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Athens, Tennessee

State & Local News

◆ FOUR FINALISTS FOR SCHOOL DIRECTOR

The McMinn County Board of Education has come up with the names of the four finalists for the position of McMinn County Director of Schools. The finalists are: McMinn County Schools Early Education Supervisor Melasawn Knight, McMinn County Schools Student Management Supervisor Lee Parkison, Angela Phipps of Sweetwater, and Christopher Smallen of Lenoir City. The final four will be interviewed individually. A total of nine people applied for the job to succeed the current director, Mickey Blevins, who is retiring at the end of the year.

◆ BENTON POLICE DEPARTMENT HONORED

The Tennessee Highway Safety Office has recognized 47 law enforcement agencies during its 14th Annual Law Enforcement Challenge. This year, 56 applications were submitted. Fifteen came from police departments in East Tennessee. The Benton Police Department was named 1st Place in the category of towns with 1 to 10 officers. The Benton Police Department also won the Director's Cup Award. The awards were created to recognize outstanding efforts by police departments that have led to a reduction in crashes and have shown a dedication to saving lives.

◆ COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

✓ The UT Extension Office-McMinn is offering a free "Healthier You" Cooking School on Sept. 11th, 18th, and 25th. To register, call 745-2852.

National & World News

◆ Hurricane Florence, with winds of 140 mph, has strengthened to a dangerous and powerful Category 4 storm as it takes aim at the East Coast. The storm is expected to make landfall Thursday evening in North Carolina.

◆ According to White House press secretary Sarah Sanders, the Trump administration is coordinating a second meeting between President Trump and Kim Jong Un after the president received a "very warm, very positive" letter from the North Korean dictator that requested another face-to-face sit-down.

◆ Archaeologists found a literal jackpot in a dig in Como, Italy last week where hundreds of gold coins dating from Rome's late Imperial era, the 4th or 5th century, were found in a jar. It's unknown how much the coins are worth.

◆ MORE COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

✓ The PTSD Support Group meets the first Tuesday of each month at Athens Lutheran Church from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. If you have questions, call 744-1605.

✓ DENSO of Athens presents Safe Kids Day this Friday, September 14th. DENSO invites 1st graders from Athens City and McMinn County schools to Athens Regional Park to be fitted for a free bicycle helmet. Teachers will be given a specific time to bring students to the park sometime between 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. If you have questions, call Erin Holbrook at 746-1035.

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Obituaries

- ♦ **Tommy Joe Martin**, age 62, of Englewood, died Saturday. Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday at Mars Hill Cemetery. There will be no formal visitation. Bordwine Funeral Home is in charge.
- ♦ **Shelia Diane McCabe**, age 64, of Polk County, died September 4th at her home. A memorial service will be held on Thursday at 1 p.m. at the Crossroads Baptist Church in Benton. Companion Funeral Home of Athens is in charge.
- ♦ **Hannah Ruth Moss Farmer Whaley**, age 98, of Decatur died Saturday. Arrangements will be announced by Bowers Funeral Home.
- ♦ **Erskine Robert Hilyer**, age 61, of Ten Mile, died Saturday. Arrangements provided by Bowers Funeral Home.

MONDAY'S MARKET REPORT: U.S. stocks ended the day mixed. The Dow Jones Industrial Average was down 59 points or 0.2% to 25,857. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was up 6 points or 0.2% to 2,878, and the NASDAQ Composite Index was up 22 points or 0.3% to 7,924.

In Commodity Markets, the spot price of gold fell \$0.68 to \$1,195.70, and the price of crude oil fell \$0.24 to \$67.51.

The 30-year Treasury yield closed lower at 3.08% and the 10-year Treasury yield finished lower at 2.94%.

Fairview Begins 41st Year

On August 29th, school bells rang for students at the Fairview Christian Academy. A new educational complex is due to be completed by January 1st, 2019, to replace the buildings destroyed by the tornado of November 2016. Meantime, the Fairview Christian Academy, grades 1-12, is beginning its 41st year in temporary facilities at 276 Dennis Street, the former American Bedding building. (FCA Photo)



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Time: 6:00 p.m.

Location: North City

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