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ATHENS CITY COUNCIL
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Thursday-October 21, 2010

Athens, Tennessee

LOCAL & AREA NEWS

◆ ONE MORE WEEK OF EARLY VOTING

Early voting for the November 2nd election continues for one more week. In McMinn County, 2,451 people have voted early so far. The number of early voters in Meigs County as of the end of the day Monday stood at 449. In Monroe County, 1,633 people have voted early so far. Next Thursday, October 28, is the last day to vote early.

◆ ARRESTS MADE IN ATHENS SHOOTING

Two men wanted for a shooting incident on Howard Street in Athens last week are under arrest. Jesus Ceja, 18, and Giovanni Ospina, 19, turned themselves in on Tuesday. Ceja is charged with attempted second-degree murder in the shooting of William "Buster" Witt. Ospina is charged with being an accessory.

◆ COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

✓ You are invited to take part in the "Battle of the Badges" Blood Drive tomorrow at the Athens City Hall. Medic Regional Blood Center personnel will be in the Athens City Courtroom from 10 am to 6 pm. Donors will be invited to vote their favorite--the Athens Police Department or the Athens Fire Department.

✓ Etowah Youth Basketball League sign-ups continue this evening from 5:30 to 8 pm at the Gem Theater.

NATIONAL-WORLD NEWS

◆ Chrysler is recalling 26,397 vehicles to repair power-steering hoses that may become disconnected and leak fluid, raising the potential for fires. Models involved include the Chrysler Sebring and 300 and the 2010 Dodge Challenger, Charger, Avenger and Journey, as well as 2011 Ram light-duty pickup trucks.

◆ Graco is recalling 2-million baby strollers after receiving reports that four infants strangled to death after becoming trapped inside the strollers. The strollers being recalled are older versions of the Graco Quattro Tour and MetroLite strollers and travel systems.

◆ Stocks bounced back on Wednesday after strong earnings reports from Delta Airlines and US Airways. The Dow Jones Industrials Average closed at 11,107.97; up 129.35 points.

◆ Actress Gwyneth Paltrow will take to the stage at next month's Country Music Association Awards. She'll sing the title track of her new movie, "Country Strong," and will be joined by Vince Gill.

◆ A Chinese man who got his arm stuck in a commode in an attempt to retrieve his cell phone has been freed. When rescue workers arrived, they found the man crouched over the toilet in a bathroom stall, his entire arm submerged up to the shoulder. They broke the porcelain bowl with crowbars, and the man was able to remove his arm from the bowl and retrieve his water-logged phone.

Sweetwater Valley Saddle Club Horse Show

Sat., Oct. 23rd at 5:00 p.m. Hwy. 11 next to Ingles, Sweetwater
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Chamber Holds Ribbon Cutting

The Athens Chamber of Commerce recently held a ribbon cutting at Happy Hounds Pet Grooming, 203 East Washington Ave., Athens. In the photo (L-R) LeeAnn Arbuthnot, Joseph Fernandez, Kim Gunter-Chamber Diplomat, Eddy Fernandez, Bo Perkinson-Athens Vice-Mayor, Cathy Carusillo-Volunteer, Jim O'Bringer-Co-Owner, Jessica O'Bringer-Co-Owner (Holding Scissors), JimBob Cucciarre-Chamber Diplomat, Kathy King-Aegis Security, Rebecca Joubert-Supporter, Patti Greek-Chamber Chairman-Elect, Angela Fernandez-Employee, Cheryl Bressler & Wallace Stutts-Chamber Board Members, & Kay Simmons-Athens Chamber.



Obituaries

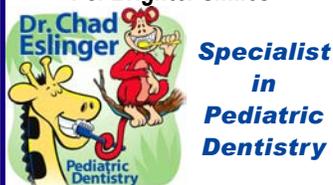
Mrs. Jamezema Marie Raper Harley, age 83, of Englewood died Tuesday at Woods Memorial Hospital. She was the former owner and operator of Kut and Kurl Beauty Shop in Englewood. Funeral services will be at 8 p.m. Thursday at Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home, with visitation from 6 to 8 p.m.

Eva Lee Cockrell, age 96, of Etowah, died Wednesday at Etowah Health Care Center. A funeral service will be at 7pm Friday at Bordwine Funeral Home with visitation from 5 to 7pm prior to the service.

Athens City Council Tid-bits

- ~ The Athens City Council held its October meeting this past Tuesday night.
- ~ The Council awarded the contracts to provide plants for the Library Wetland project to Chilhowee Greenhouse and Mouse Creek Nursery.
- ~ Parks Director Austin Fesmire presented a Tennessee Recreation and Parks Association Volunteer Service Award to Johnny Coffman for his work with the city's parks.
- ~ Police Chief Chuck Ziegler reported there were three robberies in the city in September, bringing the total number of robberies for 2010 to 21. For the same period last year, there were 17.
- ~ Fire Chief Jim Dyer reported that firefighters responded to 52 calls during September. Seven calls were to vehicle accidents, five were grass fires, two were residential calls, and there were 12 false alarms. The total losses from fires in September amounted to \$18,200.

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THIS DAY IN HISTORY-Oct. 21

1805 - In one of history's greatest naval battles, the British fleet under Admiral Horatio Nelson defeated the combined French-Spanish fleet at the western entrance of the Gibraltar Strait. Admiral Nelson was killed in the battle.

1833 - Swedish chemist and industrialist Alfred Nobel was born in Stockholm. He invented dynamite. He also originated the annual prizes which bear his name.

1875 - Due to a paper shortage, the editor of a newspaper in Australia bought all the handkerchiefs he could find and printed his newspaper on the hankies.

1937 - Norman Wright, lead singer of the Dell Vikings, was born. Their biggest hit record was "Come Go With Me."

1973 - An embargo by Arab oil-producing states on all petroleum exports bound for the United States became total when Kuwait, Bahrain, Qatar, and Dubai announced they had cut off shipments of oil.

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