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Thursday, June 4, 2020

Athens, Tennessee

Latest Update on Coronavirus

Tennessee's coronavirus cases continue to rise. As of Wednesday afternoon, there have been 24,822 cases statewide, with 388 deaths. McMinn County's total increased to 144 with 106 recoveries and 14 deaths. Meigs County has 27 cases with 21 recoveries, Rhea County has 214 cases with 164 recoveries. Monroe County has 69 cases with 53 recoveries and 2 deaths. Bradley County has 161 cases with 103 recoveries and 1 death. Polk County now has 18 cases with 14 recoveries.

MORE VIRUS-RELATED NEWS

✓ E.G. Fisher Public Library is now offering contactless curbside service on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Call before 3 p.m. the previous day to request items. When picking up items, patrons should call 745-7782 once in the parking lot. Patrons will be asked to confirm their library card number. A staff member will place items on the table outside the library and step back. Patrons may then take items from the table.

✓ In case your youngsters are missing 4-H Camp, they can still participate in 4-H Camp related contests, videos, and activities all month long. For details click [Here](#)

NOTE: The Athens City Schools plan to start school on August 10th. They hope to have a reopening plan to share with all families, students, staff, and community by June 30th.

Car Hits AUB Transformer

A car hit the transformer behind Ingles Supermarket in Athens Tuesday evening, knocking out electricity to Ingles. It took several hours for crews to make repairs. The transformers are extremely heavy and have many connections that must be rewired before power can be restored. (Photo from AUB)



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Closed until further notice. We want to thank all of our wonderful customers for their outpouring of support during this time and to our amazing and hard working staff. We look forward to seeing and serving our customers again in the very near future. Thank you. **Western Sizzlin' - Athens**

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Obituaries

♦ **Courtney "Cork Cork" Danielle Partin**, age 28, of Decatur, died Sunday in Chattanooga. Funeral services will be at 4 p.m. Friday at the Church of Jesus Christ on Hammerhill Road in Athens with visitation from 3 to 4 p.m. at the church. Companion Funeral Home of Athens is in charge.

WEDNESDAY'S MARKET REPORT: The Dow Jones Industrial Average was up 527 points or 2.0% to 26,270. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was up 42 points or 1.4% to 3,123, and the NASDAQ Composite Index was up 75 points or 0.8% to 9,683.

JOHNNY MAJORS DEAD AT 85
Tennessee football legend Johnny Majors has passed away at the age of 85. Majors was a star halfback for the Vols in the late 1950s. He was an All-American and two-time SEC Player of the Year. He went on to become a successful college head coach and eventually returned to Tennessee for 15 seasons from 1977-92. Majors received coach of the year awards three times during his career, and he finished with a 185-137-10 record.
(UT Knoxville Photo)



Community News You Can Use

✓ MEDIC Regional Blood Center is kicking off its Save Our Summer Campaign that will run from now through August 31st. MEDIC is critically low in O Positive, O Negative and A Positive blood types. This means that we have less than a two-day supply of each of those blood types. The Save Our Summer Campaign is meant to celebrate summer while increasing donors. Each donor is automatically entered to win one of several monthly giveaways including a \$500 E-Gift Card, Food City Gift Card, and more. The MEDIC Blood Center in Athens is located at 213 E. Washington Avenue and is open Tuesday-Friday 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Phone 423-453-5846.

✓ Effective immediately, The Good Faith Clinic will operate under NEW hours and guidelines. Clinics will be held on Tuesdays, June 9th, 23rd, and 30th. Drive through for refills only will be from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. Stay in your car, bring a list of needed refills; 4 p.m.--sign-ins for physician visits. Priority will be new patients, active illness/new medical issues, uncontrolled blood pressure or diabetic issues. If time allows, patients with chronic conditions that require follow-up will be seen. Church facilities will not be used. Patients should have a face covering and remain in their car until escorted to the clinic. No additional family members are allowed. There will be NO screening or treating patients with COVID-19. Those concerns should be addressed through the Health Department or hospital emergency room. The Good Faith Clinic is located on the campus of Christ Community Church at number 18 South Congress Parkway.

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