

with developing a recruitment plan for Generation Z graduates.

This team beat out teams from Emory University, the University of Southern California, and Purdue University to take home the first place prize of \$15,000.

This was the University of Georgia's first time competing, and therefore, they were seen as the underdogs.

Congratulations to the team and to the Terry College of Business.

COMMEMORATING THE LIFE AND SERVICE OF BRIAN CLINT WORLEY

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Texas (Mr. FALLON) for 5 minutes.

Mr. FALLON. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to commemorate the life and service of Brian Clint Worley of Emory, Texas.

Emory is a small town in Rains County where great Americans reside. During my campaign in 2020, I befriended his parents, Fred and Sue Worley, who couldn't be more gentle, wonderful, loving souls.

Brian was born in Denton, Texas, on March 11, 1968. He graduated from Rains High School in Emory in 1987 where he was a star basketball, baseball, track, and football player. Brian received all-district honors for his athletic performances and was voted most courteous, best personality, and most prestigious at Rains High School.

In 1991, Brian graduated from Kilgore College Police Academy, and he began his law enforcement career at the Mount Pleasant Police Department. He received several commendations in his first 4 years as a police officer and once helped save an elderly citizen from choking. He saved a life. Moreover, his work in the Selective Traffic Enforcement Program helped apprehend numerous drunk drivers, and again, saved countless lives.

Brian attended the Texas Department of Public Safety Training Academy in Austin, Texas, in 1995 and was stationed in Cooper, Texas, and later Sulphur Springs.

Some of Brian's many recognitions include District Commanders Award, the Texas Department of Public Safety Chief's Award, and Trooper of the Year in 1988.

Brian was a man of faith and dedicated his career to serving the people of Texas. He was a loving father who deeply cared about his family, his friends, and his pets. He will be closely and fondly remembered by many.

I have requested that a flag be flown over our Nation's Capitol to recognize Brian's tremendous life and his extraordinary public service. He will be dearly missed by his friends, family, and colleagues.

Fred and Sue, his parents, are salt of the earth people. They love things that are greater than themselves, and that is so incredibly inspiring. They know that God is greater than they are; that this country is greater than they are;

that Texas, their friends, their family, and their community is more important than they are. When you meet people like that and see the lives that they lead, it warms the heart and it warms the soul.

When you lose a spouse, they call you a "widow." When you lose a parent, they call you an "orphan." Fred and Sue have lost a child. When you lose a child, it is so God awful they don't even have a name for it.

What breaks my heart is not only the loss of Brian, but that his children, Caden and Emily, have lost their father. I know they are watching right now, and I want to make sure they understand that a grateful Nation grieves with them.

I think the greatest compliment you can pay a person is to say that the world is a better place with them in it. The world sheds a collective tear now that we have lost Brian.

Mr. Speaker, we should take inspiration from the Worley family, extend our deepest condolences, and promise them that we will follow in the footsteps of Brian and emulate his love of this country and of others.

We will be praying for Brian. We will see him soon. God bless Brian.

RECESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 12(a) of rule I, the Chair declares the House in recess until noon today.

Accordingly (at 11 o'clock and 20 minutes a.m.), the House stood in recess.

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AFTER RECESS

The recess having expired, the House was called to order by the Speaker at noon.

PRAYER

The Chaplain, the Reverend Margaret Grun Kibben, offered the following prayer:

Lord God, do not wait any longer to be gracious to the people of Ukraine. Rise up and show mercy to them as they endure the terror of their oppressors.

For You, O Lord, are a God of justice. We ask then that You would bless all those who seek cover in the undergrounds of Kyiv, those who mourn the destruction of neighborhoods like Bucha, they who seek refuge in Lviv. Be gracious to them and answer their cries.

You have given them the bread of adversity and the water of affliction. But do not hide yourself anymore.

May their eyes see You when they turn to the right and to the left. May their ears hear Your word behind them guiding their steps and delivering them from their torment. May their spirits be led by Your spirit into the redemp-

tive future You have provided for them.

