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Tuesday-April 17, 2012

Athens, Tennessee

State & Local News

◆ HIGHWAY 30 CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

The Tennessee Department of Transportation has issued an update on the Highway 30 construction project between Athens and Etowah. TDOT says the estimated completion date of the first segment of the new four-lane road between the Athens city limits to County Road 609 is next month, May 2012. The estimated completion date of the second portion from County Road 609 to the 4-lane section in Etowah is November 2014. The contractor has installed the construction signs and work is currently underway on clearing the right-of-way on both sides of the highway.

Meantime, in Meigs County, work has begun on the Highway 30 relocation project from State Highway 58 to the Tennessee River. Traffic is not being affected at this time, but flaggers will assist with traffic control as needed. The estimated project completion date is October 2013.

◆ CALLING ALL FARMERS

The City of Athens will host a farmers market users meeting to gather input on the upcoming season this Thursday at 6:30 p.m. in the courtroom at the Athens Municipal Building. City officials will be listening for ways to improve the overall experience for both buyers and sellers.

NATIONAL & WORLD NEWS

◆ Mitt Romney says he has put his longtime adviser Beth Myers in charge of the vice presidential vetting process. Romney would not give a deadline for choosing his running mate, but says it will certainly be by the time of the convention.

◆ Today is the deadline for filing your federal income tax return. You can thank President Abraham Lincoln for the extra couple of days this year. Lincoln signed the emancipation proclamation for Washington, D.C., on April 16th, 1862. The nation's capitol marks the 16th as a holiday, with all government offices closed, including the Internal Revenue Service.

◆ President Obama says he will be "angry" if the reported allegations against several Secret Service agents turn out to be true. About a dozen agents were relieved of their duties following allegations of involvement in a prostitution scandal in Colombia, South America. Mr. Obama says just like any U.S. delegation abroad, Secret Service personnel must "observe the highest standards."

◆ "Love Story" star Ryan O'Neal has been diagnosed with stage 4 prostate cancer. O'Neal, who is 70, successfully overcame leukemia in the late 1990's. He says his doctors say the prognosis is positive for a full recovery from this latest cancer.

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 10 a.m.-2 p.m.
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Jenkins Grille & Market, 411 S. Jackson, Athens, 423-745-7388
Every Tuesday All U Can Eat Fried Fish, \$9.99. Weekly spec.
 Western Burger **Early Bird** special Mon-Fri. 10% off with register receipt. **SUNDAY Lunch 11am-3pm**
Western Sizzlin Steak House-1804 Decatur Pike (745-2626)
 Tuesday, (11a-4p) 6 oz. Chicken Breast + Salad, Potato, Bakery, & Dessert Bars, \$7.99. Monday-Friday (11am-4pm) Enjoy the "Whole Thing" Salad & Hot Food Buffet for just \$7.49. Fresh Rolls!
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Athens, Tennessee

Athens Man Dies In CR 187 Crash

The Tennessee Highway Patrol says an Athens man was killed Sunday night in a one-car wreck on County Road 187 in McMinn County. State Trooper William Patterson says Terry R. Evans, 50, was killed when he lost control on a curve and left the roadway, then struck a tree on the driver's side door. Trooper Patterson says Evans' vehicle was traveling at a high rate of speed. He also says alcohol was involved. The fatal crash happened around 9:15 p.m. Sunday.

COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE

- ✓ The next meeting of MADCAT will be Wednesday at noon at the Athens Diner. The speaker will be Frances Witt-McMahan, who will talk about how her work with CASA dove-tails in many ways with the drug prevention done by MADCAT.
- ✓ The Athens Area Chamber of Commerce's monthly "Business After Hours" will take place this Thursday, April 19th, from 5:30 to 7 p.m. The event will be hosted by BenchMark Physical Therapy located at 311 North Congress Parkway, Suite 800.
- ✓ Movie night at E.G. Fisher Public Library returns on Friday, April 27th, at 7 p.m. The Fourth Friday Flick is a free showing of a recent blockbuster movie. This month's selection is a PG rated, family friendly adventure story. You are invited to bring your chair and refreshments and attend. For more details, call the library at 745-7782.

Obituaries

Mr. Brownie Cline, age 94, of Englewood died Sunday at Athens Regional Medical Center. He served in the Navy during World War Two and was a former employee of Burlington Woolen Mills. Funeral services will be at 7 p.m. Wednesday at Ziegler Funeral Home, with visitation from 5 to 7 p.m.

Essie Givens Wilson, age 70, of Athens died last Saturday at Athens Regional Medical Center. Funeral services will be at 7 p.m. Tuesday at Ziegler Funeral Home, with visitation from 5 to 7 p.m.

James Morgan, age 79, of Athens died Sunday at his home. Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. Friday at Ziegler Funeral Home. Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. on Thursday at Ziegler Funeral Home.

Mandy Ruth Cox, age 87, of Etowah died Sunday at Parkwest Medical Center. Funeral services will be at 8 p.m. Wednesday with visitation from 5 to 8 p.m. at Bordwine Funeral Home.

U.S. stocks were mixed on Monday following a report that showed retail sales rose more than forecast in March. The Dow Jones Industrial Average was up 71.82 at 12,921.41.

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THIS DAY IN HISTORY-April 17

- 1421 - The sea broke the dikes at Dort in Holland, drowning an estimated 100,000 people.
- 1492 - Queen Isabella of Spain gave a grant of money to Christopher Columbus to finance his voyage to the New World.
- 1897 - Author and playwright Thornton Wilder was born. He wrote a Pulitzer Prize-winning play, "Our Town."
- 1948 - Bandleader Jan Hammer was born. His biggest hit was the "Miami Vice" theme.
- 1961 - A force of anti-Castro Cuban rebels launched what came to be known as the "Bay of Pigs" rebellion. It was not successful.
- 1964 - Pilot Jerrie Mock of Columbus, Ohio, became the first woman to complete a solo flight around the world.
- 1969 - Sirhan Sirhan was found guilty in Los Angeles of the murder of Senator Robert Kennedy. Kennedy was assassinated while campaigning for president.

WHEN RADIO WAS

Old-Time Radio Shows
6:05-7 pm Nightly
WYXI AM-1390
Tonight:
Jack Benny Show & Screen Directors Playhouse

WEATHER

Tuesday - 80% chance of rain. High-upper 60s to lower 70s.
Tuesday night - Mostly cloudy. 50% rain. Low-52.
Wednesday - Partly sunny. 30% rain. High-low 70s.
More Weather & Zoom Radar at: www.wxyi.com