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Athens, Tennessee

Tuesday, November 14, 2017

STATE & LOCAL NEWS

♦ WORK BEGINS ON FAIRVIEW FACILITY

With the anniversary of the tornado last Nov. 30th fast approaching, Fairview Baptist Church has broken ground for a new building. The 36,000 square foot building will replace the Fairview Christian Academy and three other buildings that were destroyed by the tornado. In the photo: (L-R) Matt Harrell (Fairview Co-Pastor), Christian Medders (Medders Surveyors), McMinn Co. Mayor John Gentry, Dr. Jack Scallions (Senior Pastor), State Sen. Mike Bell, Marty Stephens (Stephens Excavating), Carlos Mauricio (Spanish Pastor), State Rep. John Forgety, & Greg Ranck (FCA Administrator). (Staff Photo)



Small Business Saturday, November 25th, 10-4 Carriage rides with Santa begin at 4pm

National & World News

◆ On Monday, new charges were announced against 17 former Penn State fraternity brothers in connection with video footage from the fatal fall earlier this year of pledge Tim Piazza. A fraternity member is accused of deleting surveillance video from the Beta Theta Pi fraternity house basement. The charges, including involuntary manslaughter, aggravated assault and hazing are the result of an investigation into the deleted surveillance video which was restored by the FBI.

♦ MORE COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

 \checkmark The Etowah Christmas Parade will be held on Thursday, December 7th at 7 p.m. Applications for the parade may be obtained from the Etowah Chamber of Commerce.

✓ The Athens Area Chamber of Commerce monthly "Business Before Hours" will be held this Thursday, November 16th, from 8 a.m. to 9 a.m. at the McMinn County Senior Citizens Center, 205 McMinn Avenue.

✓ The 11th annual "Pickin' for a Cure" CottonFest will be held this Saturday at 11 a.m. at the Etowah Community Center with Bluegrass & Gospel music. Proceeds aid pancreatic cancer research. Call Ronnie Raper for info at 507-3320. Tix: 10+ \$10.00.

> Santa is coming, 1-3. Call 887-5676 to reserve carriage rides with Santa. Unique Shopping Experience, One of a Kind Antiques, Local Art & Crafts, Swan Creek Candle & Naked Bee Lotions. Reg. Hrs: Wed.-Fri., 10-5; Sat., 10-4 Shop Local! Downtown Englewood Closed on Black Friday





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Obituaries

• Otha Evelyn Moses Key, age 75, of Athens, died last Friday at Etowah Health Care. She was retired from Collins and Aikman after 22 years of service. Funeral services will be at 7 p.m. Wednesday at Ziegler Funeral Home, with visitation from 5 to 7 p.m.

• **Dianna Mercedes Rodriquez,** age 37, of Benton, died last Thursday at her residence. She was a former employee of Amazon. Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. Wednesday at Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home, with visitation from 5 to 7 p.m. Tuesday.

• John Charles Frye, age 84, of Riceville, died Monday at Sweetwater Nursing home. He was a veteran of the U.S. Navy and retired from Omni Services of Riceville. The family will have a private graveside service at the Riceville Cemetery. Companion Funeral Home of Athens is in charge.

• Louis Michael Hall, age 70, of Sweetwater, died last Friday at his home. At his request, there will be no formal services at this time. Companion Funeral Home of Athens is in charge.

• **Robert James Albright**, age 57, of Sweetwater, died last Saturday at Parkwest Medical Center in Knoxville. At his request there will be no formal services at this time. Companion Funeral Home of Athens is in charge of arrangements.

October Home Sales in McMinn

Tennessee Valley Appraisal Services reports there were 57 sales of single family homes in McMinn County. A sampling of them is listed below:

Springfield Road, Athens -	\$365,000
County Rd 82, Athens -	\$340,000
Canterbury St., Athens -	\$299,500
County Rd 267, Niota -	\$281,650
County Rd 271, Niota -	\$279,000
County Rd 1150, Riceville -	\$239,900
County Rd 436, Athens -	\$235,000
Ridgeway Circle, Athens -	\$204,900
Breckenridge St., Athens -	\$200,000
County Rd 850, Delano -	\$189,900
English Lane, Athens -	\$189,000
Highway 11 S., Riceville -	\$175,000
County Rd 550, Englewood -	\$174,000
County Rd 265, Niota -	\$172,000
County Rd 798, Etowah -	\$170,000
Fairview Rd, Athens -	\$168,000
County Rd 420, Athens -	\$155,000
County Rd 585, Englewood -	\$154,900

