



dronzview.com
Aerial Imaging & More
"Capture your memories
with DronzView"
Joseph.Ian.Cullen@gmail.com
(423-506-7854)

MORNING FAX[®]

Today's News...This Morning

(Feel free to copy, post or otherwise distribute)
(Phone:746-1390 Fax:744-1390 e-mail: wyxi@bellsouth.net)

**TRUCKLOADS OF HARDWOOD
& LAMINATE SALE**

(top brands)
GOING ON NOW in the old
American Bedding location on
Dennis St.
Thurs.& Fri., 8a-5p; Sat. 8a-12n
**MILLER'S WHOLESALE
CARPET (423) 442-1697**

Thursday, June 2, 2016

Athens, Tennessee

Local & State News

◆ A BUSY WEEKEND COMING UP

This coming weekend is going to be one of the busiest of the year in the Athens area, with several activities on tap.

- A Celebration of Wetlands will be held on Saturday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. The Wetlands is located next to E.G. Fisher Library. Participants will be treated to hourly Nature Classes on topics ranging from aquatic ecology and how to construct a rain garden. There will be interactive nature walks, live music, Boy Scout demonstrations and much more. Forrest Avenue will be closed to through traffic from Ingleside to E. Madison Avenue from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- The annual Athens Soap Box Derby will take place on Keith Lane beginning at 8 a.m. There will be over 30 drivers racing. WYXI Radio will provide live reports of the racing. Traffic on Keith Lane will be closed from 4 a.m. until the race is over.
- The Athens Lions Club's annual Moo Run event will be held Saturday morning. College Street will be closed from Green Street to Jackson Street from 5 a.m. until 11 a.m.
- The Kiwanis Club's annual Pancake Breakfast will take place this Saturday at Market Park Pavilion from 6 a.m. to 12 noon.
- The Chilhowee Shriners Championship Rodeo will take place Friday and Saturday nights at 8 p.m. at the Athens Regional Park.
- The grand opening of the Eureka Trail will take place at 6 p.m. Saturday. The trail is now open from Athens to Highway 39, and is open to pedestrians, bicycles, and horseback riders. The ceremony will be held at the Athens trail head at 1400 East Madison Ave.

NATIONAL & STATE NEWS

◆ A French ship picked up signals earlier Wednesday in the Mediterranean Sea believed to be coming from the black box of the EgyptAir flight 804 that disappeared from radar over the Mediterranean Sea on May 19th.

◆ A woman visiting Yellowstone National Park was charged by an elk after inching closer to the wild animal in hopes of getting a better photo. A spokesman for the National Park Service, warned that people desperate for a great photo can "endanger themselves and endanger wildlife."

◆ The chief of the Los Angeles Police Department confirmed that a murder-suicide left two males dead on UCLA's campus Wednesday. No further details about their identities have been released.

◆ MORE WEEKEND ACTIVITIES

- The 35th Annual Fun In the Sun Cruise In and Rod Run will be held Friday from 5:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. and Saturday from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the L & N Depot in Etowah. Angel Thurman will provide live music.
- A celebration of Burkett Witt's 90th birthday will take place at the McMinn County Living Heritage Museum on Saturday from 2 to 6 p.m. If you plan to attend, please call 745-0185.
- A pancake breakfast will be held at 7 a.m. Saturday at Englewood City Park. Proceeds will help with the expenses for 5-year-old Neyland Pickel who is fighting leukemia.

Today marks the 19th anniversary of **The Morning Fax[®]**. Thank you for reading and for supporting our publication since 1997!

TVAS

TENNESSEE VALLEY
APPRAISAL SERVICES, LLC
When Integrity & Professionalism
Matter. Covering 11 counties
with Online Ordering & Tracking.
Specializing in Estates, Expert
Witnesses, Divorce, Listing &
Lending Purposes.
746-0027 www.tvasinc.com

RESTAURANT SPOTLIGHT



Western Sizzlin' Steak House-1804 Decatur Pike
THU. (All Day) 8 oz. Sizzlin' Top Sirloin w/Side &
Salad Bar, \$12.49. Grilled Tilapia, choice of side,
rolls, bakery & dessert, \$11.99.



JUNE Specials» 2 Country Ham Biscuits \$3.33 • 1 Country
Ham & Egg Biscuit \$1.99 • 20pc Box + 10 Biscuits \$21.99 •
5 Meals for \$5 ea • 32 oz tea 99¢ • **BOJANGLES**
IT'S BO TIME South Congress Parkway 744-5292



**EAST
TENNESSEE
PROPERTIES,
LLC**

"Spring" into
your summer home!
Affiliate Broker



Joni Powell

Cell: (423) 519-8312
Office: (423) 453-5722

- Physical exams
- High blood pressure
- Steroid Joint injections
- Shoulder knee and back pain
- Wart and mole removal
- Flu / Strep
- Sprains / Strains
- Migraines
- Diabetic treatments

- Sports physicals
- In-office lab draws
- Same day / walk in appointments
- Weight loss management

Opening June 3

Welcoming
**Hailey Armstrong
Gaskin**

**StarrRegional
MEDICAL CLINIC
ETOWAH**



Call now for appointments 263-2822
886 HWY 411 N, Suite A

Join the McMinn Senior Center On Their Trips To:

The Cumberland Playhouse to see Mamma Mia!



