

Friday, October 4, 2019

Brush Fire Gets Out of Control

Community News You Can Use

Athens, Tennessee

✓ The Etowah Fall Festival takes place this Saturday and Sunday at the Depot. Highlights include the Apple Pie Contest, a pie eating contest, vendors and live entertainment.

✓ CASA's annual Red Shoe Gala will be tonight at 7 at the St. Mary Parish Family Life Center.

✓ The Athens City School Board will hold its monthly meeting this coming Monday, October 7th, at 5:30 p.m. at City Park School. School Director, Dr. Melanie Miller, will update the hoard on the school building program.

✓ Governor Lee has announced the awarding of ThreeStar grants to 59 Tennessee counties. The funds support local workforce training, health, and economic development initiatives. McMinn County will be receiving a \$50,000 grant.

✓ Tickets for the 28th annual Mother-Son Dance, sponsored by the Athens Parks and Recreation Department, are now available for purchase. The dance will be held on Saturday, November 2nd, from 7:30 to 9 p.m. in the cafeteria of McMinn County High School. Tickets are \$12 per person, and there are only 500 available.

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE: MCHS travels to Heritage. McMinn Central will play at Loudon. Meigs County has the week off. Walker Valley travels to Lenoir City. Sequoyah will host East Hamilton. The UT Vols will host Georgia on Saturday.



On Wednesday afternoon, the owner of some property on County Road 450, Athens, was burning brush when the fire got out of control. The remnants of a mobile home burned, an out building was destroyed, and minor exterior damage was caused to a camper railer. The Englewood Rural, Athens Rural, and Athens City Fire re-Departments sponded. Englewood Chief Billy Roach was in charge at the scene.

(Photos by Lynn Ingram, Englewood Rural Fire Dept)

RESTAURANT SPOTLIGHT

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Friday: Meat Loaf, Fried Fish, White Beans, Cheesy Grits, Cabbage DAILY: FRIED CHICKEN, M. Potatoes, Green Beans, 711 S. White St., Athens T. Greens, Tossed, Cucumber or Pasta Salads, Cole Slaw, Cottage Cheese, Fruit, Applesauce, Beets. Meat & 2, \$7.99; Meat & 3, \$8.99. See FB for more info.

We have a large fleet of vehicles to choose from including Vans, SUV's, Sedans & More. East Tennessee Auto Outlet Hwy 30 E. For more info contact: Jarin Cass or Michelle Vincent Join us for Worship this Sunday morning at the First Baptist Church of Niota

Thomas Brown from Benton will be singing (a) 10:45



Sunday School: 9:45 (classes for all ages) Worship Service: 10:45 Lífe on Wednesdays @ 6:00 Please come and Worship the Lord with Us Everyone is Welcome! Pastor: Cullen Conner

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Obituaries

• Judy Carolyn Janow Walker, age 62, of Athens, died Thursday at her home. Funeral services will be 1 p.m. Saturday at Ziegler Funeral Home, with visitation from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m.

• Mildred Geraldine McCosh Wallis, age 95, of Niota, died Thursday at her residence. Funeral services will be at 7 p.m. Saturday at Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home, with visitation from 5 to 7 p.m.

* Bishop Winston (Jerry) Walden, age 60, of Bean Station died Wednesday. Visitation will be Saturday from 10 a.m.to 2 noon at Companion Funeral Home of Athens.

NEW BUSINESS OPENS DOWNTOWN

A ribbon cutting /open house took place this week at the former Majestic Mansion on E. Washington Ave., in Downtown Athens. The new owner of All Things New Boutique is Kelly Miller Brackett. Pictured on her right are the former owners of Majestic Mansion, Richard and Elaine Newman and on her left, are her parents, Eddie and Merri Miller.

(Photo by Lisa Dotson)



Church News & Events

- The Community Harvest Share will be this Sunday from 3:30 to 4 p.m. at St. Paul's United Methodist Church, 425 8t., Etowah. Free vegetables for everyone.

- There will be a benefit singing for Stanley Guinn on Saturday, October 12th, at 6 p.m. at Valley Road Baptist Church, 860 County Road 187. Featured singers will be The Liberty Boys. Proceeds will assist Stanley and his family with medical expenses.

- North Etowah Baptist Church will have nights of Inspiration and Praise this coming week. Rev. Bo Dunkle will speak Monday, Rev. Mark Hensley will speak Tuesday, and Dr. Jamison Work will speak on Wednesday.

- Voice of Deliverance Ministry, 520 Old Riceville Road, will have a Young Adult Ministry Conference tonight through Sunday. - Solid Rock Baptist Church, 4975 US 11, Calhoun, will observe Homecoming with The Inspirations on Sunday, October 13th, at 10:30 a.m.

- Trinity United Methodist Church in Athens will hold a vard sale on October 18th and 19th starting at 7 a.m. each day.

- Celebrate Recovery meets every Sunday at 6 p.m. at the Englewood Church of God.

- There will be a fish fry tomorrow at 4 p.m. at New Zion Baptist Church on County Road 616 off County Road 750. The cost is a donation of \$8 or more at the door. There will also be a silent auction. Proceeds will be used to help finish the Sunday School rooms.

