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Upcoming Events

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World News

Col. Leland Bohannon, an experienced combat pilot, was suspended from command and orders were handed down recommending he not be promoted after he refused to publicly affirm the same-sex spouse of a retiring subordinate.

Bohannon, who was on the verge of being promoted to a one-star general, was punished after the subordinate filed a formal Equal Opportunity complaint which was later substantiated by investigators. "His career is likely over and he will likely have to retire as a colonel instead of as a general," First Liberty Institute attorney Michael Berry said on the "Todd Starnes Show."

First Liberty Institute, one of the nation's most prominent religious liberty law firms, is representing the distinguished military officer. "The military is no longer a place of diversity and inclusion if you are a person who holds to a traditional belief in marriage," Berry said. At least eight Republican U.S. senators - including Sens. Roy Blunt of Missouri, James Inhofe of Oklahoma, John Kennedy of Louisiana, James Lankford of Oklahoma, Mike Lee of Utah, Marco Rubio of Florida, Roger Wicker of Mississippi and Ted Cruz of Texas - wrote a letter to Air Force Secretary Heather Wilson urging her to intervene and save the colonel's career.

"Col. Bohannon has suffered severely on account of the EO investigator's mishandling of his religious liberty rights," the senators wrote. "The Air Force owes it to him to see that justice is restored, along with his good name. "Last May, the colonel declined to sign a certificate of spouse appreciation for a retiring master sergeant's same-sex spouse. Instead, he asked a higher ranking military leader to sign the customary document.

"Col. Bohannon recognized the moral and legal dilemma this situation

Pennsylvania News

By: Nora Campos

Rockefeller Plaza Christmas Tree

The Rockefeller Christmas tree is in New York and came from State College PA. This tree is a world-wide symbol of the holidays. The tree was lit for the first time on Wednesday, November 29th. Thousands crowded the sidewalks and millions watched live around the globe. It will be lit until 9pm on January 7th, 2018.



presented, and to his credit, sought to carve out a solution that would affirm the contribution made by the retiring officer's same-sex partner while at the same time allowing the colonel to abide by his religious convictions," the senators wrote. However, the retiring service member took offense and subsequently filed a discrimination complaint. The EO investigator determined the colonel had indeed discriminated and went on to say that "even had the accommodation been granted, Col. Bohannon would nonetheless be guilty of unlawful discrimination."

The senators said the EO's decision raises disturbing questions. "The Air Force's refusal to accept this compromise and its refusal to grant an accommodation - when doing so would cause no discernable harm - raises the question as to which circumstances, if any, would move the U.S. Air Force to defend the free exercise rights of its soldiers," they wrote.

The senators are calling for the Air Force to reverse the EO's decision and remove any unfavorable notes from the colonel's service record.

After it's all done in New York they will take it to someone's home through Habitat through Humanity. This tree was very colorful and bright, shining throughout the streets of New York. Everyone loved it!



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*Little Lamb who made thee
Dost thou know who made thee
Gave thee life & bid thee feed.
By the stream & o'er the mead;
Gave thee clothing of delight,
Softest clothing wooly bright;
Gave thee such a tender voice,
Making all the vales rejoice!
Little Lamb who made thee
Dost thou know who made thee*

*Little Lamb I'll tell thee,
Little Lamb I'll tell thee!
He is called by thy name,
For he calls himself a Lamb:
He is meek & he is mild,
He became a little child:
I a child & thou a lamb,
We are called by his name.
Little Lamb God bless thee.
Little Lamb God bless thee.*

By: William Blake



Sports

Basketball Schedule:

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January 18th- @Clymer

January 22nd- @DuBois Christian

January 23rd- Huntington Christian

January 26th- @Huntington Calvary

January 30th- Cambria County
Christian

February 2nd- @Blair County Christian

February 6th- Centre Country
Christian

February 9th- Great Commission

February 16th Williamsport Christian
School (Boys only, 5:30)

- February 19th- Grace Prep
- February 23rd- @Grace Prep

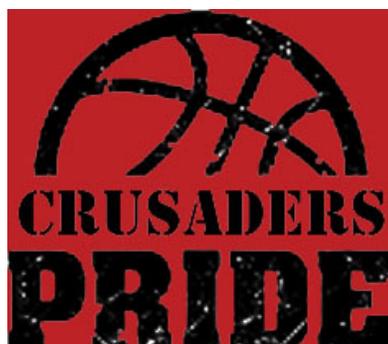
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Boys Team

- 43. Bryce Shaw
- 35. Aaron McCloskey
- 11. Nolan Passmore
- 00. Ethan Blowers
- 31. Richard Passmore
- 23. David Kelichner
- 13. Brennan Michael
- 21. Remington Crawford

Girls Team

- 00. Gretchen Passmore
- 23. Gabrielle Jury
- 42. Makayla Sizemore
- 3. Skylynn Teats
- 1. Katlyn Ledbetter
- 25. Elizabeth Shimmel
- 4. Emily McTavish
- 15. Calli Manno



*"If you have a dream, chase it
no matter what it takes."*

-James Harden

*"You have to be able to accept
failure to get better."*

-LeBron James

*"Nobody is gonna stop you from
being you, but yourself."* -Kyrie
Irving

*"I can accept failure, everyone
fails at something. But I can't
accept not trying."*

-Michael Jordan

Poetry Riddle:

Congratulations to Nolan Passmore, Aaron McCloskey, Calli Manno, Stephen Manno, and Liam Ramkawsky for correctly guessing the answer to the poetry riddle in the first edition of the newspaper. The riddle was:
I love moose but detest snakes.
I enjoy fly-fishing in rivers and lakes.
"A Mighty Fortress is our God"
is my favorite song.
I could read Jane Eyre all day long!
I'm an adult you daily see.
Can anyone guess my identity?

The answer was Mrs. Albert! The winners can collect their prize from Mr. Ramkawsky at his room.

Poetry submissions:

If you would like to submit a poem or a short story to be published for the school newspaper, please deposit it in the Newspaper box located in Mr. Ramkawsky's room.

CACS News

Mrs. and Mr. Ramkawsky expecting a fifth child!

(Answered by Mr. Ramkawsky)

1. Are you hoping for a girl or boy? Boy, I have enough girls to marry off.
2. When is the due date? May 30th 2018.
3. Do you have any names you prefer yet? No, haven't thought of any because we don't know what we're having yet.

Congratulations to the Ramkawsky's!
We are excited for you and your growing family! We are all praying for you!



The Ramkawsky's are having a boy!

