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Today's News...This Morning

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Monday-October 1, 2012

Athens, Tennessee

Local and State News

◆ WEATHER PERFECT FOR ANNUAL WALK

Over 150 people participated in the "Walk for Life" in downtown Athens Sunday afternoon. The annual walk benefits the Full Circle Women's Services Agency of Athens. Funds are used to provide



help to women with crisis pregnancies. In the photos (L-R) are Audrey and Frank Davis along with two younger walkers, Allie Sewell and Sophie Holmes. Photos by Cheri Harrison.

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✓ AUB power crews will be replacing poles, wiring, & infrastructure on Elizabeth Street on Tuesday and that will require the street to be closed to through traffic. Work will start after 8:45 a.m. to minimize traffic issues near City Park School.

Miracle Lake Bass Fishing Tournament, Saturday, Oct. 6th
 Registration: 7:30 a.m. Fishing: 8 a.m. to 12 noon
Weigh-in at Noon with prizes for 1st & 2nd Largest Bass
 Tickets: \$50 contribution; Lunch Provided, Bank Fishing Only, No Boats Allowed & **No Bait Restrictions**. Info: 423-263-2583

NATIONAL & WORLD NEWS

◆ Paul Ryan says "it would take me too long to go through all the math" involved in the tax plan he and Mitt Romney are proposing. The Republican vice presidential nominee said on "Fox News Sunday" that their plan, a 20 percent across-the-board income tax cut, would focus on deductions and closing tax loopholes for the wealthy.

◆ The killing of an American serviceman in an exchange of fire with allied Afghan soldiers pushed U.S. military deaths in the war to 2,000, a cold reminder of the perils that remain after an 11-year conflict that now garners little public interest at home.

◆ While both Democrats and Republicans have downplayed the importance of the first presidential debate, New Jersey Gov. Chris Christie raised the stakes on Sunday, predicting this Wednesday's debate in Denver will be a game changer for Mitt Romney.

◆ If you or an elderly relative have been hospitalized recently and noticed extra attention when the time came to be discharged, there's a good reason for it. Starting today Medicare will start fining hospitals that have too many patients readmitted within 30 days of discharge due to complications.

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OCTOBER Specials »» 2 Sausage & Egg Biscuits for \$3.00. 5 Meals for \$5 each. 12-piece Tailgate with 6 Biscuits, 2 Large Fixins & ½ Gallon of Tea or Lemonade \$21.99. Our 32 oz. tea is still 99¢. LET'S GO TO BO!
Western Sizzlin' Steak House-1804 Decatur Pike (745-2626)
 Monday (All Day): 8 oz. Chopped Sirloin, Choice of Side, Bakery & Dessert Bars, \$6.49. **Monday-Thursday** (All Day) 12 Oz. Angus Large Top Sirloin, Choice of Side, Bakery & Dessert Bars, \$9.99. Fresh rolls!
Toscano Pizza & Italian Grill, Ingles Shopping Center, Athens 746-9900. ALL DAY MONDAY SPECIAL. Pick up or dine-in only ! LARGE (one topping) PIZZA \$5.99.
Jenkins Grille & Market, 411 S. Jackson, Athens, 423-745-7388
Every Tuesday and Saturday: All U Can Eat Fried Fish, \$9.99. Early Bird special 3:00-5:00pm. (Mon-Thurs) 10% Off. Daily Specials. SUNDAY Lunch 11:00 am - 3:00 pm.



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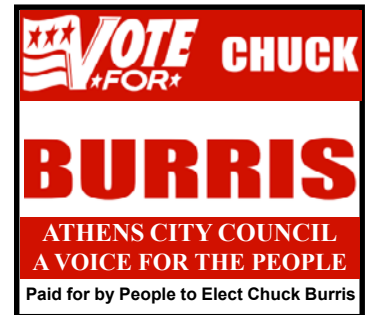
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Monday, October 1, 2012

Athens, Tennessee

Tennessee Headlines

- ◆ Dolly Parton says "no thanks" and has pulled out of the deal she made earlier this year to build a water and snow park at the Gaylord Hotel and Convention Center in Nashville. The Gaylord board voted to turn the management of their properties over to the Marriott Corp.
- ◆ The Tennessee National Guard has scheduled suicide prevention training after a unit commander in Morristown ended his life. The commander had recently returned home from a deployment to Afghanistan.
- ◆ The United Way of Sevier County is closing its doors because of a lack of donor support. Nineteen organizations will be taking a major financial hit, but the board said they had no other option.
- ◆ A judge in Nashville has held Tennessee's voter identification law constitutional after it was challenged by a civil rights attorney.

Weekend Scoreboard

The McMinn County Cherokees defeated Walker Valley 39-8; Sequoyah beat McMinn Central 42-21; Sweetwater defeated Meigs County 20-7; Tennessee almost made it to OT with Georgia, but the Bulldogs put the bite on the Vols 51 to 44; & the Tennessee Titans got roped by the Texans and sent to the corral 38 to 14.

WEATHER: Monday - 90% rain, High-76. Monday night - 90% rain, Low-64. Tuesday - Cloudy, 60% rain, High-79. See Zoom Radar at: www.wysi.com

Obituaries

Virginia Carolyn Coker, age 74, of Athens, died Thursday at her home. She was a teacher in the McMinn County Schools for 37 years. Funeral services will be at 8 p.m. Monday at Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home with visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. at the funeral home.

Keran Howard Jessup, age 82, of Athens, died Friday at Life Care Center of Athens. He was employed as an accountant and was a veteran of the Korean War, serving in the U.S. Navy. Graveside services will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Green Hill Cemetery with Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Theda Mae Shamblin Womac, age 87, of Athens and Calhoun, died Saturday at Woods Memorial Hospital. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Monday at Hiwassee Baptist Church in Calhoun with burial to follow in the Calhoun Cemetery. Ziegler Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Rev. Herman Lynn Poindexter, of Knoxville, died Monday, September 24 at Parkwest Hospital. He was the pastor of St. Mark AME Zion Church of Athens. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Monday at Logan Temple AME Church in Knoxville with visitation from 1-2 p.m. at the church. Jarnigan & Son Mortuary is in charge of arrangements.

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Kudos to Stephen Pell who is "filling-in" for our customary Morning Man on **WYXI RADIO**, Bob Ketchersid. Stephen began his radio career in 1971 at WROL AM in Knoxville and has worked at several other radio stations in East Tennessee over the past 4 decades. If you've not had a chance to listen to Stephen, be sure to tune him in every weekday morning from 6 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. on **WYXI RADIO AM-1390**. When Stephen leaves the radio station he goes straight to HaleyMax Videographic Services and joins his wife Betsy in their business where they produce high quality T.V. Commercials, Videographics, and Professional Photography. Stephen graciously agreed to take "Uncle" Bob's place on the radio until his return in a few weeks. Bob was diagnosed with Multiple Myeloma in February of this year and has undergone chemotherapy since the beginning of March. Bob has just completed a blood stem cell transplant at Emory University Hospital in downtown Atlanta and was discharged from the hospital yesterday. We are very thankful that he is in remission from this disease and look forward to his return on the air in the near future. Bob sent us a new photo yesterday, just before his discharge, showing us his new "do" which is called bald. ☺



Stephen having a good time!



Answering a call on the Trading Post



Uncle Bob "before"



and "after"

