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Athens, Tennessee

Wednesday, May 4, 2016

State & Local News

◆ WAKE UP AMERICA!

Thursday, May 5th, is the National Day of Prayer. This year's event is being called "Wake Up America!" A special Wake Up America prayer breakfast is actually being held today from 6:45 to 8 a.m. at Decatur First Baptist Church. Brad Harris will provide special music. Dr. Tony Crisp will be the speaker. In Athens on Thursday, the Athens-McMinn County Ministerial Association will observe the National Day of Prayer at 12 noon at Veteran's Park. Also, the Athens First Baptist Church sanctuary will be open from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. for anyone who would like to stop by for prayer.

◆ GUNS ON CAMPUS BILL BECOMES LAW

Governor Haslam has decided to allow Sen. Mike Bell's guns-on-campus bill to become law without his signature. The bill allows full-time faculty, staff, and other employees of Tennessee's public colleges and universities who have handgun carry permits to carry their weapons on campus. However, they must notify the local law enforcement agency that has primary responsibility for security on their campus, and their weapons will have to be concealed. They will not be allowed to bring a weapon into a stadium or gymnasium or to meetings regarding discipline or tenure.

NATIONAL-WORLD NEWS

◆ Ted Cruz has suspended his campaign for the Republican nomination for president. After his main rival, Donald Trump, picked up a majority of the delegates in yesterday's primary election in Indiana, Cruz told his supporters that it is obvious Trump will be the Republican Party's nominee.

◆ Defense Secretary Ash Carter announced Tuesday that a U.S. service member had died in northern Iraq after ISIS penetrated the front lines of Kurdish Peshmerga forces. U.S troops were providing support for the Peshmerga when they encountered the ISIS assault.

◆ A 6-month-old baby girl has been rescued from the rubble of a collapsed building in Nairobi, Kenya, after surviving by herself for nearly 80 hours. The building collapsed during heavy rains on Friday. She was reunited with her father by the Red Cross Tracing Services.

◆ COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

✓ The UT Extension Office in McMinn and Meigs counties will have a canning college on May 13th. The cost is \$15. The course teaches home canning through hands-on demonstrations. To register, call 745-2852.

✓ The McMinn Senior Center needs volunteers to deliver for the Meals on Wheels program. If you would be willing to help, call Tina South at 745-6830.

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performances & more!

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RESTAURANT SPOTLIGHT

Western Sizzlin' Steak House-1804 Decatur Pike
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Athens, Tennessee

Tomorrow's Leaders Today

The McMinn Tomorrow Class of 2016 completed their final session with team building exercises and a graduation program at Camp Living Stones on April 27th. McMinn Tomorrow is a leadership development program sponsored by the Athens Area Chamber of Commerce. Pictured below in no particular order: Allsyn Bates, Sara Montgomery, Cabrina Pascarella, Joshua Presnall, David Robinson, Morgan Shamblin, Chance Smith, and Michaela Underwood from McMinn High School; Haley Corbett, Jackson Guy, Olivia Harris, Dalton Myers, and Madison Standridge from Central High School; Ken Barkley, and Taylor Hollingsworth from Camp Living Stones.



Obituaries

• **Dr. Jack K. Wallace**, age 93, of Athens, died this past Sunday at his residence after a long illness. He was a native of Sweetwater. He was a welder in the U.S. Army, serving in the Philippines, Japan, and France. He later became a pharmacist and moved to Athens to work at Epperson Hospital. In 1954, he became a partner with Dr. Miles Riddle at Riddle Drugs. The store was later named Riddle and Wallace Drugs. Dr. Wallace also operated a hearing aid business at the store. Riddle and Wallace Drugs and Soda Fountain was a famous institution and was Mayfield Dairy's oldest customer until the business was sold to CVS in 2009. Children were brought in by parents and grandparents for their first ice cream. People came there for their first dates. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday at Smith Funeral Home, with visitation from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home.

• **Cecile Cora Pelletier Wilkins**, age 81, of Riceville died Tuesday at Erlanger Medical Center. She was a cook and cafeteria manager at Riceville School for many years. The family will receive friends from 5 to 8 p.m. Thursday at Ziegler Funeral Home. A private graveside service will be held at a later date.

TUESDAY'S MARKET REPORT: U.S. stocks finished higher after shaking off last week's sharp decline. The Dow Jones Industrial Average was up 117.52 at 17,891.16. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was up 16.09 at 2,081.39, and the NASDAQ Composite Index was up 42.24 at 4,817.59.

WEATHER

Wednesday - Partly sunny. 60% rain & t'storms. Highs in the mid to upper 60's.

Wed. night - Mostly cloudy. 50% rain & t'storms. Lows in the lower 40's.

Thursday - Partly sunny. 20% rain. Highs in the mid to upper 50's.

More Weather at: www.wyxi.com

Mother's Day Lunch



Sea Bass

Topped with a lemon cream sauce served with sautéed spinach & mushrooms and infused yellow rice and house salad.

Chicken Cordon Bleu

Fresh chicken breast stuffed with ham and Swiss cheese, hand breaded, topped with Hollandaise sauce. Served with loaded mashed potatoes, grilled asparagus and house salad.

Michael's of Athens will open at 11am on May 7th for TWC's Graduation. Call today to book your parties!

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WHEN RADIO WAS

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