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Today's News...This Morning

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 We now serve as a drop off center for Grace and Mercy ministries.
 For all boxed and canned food donations, the drop off times are Monday-Sunday, 8am until 6pm.

Thursday-August 15, 2013

Athens, Tennessee

State & Local News

◆ POWER RATES CONTINUE DOWNWARD SLIDE

September will mark the third month in a row that local power rates have fallen. AUB spokesman Wayne Scarbrough says the average residential customer will save about \$3.11 on their September utility bill. Scarbrough says rates are down 4.6% from June to September. With this summer's higher rainfall and lower temperatures, TVA has had an abundance of water for low-cost power production at dams and power demand across the Tennessee Valley has been less than normal.

◆ COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE

- ✓ The Surgery Center of Athens will hold an Open House from 4 to 7 p.m. today in recognition of National Ambulatory Surgery Center Day. There will be a free health fair and tours. At 6 p.m., there will be remarks from Senator Mike Bell, Rep. John Forgety, and McMinn County Mayor John Gentry. The Surgery Center is located at 105 N. Meadows Drive, just behind the Madison Avenue Pharmacy.
- ✓ The newly-passed Athens City Budget is available for public inspection in the Finance Office at the Athens Municipal Building, Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

National & International News


◆ Israeli and Palestinian negotiators kicked off their first substantive round of peace talks in nearly five years at an undisclosed location in search of an end to decades of conflict. In an attempt by both sides to prevent leaks to the media and maintain trust, the meeting was secretive and took place in Jerusalem. There was no immediate comment from either side.

◆ Hannah Anderson, the 16-year-old California girl that was kidnapped by a close family friend says the kidnapper threatened to kill her if she tried to escape. Anderson said that he got what he deserved when he died in a shootout with authorities in the Idaho wilderness.

◆ Former Illinois congressman Jesse Jackson Jr. was sentenced on Wednesday to 2-1/2 years in prison for misuse of campaign funds. Jackson is a former Democratic representative and the son of civil rights leader the Reverend Jesse Jackson Sr. His wife, Sandi, was sentenced to one year for falsifying tax returns that failed to report the campaign money as income. The couple has two children.


◆ In sports news: For the first time in almost 60 years, the University of Tennessee will not play the University of Kentucky in a home basketball game this upcoming season in Knoxville. Only one game will be played and that will be in Lexington.

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 TODAY we will be at Valley Farmers CO-OP, Congress Parkway, Athens from 11 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. "To-Go" Call 829-4126 Businesses - Place 5 Orders & everyone gets a FREE can drink!!
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 **Thursday** (All Day): 8 oz. Sizzlin' Top Sirloin with Choice of Side Item, Bakery, & Dessert Bars, \$7.99. **Mon.-Thurs.** (All Day) 12 oz. **Angus Large Top Sirloin** + Side Item, Rolls, Bakery & Dessert Bars, \$10.49! **1804 Decatur Pike 745-2626**

Joe's Italian Cuisine, 601 W. Madison Ave., Athens (453-5111)
M. -Sat. 11a-9p; Sun. 10:30a-4p. Italian Wedding Soup, Cup, \$1.99, Bowl, \$3.49; Philly Steak, \$6, Manicotti Cheese, \$8.50; Spaghetti w/ Meatballs, \$7.50, Tiramisu, \$4.50, Eggplant, Parmesan, \$8.65. **All Pasta dishes served w/ garlic bread. Free Wi-Fi**

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WEATHER

Thursday - Partly sunny.
30% rain chance. High-83.
Thurs. night - Mostly cloudy.
30% rain chance. Low-64.
Friday - Partly sunny. 30%
rain chance. High-low 80's.
More Weather & Zoom Radar at:
www.wyxi.com

Thursday-August 15, 2013

Athens, Tennessee

Restaurant Inspection Scores

The following Athens restaurants were inspected between August 8-9. A score of 70 and above is passing.

Tocano's Italian Grill - 96

Domino's - 96

Subway (1440 Decatur Pike) - 91

◆ TENNESSEE AND AREA NEWS

- ✓ One of the two pilots that were killed on-board a UPS cargo plane that crashed near the Birmingham, Alabama airport Wednesday morning was from Lynchburg. She was 37-year-old Shanda Carney Fanning. The two crew members were the only people on the plane. The NTSB is investigating the crash.
- ✓ The Tennessee Education Association is opposing a plan that would tie teacher licensure to student test data. The state's largest teacher's union says that the data used in the assessment process is flawed. Currently teacher's licenses are renewed for 10 years without regard to teacher effectiveness.
- ✓ Michael D. Calhoun, an employee of BCS Portable Toilets of Athens, has been arrested in Meigs County on a driving violation and will likely face a long list of charges after a video was taken of him allegedly discharging raw sewage into the Hiwassee River near Calhoun. Calhoun is still in the Meigs County Jail.

Obituaries

Merlene Harrison of Athens died Wednesday at Athens Regional Medical Center. Funeral arrangements will be announced by Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home of Athens.

WEDNESDAY'S MARKET REPORT: The Dow Jones industrial average declined the most in six weeks on Wednesday. The Standard & Poor's 500 index dropped for the sixth day in eight, after a poor earnings report from Macy's cast doubt on the outlook for consumer spending. Apple continued to strengthen after billionaire investor Carl Icahn revealed a large stake in the company. The Dow Jones Industrial Average was down 113.35 points to 15,337.66. The Standard & Poor's 500 index was down 8.77 points to 1,685.39, and the Nasdaq composite was down 15.17 points to 3,669.27.

◆ MORE COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE

- ✓ Free skin cancer checks will be offered by Athens Regional Medical Center and Woods Memorial Hospital next week. Dr. Preston Brown will provide the checks at the Athens-McMinn Family YMCA on Monday from 3 to 5 p.m. Dr. Charles Cox will provide skin cancer checks on Thursday, Aug. 22, from 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. at the McMinn Senior Center in Athens.
- ✓ Registration is underway for the McMinn Youth Soccer League. The league is for boys and girls ages 4-7. Practice is on Monday nights and games are on Thursday nights. The cost is \$35 per player. Call Blake Hayes at 368-0515 for more info.

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- **Location:**
Athens Regional
Park
- **Time:**
12 Noon-4pm
- **Date:** August 24th



The Surgery Center of Athens

OPEN HOUSE

Aug. 15, 4-7 p.m.

FREE HEALTH FAIR & Tours
Blood Pressure and BMI Screenings

Medic Blood Drive - 1 p.m. - 7 p.m.
Air Evac Helicopter on-site - 5 p.m - 6:30 p.m.

Remarks 6 p.m.

Surgery Center Administration,
Sen. Mike Bell, Rep. John Forgety &
County Mayor John Gentry

105 N. Meadows Drive, Athens - behind
Madison Avenue Pharmacy

