225 to 196. Twenty

GOP voted to table. That

number included US Rep.

Brian Fitzpatrick (PA-1).

**Visit Philly,** Philadelphia's

official travel and tourism

agency, has launched a 30-

second TV ad featuring local

drag queens Brittany Lynn

and Morgan Wells to show

Philly is "a city that embraces diversity and inclusion".

June 17<sup>th</sup> "**Family Pride Day**" at the Franklin Institute!

### News From National Scene

A **Connecticut father** of four

said he recently pulled his

kids from the public school

system and plans to

homeschool them after

elementary officials

reportedly showed a pride-

themed video to students.

**Major League Baseball** has

quietly told teams that they

can stop forcing players to

wear uniforms and hats

adorned with gay pride

rainbow colors during their

"Pride Night" games. Up to

this point, the Texas Rangers

is the only team that has

refused to hold "Pride Night".

A **Hixson Middle School**

teacher in Tennessee has

apologized for forcibly taking

a cross necklace from a

student during a book fair.

The school had no rules

against the student wearing

the necklace.

This upcoming school year,

the **Arlington Public Schools**

**in Virginia** is revising its

grading policies to create

"equitable grading

processes". The new policies allow students to redo assignments, turn in late work, and reduce the weight given to homework and quizzes. Schools in neighboring Fairfax County approved the same policies with poor results!

The all-Muslim city council of

**Hamtramck, MI** voted

unanimously to approve a

resolution that would ban the

LGBTQ+ pride flag from being

flown on the city's property.

During the **Marshall Simonds**

**Middle School** (Burlington,

MA) "spirit day" celebration

for Pride Month, students

tore down pride banners and

chanted "U.S.A." are my

pronouns! These students

also wore red, white and blue

clothing and face paint

instead of the suggested

rainbow-colored attire.

School administrators likened

the actions to violence.

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