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Athens, Tennessee

Fire on Co. Road 370

Monday around 5 pm, a small scrap yard fire occurred at Seaton Iron & Metal on County Road 370, Athens. Responding units were Athens City Fire, Athens Rural Fire, Englewood Rural Fire and Riceville Rural Fire Departments with Athens City Fire Chief Brandon Ainsworth in command of the scene.

Photo by Abby Cook, Englewood Rural Fire Department



Community News You Can Use

✓ Through the month of April 2023, E.G. Fisher Public Library will hold a Program Funds Campaign Drive to collect monetary donations to support programs at the library. It takes supplies, money, and community support to run programs at the library benefitting all ages. As a non-profit library, the program budget depends mostly on donations and sponsorships from community individuals, businesses, and organizations. Their goal is to collect \$5,000. You can contribute through a donation or a sponsorship with E.G. Fisher Library. You may donate in person while visiting the library. by mail to 1289 Ingleside Avenue, Athens, Tn 37303 or click HERE To apply for a sponsorship, pick up an application in the library or call to request an application by mail or email. Sponsorship applications have a variety of customizable packages ranging from \$100 - \$750.

✓ Isaiah 117 House, a Tennessee-based organization that cares for children awaiting foster placement, will soon cut the ribbon and officially open their Monroe-McMinn County house. On Wednesday, April 12th at 5:30 pm, the nonprofit will host a public ribbon cutting. The event will officially open the Isaiah 117 House in Monroe-McMinn County and will feature several local speakers as well as Isaiah 117 House officials. All who have supported or partnered with Isaiah 117 House Monroe-McMinn County are welcome to attend. For more information, please visit facebook.com/Monroe-McMinn or contact Jennifer or Adriane at 423.519.3393 or 423.519.8686 for location information. To learn more about Isaiah 117 House, visit Isaiah 117 House HERE

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Athens, Tennessee

Heritage Day at TWU

◆ Tennessee Wesleyan University's annual Heritage Day will be held Wednesday evening-Thursday morning, March 29-30. The Wednesday evening convocation lecture will take place at 7 pm in Johnson Event Center, Room A, and the Heritage Day convocation will occur at 11 am Thursday in Townsend Auditorium.

This year's speaker is James P. Byrd, a Professor of American Religious History at Vanderbilt University Divinity School in Nashville, Tennessee. He is also Cal Turner Chancellor's Chair of Wesleyan Studies, and Associate Dean for Graduate Education and Research. Among the courses he teaches at Vanderbilt are Evangelicalism and Politics in the United States, Religion and the Founding of the United States, and Religion, Slavery, and the American Civil War. Dr. Byrd is a graduate of Gardner-Webb College, Duke University Divinity School, and Vanderbilt University.

TUESDAY'S MARKET REPORT Markets closed lower. Shortages in houses and cars are still contributing to persistent inflation. European shares were mixed. Asian shares traded higher. The price of oil seems to have stabilized around \$70-\$75/barrel. The Dow Jones Industrial Average was down 37.83 to 32,394.25. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was down 6.26 to 3,971.27, and the NASDAQ Composite Index was down 52.76 to 11,716.08.

Athens Driver Services to Close Temporarily

- ◆ The Tennessee Department of Safety and Homeland Security (TDOSHS) will temporarily close the Athens Driver Services Center for a planned remodel beginning Monday, April 3rd and reopening Monday, April 17th. The remodel will provide the Athens Driver Services Center with an updated appearance with new furniture. During the remodel, customers can visit an alternative location, utilize the TDOSHS's online services, or make an appointment to visit after April 17th Online services are available HERE Nearby Driver Services Centers: Bonny Oaks Driver Services Center (Full-service center) - 6502 Bonny Oaks Drive, Chattanooga, Tennessee 37416; Cleveland Driver Services Center (Full-service center) - 301 James Asbury Drive Northwest, Cleveland, Tennessee 37312; Red Bank Driver Services Center (Full-service center) - 4803 Dayton Boulevard South, Red Bank, Tennessee 37415. The TDOSHS says that it looks forward to these improvements for its customers and staff.
- ♦ This week on "Hope From the Well," the guest will be Staff Member, Kimberly Southerland. "Hope From the Well" is heard at 8:15 a.m. each Thursday on WYXI RADIO, AM-1390 & FM-94.5.



