

dailypoliticalnewswire.com

An anonymously produced conservative news site that has misstated and distorted facts, including about COVID-19 and elections.



Proceed with caution: This website severely violates basic journalistic standards.

Score: 22/100

Ownership and Financing










DailyPoliticalNewsWire.com does not disclose information about its ownership to readers. The website's Facebook page lists an owner, Sean W. Taylor, but no additional information about him is provided. Taylor is also listed as the owner of the Facebook page for a site that features a similar layout, DailyPatriotReport.com.

DailyPoliticalNewsWire.com shares Google advertising ID codes with DailyPatriotReport.com and the websites ThinkAmericana.com, and TediumMedia.com, suggesting they share an owner. The site's privacy policy also lists an email address for ThinkAmericana.com.

DailyPoliticalNewsWire.com and DailyPatriotReport.com both primarily publish articles by the same author, Keely Sharp.

DailyPoliticalNewswire.com often publishes links to stories from DailyPatriotReport.com, ThinkAmericana.com, and TediumMedia.com. None of the sites disclose information about their ownership.

The site appears to earn revenue through advertising.

-  Does not repeatedly publish false content (22points)
-  Gathers and presents information responsibly (18)
-  Regularly corrects or clarifies errors (12.5)
-  Handles the difference between news and opinion responsibly (12.5)
-  Avoids deceptive headlines (10)
-  Website discloses ownership and financing (7.5)
-  Clearly labels advertising (7.5)
-  Reveals who's in charge, including any possible conflicts of interest (5)
-  The site provides names of content creators, along with either contact or biographical information (5)

Content

DailyPoliticalNewswire.com includes sections titled Political News and Worldwide News.

Stories cover U.S. politics from a conservative perspective, often by summarizing other news organizations' accounts and adding commentary.

Typical headlines include, "Pelosi's Newest Plot to Remove Trump from Office Before Election: 25th Amendment," "President Trump Receives Third Nomination for Nobel Peace Prize," and "Bow to the Mob: The Rock Demands All Americans Say 'Black Lives Matter'."

Criteria are listed in order of importance.

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DailyPoliticalNewswire.com often adds commentary to stories that were reported by other news organizations, ranging from Fox News and Breitbart to local news sites. ~~Stories also can rely on tweets.~~

The site has published false, misleading, and unsubstantiated claims, including about COVID-19 and voting.

For example, in an August 2020 story, “Bill Gates: ‘You Don’t Have a Choice....Largely Vaccinate Entire Population’,” the site falsely claimed that Microsoft co-founder Bill Gates had said that Americans would be forced to receive vaccinations. “Have you seen this video of billionaire Bill Gates (who is neither a doctor, scientist, or politician) tell Americans [sic] they we do not have a choice regarding a coronavirus vaccine?” the article said. The story reported, “Gates told The Financial Times, “You don’t have a choice ... Normalcy only returns when we largely vaccinate the entire population.” The article continued that Gates “has something else coming if he truly thinks that he can force Americans to take a vaccine that we do not want.”

Gates did not tell the Financial Times in the April 2020 video that Americans “don’t have a choice” about whether to receive a COVID-19 vaccine, as DailyPoliticalNewsWire.com reported. The website only included excerpts of Gates’ interview, which changed the meaning of his statements.

Gates brought up vaccination in a broader discussion of the impact of COVID-19 on the U.S. economy, and his reference to the word “choice” had nothing to do with vaccines. Referring to the COVID-19 pandemic, he told the Financial Times, “In my lifetime this will be the greatest economic hit. But you don’t have a choice. People act like you have a choice. ... People are deeply affected by seeing these deaths, by knowing they could be part of the transmission chain, and old people, their parents, their grandparents could be affected by this. And so you don’t get to say, ignore what’s going on here. There will be the ability, particularly in rich countries, to open up if things are done well over the

next few months. But for the world at large, normalcy only returns when we've largely vaccinated the entire global population.”

In a June 2020 story, the site promoted the unfounded theory that the death of George Floyd, an unarmed Black man who was killed by police in Minneapolis, was staged. The story, headlined “GOP Chairwoman Questions Floyd's Death: Was it Staged to Hurt Trump?” quoted Bexar County, Florida, GOP Chairwoman Cynthia Brehm’s post on Facebook, in which she said, “I think there is at least the ‘possibility’, that this was a filmed public execution of a black man by a white cop, with the purpose of creating racial tensions.”

The DailyPoliticalNewswire.com article did not simply quote this unfounded claim. It added, “I'm not saying it IS true...but I am saying that it makes sense. Did anyone else see the posts about George Floyd attending his own funeral? Something is definitely fishy.”

