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Wednesday, February 10, 2021

Athens, Tennessee

Starr Welcomes Dr. Veale

Starr Regional Medical Center announces that Michael Veale, MD, has joined its staff and will offer general orthopedics and orthopedic surgical services to patients in Athens and the surrounding communities. Dr. Veale is a board-certified general orthopedic surgeon. He has more than 20 years of combined training and experience in treating a range of orthopedic conditions. He is a graduate of the University of Michigan Medical School and completed an orthopedic residency at West Virginia University. He is married and he and his wife have three children. Dr. Veale began seeing patients at his office--Starr Orthopedics & Sports Medicine--719 Cook Drive, Suite 104--on Feb. 1st. His office number is 746-2941.



Community News You Can Use

- ✓ The annual United Way Meeting & Awards Presentation will be virtual this year. During the week of February 22nd-25th, due to COVID-19. United Way will be recognizing the annual award recipients through their social media accounts in lieu of an in-person event.
- ✓ The MEDIC Regional Blood Center is still critically low on blood types O Negative, A Negative, O positive, and A Positive. All week, through Friday, MEDIC will donate \$5 per donor to the Pat Summit Foundation. Here in the Athens area, you can donate at the MEDIC Donor Center at 213 E. Madison Avenue in Downtown Athens.
- ✓ Simmons Bank on Park Street is collecting items for St. Paul's Episcopal Church's Grace House. They need laundry detergent, toothbrushes, paper towels, toilet paper, socks, deodorant & coffee.

◆ COVID-19 VIRUS UPDATE Tuesday P.M.

Tennessee: 747,462 cases, up 1,636. 10,631 deaths, up 65.

COUNTY	CASES	RECOVERED	ACTIVE	DEATHS
McMinn	5,557 up 30	5,260	210	87 up 2
Meigs	1,244	1,184	41	19
Monroe	5,023 up 19	4,721	220	82
Polk	1,621	1,512	88	21
Bradley	12,035 up 51	11,383	523	129 up 1
Rhea	4,064	3,882	117	65

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Deliverance Classes are held every Thursday 7:00 pm at Planted in Christ Outreach Fellowship. Located at: 317 Maple Street in Athens.
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HOPE to see you there!

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- DONORS MUST COMPLETE PAPERWORK BEFORE DONATING

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The Trading Post

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8:45 am - 9:30am and
Monday - Friday Afternoon
4:15pm to 4:45 pm

WEATHER FORECAST

Wednesday - Cloudy. 25% rain. High 64.
Wednesday night - Cloudy. 50% rain & drizzle. Low 47.
Thursday - Cloudy. 80% rain. High 51.
Friday - Cloudy. 25% rain chance. High 48.
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Obituaries

♦ **Dustin "Dusty" Michael Foriska**, age 37, of Decatur, died Monday at Erlanger Hospital in Chattanooga. He held various odd and end jobs in Sweetwater and in Murfreesboro. He graduated from Sweetwater High School in 2001. A Memorial of Life Celebration will be announced at a later date. Decatur Funeral Home & Cremation Services is in charge of the arrangements.

♦ **Tod Curtis "Weirdo" Wooldridge**, age 59, of Riceville, died Saturday in Cleveland. He was the founder and president of the American Knights motorcycle club. A memorial service will take place at a later date to provide time for distant friends and family to visit with the family

♦ **Mary Evelyn Perian Cardin**, age 83, of Englewood, died on January 29th at Tennova Turkey Creek Medical Center in Knoxville. She worked as a seamstress in several local factories and as a cook at Scottie's Restaurant and at Wood's Truck Stop. No formal services were held. Her remains were laid to rest in McMinn Memory Gardens next to her mother and grandson.

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

Ribbon Cut for Stiles Detailing

A ribbon cutting was celebrated recently for new Athens Chamber of Commerce member, Stiles Detailing, located at 202 East Madison Ave. Pictured left to right, front row: Lisa Rhea (Chamber Diplomat), Brenda Lowe, Ashton Burrows, Joanne Arnett, & Karen Raby (Diplomats), Jordon Curtis (Chamber Board), Maison Hackler, Brittanie Stiles, Jameson Stiles, Jacob Stiles, Barbara Shaffer & Nathan Stiles, (Stiles Detailing), Danielle Snipes, & Tim Tatum. Back row: Amy McDonald & Brittni Wright (Diplomats), John Rodriguez, Brian Key, Luke Shepherd (Diplomat), Rob Preston (Chamber President/CEO), Joseph Ladner (Diplomat), James Juntti & Heath Pickle (Stiles Detailing) (Photo courtesy of Athens Chamber of Commerce)



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TODAY IN HISTORY - FEBRUARY 10th

1763 - France ceded Canada to England under the Treaty of Paris, which ended the French and Indian War.

1840 - Britain's Queen Victoria married Prince Albert of Saxe Coburg-Gotha.

1846 - Members of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints - the Mormons - began an exodus west from Illinois.

1863 - History was made in New York City. Two of the world's most famous dwarfs, General Tom Thumb, (three feet, four inches) and his lovely bride, Lavinia Warren, (two feet, eight inches), exchanged "I do's" before a small gathering of 2,000 of their closest friends - most of them standing on the church pews to catch a glimpse of the couple.

1893 - Entertainer Jimmy Durante was born.

1937 - Singer Roberta Flack was born.

1942 - The American auto industry shut down its civilian car assembly lines for the duration of World War II and converted to military production.

1943 - Singer Ral Donner was born. His biggest hit was "You Don't Know What You've Got Until You Lose It."

1949 - Arthur Miller's play "Death of a Salesman" opened on Broadway. (Miller died on the same date in 2005 at age 89.)

1967 - The 25th Amendment to the Constitution, dealing with presidential disability and succession, went into effect.

1989 - Ron Brown was elected chairman of the Democratic National Committee, becoming the first African-American to head a major U.S. political party.