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Athens, Tennessee

MEDIC Teams up with Forestmatic

◆ MEDIC Regional Blood Center and Blood Centers of America have teamed up with Forestmatic to offer donors a tree from now until all the supplies are gone. The tree will be planted in Uganda and donors will receive a link to watch their tree grow. MEDIC has critically low inventory for several blood types. All donors who are healthy and well are encouraged to donate this week. MEDIC is the primary blood product provider for 24 hospitals in 22 counties including Starr Regional of Athens and Etowah, Blount Memorial, Covenant Health, East TN Children's Hospital, Tennova Healthcare, and UT Medical Center. MEDIC Blood Center in Athens is located at 213 E. Washington Avenue, Suite 104. Hours are 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. M-F. Phone 453-5846.

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, email it to: wyxiradio@gmail.com

Community News You Can

✓ St. Mark A.M.E. Zion Church will be giving away free food on Saturday, October 29th beginning at 1:30 p.m. until all the food is gone. The church is located at 707 N. Jackson Street.

✓ Downtown Halloween, which is sponsored by Main Street Promotions Committee, will be Monday, October 31^{st} . It will be an evening filled with trick or treating, games, food trucks and a costume contest at Market Park Pavilion that is sponsored by Parks & Recreation. Judging begins at 5:30 p.m. There will be a full street closure between 4-4:30pm.

✓ Mayfield Farm Park and Maze is open now through October 30th. Their location is 257 Hwy 307 East in Athens. Closed Monday & Wednesday, open Thursday & Friday 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday from 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. and Sunday from 1 to 7 p.m.

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





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Obituaries

• Nancy Louise Mercer, age 74, of Ten Mile, passed away Saturday, October 22nd. She was an educator for over 36 years, primarily in the Meigs County School system. She was a basketball and softball coach for many years at Ten Mile Elementary School. In retirement she served as the President of the Meigs Retired Teachers Association where she was instrumental in developing a grant program to support the teachers of Meigs County. She also served on the Meigs County Library Board, Ocoee Regional Library Board, Ocoee Regional Health Board and volunteered during elections and on the St. Mary's Health Bus. A memorial service will be at 3 p.m. Sunday, November 6th at Meigs North Elementary School. Decatur Funeral Home & Cremation Services is in charge.

• **Tommy Joe McHone**, age 69, of Decatur, passed away Tuesday, October 25th. He was an avid farmer and family man. A graveside service will be Thursday, October 27th at 2 p.m. at Pisgah Cemetery. Decatur Funeral Home & Cremation Services is in charge.

TUESDAY'S MARKET REDORT: Markets moved higher after Monday's rally. U.S. Treasury yields fell. Oil was flat, pointing to demand concerns as global growth concerns persist. European and Asian shares were lower. At the closing bell, The Dow Jones Industrial Average was up 337.12 to 31,836.74. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was up 61.77 to 3,859.11, and the NASDAQ Composite Index was up 246.50 to 11,199.12.

Sheridan Joins Starr Regional

Starr Regional Medical Center has announced that Angelina Sheri-

dan, PA-C, has joined its staff and will offer family medicine services to patients in Etowah and the surrounding communities. Sheridan is a board-certified physician assistant. "Angelina has experience and training in treating patients ranging from pediatrics to geriatrics for acute and chronic conditions. She is an excellent addition to our team of family medicine providers," said John McLain, chief executive officer of Starr Regional Medical Center. "Her expertise is important as



Starr Regional Medical Center strives to meet our area's growing need for family medicine services and make our community healthier." Sheridan graduated from Lincoln Memorial University's De-Busk College of Osteopathic Medicine in 2014. Following graduation, she served patients at two family practice locations in Dayton, Tenn. She is board-certified by the National Commission on Certification of Physician Assistants and a fellow of the American Academy of Physician Assistants. Sheridan is a native of Lakeland, Fla., and enjoys singing, crafting and spending time with her family and pets. Sheridan sees patients at Starr Regional Family Practice located at 305 Grady Road, Suite B, Etowah, Tenn. To schedule an appointment, call (423) 263-0722.