There is no evidence that Floyd’s death was staged or that he attended his own funeral.

Videos from several witnesses and nearby security cameras from May 25, 2020, show four Minneapolis police officers who approach and detain Floyd outside a convenience store. One of the officers, Derek Chauvin, is seen pinning his knee to Floyd’s neck for nearly eight minutes, while Floyd could be heard saying, “I can’t breathe.” Chauvin was charged with second-degree murder while the other officers were charged with aiding and abetting second-degree murder.

Two autopsies — one from the Hennepin County Medical Examiner’s Office, and an independent autopsy requested by Floyd’s family — confirmed that Floyd’s death was a homicide. The autopsy report from Hennepin County Medical Examiner's Office concluded that the cause of death was "cardiopulmonary arrest complicating law enforcement subdual, restraint, and neck compression." The DailyPoliticalNewsWire.com article did not include any of these facts that contradict Brehm’s false claim.

In an August 2020 story about Michigan's primary election, "846 Ballots Rejected in Michigan 'Because the Voter was Dead'," DailyPoliticalNewswire.com stated without substantiation that the disqualifications were among "loads of examples of fraud and attempted fraud with mail-in voting."

The ballots that were rejected in Michigan were not fraudulently cast by other people, according to The Associated Press. "Michigan election authorities have not found any evidence votes were cast on behalf of dead people in the Aug. 4 election. Rather, a small portion of voters died after they voted absentee ahead of Election Day," the AP article said.

"There wasn't evidence of fraud then, and there's not evidence of fraud now," Michigan Secretary of State spokesperson Tracy Wimmer told The AP.

Because DailyPoliticalNewswire.com has published unsubstantiated and inaccurate claims, buttressed by misleading headlines, including about COVID-19, NewsGuard has determined that the site does not gather and present information responsibly and does not avoid deceptive headlines.

The website does not disclose an overall point of view. All stories appear in the sections Political News or Worldwide News. However, the site regularly inserts conservative opinion in its news stories.

For example, in the June 2020 story, "RINO Romney Joins Black Lives Matter March to White House," which was labeled as Political News, the site stated of Senator Romney that "we already knew he was a RINO and not to be trusted, he nailed another nail into the coffin this weekend when he marched with racist, Marxist group Black Lives Matter."

In a May 2020 story, "Liz Cheney: Trump Should Stop Tweeting About 'Scarborough Conspiracy'," referring to President Trump's suggestions that MSNBC host Joe Scarborough was involved in the 2001 death of a former aide, when Scarborough was a Florida congressman. The article, which was labeled as Political News, the site stated, "If there is one thing we

have learned since Trump became president, it's that if he is speaking out about something, even when everyone is trying to prove him wrong, he is usually right.”

Because the website regularly includes unlabeled opinion in news stories, and advances a conservative perspective that it does not disclose, NewsGuard has determined that the site does not handle the difference between news and opinion responsibly.

The site does not disclose a corrections policy. NewsGuard found a published correction from September 2020, noting that a story about former U.S. Vice President Joe Biden reading from a teleprompter was inaccurate. The site added quotes from a Reuters fact-checking article but did not remove falsehoods from the story.

NewsGuard did not find other examples of corrected stories on the site, which does not meet NewsGuard’s standard for regularly correcting errors.

DailyPoliticalNewswire.com does not provide contact information on the site. NewsGuard sent two emails to an address associated with ThinkAmericana.com, which was listed on the privacy policy page of DailyPoliticalNewswire.com, seeking comment on the website’s inaccurate and unsubstantiated claims, lack of corrections, and mixing of news and opinion.

Mike Vance, who has written articles for DailyPoliticalNewsWire.com, responded to the email without answering NewsGuard’s questions and wrote, “Please take me off of your list.”

Transparency

DailyPoliticalNewswire.com does not disclose its owners or editorial leaders or provide information about its content creators. The site has attributed all of its articles to two authors, but no biographical or contact information is provided for them.

Advertisements on the site are not always clearly distinguished from editorial content. Some sponsored articles appear under headings such as “From the Web”

or “Trending,” without disclosing that the articles are paid content.

The site does not include contact information. NewsGuard sent two emails to an address associated with ThinkAmericana.com listed in the site’s privacy policy, seeking comment on the website’s failure to disclose its owners and editors, failure to label sponsored content, and failure to provide information about content creators. Vance, one of the two authors listed on the site, responded to the email without answering NewsGuard’s questions and wrote, “Please take me off of your list.”

History DailyPoliticalNewswire.com was created in September 2016, according to the site’s domain registration records. It’s earliest story was published the following month.

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