

### **Chamber Ribbon Cutting**

A ribbon cutting was celebrated recently for new Athens Chamber of Commerce member, The Mindful Mom, located in Athens. Chamber friends joining the celebration and pictured here left to right are: Holly Goines (Chamber Board), Athens City Councilman Dick Pelley, Hailee Bourque & kids (Owner The Mindful Mom), Jennifer Irwin (The Mindful Mom), Wyatt Graves, Lisa Rhea (Chamber Diplomat), Karen Raby (Chamber Board/ Diplomat) Back: Athens City Manager C. Seth Sumner, Tim Tatum (Chamber Diplomat), Reagan Graves, Traci White (Chamber Diplomat), Carol Schroeder (Chamber Board), Doug Bailey (Chamber Diplomat), Kellie Collins (Chamber Diplomat), Rob Preston (Chamber President/CEO), Larae Graves (Chamber Diplomat), Athens City Mayor Bo Perkinson, Dannielle McMurray (Chamber Diplomat), Hunter Star (Chamber Diplomat), Karen Sullivan (Athens Chamber)

Photo submitted by Julie Simbeck



#### RESTAURANT SPOTLIGHT Sausage & Egg Biscuits 2 / \$5 • 32 oz Tea \$1 **BOJANGLES** of Athens South Congress Pkwy 744-5292 Famous Chicken 'n Biscuits American Legion Children's Flag Day June 14th 10-12a.m. FREE Athens Regional Park Pond Pavilion - Children Age 6-12 Learn about the flag, patriotic arts and crafts and snacks. Call 423-507-4938 or Veteran Services at 423-744-1605 to register. Limited spots available. Registration ends June 12th. Help for Addiction TED IN CA to Alcohol, Drugs, Tobacco, Bondage, Anger Management **REGIONAL BLOOD CENTER** and more Life Is-ACH FELLO **1 DONATION** sues. Free Outreach Deliverance Classes are SAVES 3 LIVES held every Thursday 7:00 pm at Athens Center Planted in Christ Outreach 213 E. Washington Ave. Fellowship Located at: Athens, TN 37303 317 Maple Street in Athens. Monday-Friday For more information: call 423-435-8986 8:30 am - 5 pm

## **Community News You Can Use**

✓ Wilder Things Than Us will be performing at Tsali Notch Saturday, June  $12^{th}$  from 2 to 4 p.m. Roots Authentic Puerto Rican Mobile Food Truck will be serving Authentic Criolle Puerto Rican Soul Food from 12 to 4 p.m. Admission to the event is free.

✓ The Athens Farmers Market at the Market Park Pavilion in Downtown Athens is now open on Thursdays from 2 to 5 p.m. and Saturdays from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. beginning tomorrow, June 9th. An official event celebrating the market's 12th season is tentatively scheduled for Saturday, July 9th from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. All vendors are local producers and their products are locally grown.

**TUESDAY'S MARKET REPORT:** U.S. equity markets opened lower and finished higher. The consumer discretionary sector was the only one lower. Energy stocks led the gains as oil settled at \$120, the highest level since March. International indexes were pressured. The 10-year Treasury yield was slightly lower. At the closing bell, The Dow Jones Industrial Average was up 264.36 to 33,180.14. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was 39.25 to 4,160.68, and the NASDAQ Composite Index was 113.86 to 12,175.23.



### Maggie Birthday Bash Thursday, June 9th 3 - 5 pm Mayfield Visitor Center

"Free Mayfield Birthday Cake Ice Cream" Celebrate Maggie's Birthday with our own John "Fulky" Fulkerson - Face Paint- Ice Cream Eating-Milk Chugging - Mayfield Mooing Contest





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# **Obituaries**

• Aletha Gail Brown White, age 66, passed away Monday, June 6th at Memorial Hospital. She was a resident of Decatur. A funeral service will be at 7 p.m. Thursday, June 9th at Decatur Funeral Home & Cremation Services with visitation from 4 to 7 p.m. prior to the service. Interment will be at Walnut Grove Cemetery at 11 a.m. Friday, June 10th.

• John E. Buckner, age 74, of Athens passed away Monday, June 6th at his resident. He was a native of Etowah and a resident of Athens most of his life. He was a U.S. Marine and served in the Vietnam War. Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday, June 9th at Conasauga Cemetery. Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home is in charge.

• David Jamerson, age 56, of Athens passed away Monday, June 6th. He served for a time in the Air Force. Graveside services will be at 11 a.m. Friday, June 10th at McMinn Memory Gardens. No formal visitation will be held. Bordwine Funeral Home of Etowah is in charge.

# **Free Fishing Day in Tennessee**

◆ Anyone can fish for free without a license in Tennessee's public waters this Saturday, June 11th. The Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency (TWRA) is providing the 2022 Free Fishing Day on June 11th in hopes of increasing interest in fishing. The day allows anyone the opportunity to enjoy a great outdoor sport to celebrate fishing as a wholesome and healthy recreational activity. Children ages 15 and younger may fish without a license beginning on Free Fishing Day, June 11th through Friday, June 17th. Several thousand pounds of fish are stocked annually by the TWRA. Free Fishing Day and Week apply to Tennessee's public waters, TWRA owned and operated lakes, and state park facilities. Some privately owned pay lakes and ponds continue to charge during this special day and week. Anglers will need to consult with those operators if there are any questions about a facility.

◆ The guest on the Women at the Well radio show, "Hope From the Well," this week will be Paula Blackwell. "Hope From the Well" is heard at 8:15 a.m. Thursday on WYXI RADIO, AM-1390 & FM-94.5