Bring soon the day when You will bind up the injuries of Your people and heal the wounds of the afflicted.

We offer this prayer in Your sovereign name.

Amen.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER

The SPEAKER. We welcome the public back into the people's House. It is good to see you coming. It has been a number of years.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER. The Chair has examined the Journal of the last day's proceedings and announces to the Chamber the approval thereof.

Pursuant to clause 1 of rule I, the Journal of the last day's proceedings is approved.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The SPEAKER. Will the gentleman from Ohio (Mrs. Sykes) come forward and lead the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mrs. SYKES led the Pledge of Allegiance as follows:

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER

The SPEAKER. The Chair will entertain up to 15 requests for 1-minute speeches on each side of the aisle.

PROMISES MADE, PROMISES KEPT

(Mr. WILSON of South Carolina asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. WILSON of South Carolina. Mr. Speaker, yesterday, the 118th Congress and its newly elected Republican majority, led by KEVIN MCCARTHY, began the session by voting to pass the Family and Small Business Taxpayer Protection Act.

This important legislation will give money back to the American people by rescinding billions of dollars in funding for 87,000 new IRS agents put in place by the duplicitous Democrat-led inflation expansion act. This is just the first example of promises made, promises kept.

Among the commitments to America by House Republicans:

Fight inflation and support working families.

Reduce gas prices and restore energy independence.

Secure the supply chain and restock our shelves.

Secure the southern border.

Defend America with peace through strength.

Ensure faith in free and fair elections.

Reclaim oversight and hold the Biden administration accountable.

Protect American rights and serve the people.

In conclusion, God bless our troops who successfully protected America for 20 years, as the global war on terrorism continues moving from the safe haven of Afghanistan to America.

HUMAN TRAFFICKING AWARENESS DAY

(Ms. JACKSON LEE asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Ms. JACKSON LEE. Madam Speaker, what an important topic, limited to 1 minute, but I rise today to acknowledge Human Trafficking Awareness Day, to acknowledge that a Texas woman just filed a lawsuit against one of our universities for sexual abuse and the grooming by her coach to use her over and over again.

Human trafficking is one of the greatest threats to human rights in the United States. In 2020, over 11,000 instances of potential human trafficking were reported to the United States National Human Trafficking Hotline, and at least 70 percent of those were, in fact, estimated to be sex trafficking.

I am delighted that Chairman MIKE MCCAUL and Congresswoman SHEILA JACKSON LEE, myself, have introduced the Stop Human Trafficking in School Zones Act because that is one of the largest sites for trafficking.

We look forward to a bipartisan Congress supporting this legislation that will particularly provide enhanced sentencing to those who would dare to recruit our children at schools, and they do it all across the Nation.

Madam Speaker, I hope that we are aware today is Human Trafficking Day and that we recognize we must do something to stop it.

OUR ONGOING BORDER CRISIS

(Mrs. MILLER-MEEKS asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend her remarks.)

Mrs. MILLER-MEEKS. Madam Speaker, I rise today to address the ongoing crisis at our border.

When President Biden took office in January 2021, he inherited common-sense immigration policies, such as remain in Mexico and title 42, that worked to keep our Nation safe, reducing the flow of illegal drugs and gang members.

Unfortunately, President Biden immediately ceased construction of the border wall and enacted policies favoring illegal immigrants over Americans. Thankfully, the Supreme Court has challenged the legality of President Biden's policies and overturned the removal of title 42.

Now it is Congress' time to act. Both Republicans and Democrats acknowl-

edge that our immigration system is broken, but only Speaker McCARTHY's Commitment to America has a plan to repair our broken immigration system.

This Congress, Republicans will pass legislation that secures our border, stops the influx of illegal drugs and criminals, and ends catch-and-release loopholes and human trafficking.

Americans deserve a government that works in their best interest, and these policies will create a safe and secure Nation.

