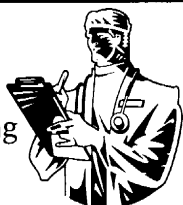


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Local & State News

◆ COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

- ✓ Long time Executive Director, Ellen Kimball, has announced her retirement after 25 years at the helm of the Athens Area Council for the Arts. A search committee is accepting applications through November 21st for a new director. A job description, application, and instructions on how to apply may be found at the AACA website: www.athensartscouncil.org
- ✓ The McMinn/Meigs Agriculture Roundtable will meet Thursday, Nov. 15th at 6:30 a.m. at Shoney's in Athens. Everyone is invited. Breakfast is dutch treat. For info: 745-6301 option 2.
- ✓ The Annual Battle of the Orange and Blue, a blood drive competition between Tennessee and Kentucky fans, is taking place this week. Medic's bloodmobile will be at Lowe's Home Improvement in Athens on Friday, Nov 16th from 10am-6pm. Donors will receive a game-day Tee Shirt and a coupon for a small pizza. Kentucky has "won" the competition for the past two years.
- ✓ The Etowah Carnegie Library will have e-readers such as the Kindle Fire and Nook Tablet on display November 19th and December 3rd at 6:30 p.m. For information about free e-Books, visit the Library or call 263-9475.

NATIONAL & WORLD NEWS

- ◆ The White House said that it is the decision of the Congress whether to call former CIA Director David Petraeus to testify about the Sept. 11th attack in Benghazi, Libya. Petraeus' recent resignation as the head of the CIA could affect his participation.
- ◆ Millions of Americans could be affected financially if Democrats and Republicans can't forge a deal to avoid the so-called "fiscal cliff" come January. Congressional compromise on spending and revenue is needed before Dec. 31st. Between 2001 and 2003, President Bush implemented a number of tax cuts for American families, which were aimed at helping them keep more of the money they earned each year. Those cuts are set to expire in 2013. Middle Class families could see a tax increase of nearly \$3,700 a year if these tax cuts are allowed to expire by the Obama administration.
- ◆ Since Superstorm Sandy, the ASPCA has rescued more than 300 animals and treated or provided supplies to about 13,000 in New York City and Long Island. In the first days after Sandy, city shelters took in about 400 animals along with their families.
- ◆ Residents and visitors in Queensland, Australia, witnessed the moon completely cover the sun for about two minutes in the eastern sky an hour after local sunrise on Wednesday which was Tuesday afternoon in the United States.

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Locals Visit "Holy Land"

A local support group, Women United in Community Service, recently conducted a tour of the new "Holy Land" experience in Orlando, Florida and made this group photo. Photo submitted by Stanley Blair.



OBITUARIES

Zanda Evaleen Walker Leamon, age 70, of Calhoun, died Tuesday at her home. Graveside services will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday in McMinn Memory Gardens with visitation from 4 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at Ziegler Funeral Home.

Joseph "Joe" Franklin Henry, age 79, of Riceville, died Monday at his home in Ten Mile. He served in the U.S. Air Force and was retired from Bowater after 40 years of service. Memorial services will be announced at a later date. Ziegler Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Tuesday's Market Closings

The Dow Jones Industrial Average was down 58.90 at 12,756.18. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was down 5.50 at 1,374.53. The NASDAQ Composite Index was down 20.37 at 2,883.89. In commodity markets, the spot price of gold fell \$3.15 to \$1,725.05, the spot price of silver rose \$0.05 to \$32.46, and crude oil prices fell \$0.35 to \$85.22 per barrel.

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