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Today's News...This Morning

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Thursday, May 25, 2017

Athens, Tennessee

TRUCK FIRE ON I-75

A JB Hunt trailer was destroyed by fire late Tuesday night on I-75 at mile marker 42. The trailer was carrying brake rotors and calipers. The fire appeared to have started in the trailer brake's axle area. A tire blew up in the truck driver's face while he was trying to use a fire extinguisher. He refused to be transported to the hospital. Northbound traffic on I-75 was blocked for several hours.



(Photos by firefighter Yvonne Jellison. Riceville Rural Fire Dept.)

National - World News

- ◆ President Donald Trump and Pope Francis exchanged gifts Wednesday following their cordial, private meeting at the Vatican. Their conversations centered around extreme terrorist threats and extremism and radicalization of young people.
- ◆ Newark Liberty International Airport was temporarily closed on Tuesday night after a plane engine caught fire.



Spay-Ghetti Dinner" ~Includes Spaghetti, Salad, Drink & Dessert Thursday, May 25th 2 pm - 6:30 pm McMinn Regional Humane Society



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HUGE YARD SALE Sat., May 27th 8a-4p New Attitude 104 N. White St., Athens Supporting Women at the Well's Guatemala Mission Trip

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All Meals are served cold. Pick up only

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Athens, Tennessee

Obituaries

- Robert Lattimore, age 88, of Etowah, died Sunday. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army and retired from Bowater. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Friday at Star Bethel Baptist Church in Etowah, with visitation from 1 to 2 p.m. at the church. M.D. Dotson & Sons Funeral Home of Cleveland is in charge.
- Linda Joyce Russell Thompson, age 70, of Etowah, died Monday at Starr Regional Medical Center of Etowah. Private family services will be held later. Serenity Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.
- David Lawson of Etowah died Wednesday at his home. Arrangements will be announced by Bordwine Funeral Home.
- Ada D. Rogers, age 96, of Athens, died Wednesday at UT Hospital. She had been a Dental Assistant for Dr. Hoyt Smiley and a X-ray Tech in the Navy during WWII. Graveside services will be at 12 noon Saturday at Cedar Grove Cemetery. There will be no formal visitation. Smith Funeral Home is in charge.
- Barbara Ann Hubert Berger, age 83, of Athens, died Tuesday at Parkwest Medical Center in Knoxville. A private burial will be held in Cedar Grove Cemetery. The family will receive friends from 12 to 2 p.m. on Friday at Ziegler Funeral Home.
- Clyde Duggan Borden, age 82, of Niota, died Tuesday at his home. He and his wife, Ruby, had owned and operated the Niota Skating Rink for over 39 years. Funeral services will be at 7 p.m. Friday at Ziegler Funeral Home with visitation from 5 to 7.
- Robert Ural Bivens, age 71 of Athens, died Tuesday at Select Specialty Hospital in Knoxville. Funeral services will be at 7 p.m. Friday at Bordwine Funeral Home with visitation from 5 to 7.

More Obituaries

- Annie Jo Johnson, age 85, of Etowah, died Tuesday at Starr Regional Health & Rehabilitation Center of Etowah. She and her husband owned Johnson Upholstery of Etowah. Funeral services will be at 12:30 p.m. Friday at Bordwine Funeral Home, with visitation from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
- Freddie Sherlin of Athens lost his life August 8, 1969 while serving with the 589th Engineer Battalion in Vietnam. To honor Freddie's sacrifice to our country, a flower placing by Tommy McClain and Doyle Breeden, members of the 589th Engineer Battalion Association Vietnam, will be held this Sunday, at 2 p.m. at Cedar Grove Cemetery, near gate #1. Friends of Freddie, including local veterans, are encouraged to attend.

WEDNESDAY'S MARKET REPORT: Jones Industrial Average was up 74.51 at 21,012.42. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was up 5.97 at 2,404.39 and the NASDAQ Composite Index was up 24.31 at 6,163.02.

COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

- ✓ The McMinn Living Heritage Museum and E.G. Fisher Library are teaming up to host a free Summer Reading Program for kids. "Cherokee Storytelling" will be Monday, June 5th, at 10:30 a.m. at the library featuring Tonya Dockery.
- ✓ The Athens Federal Foundation will be awarding \$107,000 to area charitable organizations this year. Grant applications are available starting June 8th at any Athens Federal office.



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