



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

Recently **Allegheny County Police Department**

“misgendered” a “transgender female” (a biological male) and placed “her” in with a male cellmate in the county jail. As a result of this, the department will implement LGBT-sensitivity training for its officers.

Former **Vice President Joe Biden** will be the keynote speaker at the Human Rights Campaign’s fundraising dinner in Philadelphia.

The **Community College of Philadelphia** (CCP) is unveiling its first LGBTQ center to “provide a safe, affirming space for LGBTQ-identified students.” Last year, CCP approved the chosen-name policy, which allows students to go by a name that differs from their legal name.

The PA Democratic Party announced **Maryanne Cole**

had been nominated to fill the vacancy on the ballot for the general election in the **67th Legislative District**, which includes Cameron and McKean counties, as well as a portion of Potter County. GOP State Rep Martin Causer is the incumbent. No candidate was selected by Democrats in the primary.

The Arena will host its fifth summit, entitled **“Love + Action,”** Sept. 7-8 at the Pennsylvania Convention Center. The social-welfare organization was formed after Ravi Gupta, a 2008 Obama campaign staffer, put out a call to action on Facebook encouraging friends to join his efforts to “do something” after Donald Trump’s 2016 election win.

News from National Scene

In the UK (and maybe coming to the US soon??), **Subway** has banned ham and bacon from the menu, caving in to Muslim demands that they offer only “halal meat.”

A **Hilliard City, OH** teacher has been placed on administrative leave following an online classroom assignment which contained several inappropriate

scenarios i.e. “Using both a condom and the pill, a brother and a sister decide that they want to sleep with each other – just once, to see what it would be like.”

Beware the **“transgender puppet”!** Julia was “born” a girl, but “feels in her heart she’s a boy and wants to be called Julien.” The puppet is being brought in under the guise of an anti-bullying initiative which includes free video lessons and educational booklets for use in schools. Educators are being advised to introduce gender identity or expression to children “during early childhood” so they can “understand and accept gender diversity” and develop “social and emotional learning to help children with the process of identity affirmation.”

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