I would also like to wish a very happy birthday to my L.D., Kyle Jacobs.

GOOD TIME FOR PENNSYLVANIA

(Ms. DEAN of Pennsylvania asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend her remarks.)

Ms. DEAN of Pennsylvania. Madam Speaker, it is a good time for Pennsylvania. Some would say we are on a roll. The Phillies made it to the World Series; Jalen Hurts is the MVP; and the Eagles are the best team in football.

Last November, Pennsylvanians spoke loudly. Josh Shapiro was elected our Governor and Austin Davis our Lieutenant Governor, and we begin this term with newly elected Democratic Speaker of the House Mark Rozzi, our Senator JOHN FETTERMAN, and nine Democratic Congress Members representing us here in D.C.

Just like the entire Democratic Caucus, Pennsylvania Democrats are united and determined to make a difference for everyday people on issues like gun violence, addiction, and providing high-quality education, which makes me eager to, once again, serve alongside returning Members MATT CARTWRIGHT, BRENDAN BOYLE, DWIGHT EVANS, MARY GAY SCANLON, SUSAN WILD, and CHRISSE HOULAHAN, and with dynamic new Members like SUMMER LEE, an activist lawyer and first Black woman to represent Pennsylvania in Congress, and CHRIS DELUZIO, an Iraq war veteran and voting rights attorney.

Pennsylvanians sent a congressional delegation to Washington that looks like Pennsylvania and, with Governor-elect Shapiro, we will govern for all.

CELEBRATING NATIONAL MILK DAY

(Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania. Madam Speaker, I rise today to celebrate National Milk Day.

Today is a great day to raise a glass of milk in honor of our dairy farmers, who work 24/7 to bring fresh, nutritious, and delicious milk to our tables every single day.

We celebrate National Milk Day on January 11 because on this day in 1878 milk was delivered in sterilized glass bottles for the first time.

I am proud to come from a long line of dairy farmers. According to the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture, Pennsylvania has 500,000 cows producing more than 10.2 billion pounds of milk annually.

The Keystone State ranks seventh in milk production in the country, and Pennsylvania is also second nationally in the number of dairy farms, with 6,200 farms across the Commonwealth.

Agriculture is the number one industry in Pennsylvania, with the Pennsylvania dairy industry providing 52,000 jobs and generating \$14.7 billion in annual revenue.

Madam Speaker, please join me in celebrating National Milk Day and thanking our dairy farm families for their continued efforts to provide us with such a delicious and nutritious treat.

CONDEMN ALL ACTS OF POLITICAL VIOLENCE

(Ms. MCCOLLUM asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend her remarks.)

Ms. MCCOLLUM. Madam Speaker, I rise today to express opposition to H. Con. Res. 3.

The resolution is nothing but a political move by extreme Republicans that is both disingenuous and actually puts healthcare clinics at risk.

This resolution only focuses on protecting pro-life pregnancy centers and faith-based women's health clinics, which are not medical facilities.

Let me be clear: I condemn violence in all of its forms. In fact, here is a fact: At clinics that provide abortion services, attacks are on the rise, increasing 128 percent in just 1 year. This source is from the National Abortion Federation report.

The resolution before us today falls short of condemning violence. The Pro-Choice Caucus resolution that I support condemns all acts of violence on healthcare personnel, patients, and facilities and affirms that everyone has the freedom to access reproductive healthcare services without fear of violence.

Let us all stand together and condemn all acts of political violence.

DEFENDING THE MOST VULNERABLE POPULATION

(Mr. BERGMAN asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. BERGMAN. Madam Speaker, I rise today in defense of the most vulnerable population, the unborn.

As we consider the Born-Alive Abortion Survivors Protection Act and the concurrent resolution to condemn attacks on pro-life pregnancy centers, I hope that it is those innocent lives on our hearts and minds.

I implore my colleagues to stand with me in pursuit of doing what is