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Tuesday, November 23, 2021

Athens, Tennessee

### **Community News You Can Use**

- ✓ The Englewood Christmas Parade has been set for Friday, December 3rd, at 6:30 p.m. The parade will follow the usual route. Anyone who wishes to participate in the parade should contact the Englewood Textile Museum at 887-5455. The entry fee is
- ✓ The Athens Parks Department announces the first holidaythemed farmers market on December 4th from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Market Park Pavilion. Seasonal produce, honey, baked goods, and crafts will be available. Santa will also attend, which will allow children an opportunity to give him their letters and have a personal chat with Jolly St. Nick.
- ✓ Dominion Senior Living is preparing for its annual Festival of Trees Silent Auction. Donations are needed. They can be taken to Dominion on Nov. 29th thru Dec. 1st from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at 2090 West Madison Ave. For information, call 405-3075.
- ✓ Tennessee Wesleyan University's annual Undergraduate Research Day will be held on Monday, November 29th from noon to 1 p.m. The community is invited to come see the students' work. The location is in the Johnson Event Center on the TWU campus.

### **More Community News**

- The McMinn County 4-H will be hosting a stocking sewing day camp on Saturday, Dec. 4th, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the McMinn County Higher Education Center, 2345 Denso Drive, Participants will sew their very own stocking as well as participate in other holiday crafts. 4th thru 12th graders can register by calling 745-2852 by December 1st. Space is limited. The cost is \$10, which includes lunch.
- The McMinn County Commission will hold its combined November and December meeting on Nov. 29th at 7:30 p.m.

The differences shown below for cases and active cases are the differences between Friday's data & Monday's data.

### **♦**COVID-19 VIRUS UPDATE Monday 11-22

**Tennessee:** 1,306,796 cases up 543. 16,861 deaths up 14. **COUNTY CASES ACTIVE DEATHS** McMinn 10,694 up 25 79 up 11 137 Meigs 2,222 up 7 18 up 3 30 9,900 up 25 82 up 6 127 up 1 Monroe Polk 3.238 up 7 27 up 4 32 up 1 22,520 up 45 173 up 6 212 Bradley 97 7,070 up 3 Rhea 40 down 4



Promotions on Kendra Scott, Pandora and many more Great Gifts at Greeks **Black Friday thru Shop Local Saturday** 



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\*Mark your calendar for 11/30 Give Back Day \*Author Anne Byrn book signing 12/2 4pm-7pm Extended hours will begin after Thanksgiving. 745-2642 Downtown on the Square, Athens www.shopgreeks.com

### RESTAURANT SPOTLIGHT



NEW: Hand Breaded Chicken Sandwich \$3.99 Pork Chop Biscuits 2 / \$6 • 32 oz Tea Due to Staffing Shortages, the Athens Bojangles will be closed on SUNDAY ONLY DURING NOVEMBER

BOJANGLES of Athens-South Congress Pkwy 744-5292

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#### WEATHER FORECAST

Tuesday: Lots of sunshine and

chilly. High 48.

**Tue Night:** Clear and unseasonably cold. Low 21.

Wednesday: Partly sunny and

warmer. High 56.

**Wed Night:** P. cloudy. Low 29. More Weather at: <u>wyxi.com</u>

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### **Obituaries**

- Roy Stanford Robertson, III, age 76, of Sweetwater, died Saturday, Nov. 20th, at his home. He was a farmer and an honorably discharged Marine. He is survived by several family members in the Englewood area, including his son, Roger Robertson. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Biereley-Hail Chapel in Madisonville. Interment will follow the service at Notchey Creek Cemetery. The family will receive friends from noon to 2 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home.
- Daniel Eugene Phelps, age 59, of Madisonville, died Friday at his home. He had a lifelong career in auto body repair. A celebration of life service was held Monday, Nov. 22nd. Companion Funeral Home of Athens was in charge.
- Nora O. Rodgers, age 78, of Riceville, died on November 11th at her home. A graveside service will be held on Tuesday, Nov. 30th, at 2 p.m. at Double Springs Baptist Church Cemetery. Companion Funeral Home of Athens is in charge.
- Ronny Gene Tucker, 59, of Englewood, died Sunday. Graveside services will be Wednesday at 2 p.m. at Conasauga Cemetery; no formal visitation. Bordwine Funeral Home is in charge.

### **Truck Fire in Englewood**

The Englewood Rural Fire Department responded to a truck fire on County Road 436 last Friday morning. The 2009 Toyota Tacoma was totaled from a previous wreck, and the owner had hooked up the battery to aid in loading the truck on a trailer to be hauled away when the truck caught fire.

(Photo by Lynn Ingram, Englewood Rural Fire Dept)



# TOY DRIVE



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Dec. 4, 5, 11, 12, 18 & 19 Saturday Departures:

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12:00, 2:00 & 4:00 Sunday Departures: 2:00 & 4:00 423-263-7232 or 423-263-7840 TVRail.com Come join us Saturday, December 4th for Selfies with Santa at the Etowah Depot from 4:00 to 6:00 PM. There will be hot chocolate, cookies and Christmas crafts for the kids. Also, the opportunity to strike a pose with Santa! Etowah L&N Depot, 727 Tennessee Ave., Etowah, TN 37331



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