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Wednesday, October 10, 2018 Athens, Tennessee

## State & Local News


- ◆ **EARLY VOTING TO START SOON**  
Early voting for the November 6th election begins one week from today, Wednesday, October 17th. You can vote early through Thursday, November 1st if you are registered to vote. Yesterday was the last day to register to vote in the Nov. 6th election, which includes high-profile contests for governor and the U.S. Senate.
- ◆ **COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:**
  - ✓ The Etowah Senior Center continues group exercising into October. The free classes are on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 9:30 a.m.
  - ✓ Auditions for the popular Christmas concert, *Christmas and all of that Jazz*, will take place on Monday, October 22nd, at 6 p.m. The show features performances by a choral ensemble and solo, duet, or small group performers. This audition is for singers/performance groups interested in performing a solo, duet, or as a band. For more information, call the Athens Area Council for the Arts at 745-8781. There will be three performances, Friday-Sunday, Dec. 7-9.
  - ✓ The McMinn Regional Humane Society will host an "Autumn Soup Supper" this Thursday, October 11th. Home-made soups prepared by the Humane Society's board members will be served from 3 to 6:30 p.m. or until the soups are gone. It will take place in the fellowship hall of Athens 1st Baptist Church. Tickets are \$8.00

## National & World News


- ◆ Hurricane Michael is closing in on the Florida Panhandle, and expected to make landfall as a "monstrous" Category 3 storm with a dangerous storm surge of up to 12 feet. The storm is forecast to make landfall near Panama City, Florida, sometime Wednesday afternoon.
- ◆ An outbreak of a mysterious disease in Minnesota that doctors say resembles polio has left children partially paralyzed and health experts baffled. The Minnesota Department of Health said that six pediatric cases of AFM (acute flaccid myelitis) have been reported since mid-September. There is no known cure for the disease.
- ◆ **COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:**
  - ✓ McMinn County Trustee Phil Tuggle says the 2018 McMinn County property tax notices are in the mail. He says if you do not receive your tax notice within the next ten days, you should notify the Trustee's Office at 745-1291. New property owners especially should be aware of the mail because their tax bill might be sent to the previous owner if their deed was registered during 2018. If your address has changed, it is your responsibility to advise the property assessor of any address change.
  - ✓ The guest on "Hope from the Well," the weekly radio program from Women at the Well this Thursday will be Rachel Crisp. Hope from the Well is heard at 8:15 a.m. each Thursday on WYXI Radio FM 94.5, AM 1390 and [ONLINE](#)

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Old-time Radio Shows  
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**WEATHER FORECAST**  
**Wednesday** - 30% rain. High 84.  
**Wed. night** - 80% rain after 11 p.m. Low 69.  
**Thursday** - 80% rain. High 74.  
**Friday**- Sunny. High 69.  
More Weather at: [wysi.com](http://wysi.com)

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## OBITUARIES

♦ **Mary Kate Williams Bartlett**, age 91, of Cleveland and formerly of Athens, died Monday at her residence. She had worked in Washington, D.C. and after moving to Cleveland, she worked for Bowater Paper Company in Calhoun for 33 years. At her request, there will be no formal services. Smith Funeral & Cremation Services of Athens is in charge of arrangements.

♦ **Betty Ann Letner**, age 69, of Ten Mile, died Sunday at her residence following an extended illness. At her request, there will be no public visitation. Graveside services will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday in Roberts Cemetery. Bowers Funeral Home of Decatur is in charge of arrangements.

♦ **Pauline Doris Hafley Bradford**, age 96, of Niota, died Tuesday, at Starr Regional Medical Center in Athens. Graveside services will be at 11 a.m. on Thursday in Riceville Cemetery. Ziegler Funeral Home of Athens is in charge of arrangements.

**TUESDAY'S MARKET REPORT:** U.S. stocks were little changed. Energy was the best-performing sector while the materials sector was the biggest underperformer. The Dow Jones Industrial Average was down 56 points or 0.2% to 26,431. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was down 4 points or 0.1% to 2,880, and the NASDAQ Composite Index was up 2 points or 0.0% to 7,738.

## Class of 1950 Get Together

The McMinn County Class of 1950 held its reunion luncheon this past Monday at Dominion Senior Living. Jack Robinson brought his year book for his class to sign and Bill Akins brought the book, "A Date Which Will Live in Infamy" that he signed and gave to his class members. Dominion Executive Director Jessica Skelton sent us this photo. Standing, left to right: Bob Johnson, Bill Akins, Bob Patterson, Kenneth Elliott, Frankie Elliott, Jay Jones, Elaine Jones, Wayne Parkinson, Bernard Patterson, Barbara Patterson, Edanna Dixson, Barnum Dixson, & Jack Robinson. Seated, left to right: Vernell Sherlin, Joan Johnson, Bernice Elliott, & Raymond Roach.



### Come unwrap the gift of Christmas

Please join Dominion Senior Living of Athens in their first annual Festival of Trees Fundraiser in support of United Way of McMinn & Meigs Counties. We have partnered with United Way to help support their mission. We are looking for businesses who will donate a decorated tree, wreath or garland to our live event. We will open our doors for The Festival of Trees Tour in November and invite our community to bid on the trees donated. All proceeds will be given to United Way to continue in their mission of helping those in need in our community.

Where: Dominion Senior Living of Athens

Who: Any business or individual who wants to donate

Why: To make an impact in our community

When: November 17-27th

Interested? Please call Jessica @ 423.309.1111

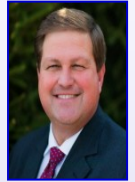


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