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Today's News... This Morning

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VALLEY CHRISTIAN ACADEMY'S
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Tuesday, April 27, 2021

Athens, Tennessee

Community News You Can Use

- ✓ The City of Athens announces that the Athens Farmers Market will open on May 18th. The market will be open on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3 to 6 p.m. and on Saturdays (starting June 12th) from 9 to 11 a.m. at the Market Park Pavilion in Downtown Athens. All vendors are local producers and their produce is locally grown.
- ✓ Nesting with Nurture the Next, a free event to help prepare for your baby, will be held this Saturday, May 1st, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Decatur Veterans Memorial Park. There will be games, prizes, giveaways, and food for expectant mothers. The event is weather permitting. Please wear a mask.
- ✓ McMinn County High School announces that graduation exercises will be May 15th at 9:30 a.m. at Cherokee Stadium.

◆ COVID-19 VIRUS UPDATE Monday 4-26

Tennessee: 843,059 cases, up 530. 12,152 deaths up 6.

COUNTY	CASES	ACTIVE	DEATHS
McMinn	6431	104	98
Meigs	1371	34	24
Monroe	5775	94	95
Polk	2027	53	24
Bradley	14,811	394	149
Rhea	4326	28	75

Honors for Linda Garza

Linda Garza, professor of Social Work and Social Work Program Director at TWU, has been awarded the Lifetime Achievement Award by the Tennessee Chapter of the National Association of Social Workers. Garza began her work at TWU in 1991 when she was hired as Instructor of Human Services. On hand to present the award was Lisa Maguire, a Licensed Advanced Practice Social Worker and representative of the Southeast Region of the Tennessee Chapter of the National Association of Social Workers. Garza was honored for her teaching and for her service to her community over the years. The photo below shows Gabe Blake (one of her previous students), Professor Garza, and Lisa Maguire.



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Obituaries

♦ **Patricia Jane Hutsell Parker**, age 88, of Athens, died Saturday at her residence. She was a former resident of Chattanooga where she retired from Electric Poser Board after 36 years of service in the General Accounting Dept. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m., Wednesday at Smith Funeral Home with visitation from 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. prior to the service.

♦ **Crystal Fay Sledge**, age 33, of Evensville, died Saturday. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m., Thursday at Family Worship Center, at 250 CR 378, Athens with visitation from noon to 2 p.m. prior to the service. Decatur Funeral Home is in charge.

♦ **Peggy Anne Arp**, age 74, of Vonore, died Friday. A memorial service will be held at a later date. Companion Funeral Home is in charge.

♦ **Victor Lee Ulokovic**, age 66, of Athens, died Sunday. He was born in Cleveland, Ohio and a resident of Athens for the last 22 years. There are no services planned at this time. Companion Funeral Home is in charge.

TENNESSEE NEWS HEADLINES

✓ This week is National Work Zone Awareness Week. The Tennessee Department of Transportation is reminding motorists to move over and slow down for highway workers. TDOT says it has been five years since three employees were struck and killed by passing motorists in Tennessee. Work zone safety messages are being displayed on TDOT's overhead message signs on the interstates. Prominent buildings and bridges will be lighted in orange, and "Work with Us--Move Over, Slow Down" signs are posted at work zones across the state. This Wednesday, April 28th, is "Wear Orange Day." TDOT urges Tennesseans to show your support by wearing orange on Wednesday.

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A Salute to Judy Luck

The Tennessee Wesleyan University Instrumental Ensemble presented a musical program this past Sunday evening at Etowah First Baptist Church. The concert was given in tribute and memory of Judy Luck, who was a member of the church. She died last week. Judy was president of the Thursday Music Club of Etowah.
(Photo by Gene Choate)



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Wednesday: Clouds mixed with sun. High 82.
Wed Night: Cloudy & mild. Low 63.
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