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Monday, July 17, 2017

Athens, Tennessee

## Local & State News

### ◆ HEIL PARENT CO. MOVES TO ATHENS

EnTrans, the parent company of Heil Trailer, has moved its world headquarters from Cleveland to Athens. EnTrans is a global manufacturer of tank trailers and oilfield equipment. It is the parent of both Heil Trailer International and Polar Trailer. Their new headquarters will be located in a warehouse next to Heil Trailer on North Congress Parkway.

### ◆ WHO SAYS PAPER BOATS WON'T FLOAT?

One of the highlights of last Saturday's River Town Festival in Calhoun was the Cardboard Regatta. Contestants built boats using only cardboard, tape, and paint. The "boats" were launched from the Hiwassee Blueway dock. Will Gentry and Deanna Coffman competed for the championship, which was won by Will.

(Photo by Bruce and Chris Hari)



## National & World News

◆ Senate Majority Leader Mitch McConnell has deferred action on health care legislation due to Sen. John McCain's absence. McCain is recovering at his home in Arizona after having a blood clot removed from above his left eye. The 80-year-old senator was advised by his doctors to remain in Arizona next week. McCain's vote for the health care bill is crucial to its passage.

◆ Police in Memphis say a man wearing a Superman robe has died after jumping from the balcony of a high-rise building. Witnesses say the man leaped from the 10th floor of the building that housed elderly and disabled residents.

◆ The Knox County School System has gotten permission from the Tennessee Commissioner of Education to close school on Augusts 21st, Eclipse Day, for "inclement weather."

### ◆ COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

✓ Athens Federal Community Bank and Keller Williams (The Colloms Group) will host a free Homebuyer Seminar tomorrow, July 18th, at 6 p.m. at Tennessee College of Applied Technology, 1635 Vo-Tech Drive, in Athens. The seminar is open to the public and will be especially valuable for first-time homebuyers.

✓ The guests on the Athens Area Chamber of Commerce weekly radio show, "Chamber Chat," on Tuesday will be Carey Hicks and Tim Womac, members of the E.G. Fisher Library Board. They will be discussing the upcoming Used Book Sale. Hear Chamber Chat at 8:15 a.m. on WYXI RADIO, AM-1390, FM-94.5 and online: [HERE](#)

### Upcoming Y Camps

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## Another Musical Saturday Night

The Joe Lasher, Jr., group from Nashville was the headline group at this past Saturday evening's Sounds of Summer at Market Park Pavilion. They are pictured below.



The opening act at Sounds of Summer was Brittany McLamb, pictured to the right.

(Photos by Cheri Harrison)



## Obituaries

♦ **Hellen Christine "Cricket" Johnson Givens**, age 68, of Calhoun, died last Thursday at her daughter's residence. Graveside services were held Saturday. Ziegler Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

♦ **Carolyn Ruth Hoffman**, age 80, of Athens, died Friday at Life Care Center of Athens. She was a native of Polk County. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Monday at Smith Funeral Home, with visitation from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

♦ **Virgle Edgar Galyon**, age 76, of Englewood, died Friday at Fort Sanders Medical Center. He was retired from Athens Furniture Company. A graveside service will be held at 11 a.m. Monday in the Sweetwater Valley Memorial Park. Companion Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

♦ **Gregory Allen Bell**, age 57, of Ten Mile, died July 10th at his home. The family will hold a private memorial service. Companion Funeral Home is in charge.

♦ **Linda Standridge Mason**, age 75, of Englewood, died Saturday at her home. She was the retired owner of Mason Service Corporation. Graveside services will be held at 10 a.m. Monday at McMinn Memory Gardens. Smith Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.



## ATHENS CITY SCHOOLS PRE-REGISTRATION DAY

Who: **NEW** students to Athens City Schools for  
2017-2018 School Year

Date: Tuesday, July 18, 2017

Location: Athens City Middle School

200 Keith Lane Athens, TN

Time: 3:00-6:00 p.m.

Registration for all children at one location for all **NEW** students.  
Pre K and Kindergarten students will be screened.

**Required Documents: Student Birth Certificate, Social Security  
Card, Immunization Record, and Proof of Residency.**

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