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OPENING THE VAULT

Pennsylvania State Treasurer **Stacy Garrity** says she will decide this summer whether to launch a 2026 campaign for Pennsylvania Governor. Garrity, a Republican, has stepped up fundraising and emphasized concerns about state spending, energy policy, and the need for "battle-tested" leadership. Other speculated Republican candidates for Governor include State Senator **Doug Mastriano** and Congressman **Dan Meuser**.

BERNIE COMES TO TOWN

U.S. Senator **Bernie Sanders** will visit central Pennsylvania this weekend as part of his "Fighting Oligarchy" tour. Sanders will speak Friday evening at the Farm Show Complex in Harrisburg and Saturday afternoon at Lehigh University in Bethlehem. He'll be joined at both events by Congressman **Chris Deluzio**, with music from The Menzingers kicking off the gatherings. Free parking is available, but attendees should be aware of restrictions on bags, flags, and other items.

BATTLE OF PA

The Hershey Bears are set to begin their quest for their third straight Calder Cup. They will take on divisional and geographical rivals, the Lehigh Valley Phantoms. The Bears received a bye from the first round, and the Phantoms beat the Wilkes Barre/Scranton Penguins to advance to the semi-finals. The first game will be in Hershey on Wednesday at 7pm. This is a best-of-five series to advance to the quarterfinals.

GOLF BUCKS

The USGA is pumping \$1 million of capital into Pittsburgh's public golf trio—North Park, South Park, and Bob O'Connor—just downriver from Oakmont, which will host its record-tying 10th U.S. Open in June. CEO **Mike Whan** noted thriving municipal tracks are "entryways" that keep the sport vibrant, so the investment targets broader participation and greener operations. History shows why: a single U.S. Open can inject roughly \$200 million into a region and create about 1,500 jobs. Oakmont President **John Lynch** calls the effort another chapter in the "City of Champions" legacy.

HANGING OUT

A man was rescued by helicopter yesterday after he was stuck hanging for hours on a cliff of Schull's Rock. Schull's Rock is located at the new Susquehanna Riverlands State Park which features a rocky overlook with a steep drop to the Susquehanna River if not careful. The man had a broken leg, but it is unknown if he broke it from the fall. *Amazingly there is still no fence...*



Happy Birthday

- Former State Senator
Thomas McGarrigle
- **Fran Chardo**, District Attorney, Dauphin County

Committee Meetings

- (H) Democratic Policy – 1PM
- Public hearing on
Community-Based Workforce Centers



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