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Thursday-January 9, 2014

Athens, Tennessee

State & Local News

◆ COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

- ✓ The Athens Area Council for the Arts announces that Friday's Open Mic Gospel night will be rescheduled for May of 2014.
- ✓ Nominations are now being accepted for the Athens "Young Man of the Year" award which will be presented at the Athens Area Chamber of Commerce Annual Meeting on January 30th. Candidates must be 39 years of age or younger. Nomination forms are available at 746-5202. The award is sponsored by Tennessee Wesleyan College. The deadline for nominations is January 13th.
- ✓ The Athens Kiwanis Club will meet at noon tomorrow in the Glen Lowe Dining Room at Tennessee Wesleyan College. The speaker will be Frank Davis with Helping Hands and McMinn Ministries.
- ✓ "We Shall Not Be Moved," a traveling exhibition developed by the Tennessee State Museum, will be on display at the McMinn Living Heritage Museum through January 25th. The exhibit provides a look at the role Tennessee students played in the Civil Rights movement of the 1960's.
- ✓ The next Boot Camp for New Dads will be held at the UT Extension Office, 107 W. College St., in Athens on January 11th. The Boot Camp is a program in which "veteran" fathers bring their two-month-old babies to show rookies the ropes of fatherhood. The program is for guys only, with no women over two-feet tall allowed. The time is 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. and there is no charge. Call 745-2852 to register.

National & International News

- ◆ One person is dead after a U.S. Navy helicopter with five aboard crashed at sea off Norfolk, Virginia, on Wednesday. Three crew members were rescued. One is missing. The helicopter was on a routine training mission when it went down in the Atlantic 20 miles off the Virginia coast.
- ◆ An international operation to free a Russian ship trapped in an ice field in Antarctica has ended after assistance from several ice-breakers, including one from the U.S.
- ◆ Former Congressman Gabrielle Giffords went skydiving yesterday, the third anniversary of the Arizona shooting that left her critically wounded. Giffords landed without any injury.
- ◆ Just how cold did it get in Kentucky this past Monday? Apparently cold enough for an escaped prisoner to decide to turn himself in. Authorities say the inmate escaped from a minimum security facility in Lexington on Sunday. As temperatures dropped into the low single digits Monday, they say he walked into a motel and asked the clerk to call police. He said he wanted to go back to jail where it was nice and warm.
- ◆ On Wall Street Wednesday, the Dow Jones industrial average closed down 68.20 at 16,462.74. The NASDAQ closed up 12.43 at 4,165.61. The S&P 500 closed down 0.39 at 1,837.49.
- ◆ Emma and William were the most popular names for new babies born in Tennessee in 2013. William has been the No. 1 name chosen for baby boys in Tennessee for seven straight years. Emma was also the top girl's name in 2011.

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WEATHER

Thursday - Mostly cloudy.
High-mid 40's.
Thurs. night - Mostly cloudy.
20% rain. Low-mid 30's.
Friday - Partly sunny. High-
low 50's.
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Who's New In Pink & Blue?

Connie Shadowens was born December 18, 2013, at Starr Regional Medical Center. She weighed 8 pounds and 10 ounces and was 21 inches long. Her parents are Jamee and Jacob Shadowens of Athens.

Zoe Elayna Clotfelter was born December 18th at Starr Regional. She weighed 7 pounds and 12 ounces and was 19¾ inches long. Her parents are Keesha Jones and Gene Clotfelter of Riceville.

William Payne Kennedy was born December 19th at Starr Regional. He weighed 8 pounds and 10 ounces and was 22 inches long. His parents are Sarah Knox and Brandon Kennedy of Athens.

Kyndra Rayne Mullenax was born December 21st at Starr Regional. She weighed 8 pounds and 8 ounces and was 21 inches long. Her parents are Brandy and Willie Mullenax of Etowah.

Makena Lara Grace was born December 21st at Starr Regional. She weighed 6 pounds and 1 ounce and was 18½ inches long. Her parents are Ashley and Lucas Weeks of Etowah.

April Daniela Damian Vasco was born January 2, 2014, at Starr Regional. She weighed 8 pounds and 4 ounces and was 21 inches long. Her parents are Samantha Vasco-Alias and Luis Damian Orozco.

Restaurant Inspection Scores

The following Athens restaurants were inspected on December 20th. A score of 70 and above is passing.

- Waffle House - 96**
- Western Sizzlin - 93**
- Monterrey Mexican Restaurant, Cong. Pkway - 91**
- Zaxby's - 81**

The following Etowah restaurants were inspected between Nov. 18th and Dec. 18th:

- Farmhouse Family Restaurant - 96**
- Shelby's - 96**
- Michael's of Etowah - 95**
- Hong Kong King Buffet - 93**
- Scotties - 93**
- Castillo's Mexican Restaurant - 91**

Obituaries

Garry L. Jackson, age 57, of Etowah died Monday at Starr Regional Medical Center-Etowah. Funeral arrangements will be announced by M.D. Dotson & Sons Funeral Home of Athens.

James Everett Locke, age 81, of Chattanooga died Tuesday at Standifer Place. He was a native of Meigs County. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday at Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home, with visitation from 1 to 2 p.m.

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1913 - Richard Nixon, the 37th President, was born. He was a Congressman and Senator from California, served as Vice-President under President Eisenhower, and was elected President in 1968 and re-elected in 1972. He resigned in 1974 while facing almost certain impeachment for his involvement in the Watergate scandal.

1951 - Singer Cystal Gayle was born. Her biggest hits include "Don't It Make My Brown Eyes Blue" and "I'll Get Over You." She is Loretta Lynn's younger sister.

1968 - The Surveyor 7 space probe made a soft landing on the moon. It was the last of America's unmanned explorations of the lunar surface.

2001 - Apple Computer Inc. introduced its iTunes music management software.

2006 - "The Phantom of the Opera" became the longest-running Broadway show with 7,485 performances.

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