

State & Local News

JUNIOR McCOWAN RECEIVES AWARD

Robert "Junior" McCowan has received a plague recognizing him

as the first African -American police officer for Athens. McCowan served as a police officer in Athens during the 1960's. Chief Cliff Couch presented the plaque to him earlier this week during the swearing in ceremony for the two Athens newest police officers.



(Photo by Harold Hunter)

National & World News

• Lois Riess, a 56 year-old woman accused of leading authorities on a multistate crime spree that included two homicides, has been indicted on first-degree murder charges. Riess allegedly shot and killed her husband in Minnesota and later killed a woman in Florida and stole her identity.

• On the streets of Seoul, a euphoric mood for peace has filled the air ahead of next Tuesday's historic summit between U.S. President Trump and North Korean leader Kim Jong Un.

• Hope is dwindling of finding survivors during the aftermath of one of the most violent volcano eruptions in Guatemala. The death toll has risen to 75.

• COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

 \checkmark The Etowah City School Board will meet on Monday, June 11th, at 6 p.m. at the school.

✓ Book donations continue to be accepted at the E.G. Fisher Public Library for the Friends of the Library Book Sale. The sale will be July 12th - 15th at the McMinn County High School. A membership to Friends of the library for \$15 per individual or \$25 per family gives you early admission for first crack at the books on sale.





Obituaries

• Infant Waylan Jax McKee, baby of Donnie and Rebecca Alecia Frausto McKee, died Wednesday at Erlanger East Hospital in Chattanooga. Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Sunday at Lakeview Baptist Church with visitation from 12:30 to 1:30 p.m. at the church. Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home of Athens is in charge of arrangements.

THURSDAY'S MARKET REPORT: The Dow Jones Industrial Average was up 95 points or 0.4% to 25,241. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was down 2 points or 0.1% to 2,770, and the NASDAQ Composite Index was down 54 points or 0.7% to 7,635.

CAMP FAIRVIEW BEGINS 43rd YEAR

Camp Fairview in the Clay Hill community is underway for another summer. Camp Fairview is operated by Fairview Baptist Church of Athens. Activities include swimming and a Biblecentered program. For information, call 745-6781.



Church News & Events

- A fundraising benefit gospel singing and auction to help pay cancer medical expenses for Pam Hutsell will be held Saturday at 5 p.m. at the Riceville Elementary School cafeteria. *Victorious* and *Recognize* will be singing.

- Glorybound Church on Isbill Road in Madisonville will have *Journey Home* singing in their Sunday morning service at 10:30. The address is 446 Isbill Road.

- The *Robinsons* will be singing at Pope Avenue Baptist Church this Sunday at 10:45. The church is located at 301 Pope Avenue in Athens.

- The One Man Quartet, Chris Smith, will be at Valley View Baptist Church this Sunday at the 11 a.m. service. The church is located at 375 Old Niota Road. Smith will be accompanied by his son.

- Lakeside Baptist Church in Ten Mile sill present the "2 X 2 Quartet" this Sunday at 6 p.m. The church is on Highway 304.

- Coghill Baptist Church will have Shipwrecked VBS June 10th-June 14th from 6 to 8:30 p.m. All are welcome.

- Wesley Memorial United Methodist Church will have Vacation Bible School June 17th-June 22nd from 6 to 8 p.m. The address is 923 Ohio Avenue, Etowah.

