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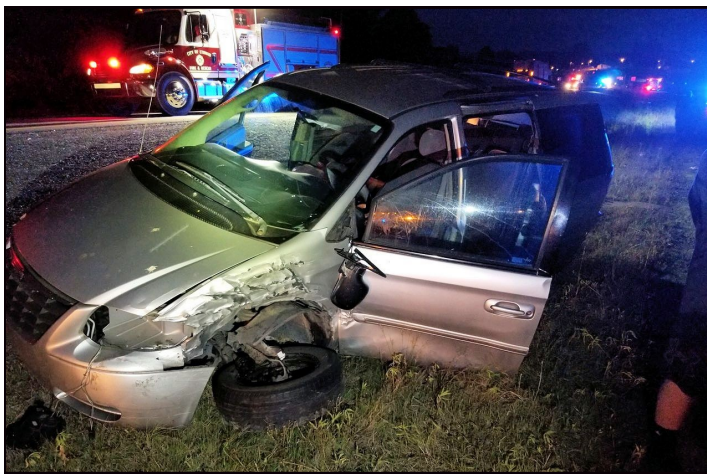
Athens, Tennessee

Local & State News

◆ 3 CAR WRECK INJURES ONE PERSON

One patient was transported to Starr Regional Medical Center in Etowah Sunday night after a three-vehicle collision at the intersection of Highway 30 and County Road 527. The wreck involved a 2019 Kia Forte, a 2007 Chrysler, and a 2012 Dodge Caravan. The Etowah City, Etowah Rural, and Englewood Rural fire departments responded. State Trooper Jack Ghazi investigated the accident.

(Photo by Lynn Ingram, Englewood Rural Fire Department)



Community News You Can Use

✓ The Etowah Carnegie Library's Summer Reading Program kicks off today, June 4th, from 1:45 to 4 p.m. This will be a drop-in event where kids will be making some space-themed crafts. Free lunch is served from 1 to 1:30 p.m. for children 18 and under each program day (Tuesdays, Wednesday, and Thursdays) June 4th through July 18th.

✓ The Southeast Tennessee Human Resources Agency (SETHRA) will be distributing commodities to eligible Meigs County residents Wednesday, June 5th, starting at 8 a.m. Distribution will be at the SETHRA office in Decatur. You must have a sheet in order to receive commodities.

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

✓ The Smoking Cessation Support Group meets every first Thursday of the month at Starr Regional Medical Center in Athens. The sessions begin at 6:30 p.m. For more information, call 507-4557.

✓ The LITE House will host SPARK: A Camp for Young Entrepreneurs June 17th-19th from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. The camp is open to students entering 6th-9th grade this fall. Campers will choose a business idea, create a business model, and learn business basics. The cost is \$75. Register at: www.yourlitehouse.com/events.

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McMinn Regional Humane Society
Old Fashioned Carnival
 June 8 | Prof Powers Park | 10-4 pm
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Obituaries

- ♦ **Hubert Henry Brooks**, age 82, of Englewood, died Sunday. Graveside services will be 2 p.m. Wednesday at Mars Hill Cemetery, with visitation from 12 noon to 1:30 p.m. at Bordwine Funeral Home.
- ♦ **Elsie "Polly" Summers Ziegler**, age 93, of Culver, Indiana, and formerly of Athens, died Friday in Indiana. She was associated with Evans Funeral Home before she and her husband, Tom, opened Ziegler Funeral Home in 1958. Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Thursday at Zigler Funeral Home, with visitation from 1 to 2 p.m.
- ♦ **Wayne Mitzel**, age 67, of Decatur, died Saturday. Funeral arrangements will be announced by Bowers Funeral Home of Decatur.
- ♦ **Rollie Ellis Saylor**, age 85, of Decatur died Friday. Arrangements will be announced by Bowers Funeral Home of Decatur.
- ♦ **Earlene McKenzie**, age 88, died Saturday at Life Care Center of Athens. Funeral arrangements will be announced by Bowers Funeral Home of Decatur.
- ♦ **Wilma "Jane" Farley**, age 89, of Decatur, died Friday. Funeral services will be at 5 p.m. Wednesday at Bowers Funeral Home of Decatur with visitation from 3 to 5 p.m. prior to the service.

STREET CLOSING: PORTION OF TELLICO AVENUE

The City of Athens Public Works Department announces that the street section from Tellico Avenue and North Jackson Street to Railroad Avenue will be closed to thru traffic for the purpose of installing traffic signal equipment. Beginning today, June 4th, at 6:30 a.m. this section will be closed until Thursday, June 6th at 5:30 p.m. Access to Stephenson Sign and Animal Aid will be available during this closing. Detours will be posted and motorists are advised to use extreme caution and watch for detour and traffic signage, workers, and pedestrians. Motorists should allow additional travel time when in this area.

DENSO Auctions Help YMCA

DENSO has been house cleaning and the beneficiary is the YMCA Summer Camp Program. Project SS/25 at DENSO is a program under which items that are broken or no longer needed are donated to such places as schools and the animal shelter. Other items are auctioned off to the DENSO associates. The money goes to a local charity. There have been two auctions which raised \$1,800 for the Athens-McMinn YMCA to support underprivileged children in their kids' summer program. Pictured below: (Left to Right) Raeann Young (the DENSO associate who came up with the idea to reuse or repurpose instead of throwing away the items), Kim Davis (DENSO), Bradi Sewell (YMCA) and Matt Roberts (YMCA)



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Practice Times: 10:30 am - 11:30 am

3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

League Starts June 4th - July 27th

ATHENS-MCMINN FAMILY YMCA

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