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Monday-October 10, 2011

Athens, Tennessee

Local & State News

NATIONAL-WORLD NEWS

◆ PERFECT WEATHER FOR PUMPKINTOWN

Thousands of people gathered in Downtown Athens this past Saturday for the annual Pumpkintown Festival. The weather was perfect with temperatures in the upper 70's and bright blue skies. The photo by Bruce and Chris Hari shows crowds gathered around an Indian demonstration. (More Photos on Page 2)



◆ MONDAY IS A HOLIDAY FOR SOME

Today is Columbus Day--a federal, state, and bank holiday. There will be no mail delivery today. Schools, however, are open. The McMinn County Properties Committee will meet at noon today in the Blue Room of the Courthouse to discuss justice center renovations. Athens garbage pickups are on the regular schedule.

◆ Republican presidential candidate Ron Paul won the Values Voter Summit's straw poll in Washington this past weekend. Paul received 37% of the vote. Herman Cain was second with 23%, followed by Rick Santorum with 16%. Rick Perry got 8% and Mitt Romney received 4 percent of the vote.

◆ The U.S. Coast Guard has rescued the pilot of a small Cessna airplane that ran out of fuel and had to ditch in the Pacific Ocean while flying from California to Hawaii. The pilot had radioed for help and the Coast Guard sent a plane to fly alongside him before he splashed down.

◆ A hazmat team had to be called to a Walmart in Baltimore, Maryland, over the weekend after two women threw bleach and other chemicals on each other during a fight. Nineteen people were taken to the hospital.

◆ Roger Williams, the pianist who topped the Billboard charts in 1955 with "Autumn Leaves," died Saturday at his home in Los Angeles of complications from pancreatic cancer. He was 87.

FOOTBALL SCORES: MCHS 35, Cleveland 20...Kingston 20, Central 0...Meigs County 55, Cannon County 0. Georgia 20, UT 12.

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Angela's Deli 509 West Madison Ave. 423-453-5064 Casual dining in, or take out. **Daily lunch specials \$5.99.** Try our new fish taco's. American, Italian, Cuban, Dominican. Made from scratch fresh meals just like back home. Come taste it for yourself. **Live music Fri. nights. M-F-11a-9p; Sat. 4-9p. Home of the Cuban Sandwich.**

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Western Sizzlin Steak House-1804 Decatur Pike (745-2626)
 Monday (All Day): 8 oz. Chopped Sirloin, Potato, Bakery & Dessert Bars, \$6.29. Mon-Thurs, All Day: 8 oz. Sizzlin' Top Sirloin with Potato, Bakery & Dessert Bars, only \$7.49.

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McMinn County Clerk's Onsite Tag Renewal "Clerk In The Box"
 2nd Week of Each Month-9am-3:30pm
Today, October 10th
 Niota Community Center
Tuesday, October 11th
 Englewood Community Center
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McMinn County FFA Orange Sales

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- Navel oranges
- Juice oranges
- Tangelos
- Grapefruit
- Gift trios

Support your local FFA Chapter by purchasing oranges or just to help our chapter grow, and represent our county. 744-7236



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Fall Plant Sales!

This year the McMinn County FFA greenhouse will be selling plants in the fall as well as the spring.

McMinn County FFA

We are located beside the McMinn County Career & Technical Center in the Greenhouse. Open Monday-Friday, 9am-1pm Tel: 423-744-7236

Selling

- Pansies
- Mums

Monday, October 10, 2011

Athens, Tennessee

More Pumpkintown Scenes



Obituaries

Jesse Arnold Vincent, age 86, of Decatur died last Friday at his residence. He was a retired Superintendent of Oman Construcion Co. and a farmer. Funeral services were held Sunday night at Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home.

William Henry Carpenter, Sr., age 68, of Niota died last Friday at Parkwest Hospital. A Celebration of Life service and visitation will be at 3 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 15th, at Ziegler Funeral Home.

Linda Alfreda "Freda" Irwin, age 65, of Ten mile died Saturday. Smith Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

The photo to the left shows some of the crowds in downtown Athens for Saturday's Pumpkintown Festival. The photo to the right shows one of the festival entertainers, Carla Jo Carr, with her newest fan, Layne Vaughn (Photos by Bruce and Chris Hari)



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has immediate openings for Assembly and Quality positions at DENSO Manufacturing. Randstad will be hosting a job fair at the Comfort Inn on Wednesday, October 12th from 11:00am-4:30pm. Applicants should have at least 6 months industrial experience and bring an updated resume with their high school diploma or GED.

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Candidate in the Republican Primary for U.S. Senate will be speaking at the **McMinn County T.E.A. Party** meeting at the Athens Diner

Mon., October 10th 6:00 p.m.

Everyone Welcome !
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