

Monday - May 24, 2010

# Morning Fax<sup>\*\*</sup>

## **Today's News...This Morning**

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#### Athens, Tennessee

## Local & Area News

### ♦ BEE CAUSES TRAFFIC ACCIDENT

A bee is being blamed for a crash involving a car and a bicycle on East Madison Ave. near Slack Rd. in Athens last Thursday afternoon. Tyson Maurice Brewer told police he was driving along East Madison when a bee flew in the window and landed on his face. He said when he swatted at the bee, he must have jerked the steering wheel, and his vehicle struck Heather Rose Humphrey as she was riding her bicycle along the side of the street. She was treated at Athens Regional Medical Center for non-life threatening injuries.

#### ♦ TWC HEADED TO WORLD SERIES

The Tennessee Wesleyan College baseball team is headed to the NAIA World Series for the first time. The Bulldogs will play Embry-Riddle this coming Friday in Lewiston, Idaho. TWC is one of 10 teams that made it to the series. The Bulldogs' record is 46 wins and 16 losses. They made it to the World Series thanks to a 12-11 win over Southern Polytechnic last Friday.

 $\sqrt{}$  Athens Junior High School will have a Community Carnival from 5 to 7 p.m. Tuesday at the school. There will be games, an inflatable obstacle course, food, booths, pizza, and information about several local service agencies.

## NATIONAL & WORLD NEWS

• BP officials say the tube being used to siphon leaking oil in the Gulf of Mexico is not working as effectively as it did at first. Meantime, three top Obama administration officials are returning to the Gulf Coast to monitor the massive oil spill.

◆ A Honolulu city councilman has defeated two Democrats to give Republicans a midterm election victory in the U.S. congressional district where President Obama grew up. Charles Djou's win is the latest triumph for the GOP as it looks to regain control of Congress.

• Authorities say a man led Border Patrol agents on a 100-mile chase from the U.S.-Mexico border into Southern California before the driver and six suspected undocumented immigrants stopped and surrendered in Irvine.

◆ Investigators searching for clues as to what caused India's worst air disaster in more than a decade have recovered the cockpit voice recorder and flight data recorder from the charred remains of an Air India flight. The plane crashed Saturday while landing at Mangalore International Airport, killing 158 people. There were 8 survivors.

• A new study says children who eat or drink probiotic yogurt daily have 18 to 24% fewer coughs, stomach aches, and infections. Probiotic yogurt contains beneficial bacteria.





Go to www.nationalmoofest.com for more information Deadline is today !

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## **PEOPLE IN THE NEWS**

**Brandon Partin** is the recipient of the First Annual Alan Yount Memorial Rotary Service Award. The award is given to a member of the McMinn Central Interact Club, which is sponsored by the Etowah Rotary Club. Partin has just graduated from McMinn Cen-

tral, where he was an active member of the Interact Club for four years and served as the club's president. The McMinn Central Interact Club is a service organization that is active in the Etowah area and elsewhere, including relief efforts after Hurricane



Katrina. The photo shows Partin with his mother, Alison, and Rotary President Durant Tullock.

Dr. Bettie Carroll Elwood has resigned as director of the Mc-



Minn Anti-drug Coalition Aiding Teens (MADCAT). Chairman John Forgety said "Miss Bettie laid the foundation for developing community awareness of drug problems in our county. We wish her well as she devotes time to her family."

## **O**BITUARIES

**Lynda Lou Hope Carpenter,** age 67, of Niota died May 6 at her home. She was a former employee of NHC Health Care of Athens. A Celebration of Life Service was held this past Saturday. Ziegler Funeral Home was in charge.

**Paul J. Taylor,** age 76, of Riceville died Saturday at his home. He was retired from Athens Stove Works and served in the Army during the Korean War. The family will receive friends Tuesday from Noon until 2 p.m. at Ziegler Funeral Home.

### COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE



Dr. David Robins of Tennessee Valley Bone & Joint will speak at the Seniority Breakfast this Thursday at 9 a.m. in the Physicians Dining Room at Athens Regional Medical Center. Call Pris Cornwall at 744-3249 to register.

#### Salt and Light Studios Presents *Freedom*

"Mankind's journey of struggle, sacrifice and triumph" With Doug Richesin, Michael Rodgers, Stephanie Ring & Salt and Light Dance Studios First United Methodist Church at Sweetwater-May 28 & 29 at 7pm & May 30 at 2pm 337-4928 for tickets

#### SEATON ENTERPRISES Now Paying \$\$\$

For Recycled Cars, Copper, Shred & Mixed Steel, Car Batteries, Cans. "Recycle Now & Put \$\$\$\$ In Your Pocket" 2101 Old Niota Road Athens (423) 745-9989



#### Englewood First Baptist Church Youth Group

is hosting a dinner to help support our mission trip to Montana. Fine dining and excellent entertainment provided MAY 29<sup>TH</sup> from 7:00pm-8:30pm in our Family Life Center for \$15.00 a plate. Each guest will receive a choice of four succulent entrées which include New York Strip,

**Rib Eye, Pork Tenderloin,** and **Grilled Chicken**. The entrée also includes salad, green beans, twice baked potatoes, roll and dessert.

If you cannot dine-in with us, we will be providing carry-out meals at 5:30pm. To make reservations or order a carryout meal, call the church office at (423) 887-5175. (Deadline is Noon Tuesday)

# **Scotties**

1202 Tenn. Ave., Etowah Try our Famous Western Omelet served 24 hours a day 7 days a week 423-263-9042

CALL FOR ENTRIES Community Artists League 35th Annual June Show Accepting entries June 4th at 7pm E.G. Fisher Library Lisa Bell 423-435-4431