**Indoor Yard Sale** Saturday, June 18<sup>th</sup> 9 to 2

**Keith Memorial UMC** 

Variety of items including toys, household, and clothing All proceeds support **BSA Troop 118** 

for the upcoming fiscal year's programs & activities.

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Thursday, June 16, 2022

Athens, Tennessee

## **Chamber Ribbon Cutting**

A ribbon cutting was celebrated recently for new Athens Area Chamber of Commerce member Olde White Oaks Golf Course, located at 705 County Road 105, Athens. Chamber friends joining the celebration and pictured here left to right are: Amy McDonald, Chamber Diplomat, Dana Butler, Partners Olde White Oaks Golf Course, Emerson Butler, Grayson Butler, Porter Lowry, Marissa Lowry, Owner Olde White Oaks Golf Course, Stella Lowry, Lisa Rhea, Chamber Diplomat. Second row: Kellie Collins, Chamber Diplomat, Leven Butler, Partners Olde White Oaks Golf Course, James Lowry, Owner Olde White Oaks Golf Course, Joanne Arnett, Chamber Diplomat, Danielle McMurray, Chamber Diplomat. Third row: John Rodriguez, Chamber Board, Rob Preston, Chamber President/CEO, Joseph Ladner, Chamber Diplomat, Hunter McKinney, Hunter Star, Chamber Diplomat.

Photo submitted by Julie Simbeck



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

✓ The Etowah Chamber held their Annual Banquet Tuesday night. Etowah Chamber Director, Frank Clark, reported to the Morning Fax that The R. Frank McKinney Distinguished Service Award was presented to Bill Irvin. The Joe Quirk District Educator of the Year Award was presented to Joyce Simpson. The Business of The Year Award was presented to Starr Regional Medical Center (on behalf of their administration, medical, and support staff) for their efforts dealing with the Covid-19 pandemic. The Cornerstone "Lifetime Achievement" Award was presented to the Tullock family in memory of the late Durant Tullock, former Etowah Chamber Director, in memory of his many contributions to Etowah and McMinn County.

✓ The Friends and Volunteers of the E. G. Fisher Public Library are hosting their annual used book sale this year from June 23 to June 26 at the McMinn County High School Cafeteria. Hours are from 5 to 8 p.m. Thursday, June 23rd; 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday, June 24th; 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, June 25th; 12 noon to 3 p.m. Sunday, June 26th. Prices for the books range from \$1 to \$3 Thursday thru Saturday and \$5 per bag of books on Sunday. There is a wide category of books ranging from fiction (mystery, romance, etc), children, nonfiction, religion as well as many more. For more info call 423-829-7448.

#### RESTAURANT SPOTLIGHT



Sausage & Egg Biscuits 2 / \$5 • 32 oz Tea \$1

**BOJANGLES** of Athens South Congress Pkwy 744-5292

Famous Chicken 'n Bis-

REGIONAL BLOOD CENTER 1 DONATION SAVES 3 LIVES Athens Center 213 E. Washington Ave.

Athens, TN 37303 Monday-Friday 8:30 am - 5 pm

#### WEATHER FORECAST

Thursday - Very hot and humid with variable cloudiness. High 97.

**Thursday Night - Partly** cloudy. Very warm and humid. Low 76.

Friday - Partly sunny & warm. Possible rain & t'storms. Can bring hail and damaging winds. Weather at: wyxi.com

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## Wednesday's Market Report

Stocks rallied, reversing some of the last two-day losses. The Federal Reserve hiked rates by 0.75%, the biggest rate hike since 1994. Treasury yields pulled back, helping growth stocks and Nasdaq outperform. Oil prices declined 2% to \$118. At the closing bell, The Dow Jones Industrial Average was up 303.70 to 30,668.53. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was up 54.51 to 3,789.99, and the NASDAQ Composite Index was up 270.81 to 11,099.16.

#### **♦**COVID-19 VIRUS UPDATE

Weekly Summary: 06/05/22 - 06/11/22

There were 1,866 cases (per day) and 7 deaths (per day) last week

<b>Tennessee:</b>	2,086,157 Total Cases	26,539 Total Deaths	
<b>COUNTY</b>		<b>CASES</b>	<b>DEATHS</b>
McMinn		16,882	265
Meigs		3,431	59
Monroe		14,869	247
Polk		4,793	77
Bradley		33,698	420
Rhea		10,089	161

Covid-19 update information from the Tennessee Department of Health is updated on Saturday and posted to their website each Wednesday.

## **Arcing Power Lines**

Emergency crews were sent to Spring Garden Avenue in Englewood recently due to a power line (pictured below) arcing off nearby trees, interrupting service until AUB could make the repairs. Englewood Rural Fire and Englewood Police Department responded.

Photo by Lynn Ingram, Englewood Rural Fire Dept



## "Opening the Doors of History"



#### Juneteenth Celebration 2022 "Fathers of Freedom"

Sponsors: Valor Guild Women United NAACP-McMinn County

Location: Light of Life Ministries 1112 Congress Pkwy N Athens, TN 37303

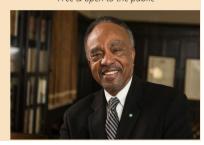
#### You're Invited!

Guest Speaker Clifton L. Taulbert Author & Entrepreneur

#### Friday, June 17th

Doors open: 6:00pm Program: 6:30pm

Free & open to the public





## Join us for **Juneteenth**

Saturday, June 18, 2022 1:00PM-8:00PM

Food, Music, Games, Inspirational Moments & More!

Theme: "Fathers of Freedom"



Market Park Pavilion 106 S. Jackson Street Downtown-Athens, TN

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