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Wednesday, July 13, 2022

Athens, Tennessee

Athens Chamber Ribbon Cutting

Community News You Can Use

A ribbon cutting was celebrated recently for new Athens Area Chamber of Commerce member, Shoot it Yourself Studio, located at 2012 Decatur Pike (Old Galaxy Bowling), Athens. Chamber friends joining the celebration are: Heather Bateman, Chamber Diplomat; Caitlin Ellis, Zachary Hughes, (Owners Shoot it Yourself Studio), Bettie Lynn (Shoot it Yourself Studio), Danielle McMurray, Chamber Diplomat; Pam Lynn, John Lively, Jimmy Rosario, & Dakota Fisher (Shoot it Yourself Studio), Shannon Willis; Amy McDonald, Chamber Diplomat; Megan Church, Chamber Diplomat; Ann Zack; Channa Shadden; Hunter Starr, Chamber Diplomat; Karen Raby, Chamber Board & Diplomat; Gabbi Bridgers (Shoot It Yourself Studio), Karen Sullivan, Athens Chamber; Doug Bailey, Chamber Diplomat; Joanne Arnett, Chamber Diplomat; Rob Preston (Chamber President/CEO), Tim Tatum, Kellie Collins, Chamber Diplomats; Athens City Mayor Bo Perkinson, Larae Graves, Traci White, Chamber Diplomats.



- ✓ Join Charlene Such at the McMinn County Living Heritage Museum this Saturday, July 16th from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. for the Rube Goldberg Marble Run. Participants will build a Marble Run to take home.
- ✓ The McMinn County Board of Education will meet in Regular Session Tuesday, July 19th at 5:30 p.m. at the McMinn County Center for Educational Excellence. There will be a Board Workshop at 5:00 p.m. prior to the Regular Session Meeting.
- ✓ As of fax time, the Tennessee Department of Health had not updated their Covid-19 data. As soon as we have the latest data information, we will publish it.

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

We encourage you to e-mail community events, church news, or other items of interest for possible use in the Morning Fax. If you take a newsworthy photograph, send it to: wyxiradio@gmail.com

WEATHER FORECAST

Wednesday - Cloudy & humid. Possible t'storms in PM. High 84.
Wednesday night - Partly cloudy. High 66.
Thursday - Some sun. Cloudy & humid. High 86.
Thursday night - Mainly clear. Low 67.
More Weather at: wyxi.com

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Obituaries

♦ **George L. Hall**, age 78, of Athens, passed away Friday, July 8th at his residence. He grew up in Coshocton, OH, became a manager of IGA and A&D Foodarama grocery stores in Ohio as well as worked for Ore Ida foods and was the proprietor of George's Old Fashioned Ice Cream Parlor in Massillon for several years. He and his wife moved to Bradenton, FL and then later to Athens. A graveside service will be by Grace United Methodist Church of Coshocton, OH at a later date. Smith Funeral and Cremation Services of Athens is in charge.

♦ **Larry Richard Markle**, age 72, of Niota, passed away on Monday at Sweetwater Hospital. He was born in Greensburg, PA. He was an honorable retired veteran of the United States Army after faithfully serving his country during the Vietnam War. Afterwards he worked for the U.S. Postal Service and retired in 2009. A graveside service will be at 2 p.m. Thursday, July 14th at Sweetwater Memorial Gardens with full military honors. Companion Funeral Home of Athens is in charge.

♦ **Joyce Ann Holcomb**, age 70, of Sweetwater and Tellico Plains, passed away July 10th. A graveside service will be at 12 Noon, Wednesday, July 13th at Eleazar United Methodist Church Cemetery in Tellico Plains followed by lunch at New Bethany Baptist Church at Head of the Creek in Sweetwater. Good Samaritan Funeral Home is in charge.

Obituaries-continued

♦ **Virginia Ruth Nichols Smith**, age 77, of Kingston, formerly of McMinn County passed away Tuesday, July 12th after a short period of battling cancer. She was a graduate of McKenzie Business College in Chattanooga and had an extensive secretarial career. In 1980, she was appointed to the office of McMinn County Clerk and Master of Chancery Court, where she served the people of McMinn County with integrity and honor for eighteen years. A funeral service will be at 3 p.m., Wednesday, July 13th at Bordwine Funeral Home with visitation from 1 to 3 p.m., Wednesday prior to the service.

TUESDAY'S MARKET REPORT: Equity markets moved lower, as WTI crude oil prices fell over 8% to around \$95 levels. The energy sector was the biggest underperformer. The U.S. 10-year Treasury yield dropped below 3.0% levels. The Dow Jones Industrial Average was down 192.51 to 30,981.33. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was down 35.63 to 3,818.80, and the NASDAQ Composite Index was down 107.87 to 11,264.73.

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Under 8