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Today's News...This Morning

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acs! Athens City Schools Pre-Registration Day 2013-2013
Tues., July 23rd 12n-7p
Athens City Middle School Cafeteria
 One location for all **NEW** students. Pre K & Kindergarten students will be screened.
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Wednesday-July 17, 2013

Athens, Tennessee

Local & State News

- ◆ **ELECTRICITY RATES TO DROP A BIT**
 The cost of electricity for Athens Utilities Board customers will go down again in August for the second month in a row. However, the savings will be small, only about 25¢ on the average residential utility bill. AUB spokesman Wayne Scarbrough says the heavy rains we experienced this spring and summer have helped keep rates low because TVA's dams have been able to generate a lot of power. Hydropower is TVA's least expensive generation source.
- ◆ **COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE**
 - ✓ Athens Regional Medical Center will provide free athletic school physicals this Thursday at McMinn High School from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. All McMinn County schools, Athens City Middle School, Meigs County High School, Meigs Middle School, and Fairview Christian Academy will be participating.
 - ✓ The McMinn-Meigs Ag Roundtable will meet at 6:30 a.m. Thursday, July 18th, at Shoney's. The guest speaker is Robert Rhinehart, the new Area Forester. Breakfast will be "dutch treat".
 - ✓ The monthly Athens Area Chamber of Commerce "Business Before Hours" will be held this Thursday from 8 to 9 a.m. at the chamber office. The event is hosted by CASA Corridor of East TN.

NATIONAL & WORLD NEWS

- ◆ Egypt's interim president has sworn in the first Cabinet since the military ousted their Islamist president. The Cabinet includes three women and some Christians, but does not include any figures from radical Islamist parties.
- ◆ Panama has seized a North Korean-flagged ship carrying what appears to be ballistic missiles and other arms. The ship had set sail from Cuba and was bound for North Korea. Panama's president says the ship was violating United Nations resolutions against arms trafficking.
- ◆ New research indicates that people who delay retirement have less risk of developing Alzheimer's disease. The French study shows that someone who retires at 65 has about a 15% lower risk of developing dementia compared to someone retiring at 60.
- ◆ Twinkies are back, but they may be a bit smaller than you remember. The new Twinkies hitting the shelves this week weigh 38.5 grams per cake compared to the previous Twinkies that weighed 42.5 grams.
- ◆ Attorney General Eric Holder has told the NAACP convention in Orlando, Florida that the Justice Department is still investigating whether to bring federal civil rights charges against George Zimmerman, who was declared not guilty of murder in the Trayvon Martin case just three days ago by a Florida jury.

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 **Wednesday (11a-4p)** Petite Sirloin + Side Item, Salad, Bakery, & Dessert Bars, \$7.99. **Mon-Thursday (All Day)** 8 oz. **Angus Thick Top Sirloin** + Side, Fresh Rolls, Bakery and Dessert Bars, \$8.49! **1804 Decatur Pike (745-2626)**

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Commentary
11:40 a.m. &
5:15 p.m.
Weekdays



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Athens, Tennessee

Getting Ready For Football!

Riceville Youth Football will be holding signups this Saturday in front of the gym at Riceville Elementary School from 9 a.m. to 12 noon. This is for all children between the ages of 4 and 14. If you have questions, call Michelle Millsaps at 368-4974.

Riceville Youth Football held their annual football camp on June 29th. Participants and the coaching staff are pictured below.



◆ MORE COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE

- ✓ Christ's Legacy Academy is now enrolling for the new school year. Christ's Legacy Academy will have K-10th grades this year, and the first day of school will be Friday, August 9th.
- ✓ The Medic Regional Blood Center's Bloodmobile will be at Athens Regional Medical Center from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. today.

Obituaries

Mary Lou Wilson, age 102, of Etowah died last Saturday at Etowah Health Care Center. She was the oldest member of Jones Chapel United Methodist Church. Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Green Hill Cemetery. Bordwine Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Lucinda Heck Buchanan, age 64, and a former resident of Decatur died unexpectedly last Sunday at her home in Atlanta after a year-long battle with lung cancer. Graveside services will be at 11 a.m. Wednesday at Decatur Cemetery. Bowers Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Francine Stevens, age 63, of Etowah died Monday at her home. Funeral arrangements will be announced by Serenity Funeral Home of Etowah.

Garlen Teague, age 79, of Athens died last Friday. A memorial service will be held at a later date. Ziegler Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Dean Dillard Key, age 71, of Maryville (and a longtime resident of Athens) died last Saturday in a traffic crash. She worked for First National Bank and BB&T for 38 years. Funeral services will be at 7 p.m. Friday at Smith Trinity Chapel in Maryville.

TUESDAY'S MARKET REPORT: The Dow Jones Industrial Average was down 32.41 at 15,451.85. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was down 6.24 at 1,676.26, and the NASDAQ Composite Index was down 8.99 at 3,598.50. Volume on the New York Stock Exchange was low with 570.50 million shares traded.

WEATHER

Wednesday - Mostly sunny. 30% rain & t'storms. High around 90.

Wednesday night - Mostly cloudy. 20% rain & t'storms. Lows lower 70's.

Thursday - Partly sunny. 40% rain & t'storms. High around 90. See our Zoom Radar at: www.wyxi.com

TODAY IN HISTORY - July 17

1674 - English clergyman Isaac Watts was born. He wrote 761 hymns, including "Joy To The World" and "When I Survey The Wondrous Cross."

1899 - Mystery writer Erle Stanley Gardner was born in Massachusetts. He created the lawyer-detective, Perry Mason.

1912 - Radio and television personality Art Linkletter ("Kids Say the Darndest Things") was born.

1952 - Singer Nicolette Larson was born. She died in 1997. Her biggest hit record was "Lotta Love" in 1978.

1955 - Disneyland opened in California. The famed amusement park was created by Walt Disney.

1955 - The small town of Arco, Idaho, became the first community in the world to receive all its electric power from atomic energy.

1981 - Two suspended walkways collapsed and plunged to the ground floor of the Hyatt Regency Hotel in Kansas City, killing 111 and injuring 200.

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