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Wednesday, June 7, 2017

Athens, Tennessee

State & Local News

◆ IT'S SOAP BOX DERBY TIME!

The annual Athens Soap Box Derby race takes place this coming Saturday, June 10th, on Keith Lane. Athens will host races in the Stock, Super Stock, and Super Kids divisions. The winners will advance to the 80th running of the All-American Soap Box Derby World Championships in Akron, Ohio, in mid-July. Athens Parks Director Austin Fesmire will provide live coverage of the races this Saturday on WYXI Radio, FM 94.5 & AM 1390 plus ONLINE. Opening ceremonies begin at 8 a.m.

COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

- The Tennessee River Seed Library Organic Gardening Workshop will be held this Thursday, June 8th, at the E.G. Fisher Library in the Community Room. The free workshop is from 6 to 7:30 p.m. and will deal with Weeds and Bugs.
- ✓ The next movie for the Summer Series at Athens Movie Palace to benefit the YMCA will be this Thursday, June 8th, at 2 p.m. Tickets are a \$2 donation. The Adults Only auditorium is \$4 per ticket. The movie is "Home."
- ✓ The Elvis & Friends Tribute Show will be held this Saturday, June 10th, at 7 p.m. at the Gem Theater in Etowah.
- ✓ The McMinn Senior Activity Center in Athens will host its annual community yard sale on Friday, June 16th, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Spaces are available for \$15 in the parking lot or for \$20 under the pavilion. For more information, call the Senior Center at 745-6830.

National & World News

- ◆ Reality Leigh Winner, a federal contractor from Augusta, Georgia, has been charged by the Department of Justice for leaking classified information on a 2016 Russian military intelligence cyber attack to *The Intercept*, a left leaning news website.
- ◆ Police in suburban Maryland are investigating the double murder of two teenagers who were found shot dead on Monday night. They were to graduate high school on Tuesday.
- ◆ A hammer-wielding man shouted "This is for Syria" as he attacked an armed police officer patrolling outside near the Notre-Dame Cathedral in Paris on Tuesday.
- ◆ The Dow Jones Industrial Average was down 47.81 to close at 21,136.23. The Nasdag gave up 20.63 to close at 6,275.06, and the S&P 500 finished down 6.77 to close at 2,429.33.

MORE COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE

- ✓ The Legal Aid Society will be at the McMinn Senior Activity Center in Athens this Thursday at 9 a.m.
- ✓ The 2017 Free Fishing day will be this Saturday, June 10th. Anyone may fish free without a license in Tennessee's public waters, TWRA owned and operated lakes, and state park facilities. In addition, children ages 15 and younger may fish without a license beginning on Free Fishing Day and continuing through the following Friday, June 16th.

Wishes and Dreams Golf!

Athens VFW's 8th Annual Wishes and Dreams Golf Tournament Saturday, June 10th **Rock Springs Golf Course** North Congress Pkwy.

3 Person Teams+\$50 per Player

All proceeds support area charitable causes. Closest to the pins, long drives and more. Recruit your team and sign up now! Help make wishes and dreams come true.

Call 745-8387 or stop by VFW for all the details!

RESTAURANT SPOTLIGHT



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Restaurant Inspection Scores

The following Athens restaurants were inspected between May 10th and 23rd. A score of 70 & above is passing.

Small's Drive-In - 99

Monterrey Mexican Restaurant - 99

Ruby Tuesday - 99

VFW Dining - 98

Bojangles - 98

Yamato Japanese Steakhouse - 98

Zaxby's - 98

Applebee's - 98

Angela's Deli - 97

Ming Dynasty - 97

Mexi-Wing (N. White St.) - 97

Mexi-Wing II (Decatur Pike) - 97

BJ's Snack Bar - 96

China Wok - 96

Lotus Thai Cuisine - 96

Obituaries

- Clyde W. Terrell, age 73, of Athens, died Monday at Starr Regional Medical Center of Athens. Arrangements will be announced by Ziegler Funeral Home.
- James Roy Ammons, age 78, of Etowah, died Sunday at his home. He served four years in the U.S. Air Force and retired from Y-12 in Oak Ridge. At his request, there will be no formal visitation or services. Companion Funeral and Cremation Service is in charge of arrangements.
- Jim Clark, age 78, of Niota, died June 1st at Starr Regional Medical Center. He was retired as Superintendent of the City of Niota Waterworks Department. A graveside service will be held this Saturday at 11 a.m. at the Niota Cemetery. There will be no formal visitation. Smith Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements
- **Doris Derrick Drennin,** age 73, of Etowah, died Monday at Bradley Healthcare and Rehab in Cleveland. She was a former employee of Athens Stove Works. A Memorial Service will be Friday at 7 p.m. at Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home.

♦ MORE COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

✓ There will be a huge rummage sale this Saturday at 104 North White Street in Athens for the Women at the Well students. Proceeds will go toward a mission trip to Guatemala. The hours of the yard sale are 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

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