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***The State Senate will
convene at 11AM.
The State House will also
convene at 11AM for a
non-voting session.***

BEST IN THE WORLD

The Phoenix wooden coaster at Knoebels was recently awarded the title of "Best Wooden Coaster" at Amusement Today's Golden Ticket Awards. This is the seventh consecutive time the rollercoaster received the designation. It is not alone at the top as Kennywood, Hersheypark, Waldameer, and Dutch Wonderland were recognized as well. The full list of winners and runners-up can be found [here](#).

EXPLOSIVE DEVICES

Residents in Mill Creek Township (Lebanon County) were evacuated yesterday after police discovered explosive devices on Central Drive. Pennsylvania State Police and local officers cleared nearby homes, while a temporary shelter was set up in Newmanstown. The evacuation order was lifted by mid afternoon, though it remains unclear how the devices were found or what they contained.

ATTACK ON QATAR

Israeli forces carried out a strike against Hamas leaders in Doha, Qatar. This comes as a sharp escalation in tactics compared to previous strikes against Hamas as Qatar is a U.S. ally in the region and a mediator in resolving the war in Gaza. Hamas says that five of its members were killed but its leaders survived the attack. Qatari officials say that one member of its security forces was killed.

FAN OUT OF BOUNDS

A Buffalo Bills fan has been indefinitely banned from all NFL stadiums after shoving **DeAndre Hopkins** and **Lamar Jackson** during a touchdown celebration Sunday night. The incident, caught on camera, led to the fan's ejection. Jackson admitted he let his emotions get the best of him but hopes "it doesn't happen again."

Condolences to the family and friends of **Elam Herr**, former Deputy Executive Director and Legislative Affairs Director for PSATS (PA State Association of Township Supervisors) who passed away last week after a courageous 20-month battle with brain cancer. He served PSATS for over 42 years and served nearly 47 years on the East Hempfield Township Zoning Hearing Board (Lancaster County). He was a true public servant and champion of local government. There will be a visitation at the Snyder Funeral Home in Lititzon Saturday, September 20 at 10am followed by a memorial service at noon.



Happy Birthday

- Former State Senator **Mike Regan**
- **Carrie Lewis DelRosso**, Associate, Buchanan Ingersoll & Rooney PC
- **Jessica Spandler**, Assistant Chief Clerk, Dauphin County
- **Kelli Thompson**, Assistant Director of Government Relations, PSEA

Committee Meetings

- (S) Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure – 10:30AM - To consider: SB 507 and 992.
- (H) Democratic Policy – 1:00PM - Public hearing on lowering electric bills.
- (H) Appropriations – 2:00PM – Agenda to be announced.



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