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Today's News...This Morning

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Athens Lions Club
Moo Run!!
 5K Run or 1 Mile Fun Walk
 June 1, 2013 @ TWC
 6:30am Reg. 7:30 Racetime
www.e-clubhouse.org/sites/AthensTN/
 Call (423) 745-8132 for info

Thursday-May 23, 2013

Athens, Tennessee

State & Local News

◆ INGLESIDE POOL OPENING DELAYED

The opening of Ingleside Swimming Pool originally scheduled for May 25th has been postponed to a date that will be announced in the future. The pool is currently undergoing a surface renovation that has not been completed due to the unusually wet spring we've had this year. Athens Parks Director Austin Fesmire apologizes for the delay and says the pool will be opened as soon as possible.

◆ SWIFT FLY-IN TO BE HELD IN JUNE

For years, the Swift Fly-In has been held over the Memorial Day weekend at the McMinn County Airport. This year, the Fly-In will be June 5-8. Members of the Swift Association voted to change the date.

◆ COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE

✓ The J.L. Cook School reunion will be held this weekend in Athens. There will be a meet-and-greet reception Friday night at the McMinn Living Heritage Museum. On Saturday, there will be a walk-a-thon, health fair, and other activities at Cook Park beginning at 10 a.m. There will also be a golf tournament at Rock Springs Golf Club. For information, call Ann Boyd at 336-3851.

World & National News

◆ The tornado that tore through an Oklahoma City suburb and destroyed or damaged as many as 13,000 homes, may have caused over \$2 billion in damage. According to state authorities, two infants were among the 24 people who perished in the twister.

◆ A search team of police and dogs found the backpacks of a 15-year-old Iowa girl who was abducted this week, along with one belonging to a 12-year-old who escaped from the kidnapper. Michael Klunder, the abductor, was found dead of self-inflicted injuries hours after the 12-year-old escaped. Police are continuing to search for Kathlynn Shepard, the 15-year-old. Both were abducted while walking home from school.

◆ The Boy Scouts of America will hold a vote today to consider changing its long-standing ban on allowing openly gay boys in the scouting movement. The ban on gay adult leaders would remain in place. Approximately 1,400 members of the national council will cast ballots today at their meeting in Grapevine, Texas.

◆ Lois Lerner, the IRS official in charge of approving applications for tax-exempt status, denied wrongdoing in response to accusations that the IRS targeted conservative organizations seeking nonprofit status for heavier scrutiny between 2010 and 2012. Lerner took the 5th amendment and refused to answer questions.

Vaccination Clinic

May 25th
10am-4pm

North Etowah Baptist Church
 Rabies Shots \$10; Canine Distemper/Parvo Shots, \$15; Feline Distemper shots, \$15
 Proceeds benefit The Rabies Eradication Project
 Vaccinations provided by Rusty Barnett, DVM
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Western Sizzlin Steak House-1804 Decatur Pike (745-2626)
Thursday (All Day): 8 oz. Sizzlin' Top Sirloin with Choice of Side Item, Bakery, & Dessert Bars, \$7.99. **Steak of the Week:** All Day - Sirloin Tips with Salad Bar + Bakery and Dessert Bars, all for just \$8.99. Fresh Rolls!

Toscana Pizza & Italian Grill, Ingles Shopping Center, Athens
746-9900. LUNCH SPECIAL: 11am-2:30pm - Pick up or dine-in only ! Spaghetti, Ravioli, Manicotti, Stuffed Shells.
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 Camp:Soccer-June 10 & 11-Ages 4-9
 Camp: Basketball - June 24 & 25 Ages, 4-13
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423-745-4904 or email ldavis-ymca@birch.net

WEATHER

Thursday - Partly sunny. 30% rain. High around 80.
Thurs. night - Mostly cloudy. 20% rain. Low - Mid 50's.
Friday - Mostly sunny. High lower-mid 70's.
 More Weather & Zoom Radar at:
www.wyxi.com

Community Artist League
CALL FOR ENTRIES
38th Annual June Show & Competition
 Accepting Pieces Friday,
 May 31st, from 4 to 7 pm at
 E.G. Fisher Library
 Contact Lisa Bell: 423-435-4431

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FIRE DAMAGES 4 APARTMENTS

A four unit apartment building in Etowah was heavily damaged by a grease fire around 1 p.m. Wednesday. The fire occurred at 525 10th Street and was caused by a pot of french fries left on a stove, that caught fire when the occupant of the apartment fell asleep. About 30 firefighters responded to the blaze from the Etowah Fire Department, Etowah & Englewood Rural FD's and from West Polk Fire-Rescue. The apartments are owned by Bernard Lipps. Photo by Jay Thomson.



Obituaries

Ronnie E. Gossett, age 60, of Sweetwater died Sunday at UT Medical Center. He worked at Lambcon Ready Mix. Funeral services will be at 7 p.m. Friday at Ziegler Funeral Home, with visitation from 4 to 7 p.m.

Leroy Lewis, age 80, of Etowah died Monday at Erlanger. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Friday at Bordwine Funeral Home, with visitation from 5 to 7 p.m. Thursday.

Wednesday's Market Report: U.S. stocks closed lower today and reversed early gains, influenced by Ben Bernanke's testimony before Congress. The Dow Jones Industrial Average was down 80.41 at 15,307.17. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was down 13.81 at 1,655.35, and the NASDAQ Composite Index was down 38.82 at 3,463.30.

◆ MORE COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE

- ✓ The Southeast Human Resource Agency is accepting applications for USDA commodities from eligible McMinn County residents through Friday, May 31st. Commodities will be distributed in McMinn County on June 27th at the National Guard Armory.
- ✓ 4-H Summer Camp will be held June 17-21 in Greeneville. The cost to attend is \$270 per child. Eligible children must be in 4th-6th grade. Scholarships are available. Applications are available at the 4-H office located at 107 West College Street in Athens. The deadline for scholarship applications is next Wednesday, May 29th.

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Today In History - May 23

- 1701** - Captain William Kidd was hanged in London for piracy and murder.
- 1788** - South Carolina became the eighth state to ratify the U.S. Constitution.
- 1925** - Bluegrass singer Mac Wiseman was born.
- 1928** - Singer and actress Rosemary Clooney was born. Her hit records include "This Ole House" and "Hey There."
- 1941** - Buddy Baer was disqualified at the beginning of the seventh round as Joe Louis defended his heavyweight boxing title for the 17th time. Baer's manager refused to leave the ring when the round was ready to begin. Poor Buddy Baer!!
- 1960** - Israel announced it had captured former Nazi official Adolf Eichmann in Argentina.
- 1997** - Iranians elected a moderate president, Mohammad Khatami, over hard-liners in the ruling Muslim clergy.
- 2006** - ABC named Charles Gibson to replace Elizabeth Vargas as anchor of its "World News Tonight" evening newscast.



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