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## Today's News... This Morning

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Friday, February 25, 2022

Athens, Tennessee

### Community News You Can Use

- ✓ On March 1st, all unpaid 2021 city property taxes will become delinquent, with a penalty added at the rate of one and one-half percent per month for each month taxes are delinquent until paid. Citizens of Athens may avoid this penalty by paying 2021 property taxes prior to March 1, 2022. After March 1st, all unpaid 2020 city property taxes must be filed in Chancery Court for collection. Court cost, additional penalties, and legal costs may be avoided by paying 2020 property taxes prior to March 1, 2022.
- ✓ McMinn County Trustee Phil Tuggle reminds taxpayers that Monday, February 28th, is the last day to pay county property taxes before interest and penalty must be added. The Trustee's Office will be open 8:30 a.m. to 12 noon this Saturday, and from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. this Friday and Monday for those who want to avoid the penalty and interest. You can also pay online at: [tennesseetrustee.com](http://tennesseetrustee.com) or use the Trustee's drop box at the top of the steps on the Washington Avenue side of the courthouse
- ✓ McMinn County Road 130/Rocky Mount Union Chapel Road will be closed Monday, February 28th from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. between County 114 and County Road 121. It will be closed also on Tuesday, March 1st from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. between County Road 121 and County Road 128 for road work.



You are invited to join us for a Meet and Greet  
**DOUG BAILEY FOR CIRCUIT COURT CLERK**  
 at Navarro's in Englewood - Food, Music and Games  
**Saturday, February 26th 11am - 3pm**  
 Paid for by the committee to elect Doug Bailey

### Apples for the Teachers

The Athens Optimist Club conducts an annual "Apples for the Teachers" project where they visit local schools and thank teachers for what they do. In the photo (L-R) front: North City Elementary School students Wyatt Graves, Elizabeth Winters and Eli Dalton with North City Principle Angel Hardaway holding the apple. In the back is Optimist Club members Richard and Elaine Newman who made the presentation.

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## Obituaries

♦ **Milford H. Clark**, age 65, of Athens, died Wednesday at U.T. Medical Center. He was a native of Houlton, Maine and a longtime resident of Athens. He was manager of the Decatur Piggly Wiggly store for 33 years. There will be a graveside service at a later date in Hodgdon Cemetery in Hodgdon, Maine next to his wife Kathy. Smith Funeral and Cremation Services of Athens is in charge.

♦ **Elizabeth (Betsy) Hume Elderkin**, age 88, died February 23rd. She married her husband of 63 years, John Elderkin, on July 22, 1956. They had two sons, John and Joel, and two daughters, Jan and Judy. Betsy is survived locally by her son, Joel Elderkin and his wife, Camilla, of Niota. A memorial service will be held for both Betsy and John in the near future. Ziegler Funeral Home is in charge of the local arrangements.

♦ **Steven Collins, Jr.**, age 44, of Athens, died Wednesday, February 23rd. Arrangements will be announced by Bordwine Funeral Home.

♦ **Maudeania "Dee" Jenkins**, age 77, of Red Bank, died Tuesday, February 22nd at Starr Regional Rehab Center in Etowah. She was a retiree of DuPont of Chattanooga. No services are planned at this time. Companion Funeral Home of Athens is in charge of the arrangements.

♦ **Betty Stephens Fowler**, age 79, of Spartanburg, SC, died Thursday, February 17th. She is survived by her husband of 56 years, Frank Thomas Fowler, who was a former resident of Etowah. His family is buried in Green Hill Cemetery. A graveside service will be at 11 a.m. Monday in Green Hill Cemetery with visitation following the service. Bordwine Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

## Church News & Events

- A live benefit concert for Dream Life Ministries will be presented on Saturday, Feb. 26th, at 6 p.m. The location is the Cooke Ministry Center at 714 Walter Street. Musicians include Felix McCullough, Ron Clayton, Linda Humphrey, and Dream Life Students. A love offering will be taken.

- A UMBC Women's Conference will be held on Feb. 26th from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. at 114 County Rd 316, Niota. Lunch will be provided.

- Celebrate Recovery meets every Sunday at 6 p.m. at the Englewood Church of God. Everyone is welcome.

- 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.

- The Morrison Sisters from Resaca, Georgia, will be singing in the morning worship service at Solid Rock Baptist Church in Calhoun on this Sunday, February 27th at 10 a.m. Everyone is welcome.

- Jones Chapel United Methodist Church offers Celebrate Recovery every Sunday from 4:45 to 6 p.m., with worship, groups, and a to-go meal.

- The Kingsmen will be in concert on Friday, March 18th at 7:00 p.m. at the Solid Rock Baptist Church in Calhoun. Everyone is welcome. The Pastor is Scott Martin @ 423-716-0271.

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