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Athens, Tennessee

LOCAL & AREA NEWS

◆ MADCAT TO MONITOR ALCOHOL SALES

Members of the MADCAT Coalition are planning to get on the front lines and begin monitoring the sale of alcohol and tobacco at convenience stores in the area. They will take note of whether signs are posted advising customers they must show their identification, where the alcohol is placed in relation to other beverages such as soft drinks and energy drinks, whether cashiers asked for identification, whether teens were "hanging out" in the store or parking lot, whether they see any adults giving alcohol or tobacco to teens or getting into cars with teens after purchasing alcohol, etc. The information will be shared with store owners, police, and the media.

◆ COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

- ✓ The Athens Chamber of Commerce's "Business AFTER Hours" will be held today from 5:30 to 7 p.m. The event will be hosted by Comfort Inn of Athens located at 2811 Decatur Pike.
- ✓ The first annual "Ingleside's Got Talent" teacher/staff talent show will be held at 6:30 tonight at Athens Junior High School's auditorium. Admission for adults is a donation of \$2 or more. Children's admission will be a new or gently-loved stuffed animal which will benefit the Children's Advocacy Center.

NATIONAL-WORLD NEWS

- ◆ Egyptian officials say at least 365 people were killed during the 18-day anti-government uprising that began on January 25.
- ◆ There were protests again on Wednesday in both Bahrain and Yemen. Protesters demanding sweeping political reforms from Bahrain's rulers occupied the capital's square for a third day. Meanwhile, 2,000 police flooded the streets of Yemen's capital in an effort to halt six days of demonstrations against the president.
- ◆ U.S. and Mexico are investigating the killing of a U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement agent and the wounding of another one in northern Mexico. The two agents were driving on a four-lane federal highway on routine business when they were stopped at what appeared to be a military checkpoint. After they stopped, someone opened fire. It was unclear whether they were shot because they were immigration officers or because of the blue Suburban they were driving, a vehicle that is highly desired by drug gangs.
- ◆ Bookseller *Borders* has filed for bankruptcy protection. The company has fallen victim to on-line book sales and the growing popularity of electronic books.
- ◆ Lance Armstrong, who recovered from cancer to win the Tour de France record times, has announced his retirement from cycling.

Silver Moments

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BOjangles Famous Chicken & Biscuits-S. Congress Parkway (744-5292) February Specials: Breakfast: 2 Ham & Egg Biscuits-\$4. Lunch: 5 Meals for just \$5 each. Anytime: 20 Piece Box + 10 Biscuits, just \$19.99. **Our 32 oz. Tea is still just 99¢.**

Tosceno Pizza & Italian Grill, Ingles Shopping Center, Athens 746-9900. *Delivery, Carry-out, Dine-In!* (\$10 Minimum Delivery Order) Family Pack 3 X-Lg. 16" w/ 1 Topping for \$26.99. Not valid w/ other offers. Limited time offer. Cheese Manicotti, \$6.99. **Happy & proud to be a part of Athens!**

Western Sizzlin Steak House-1804 Decatur Pike (745-2626)

Thursday (All Day): 8 oz. Sizzlin' Top Sirloin with Potato, Bakery, and Dessert Bars, \$6.99. Thursday, 2-4 p.m. - SENIOR BUFFET, \$4.49.

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Athens City Council Tid-Bits

The Athens City Council held its monthly meeting Tuesday night. Among business that was conducted:

- ✓ The monthly VIVID (Very Important Volunteer Individual) Award was presented to Walter and Kathleen Payne. Walter serves on the Habitat for Humanity Executive Board. Walter and Kathleen volunteer with the Athens Area Council for the Arts and Old Fashioned Downtown Christmas.
- ✓ Athens Police Chief Chuck Ziegler reported there were two robberies in January, two sex offenses, 11 assaults, 15 cases of burglary, 53 cases of theft, and one motor vehicle theft. There were 29 drug cases. Police handed out 527 citations for moving violations. The police department currently has two vacancies.
- ✓ Athens Fire Chief Jim Dyer reported that firefighters responded to 27 calls in January. They included one vehicle fire, five vehicle accidents, and five false alarms. There were \$0 losses from fires in January.
- ✓ The City Council voted to give \$5,000 to the Athens Area Chamber of Commerce for tourism promotion.

Obituaries

Daulford Edward Harris, age 80, of Athens died Tuesday at Athens Regional Medical Center. He was retired from Athens Stove Works. Graveside services will be at 12:30 p.m. Friday in Pond Hill Cemetery. The family will receive friends from 11 a.m. to 12 noon Friday at Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home.

Mrs. Vonette Neff Hodsden, age 47, of Athens died Tuesday at her home. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Friday at Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home, with visitation from 5 to 7 p.m. Thursday.

Evelyn V. Baxter Bunch, age 74, of Decatur died Tuesday at Parkwest Hospital. Funeral services will be at 8 p.m. Friday at Ziegler Funeral Home, with visitation from 6 to 8 p.m.

Eddie Ray Miller, age 63, of Athens died Tuesday at his home. A graveside service will be held at a later date. Ziegler Funeral Home is in charge.

George Alan Newton, age 62, of Seneca, South Carolina, (and formerly from Athens) died Tuesday at his home. Funeral arrangements will be announced by Smith Funeral Home & Cremation Service.

Frances Riddle, age 91, of Lynchburg, Tennessee (and formerly of Athens), died last Friday at the Lynchburg Nursing Center. She was the mother of JoAnn Rutherford. Funeral services were held Monday, Feb. 14, at Kilgore Funeral Home in Tullahoma, Tennessee.

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THE TRADING POST
WYXI AM-1390
8:45 a.m. & 4:10 p.m.

WEATHER
Thursday - Mostly sunny. High-upper 60's.
Thurs. night - Mostly clear. Low-mid 40's.
Friday - Partly sunny. High-upper 60's. Winds 5 - 10 mph.
More WX at: www.wyxi.com

THIS DAY IN HISTORY-FEBRUARY 17
1801 - The House of Representatives broke an electoral tie between Thomas Jefferson and Aaron Burr, choosing Jefferson to be president.
1844 - Mail-order merchant Montgomery Ward was born.
1902 - Singer Marian Anderson was born in Mississippi. She was the first black to perform at the New York Metropolitan Opera.
1922 - Singer Tommy Edwards was born. His hit records included "It's All In The Game," "Morning Side Of The Mountain," and "Please Love Me Forever."
1941 - Singer Gene Pitney was born. Among his hit records: "Only Love Can Break A Heart," "Town Without Pity," and "(The Man Who Shot) Liberty Valance."
1959 - The Vanguard Two weather satellite was launched. It was the first satellite to send weather information back to earth.
1965 - "The Tennessee Waltz" became the official state song of Tennessee.

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