

Examples of Corey Lewandowski's (C.L.) Misbehavior

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<p>When C.L. was Senator Robert Smith's campaign manager in 2001, he used islamophobic dog whistles to attack his opponent, Rep. John Sununu (Lebanese-American), and his friend George Salem</p> <p>Lewandowski's comments were heavily criticized</p>	<p>"Citing Salem's connections to the Holy Land Foundation and Sununu's campaign, Smith's campaign manager called on Sununu to screen his donors more rigorously.</p> <p>"The people of New Hampshire want someone in the U.S. Senate with clear, concise views on terrorism," said Corey Lewandowski. "They'll judge a congressman based on the people he associates with, his voting record and his campaign contributions."...</p> <p>Former senator Warren B. Rudman (R-N.H.) said Lewandowski's comment was "so bad, it reeks. . . . Good luck to them if they think this will help their campaign. Bob Smith is a better human being than that, and he ought to tell his people to watch themselves."</p>	<p>Washington Post</p>
<p>During C.L.'s tenure working at the Koch brothers' Americans for Prosperity (AFP) he was known for his hot temper</p> <p>Yelled at CPAC officials for deigning to have journalists ask Trump questions</p>	<p>"On the sidelines of a meeting of the group's board in Manhattan, Lewandowski loudly berated the employee for challenging his authority, getting in her personal space and calling her a "c---" in front of a group of AFP employees, including some senior officials, according to three sources who either witnessed the exchange or dealt with its aftermath."....</p> <p>"Sources tell POLITICO that Lewandowski unleashed a profanity-laced tirade towards the officials who organized this month's Conservative Political Action Conference after they insisted that Trump — like his presidential rivals — field questions from a journalist of CPAC's choosing after delivering his speech. The officials refused to yield, and the Trump campaign canceled his appearance entirely, though Lewandowski said the last-minute change of plans had nothing to do with the dispute."</p>	<p>Politico</p>

<p>C.L. once threatened to blow up an AFP official's car and embarrassed the Koch brother's with voter suppression tactics</p>	<p>"One former Koch adviser says it [his departure from AFP] was because of spending and management issues—including an incident in which Lewandowski threatened to "blow up" the car of AFP's chief financial officer because of a late reimbursement check. (Lewandowski has denied making this threat.) A GOP political operative says the Kochs were embarrassed when AFP was accused of voter-suppression tactics after its North Carolina chapter, which Lewandowski oversaw, sent a mailer to voters there with incorrect voter-registration information."</p>	<p>GQ</p>
<p>C.L. defended Donald Trump's tweet of anti-Semitic stereotype on CNN</p>	<p>"Lewandowski added that criticism of the star [of David on Trump's meme] is 'political correctness run amok."</p>	<p>CNN</p>
<p>C.L. continued Trump's birtherism claim on CNN</p>	<p>"And the question was: Did he get in as a U.S. citizen, or was he brought into Harvard University as a citizen who wasn't from this country?" Lewandowski said.</p>	<p>NY Times</p>
<p>C.L. has shown very little regard for free press</p>	<p>"As Trump's adjutant, he had upheld an authoritarian attitude toward the press, banning the <i>Washington Post</i>, among other media outlets Trump doesn't care for, from covering the candidate's events. "</p>	<p>New Yorker</p>
<p>C.L. attacked a Breitbart reporter</p>	<p>"The night of the Michigan and Mississippi primaries, Trump campaign manager Corey Lewandowski grabbed Fields and yanked her away from the candidate—leaving bruises on her left arm—as she was attempting to conduct an interview."</p>	<p>The Daily Beast</p>
<p>When Trump's sexual assault comments became public, C.L. dismissed them</p>	<p>"COREY LEWANDOWSKI: Nobody cares. You know what, if you look at the focus groups -- GLORIA BORGER: I care.</p>	<p>Media Matters</p>

	LEWANDOWSKI: You know what they care about? Hillary Clinton's emails where she lied and committed basically perjury. And look, you know what –“	
C.L. refused to say that Trump's sexual assault comments were wrong	“And so let me say, we're appointing a leader. We are electing a leader to the free world, we're not electing a Sunday school teacher.”	Media Matters