



## Adult Wiffle Ball League

Registration now- June 21st  
Season: July 6-Aug. 10  
(Mondays beginning at 5:30pm)  
Tournament: Week of Aug. 17  
Cost: : Member, \$15pp; Non-Member \$25pp. Ages: 14 & Older.  
Bring your own team (5-7 players)  
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## Today's News...This Morning

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### AGCENTRAL CO-OP

920 N. Congress Parkway,  
Athens 745-0443  
Sara Kite from the  
Extension Office will be  
here June 27, 2015  
10 am-12 Noon  
to test customers  
pressure canner gauges

Thursday, June 11, 2015

Athens, Tennessee

## State & Local News

### ◆ MOORE NAMED "TOP CITY MANAGER"

Athens City Manager Mitch Moore has been voted the "Top City Manager in Tennessee." He was chosen by the Tennessee City Management Association and was presented the award at the just-concluded annual meeting of the Tennessee Municipal League in Nashville. Moore has been the Athens City Manager since 1999.



### ◆ LAKE WINNIE DAMAGED BY STORMS

Lake Winnepesauka was closed on Wednesday for damage cleanup after Monday night's storms. The heavy rains and high winds sent guests in the park running for cover. Lake Winnie officials say the winds brought down several trees and power lines inside the park, damaged the sign, and did some minor structure damage. The rides were inspected Wednesday and the park should re-open today.

### ◆ YOUNG GIRL DIES IN I-75 CRASH

An 11-year-old Cleveland girl, Makenzie Biddwell, was killed Tuesday morning in a crash on I-75 southbound at mile marker 22 in Bradley County. State troopers say she was riding in a pickup truck driven by her father. Troopers say he swerved to miss an 18-wheeler which had slowed because of a previous crash at mile marker 20. The driver of the pickup truck lost control, and the passenger door hit the rear of the trailer. The young girl was killed.

## NATIONAL & WORLD NEWS

◆ The White House announced that the president has authorized the deployment of hundreds of additional military advisers to Iraq. These new advisers will work to build up Iraqi forces to improve their ability to plan, lead and conduct operations against ISIL in eastern Anbar. The additional troops will not serve in a combat role.

◆ A potentially deadly bacteria known as *Vibrio vulnificus* that thrives in warm saltwater has infected at least seven people and killed two so far this year in Florida. People can get infected when they eat raw shellfish, and people with open wounds can be exposed to *Vibrio vulnificus* through direct contact with seawater.

◆ U.S. stocks rallied Wednesday on optimism over Greece's debt talks. The Dow Jones Industrial Average was up 236.36 at 18,000.40.

### ◆ COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

✓ E.G. Fisher Library's Summer Reading Program holds a Kick-off Carnival from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. today on the Ingleside School grounds, with games, face painters, inflatable bounces, and balloon animals.

✓ The Athens Area Chamber of Commerce will hold a Cash Mob from 12 noon to 5 p.m. today at The Art Market located at The Athens Arts Center, 320 N. White Street. *Origami Owl*, *Scentsy*, and *Thirty-One* will have items available for sale.

✓ The Heritage School program at the McMinn Living Heritage Museum this Saturday from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. will feature Natalie Mong discussing the rescue and preservation of birds of prey.

### V F W Post 5146 Golf Tournament

Sat., June 13th @ 9:00  
Ridgewood Golf Course  
3 Man Select Shot  
\$55.00 per person  
Profits benefit St. Jude's  
and Helps Military  
Families in Need  
Call: 423-745-8387



### RESTAURANT SPOTLIGHT

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THU. (All Day) 8 oz. Sizzlin' Top Sirloin w/choice of Side and Salad Bar, \$11.49. Enjoy the SENIOR BUFFET, Mon. - Fri. (2 to 4 p.m.) for just \$5.99.



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11:35a & 5:15p  
Saturday: 8:30a  
12:30p & 5:15p

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June 15-19, 2015  
AT TENNESSEE WESLEYAN  
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[www.twcnet.edu](http://www.twcnet.edu) or call 423-746-5216

### WEATHER

**Thursday** - Mostly sunny.  
40% rain & t'storms in P.M.  
Highs in the upper 80's.  
**Thu night** - Mostly cloudy. 30%  
rain & t'storms. Lows in the up-  
per 60's.

**Friday** - Partly sunny. 50% rain  
& t'storms. Highs in the mid 80's.  
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Athens, Tennessee

### Providing "Hope" to Women

A ribbon cutting was held recently for a new business and new member of the Athens Area Chamber of Commerce, Array of Hope. Array of Hope is located at 109 W. Madison Ave. in Athens, and sells used women's and children's clothing, antiques, and accessories. The proceeds go to help women with life-controlling issues. Owner Connie Herring is shown holding the scissors. Others in the photo, in no particular order, are Rita Goodwin, McKenna Verhulst, Becky Tallent, Denise Murphy, Kristi Bolen, Andi Trevizo, Britney Kaufman, Jessica French, Nicole Bridges, Riley Calandrino, Lexy White, Pastor David Herring (co-owner), Tiffany Garrison, Mandy Delk, Anissa Erwin, Faye and James Colboch, Rob Preston (Chamber President/CEO), Brianna Hanson, and Mandie Beeler.



### Obituaries

- **Charlotte P. Whitted**, age 76, of Athens died Monday at UT Medical Center. Graveside services were held Wednesday afternoon. Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home was in charge.
- **Janice Q. Johnson**, age 73, of Decatur died Sunday at Starr Regional Medical Center. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday at Bowers Funeral Home in Decatur.
- **Iva Lee Cardin Townsend**, age 86, of Athens died Tuesday at NHC of Athens. Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday in McMinn Memory Gardens. Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home is in charge.
- **Dr. Kelly Gene Thomas**, age 40, of the Tranquility Community died last Sunday. There has been a change in the location for the funeral service and visitation. The funeral will be at 7:30 p.m. Friday at Clearwater Baptist Church, with visitation from 5 to 7:30 p.m. at the church. Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.
- **Charles Edward Ingram**, age 100, of Etowah died Tuesday at McMinn Memorial Nursing Home. He was a welder during World War II and worked on the USS Hornet, the ship the Doolittle Raiders took off from to bomb Japan. He later became an engineer with the L&N Railroad. He was also a farmer and raised cows and horses. A Celebration of Life Service will be at 10 a.m. Friday at Bordwine Funeral Home, with visitation from 9 to 10 a.m.

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Completed applications must be turned in at the Administration Building at 943 Crestway Drive  
423-745-2863

### WHEN RADIO WAS

Old-time Radio Shows  
6:05-7 pm Nightly  
**WYXI AM-1390**  
Tonight:  
**Frontier Gentleman & Mary Foster, Editor's Daughter**

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