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Athens, Tennessee

Local and Area News

♦ BELL & COCHRAN OPPOSE CELL PHONE BAN

The Tennessee House has passed legislation banning motorists from holding cell phones while driving. Under the bill, drivers would be able to use hands free devices only. The bill passed the House on Wednesday and now goes to the Senate. Rep. Mark Cochran voted no. Senator Mike Bell says he will also vote against the bill. Bell says Tennessee already has a "distracted driving" law which makes the bill unnecessary.

◆ DETECTIVES INVESTIGATE FATAL SHOOTING

The McMinn County Sheriff's Office is investigating the case of an Etowah woman who was killed Monday in a shooting. Deputies were called to Starr Regional Medical Center in Athens around 7:20 a.m. Monday where 32-year-old Casey Daugherty had died from an apparent accidental gunshot wound. Sheriff Joe Guy says she was driven to the hospital by her fiancé and her father. The shooting happened on County Road 609.

♦ MEASLES CASE REPORTED IN EAST TENNESSEE

The Tennessee Dept. of Health has confirmed a case of measles in East Tennessee. Tennessee has had only 15 measles cases in the last decade. Symptoms include fever, runny nose, and body aches, plus a red rash that begins on the face. The virus is highly contagious.

Next Week is Clean Up Week

The annual Clean-Up Week takes place in Athens next week. You should have your items at curbside before 7 a.m. on Monday. There is no schedule for specific streets on a specific day. All city streets will be covered at least once during the event. Compressor/coolant lines must be removed from appliances, tires must be separated from the rims, scrap metal junk should be separated from non-metal items. Crews will NOT pick up gas tanks from vehicles or cooking grills and will not accept any roofing or siding shingles.

♦ COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE

✓ The monthly Athens Travelers Car Club Cruise-In will be this Saturday starting at 4 p.m. at the PriceLess IGA just off Decatur Pike at Dupit Street.

✓ The Friday midday Holy Week service will be at 12:05 p.m. at Trinity United Methodist Church. The speaker will be Pastor David Spann from the Athens Church of the Nazarene.

✓ The date for the Englewood Ram 5K Fun Run/Walk will be held next Saturday, April 27th, not April 29th as reported in Thursday's Morning Fax.

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Union McMinn Baptist Church

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April 20th - Easter Drama 6:30pm Meal to follow

April 21st - Sunrise Service 7am

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Obituaries

• Candis M. Shelton, age 80, of Decatur, died Wednesday. Funeral services will be at 4 p.m. Friday at Decatur First Baptist Church, with visitation from 2 to 4 p.m. at the church. Bowers Funeral Home is in charge.

◆ CHURCH NEWS AND EVENTS

- Athens First Baptist Church will have two Easter Worship Services, 9:30 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.
- The Athens Lutheran Church will have a Good Friday service tonight at 7. There will be an Easter Sunday Sunrise Service at 7 a.m., followed by breakfast and an Easter Egg hunt. There will be a traditional service at 9:45 a.m.
- Greater Mt Pleasant MBC at 414 Chester St. will have an Easter Egg Hunt with hot dogs, popcorn, and punch Saturday at 12 noon.
- Beulah Chapel Nazarene Church on Highway 68 west of Sweetwater will host an Egg Hunt Saturday at 1 p.m. There will be a Sunrise Service at 8 a.m. Sunday & a Resurrection Celebration at 10:45.
- Lakeview Baptist Church on County Rd 126 beside Dynasty Spas will have a Sunrise Service this Sunday at 7 a.m. Shane White from West End Baptist will bring the message, with breakfast to follow.
- Athens Christian Church will have an Easter Egg Hunt Saturday at 11 a.m. and an Easter breakfast Sunday at 9:30 a.m.

More Church News & Events

- Union McMinn Baptist Church will have an Easter Drama Saturday at 6:30 p.m. with a meal to follow. There will be a Sunrise Service Sunday at 7 a.m.
- A community Easter Sunrise Service will be held Sunday at 7 a.m. at Market Park Pavilion in Downtown Athens. Pastor Rich White of Athens Christian Church will bring the message.
- Greater Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church will have a Women's Day Brunch Saturday at the McMinn Living Heritage Museum from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. The speaker will be Lisa Dotson. On Sunday, the Women's Day speaker at the 11 a.m. service will be Rev. Joyce Strickland of Dixon, TN.
- The East Athens Baptist Church Sanctuary Choir will present "Triumphant Praise" and "Resplendent in Your Glory" this Sunday at 10:45 a.m.
- Boyd Memorial First Church of God will have the Lord's Supper service tonight at 7. A Gospel Singing will be Saturday at 6 p.m., and a Sunrise Service will be on Easter at 7 a.m.
- Allen Memorial UMC and Mars Hill Presbyterian Church will present a dramatic musical presentation, "For Such a One as This," this evening at 7 p.m. at Allen Memorial. The presentation features the church choirs and several solo performances by Josh Bragg, Cynthia McCowan, Jason Carusillo, Ben Burchfield and others. It is free to the public.



TODAY IN HISTORY - APRIL 19th

1775 - The American Revolutionary War began at the Battle of Lexington, Massachusetts. Eight Minutemen were killed and 10 wounded in an exchange of musket fire with British Redcoat troops.

1897 - The first annual Boston Marathon — the first of its type in the United States — was run. John J. McDermott of New York City won.

1933 - The United States ended the "gold standard" for

1934 - Dickie Goodman was born. He and his sidekick, Bill Buchanan, originated the novel approach to featuring bits of popular songs strung together to tell a story. Their biggest hit was "The Flying Saucer (Parts 1 & 2)" in 1956. Goodman also had a hit using the same approach in 1974 with a recording titled "Energy Crisis '74."

1995 - The Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building in Oklahoma City was destroyed by a bomb hidden in a rent-a-truck. 168 people including 19 children died in the blast.