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Today's News...This Morning

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Friday, June 18, 2021

Athens, Tennessee

# **Community News You Can Use**

- ✓ The Buddy Liner Fireworks Show will be shot this year on Sunday night, July 4th, at Athens Regional Park. The show starts at 9:30 p.m. Again this year, the park will be closed to the general public. The fireworks will be a high-altitude show that can be viewed from anywhere in the vicinity of the park.
- ✓ The Englewood Public Library will be hosting a Summer Reading Camp July 19th-23rd from 2 to 4 p.m. at the library. Applications are available at the Englewood Public Library as well as the Englewood City Hall. The deadline to apply is June 30th.
- ✓ Saturday, June 19th, is "Juneteenth". The day is now a national holiday celebrating the emancipation of African-Americans who had been enslaved in the United States. The public is invited to attend a celebration of Juneteenth from noon to 8 p.m. Saturday at Heritage Park on S. Jackson Street in Athens. There will be food, music, dancing, and games.

THURSDAY'S MARKET REPORT: Equity markets finished the day mixed. European markets were slightly lower for the first time in 10 days. Asian markets were mixed. The technology and health care sectors led the market. The U.S. dollar gained further ground against major currencies. Copper, gold and silver were down more than 4%.

The Dow Jones Industrial Average was down 210.22 to 33,823.45. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was down 1.84 to 4221.86, and the NASDAQ Composite Index was up 121.67 points to 14,161.35

# Fire Hits 2 Houses on CR 500

A small house on County Road 500, Englewood, was destroyed by fire early Wednesday morning. It was located next to another house, which received substantial damage to the exterior. The Englewood, Etowah, and Claxton Rural Fire Departments responded. (Photo by Lynn Ingram, Englewood Rural Fire Dept)





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## **Obituaries**

- Delores "Dee" Jenkins Palmore, age 82, of Athens, died Wednesday at Ft. Sanders Regional Medical Center. Graveside services will be 11 a.m. Wednesday at McMinn Memory Gardens. Smith Funeral Home is in charge.
- Shawnell Marie Miller, age 29, died this past Sunday at Starr Regional. She was born and lived in Dayton, Ohio. Services will be announced at a later date. Companion Funeral Home is in charge.
- James Allen Rhome, age 78, of Etowah, died Wednesday at his residence. He was a native of Rocky River, Ohio, and a resident of McMinn and Polk County for the past 21 years. He was retired from the Ohio Department of Natural Resources in the Division of Wildlife. A memorial service will be at 11 a.m., Monday at New Zion Baptist Church with visitation from 10 to 11 prior to the service. Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home is in charge.
- Jane L. Dunn, age 84, of Etowah, died Thursday in a local health-care facility. Graveside services will be Monday at 2:30 p.m. at Sunrise Cemetery in Englewood. Companion Funeral Home is in charge.

#### **IMPORTANT DATES**

This Sunday, June 20th, is Father's Day. It's also the start of Summer. Summer officially begins at 11:32 p.m. on Sunday.

LISTENING REMINDER: The Rush Limbaugh radio show has now come to an official end after the death of Rush on February 17th. It is being replaced on WYXI Radio by the Clay Travis and Buck Sexton show starting Monday at 12:05 p.m.

# **Church News & Events**

- If you or someone you know is battling addiction, struggling with anger, or other life issues, Planted In Christ Outreach Fellowship, 317 Maple Street, in Athens invites you to attend Outreach Deliverance Classes every Thursday at 7:00 p.m.
- Niota First Baptist Church will present "Life on Wednesday" at 6 p.m. each week with Bible Study and games for all first grade through high school students. Snacks are provided.
- Sephie's Closet, a thrift store and ministry associated with Niota United Methodist Church, is now open on Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Sephie's closet is located adjacent to the church's parking lot at 10 W. Main Street in Niota.
- Everlasting Life Christian Center will sponsor their 2nd annual Fishers of Men conference on Saturday and Sunday, June 19th and 20th. The Saturday meeting is at 10 a.m. at Springbrook Country Club and will feature speaker Dr. Vant Hardaway.
- The Skyway Singers will appear at the Cooke Ministry Center, 714 Walter Street in Athens, tonight at 7 p.m.
- The "Back to Normal" comedy tour featuring Scott Davis will appear at North Etowah Baptist Church on Sunday, July 11th, at 6 p.m. For more information, call 263-5531
- The Athens Area Ministerial Association will sponsor a county-wide memorial service for those who have died from COVID. The event will be Sunday, June 27th, at 7 p.m., at the Market Park Pavilion in Downtown Athens.

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