



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 **University of Pennsylvania's** "special event review process" is drawing criticism from the Foundation for Individual Rights and Expression after the school issued the guidelines ahead of the fall semester. "Does the event have high-level, notable, or controversial speakers," one mandatory question asks. The school also requires all details "prior to an event being confirmed or publicized."

Hannah Gann, a **high school social studies teacher at the public Workshop School** in Philly, confessed that she is neither black nor of Palestinian ancestry! But a "white (Jewish) woman of privilege and wealth".

Under threat of being sued, **Brandywine Virtual Academy**, part of Chester County Intermediate Unit 24, has rescinded a policy that mandated teachers hide students' at-school "transition" from parents.

According to the superintendent of **Fairview**

School District (Erie County), the district "promotes a culture of inclusiveness". So, they are okay with crowning a "transgender" student as part of the homecoming court.

News from National Scene

Good news! The US Education Department announced has formally **rescinded the Biden-era Title IX interpretation** that gave sex-based discrimination protections to students on the basis of sexual orientation and gender identity. We now go back to the original meaning of Title IX.

United States District Judge Tiffany Johnson (a Biden nominee) dismissed a lawsuit brought by **former University of Kentucky swimmer Riley Gaines** which claimed the NCAA violated her rights by permitting transgender athletes to compete in women's sports.

The Equal Employment Opportunity Commission facilitated a settlement agreement between **Aztec Municipal School District** (New Mexico) and former American History teacher Jarrell Botello, whom the district fired in July 2025 for

teaching accurate history and curriculum approved material on immigration and the religious beliefs of the Founders. Botello filed a discrimination complaint stating his firing was example of "anti-Christian bias in the teaching profession".

Purchase orders obtained by the **Center for Medical Progress** through a California Public Records Act request show August and September 2023 orders from a UCLA lab to Cercle Allocation Services totaled \$16,065 for 21 baby body parts — 14 livers and seven thymus glands.

Charges against **pro-life activist Anastasia Rogers** have been dropped after California prosecutors spent nearly a year pursuing her over a 14-second video recorded outside a Planned Parenthood clinic.

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