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Wednesday-May 9, 2012

# MORNING FAX™

## Today's News...This Morning

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"Vendors Needed" for  
 Downtown Annual Sidewalk & Flea  
 Market Sale (Garage Stuff)  
**SAME DAY AS MOOFEST!!!**  
**Saturday, May 19th**  
 Set-up fee is \$8 for 1 space;  
 \$10 for 2 spaces.  
 All will be located on White St.  
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Athens, Tennessee

### Local & State News

#### ◆ ACCIDENTAL DROWNING IN ATHENS

Athens police say Tracy Scott White, 49, was the victim of an apparent accidental drowning in the swimming pool in the backyard of his home on Holt Street. Police say White apparently fell into the pool while cleaning it Monday evening and was not able to pull himself out of the pool. Neighbors removed him, but it was too late. When officers arrived, they found White's lifeless body lying beside the pool.

#### ◆ GRAFFITI INVESTIGATION UPDATE

For the second time in a year, vandals have spray-painted graffiti on buildings in downtown Athens. The most recent graffiti was painted near the top of the Johnson Real Estate building at Jackson and Washington. Athens Police Chief Chuck Ziegler says a witness identified some juveniles that were frequenting downtown Athens during the days prior to the graffiti painting. Ziegler says an investigation determined they were not involved in the painting. The chief says the juveniles along with a few other people are still suspects, but there is no credible evidence that links them to the actual vandalism. Ziegler says he hopes someone who actually witnesses the graffiti painting will come forward.

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### NATIONAL & WORLD NEWS

◆ Veteran Indiana Sen. Richard Lugar lost a bitter challenge from the TEA-Party right flank of his own Republican Party in primary voting Tuesday, ending his nearly four-decade career in the Senate.

◆ Rick Santorum has sent an e-mail to his supporters announcing his formal endorsement of Republican presidential candidate Mitt Romney. He said he chose to endorse his former rival after the two men met in Pittsburgh.

◆ ABC News reports that an al Qaeda bomb-making cell in Yemen was successfully infiltrated by an "inside source" who secretly worked for the CIA. The "inside source" was able to leave Yemen and bring a refined version of the so-called underwear bomb with him to Saudi Arabia. U.S. officials say they felt confident throughout the operation that the bomb was not an actual threat to an airplane because the inside source had "control" of it.

◆ Senate Republicans blocked a White House-backed bill that would end a tax break for some private firms in order to fund an extension of low-interest rates for student loans. Republicans prefer to cover the \$6 billion cost by taking money from the president's Obamacare healthcare overhaul. A compromise is expected.

◆ A wave of political uncertainty in Europe pushed stocks sharply lower. The DJIA was down 76.44 at 12,932.09.



744-8904  
 4 Meats, dressing, gravy, etc.

Treat your MOM to our delicious  
**Mother's Day Buffet**  
**Sunday, May 13th**  
**starting at 12 Noon**

**ONLY \$10.99**  
 FREE DESSERT FOR MOM!

### Michael's

**Mother's Day Specials** (Items include salad or soup) **Chicken Maria:** Grilled breast served atop wild rice with fresh spinach cream sauce \$13.95. **Filet Medallions:** Grilled to your liking with wild mushroom demi glacé & loaded mashed potatoes \$14.95. **Chocolate Covered Strawberries** \$2.99. **Full Menu Available**  
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**Jenkins Grille & Market, 411 S. Jackson, Athens, 423-745-7388**  
 All U Can Eat Fried Fish, \$9.99. W- Sat. HOAGIES, \$7.49. More daily spec. M-Th. Early bird: 3-5:30pm, 10% OFF. F.-Sun. Apple smoked pork tenderloin, 2 sides, \$10.99. Sirloins, \$10.99 or Ribeye, \$14.99. Sun. Bombay Salad, Chix Salad & Fruit, \$8.59. Quiche & Fruit, \$7.49.

**Western Sizzlin Steak House-1804 Decatur Pike (745-2626)**  
 Wednesday (11a-4p) 6 oz. Chicken Breast + Salad, Potato, Bakery, & Dessert Bars, \$7.99. Monday-Thursday (All Day): 10 oz. New York Strip, Choice of Side Item, Bakery & Dessert Bars, \$11.49. Fresh Rolls!

**BOjangles Famous Chicken & Biscuits-S. Cong. Parkway (744-5292)**  
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Wednesday, May 9, 2012

Athens, Tennessee

## Charity Auction Raises \$5,000

Athens Federal Community Bank and Bid to Buy Auction House in Etowah recently hosted their annual charity auction for the American Cancer Society. A total of \$5,008 was raised to benefit the McMinn County Relay for Life. The evening's highest bid went to a new, electric-start, self-propelled Snapper lawn mower donated by Athens Lawn and Garden. (The photo shows special guest, State Rep. John Forgerty, assisting Bid to Buy owner John Bohannon and auctioneer Matt Goodin)



## Obituaries

**Tracy Scott White**, age 49, of Athens died Monday at his home. He was an IT Software Programmer. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Thursday at Zion Hill Baptist Church, with visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home.

**Allene M. Sykes**, age 90, of Athens died Sunday at her home. She was business manager of the Daily Post-Athenian until her retirement in 1993. She was also a founding member of St. Mary Catholic Church. A memorial service will be held later this month at St. Mary Catholic Church. Laycock-Hobbs is in charge.

### COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

- ✓ The annual Day of Caring sponsored by the United Way of McMinn and Meigs Counties takes place today. If you would like to take part, meet at the McMinn Senior Center at 8:30 a.m. A continental breakfast will be provided by Woods Hospital. Domino's will provide pizza for lunch, and there will be an ice cream celebration at 3:30 p.m. Volunteers are needed to do painting, cleaning, and lawn care.
- ✓ The Athens Police Department will hold its first Hot Dog cookout of the Thursday, May 10th, from 6 to 8 p.m. at Ingleside Elementary School. There will be free hot dogs and cold drinks and free gun locks (while they last). Everyone is invited.
- ✓ The McMinn County Board of Education will hold its monthly meeting at 7 p.m. Thursday, May 10th, at Rogers Creek Elementary School.

**ANIMAL AID** 

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Yard Sale & Rabies Clinic: Saturday, May 12th from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.  
(Clinic 9 a.m. to 12 noon) Vaccination Package \$35 Rabies \$10  
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Mother's Day is  
Sunday, May 13th



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