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Monday, June 5, 2017

Athens, Tennessee

## Local & Area News

### ◆ ONE DEAD IN TRUCK-RV COLLISION

One person was killed Saturday afternoon when an RV slammed into the rear of an 18-wheeler at the I-75 northbound exit ramp at exit 49. Two occupants of the RV were airlifted to UT Medical Center, where one later died. She was a 70-year-old woman from Toledo, Ohio. The THP says a tire blew out on the RV, causing it to veer into the rear of the truck. Two people in the truck were hurt.



### ◆ COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

- ✓ SETHRA will distribute commodities in Meigs County this Wednesday, June 7th, from 8-11 a.m. at the SETHRA office.
- ✓ Medic Regional Medical Center will have a community blood drive tomorrow, June 6th, from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. in the Court Room at the Athens Municipal Building.
- ✓ This week's guest on the Athens Area Chamber of Commerce "Chamber Chat" radio show will be Stephanie Cross with Rodan & Fields Team Athens. You can hear "Chamber Chat" at 8:15 a.m. Tuesday on WYXI Radio, AM-1390 and FM-94.5.

## National & World News

◆ British Prime Minister Theresa May has condemned the "evil ideology" behind the London terror attacks Saturday night that left at least seven people dead and more than 40 injured. Terrorists plowed into pedestrians on the London Bridge and then stabbed passersby at a nearby market.

◆ Republican Mark Green has closed the door on re-starting his race for Governor of Tennessee. Green put his campaign on hold when he was nominated by President Trump to be Army Secretary. Green later withdrew his name. He says he is considering several options that will allow him to serve the country.

### ◆ MITCHELL IS DISTINGUISHED WOMAN

This year's winner of the McMinn County Distinguished Young Woman award is Karis Mitchell, who will be a senior this fall at Walker Valley High School. She was chosen at the annual award ceremony sponsored by the Optimist Club of Athens. Karis is a member of the Chamber Choir, a vocalist with the Walker Valley Marching Band, and a member of the varsity soccer team. She is the daughter of David and Theresa Mitchell. Hannah Scarbrough was 1st runner up. (Photo by Tim Wilson)



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## The Wheel Is Turning!

The newest attraction in Downtown Athens is a new Waterwheel. The 14-foot-tall waterwheel is located next to Market Park Pavilion. It was donated to the City of Athens by the crew of the USS Charles R. Ware, and was dedicated this past Saturday.



## Obituaries

♦**Timothy "Tim" Lee Denton**, age 57, of Sweetwater, died last Friday at his residence. There will be no formal visitation. A memorial service will be announced by the family at a later date. Ziegler Funeral Home is in charge.

♦**Margaret Carver Rue Roberts**, age 86, of Athens, died Saturday at NHC of Athens. She was retired from Athens Products. Funeral services will be at 7:30 p.m. Monday at Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home, with visitation from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.

### SOUNDS OF SUMMER SERIES KICKS OFF

The Sounds of Summer Concert Series kicked off this past Saturday evening at Market Park Pavilion. The music featured the Dexter Thomas Band, shown below. (Photo by Durant Tullock)



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