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## 2028

Philadelphia is on the short list of cities being considered for the Democratic National Convention (DNC) in 2028. Five cities will be getting a visit this spring from DNC leadership as well as its technical advisory group. The already planned festivities in Philadelphia for America's 250th birthday celebration may play a part in swaying the advisory group's decision in our favor. The last time Philadelphia hosted the DNC was in 2016.

## RURAL CARE

Juniata College is working to bring healthcare to rural parts of the state. As one of the recipients of the Rural Health Network Development Planning Grants last year, the college is working with community organizations to address access to care in Huntingdon County. Officials in the program say they feel a sense of urgency with healthcare facilities closing at an alarming rate. The goal is to have plans submitted for the Rural Health Collaborative by June 12 to keep in compliance with the federal grant guidelines.

## DIGITAL SURVEY

The Pennsylvania Advisory Commission on Women and Executive Director **Ashley Walkowiak** have created a digital survey specifically for Pennsylvania women. The [survey](#) is intended to gather feedback from women across the Commonwealth to understand their opinions and priorities on policies that directly impact them. The Governor along with the Commission hope to give women a platform where they can freely express their concerns in the state.

## PLAGIARISM

The popular donation page, GoFundMe, has been accused of plagiarism by a coalition of Attorney Generals, including PA Attorney General **Dave Sunday**. The coalition sent GoFundMe a letter where they are demanding that the site address the allegations. According to Sunday, the site plagiarized over 1 million charities' web pages and spread inaccurate information without consent. Supposedly, they have used the plagiarized information to make revenue.

# BOREDOM BUSTER MIDSTATE VERSION

A new month and spring weather around the corner means more events to enjoy in parts of the Midstate. Consider taking the kids to a scavenger hunt at New Cumberland Public Library to celebrate **Dr. Suess's** birth month or stop by The Fredrickson Library in Camp Hill to pick up some healthy meditation habits on March 5, 12, 19, or 26. The first and third Saturdays of the month will bring a pre-owned book sale to the New Cumberland Public Library and an IT help desk to the Hershey Library. Enjoy the Harrisburg St. Patrick's Day Parade on March 21 downtown then pop over to Camp Hill for a nice day of board games at the Fredrickson Library on March 22.



## *Happy Birthday*

- **Blake Lynch**, One+ Strategies
- **Vincent Gastgeb**, Senior VP, Corporate & Government Relations, Allegheny County Airport Authority
- **Heidi Hawkins\***, Director, West Government Affairs & Market Policy, Constellation
- **Kevin O'Toole**, Executive Director, PA Gaming Control Board

## *Committee Meetings*

- (S) Appropriations – 9:30AM - Budget hearing with the Workforce Development and Job Training Programs from the Department of Labor and Industry and the Department of Community and Economic Development
- (H) Commerce – 9:45AM – To consider: HB 2175
- (H) Commerce – 10:00AM - Public hearing on HB 2120
- (H) Appropriations – 10:00AM - Budget Hearing with the Department of Human Services
- (H) Democratic Policy – 12:00PM - Public hearing on Protecting Your Wallet from Dynamic Pricing
- (S) Appropriations – 1:00PM - Budget hearing with the Secretary of the Budget and the Department of Revenue
- (H) Appropriations – 1:00PM - Budget Hearing with the Department of Human Services (continued)



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