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Today's News... This Morning

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McMinn County Living Heritage Museum

Upcoming Events
 Saturday, August 6th, 11 AM:
 Athens Nature Photography Show with Jennifer Hardison

Friday August 19th & Saturday August 20th from 12:00-5:00
 The Living Legacy Fall Trade Fair
 Celebrating 40 Years

August 4th-September 30th
 Exhibit- Women's Handiwork: White on White
 Programs sponsored by C. Scott & Muriel E. Mayfield Family Foundation, Tennessee Arts Commission, Hugh M. Wilson Family Foundation, and City of Athens

Hours:
 Tuesday - Friday: 10 AM - 5 PM
 Saturday: 10 AM - 4 PM
 Sunday - Monday: Closed

Admission:
 Adults: \$5.00
 Senior 60+: \$3.00
 Students: \$3.00

More Information
 522 W Madison Ave.
 Athens, TN 37303
 423-745-0329
www.livingheritagemuseum.org

Thursday, August 04, 2022

Athens, Tennessee

Chamber Ribbon Cutting

A ribbon cutting was celebrated for new Athens Area Chamber of Commerce member, PawsitivelyK9, located in Athens. Chamber friends joining the celebration and pictured here left to right are: Lisa Dotson; Lisa Rhea, Chamber Diplomat; Kellie Collins, Chamber Diplomat; Amy Guillot (Owner PawsitivelyK9), Johnny Guillot (Owner PawsitivelyK9); Hunter Starr, Chamber Diplomat; Heather Bateman; Amy McDonald, Chamber Diplomat; Karen Sullivan, Athens Chamber. Back: Daniel Atkinson; Stephanie Devine, Bo Perkinson, Athens Mayor; Paul Semenov; Keith Price, McMinn County Property Assessor; John Rodriguez; Rob Preston, Chamber President/CEO; Megan Church, Chamber Diplomat; Doug Bailey; Holly Goines, Chamber Board.



Community News You Can Use

✓ Election day is today, August 4th and polling hours will be 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. The City Park Precinct has been moved to Keith Memorial United Methodist Church in the Ensminger Room, which is a temporary location for 2022 due to the construction project at City Park School. Reminder: you must bring and present a Tennessee issued Photo ID or a Federal issued Photo ID to vote. For more information go to:

mcminelections.com or GoVoteTn.gov

✓ The Friends of the Etowah Carnegie Library will be holding their monthly book sale from 10am-2pm on Saturday, August 13th. The book sale is on the first floor of the library. For questions, please call the library at (423) 263-9475.

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Etowah Gem Theater
 Sat - Aug 6th - 7:30 p.m.
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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:
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WEATHER FORECAST
 Thursday - Humid, cloudy, sunny. High 89.
 Thurs. Night - Cloudy & humid. Low 73.
 Friday - Cloudy, humid. Possible t'storms. High 86.
 Saturday - Sunny, cloudy, humid. High 87.
 Weather at: wxyi.com

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Obituaries

♦ **Sherry Renay Dailey**, age 49, of Athens, passed away Tuesday, August 2nd at Erlanger Medical Center in Chattanooga. She was a native of Athens and a lifelong resident of McMinn County. She was employed with ABB. A memorial service will be at 7 p.m. Friday, August 5th at Ziegler Funeral Home with visitation from 5 to 7 p.m. Friday prior to the service. Ziegler Funeral Home of Athens is in charge.

♦ **Robert Dale White**, age 53, of Athens, passed away Wednesday, August 3rd. Arrangements will be announced by Ziegler Funeral Home of Athens.

♦ **Pam Merrell**, age 63, of Reliance, passed away Tuesday, August 2nd. No formal services will be held. Bordwine Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

WEDNESDAY'S MARKET REPORT: Stocks were up after key economic data likely eased recession fears. Treasury yields were little changed. The U.S. 10-year yield finished near 2.73%. The price of oil was sharply lower. European and Asian shares traded higher. At the closing bell, The Dow Jones Industrial Average was up 416.33 to 32,812.50. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was up 63.98 to 4,155.17, and the NASDAQ Composite Index was up 319.40 to 12,668.16.

National News

♦ According to the latest weekly assessment of the COVID-19 pandemic released Wednesday by the World Health Organization, new coronavirus cases fell 9% globally last week while deaths remained stable. The U.N. health agency said there were 6.5 million cases reported last week with more than 14,000 deaths. The number of new cases fell 35% in Europe but increased about 20% in the Western Pacific and 5% in Africa.

COVID-19 VIRUS UPDATE

Weekly Summary: 07/24/22 - 07/30/22

There were 2,689 cases (per day) and 12 deaths (per day) last week

Tennessee: 2,206,913 Total Cases 27,030 Total Deaths

COUNTY	CASES	DEATHS
McMinn	17,754	269
Meigs	3,643	59
Monroe	15,593	250
Polk	5,052	83
Bradley	35,311	425
Rhea	10,643	164

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



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