The Cumberland Playhouse in Crossville, TN
Tuesday, July 26th: 10 am - Depart Senior Center for Crossville. Shop at Outlet Mall.
1:15 pm - Depart Outlet Mall for Playhouse to see Mamma Mia. Dinner at Ryans in Crossville
7:15 pm - Depart for Senior Center
Call: 423-745-6830 for information and reservations

& An All In One Trip To Cumberland Gap & Berea, Kentucky



August 16th: 11 am - Depart Senior Center for Cumberland Gap, KY - Check into Hotel - Relax by the pool, Dinner on your own. **6 pm** - Depart for Bingo Hall.
August 17th: **7 am-8:30 am** - Breakfast at Hotel (included)
8:30 am - Travel to Berea, KY for Guided Tour. Lunch at Boone Tavern (included). Browse College Square shops, and visit KY Artisan Center.
3:00 pm - Depart for Senior Center
Call: 423-745-6830 for information and reservations

Thursday, June 2, 2016

Morning Fax®..Today's News This Morning Page 2

Athens, Tennessee

E. Harper Johnson Scholarships

High school students in McMinn County were recently presented E. Harper Johnson scholarships. The scholarships were presented this past Saturday at the annual J.L. Cook Heritage Banquet. Pictured below: (Left to Right) Kierra Rogers-Fontenot (McMinn County High School), Yasmine Carter (McMinn Central High School), Jasmine Morris (McMinn Central High), and Stanley Blair (Cook Heritage member).

(Photo by Harriel Blair)



Obituaries

- **Thomas David Womac**, age 89, of Athens, died Wednesday at his home. He served in the U.S. Navy during World War II. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday at Ziegler Funeral Home, with visitation from 12 noon to 2 p.m.
- **Austin Brian Steven**, age 16, of Athens, died last Saturday. He was a senior at McMinn County High School and was an employee of Western Sizzlin' Steakhouse. Funeral services will be at 7 p.m. Friday at Ziegler Funeral Home, with visitation from 4 to 7 p.m.
- **Linda Faye Underdown Womac**, age 66, of Athens, died Tuesday at Parkwest Medical Center. She had worked at Athens Stove and Thomas & Betts. Funeral services will be at 7 p.m. Friday at Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home; visitation from 5 to 7 p.m.
- **Allen Christopher Miller**, age 78, of Athens, died Monday at his residence. He retired from the U.S. Air Force after 20 years of service. Graveside services will be at 11:30 a.m. Friday in Chattanooga National Cemetery with full military honors. Ziegler Funeral Home is in charge.
- **Lora Sue Walden Reed**, age 84, of Ten Mile, died Tuesday at her home. She had owned Lakeside Fabric and Sewing Shop. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Friday at Pleasant Hill Baptist Church with visitation from 12 to 2 p.m. Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home is in charge.
- **Helen King**, age 57, of Englewood, and formerly of Vermont, died Friday at Parkwest Medical Center in Knoxville. A Celebration of life and Home going will be at 1 p.m. Saturday at Serenity Funeral Home with visitation from 11 to 1 p.m.
- **Andrea Lee Shaver Miller**, age 38, of Decatur, died Friday at the University of Tennessee Medical Center in Knoxville. There will be no services. Bowers Funeral Home of Decatur is in charge.

L & M Motors Presents RAM RODEO SERIES at ATHENS REGIONAL PARK LAYMAY BUILDING COVERED ARENA

To Benefit the *Chilhowee Shrine Club*
Friday, June 3rd & Saturday June 4th at 8 P.M.
**Featuring 6 Time Announcer-of-the-Year,
FLY BEANE!!**

See The Rawhide & Dusty Show
Finalist Funny Clown - Eugene Fowler
Western Vendors - Concessions
"GREATEST SHOW ON DIRT TOUR" 2016
Athens Stockyard Calf Giveaway Each Night
Sanctioned by Southern Rough Stock Association

Stock Contractor H-BAR-M of Athens
Info: 865-388-0182 ramtrucks.com



Veteran's Expo

Saturday, June 18, 2016
 10am-2pm

Offering a full-service, one stop resource center for men and women who have served in the military.

Services

Gathering education & training providers under one roof to welcome Veterans to a day of learning and fellowship.

Questions pertaining to

Education • Employment • Financial Assistance • Insurance • Medical Assistance • Volunteer Opportunities

Community Sponsor



Event Purpose:
 To better inform McMinn County Veterans of the opportunities that are available to assist them.

Event Location:
 McMinn County Living Heritage Museum
 522 W. Madison Ave., Athens
 Call 423-745-0329 for questions.

This event is Free.



A collaborate event sponsored by the McMinn County Living Heritage Museum and Veterans' Affairs-McMinn County

