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**Q&A Event at MCHS Auditorium**  
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 Q&A Event Oct. 6th starting  
 at 5:30 pm to collect donations  
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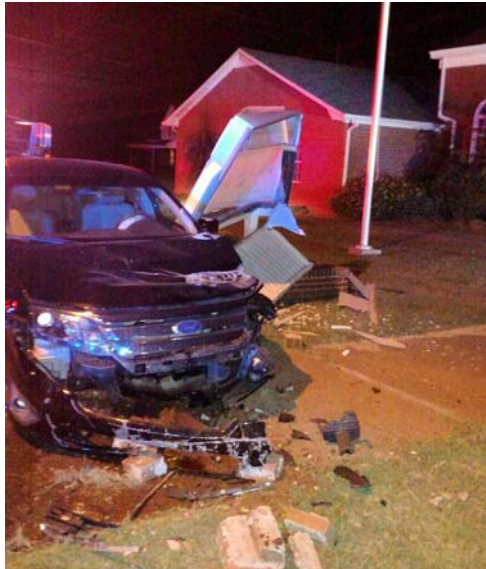
Tuesday, September 27, 2016

Athens, Tennessee

## Local & State News

### ◆ CAR CLOBBERS CHURCH SIGN

Late Sunday night, a 2006 Ford Fusion hit the sign at the Englewood United Methodist Church on the Niota Road. The Englewood City Fire Department and Officer Daniel Lantz with the Englewood Police Department responded. AMR transported one patient to Starr Regional Medical Center.



(Photo by Lynn Ingram with the Englewood City Fire Department)

### ◆ COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

✓ The Area-wide Cancer Support Group will meet at 7 p.m. this evening, September 27th, at the Etowah Area Senior Center, 435 Cooper Street, Etowah.

## NATIONAL-WORLD NEWS

◆ The Houston Police Department responded to an active shooter situation in a shopping center that injured nine people on Monday. The suspect, a lawyer, was shot and killed, and pronounced dead at the scene.

◆ According to new statistics compiled by the FBI, cities across the country suffered an increase in violent crime last year, including a nearly 11 percent jump in murders from the year before.

◆ Iowa residents wait nervously as the swollen Cedar River rises steadily to its highest levels since 2008. The river is cresting at 19+ feet, which is a level that can cause major flooding.

### ◆ MORE COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

✓ The E.G. Fisher Public Library and the Friends of the Library will host a book signing by Burkett Witt of his biography titled "Burkett" A Man of Positive Tenacity. The book signing will be Wednesday, Sept. 28th, from 11:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. and Thursday, Sept. 29th, from 5 to 7 p.m. in the Community Roof of the library. Books will be available to purchase.

✓ The McMinn Senior Activity Center will present Wellness Wednesday on Sept. 28th at 9 a.m. Tammie Lowry, supervisor of the Starr Regional Breast Center, will discuss breast cancer and breast health. The event is free.

✓ The guest on today's "Chamber Chat," the weekly radio show produced by the Athens Area Chamber of Commerce, will be Audra Hull, owner of The Beanery Uncorked. Chamber Chat is broadcast immediately after the 8 a.m. news each Tuesday on WYXI Radio AM-1390 and on-line at: [www.wxyi.com](http://www.wxyi.com)

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## WEATHER FORECAST

**Tuesday - Partly cloudy.**  
 20% rain. High around 80.

**Tuesday night - Clear.** Low 48.

**Wednesday - Partly sunny.**  
 High 81.

See More Weather info and radar at: [www.wxyi.com](http://www.wxyi.com)

***Etowah Arts & Crafts Fall Festival October 1 & 2 10am to 5pm Etowah Depot Park***



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**That Felt Good!**

Governor Haslam is urging everyone over six months of age to get a flu shot. He practiced what he's preaching by getting his own shot last Friday during a visit to Chattanooga. Flu shots are available at your local county health department. The photo shows the governor getting a "little stick" from Susan Merriman, RN, Director of Nursing at the Tennessee Department of Health's Southeast Tennessee Regional Health office. From the expression on his face, it looks like the governor enjoyed it!

(Photo from the Tennessee Department of Health)



**Obituaries**

- **Mike Malone**, age 51, of Athens, died Sunday at Spring City Care and Rehab. Funeral services will be at 7 p.m. Wednesday at Bowers Funeral Home in Decatur, with visitation from 4 to 7 p.m.
- **Billie Underwood**, age 95, of Sweetwater, died last Friday. The family will hold private services at a later date. Serenity Funeral Home is in charge.
- **Velma L. Webb**, age 83, of Englewood, died Sunday at Hospice House of Chattanooga. She and her husband owned John's Plumbing and Electric. Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Hampton Cemetery. Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home is in charge.

**FIRE DESTROYS COMBINE**

The Englewood Rural, Athens Rural, and Etowah Rural Fire Departments responded to a combine that was fully involved in flames with the fire spreading to the field. Pictured are Caleb Martin, Austin Runkles, Cody Elliott, and Savana Casteel with the Englewood Rural Fire Dept. Chief Billy Roach was in charge.



(Photo by Lynn Ingram with the Englewood Rural Fire Dept.)

**JOHN FORGETY**  
Tennessee House of Representatives

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