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Today's News...This Morning

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 General Election August 5



Monday - August 2, 2010

Athens, Tennessee

LOCAL & AREA NEWS

◆ JOHNSON CONTROLS IS SOLD

The Johnson Controls plant in Athens has been sold to Manufacturers Industrial Group, LLC (MIG Industries), based in Lexington, Tennessee. Employees were given a letter last week stating that the last day the plant would operate under Johnson Control's ownership is September 30. MIG is the largest minority-owned business in Tennessee. The company was founded in 1998 and has done a lot of contract work for Johnson Controls. The company specializes in manufacturing welded assemblies and fabricated metals for the automotive and construction industry. McMinn County Economic Development Authority Vice President Jack Hammontree says he is pleased that the Athens plant is being sold to a company that will be able to preserve the jobs of the current employees.

◆ 6400 VOTE EARLY IN McMINN COUNTY

Early voting for the August 5th election ended at noon Saturday. In McMinn County, 6416 people voted early. It was higher than the August 2006 early turnout, but considerably below the 10,000 people who voted early in the August election two years ago. However, that was an presidential primary which always brings out the voters.

NATIONAL & WORLD NEWS

- ◆ BP says it will seal its ruptured Gulf of Mexico oil well tomorrow by pumping tons of concrete into the leaking pipe.
- ◆ The death toll from massive floods in northwestern Pakistan rose to 1,100 Sunday as rescue workers struggled to save 27,000 people still trapped by the raging water.
- ◆ Defense Secretary Robert Gates predicts that only a small number of U.S. forces will come home from Afghanistan when a presidentially-mandated withdrawal begins a year from now.
- ◆ President Obama calls ethics charges against Congressman Charles Rangel "very troubling" and says he hopes the lawmaker can end his career "with dignity."
- ◆ Chelsea Clinton wed her longtime boyfriend, Marc Mezvinsky, at an elegant estate in Rhinebeck, New York, Saturday night. Reporters were barred from the ceremony, but the Clinton family released this photo of former President Bill Clinton walking his daughter down the aisle.




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 for Choosing Us Best
 in Home Health Care

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VOTE CHERYL INGRAM
 REGISTER OF DEEDS AUGUST 5, 2010
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 Paid for by Dewanna Cranfill, Treasurer



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 Includes Waxing, Facial or
 Body Treatment Services

Western Sizzlin Steak House-1804 Decatur Pike (745-2626)
 Monday (All Day): 8 oz. Chopped Sirloin, Potato, Bakery & Dessert Bars, \$5.99. All Day: 12 oz. Large Top Sirloin with Potato, Bakery, and Dessert Bars, \$8.99.

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 7 til 11 Includes: 1 meat, 2 veg., roll, 12 oz. drink.
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Riddle & Wallace Soda Shop & Lunch Box, 8 E. Washington
 423-453-5755; fax 423-453-5757. \$4.99: 2 Chili Slaw Dogs with fries or chips. \$5.99: Turkey Bacon Club Sandwich with fries & chips. Open now 8am-4pm, M-F; 8am-2pm on Saturday.

BOjangles Famous Chicken & Biscuits-S. Congress Parkway (744-5292)
 August Specials: 2 Ham Biscuits for \$3, 2 Ham & Egg Biscuits for \$4, 12 piece SuperTailgate which includes 6 Biscuits, 3 Picnic Fixins', + 1/2 Gallon of Tea or Lemonade...all for just \$19.99. **Let's Go to BO !!**

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Athens, Tennessee

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Noted Actor Speaks In Athens

Actor Kirk Cameron was in Athens this past Saturday night to speak at the Athens Area Chamber of Commerce's annual benefit dinner. Cameron told the sold-out crowd about his days in Hollywood and how he came to accept Jesus Christ as his Savior when he appeared in the TV sitcom "Growing Pains." He also spoke about how to have a Godly marriage and the impact the movie "Fireproof" has had on couples all over the world.

In the photo, left to right: Cameron, Dr. David Rymer (Chamber Chairman), and Rob Preston (Chamber President/CEO)



OBITUARIES

Cindy Reed Miller, age 39, of Englewood (and a longtime resident of Niota) died unexpectedly last Wednesday while on vacation in Myrtle Beach, South Carolina. She was a dental assistant for Dr. Martin Wilhelm for the past 10 years. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Monday at Ziegler Funeral Home.

AIRLIFTING FOR TREATMENT

Jay Thomson sent us this photo of AirEvac airlifting a victim of a traffic crash from the scene on Highway 310. The victim's pickup truck had gone off the road and hit a tree. He climbed up to the road on his own power, but the decision was made to fly him out.



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 Paid by David Guy for Sheriff


VOTE REPUBLICAN
 For True Conservative Leadership
 General Election, Aug. 5th
 Early Voting thru July 31
 Paid by McMinn Co. Republican Women

Athens native Beth Haynes (now a Channel 10 anchor) was the speaker at the United Way's "Women Making A Difference" luncheon last week. Beth (right) was introduced by Athens attorney Laurie Harrod Hallenberg.




 Elect **Keith Price**
 McMinn County Clerk
Extended Weekday Hours to Accomodate Working People
 Paid by Committee to Elect Keith Price, Paul Smith Treas

VOTE

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 MORE HOURS - BETTER SERVICE
 Ad Paid by Helen Aikman

ELECT CARL MASHBURN HIGHWAY COMMISSIONER
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 Paid by Carl Mashburn