



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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Check Our Recent Interview

Guest: State Senator Scott Hutchinson

Topic: Attempts to reopen

News From Around PA

Crews from **Pittsburgh Public Works** dumped sand around the bowl at West Penn Skate Park in order to prevent people from gathering and ignoring social distancing guidelines.

The counties of Butler, Fayette, Greene and Washington, as well as several business owners and state representatives from those counties are **suing Governor Wolf and Secretary of Health Dr. “Rachel” Levine** because of the ongoing restrictions.

LGBTQ pride festivals have been cancelled due to the coronavirus outbreak, but seven here in PA tentatively plan to reschedule for the fall. These include Philadelphia Pride, New Hope Pride, Gettysburg Pride, Doylestown Pride, Lancaster Pride, Erie Pride, and York Equality Fest.

The Erie County Health Department has published **“Sex and Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19),”** a guide on safe sex practices in the midst of the pandemic. The City of Allentown Health Bureau will soon release their guide. Adrian Shanker, founder of the Allentown-based Bradbury-Sullivan LGBT Community Center, hopes other counties and cities will produce similar guides. He says people are out looking for sexual encounters and they need to know about safer sex.

News From National Scene

There’s no doubt that the **America Psychological Association** is ignoring science and is part of the LGBTQ agenda! Here are some children’s books that are listed on their website: [The Story of Gilbert Baker and the Rainbow Flag](#) for ages 4-8; [A First Book of Pride](#) for ages 3-5; [Story of a Gay Kid](#) for ages 13--19; [Jacob’s Room to Choose](#) for ages 4-8.

Residents of other states who temporarily relocated to help out New Yorkers during the COVID-19 outbreak are now being **made to pay income taxes!** A provision of New York law requires anyone

working in the state for more than 14 days to pay state income taxes – regardless of whether any income they made during that time came from NY or their home state.

As numerous states suspend elective abortions as part of their coronavirus response, Colorado has seen **a spike in abortions.** In April Colorado Planned Parenthood facilities aborted 250 babies from other states, almost 150 from Texas alone.

The White House rejected **CDC reopening guidelines** on multiple grounds including viewing them as an attack on religious liberty. The guidelines encouraged facemasks inside churches, and “suspending use of a choir or musical ensemble” and “temporarily limiting the sharing of frequently touched objects,” such as prayer [books or collection baskets.](#)

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