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Athens, Tennessee

Community News You Can Use

✓ The Athens Public Works Department has announced the closings for Labor Day. The Athens Municipal Building, Public Works, Recycle Center, and Animal Shelter will be closed on Monday, September 2nd, in observance of Labor Day. The residential garbage route for Monday is the only route that will be affected by the holiday closing. Monday's route will be picked up on Tuesday, September 3rd. All other residential garbage routes will be on the regular schedule.

✓ The LITE House and TN Driving Innovation will host two free Small Business sessions on September 4th at the Venture Entrepreneurship Bus that will be parked at 204 East College Street on the campus of Tennessee Wesleyan University. The first is a workshop titled "Marketing for Growth" and will be from noon to 1:30 p.m. The second session will be a panel discussion on "Finding Your Funding" from 5:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. You can register online at: bizgrowthroadshow.com

✓ E.G Fisher Public Library will have a free "Introduction to Facebook" today (Wednesday) at 10 a.m. Call 745-7782 to register.

✓ The guest on the Women at the Well radio show, "Hope From the Well," this week will be Margaret Parham, a student at Women at the Well. "Hope From the Well" is heard at 8:15 a.m. each Thursday on WYXI RADIO, AM-1390 & FM-94.5 or [ONLINE](#)

Grand Opening for LITE House

The LITE House celebrated its grand opening last Friday. The LITE House (short for Leading Innovators to Excel) is located at 1 W. College Street near the TWU campus). The LITE House brings together community members, including government agencies, private donors, state and private grant foundations, and TWU to offer an entrepreneurial ecosystem. The photo below shows, left to right: Jessica Derrick (The LITE House Coordinator), Belinda Biddle (TWU Coordinator for Institutional Effectiveness and Research), Gail Rogers (TWU Executive Assistant to the President), and Lisa Dotson (Director of Main Street)
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Wednesday - Blend of clouds & sun. Humid. High 85.

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Thursday Night - Clear. Low 56.

More Weather at: wysi.com

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Obituaries

- ♦ **Daphne Dennis Farrell**, age 83, of the Clearwater community, died Monday night at her home. She and her late husband, Jim, owned and operated Farrell's Carpet Store. Funeral services will be Thursday at 7 p.m. at Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home, with visitation from 5 to 7 p.m.
- ♦ **Carolyn Solsbee Truelove**, age 78, of Englewood, died Monday at her home. She had been head teller for Bowater Employee Credit Union. Funeral services will be 7 p.m. Thursday at Companion Funeral Home of Athens, with visitation from 5 to 7 p.m.

TUESDAY'S MARKET REPORT: U.S. stocks closed slightly lower. The financials sector weighed on markets as bond yields declined and the yield curve flattened. August consumer confidence fell to 135.1, but remains strong overall. A District Judge in Oklahoma ruled against Johnson & Johnson in an opioid case forcing the company to pay \$572 million to the state. Bond yields declined. The yield curve remained inverted. The Dow Jones Industrial Average was down 121 points or 0.5% to 25,778. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was down 9 points or 0.3% to 2,869, and the NASDAQ Composite Index was down 27 points or 0.3% to 7,827.

Dear, There's a Deer in the Basement

A young deer walked into the basement at Nelson and Ruth Ann Cope's home in Meigs County Tuesday morning. Ruth Ann says they had the basement door open to sweep it out, and the deer just walked in. It came right up to them and sniffed and licked them. It wandered around exploring for about 20 minutes. After that, Nelson and Ruth Ann walked out to the edge of the woods and the deer followed them. They slipped away from it and it finally left.



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