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Thursday-May 17, 2012

Athens, Tennessee

## State & Local News

### ◆ WAUPACA FOUNDRIES TO BE SOLD

A New York company, KPS Capital Partners LP, has agreed to buy the Waupaca foundry group, including the 230-employee foundry in Etowah. KPS says it expects to close the deal next month. Waupaca officials say it should be business as usual at all of its plants after the sale is completed.

### ◆ COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

- ✓ The Athens Area Chamber of Commerce's "Business AFTER Hours" will take place today, from 5:30 to 7 p.m. at Savannah Oaks Winery located at 1817 Delano Road, Delano.
- ✓ The 24th Annual Etowah Rotary Club Golf Tournament will be held this Saturday and Sunday at the Ridgewood Golf Club. This will be a three-person select shot format. All proceeds are returned to the community in the form of donations to schools and other non-profit groups. Registration forms can be picked up at Ridgewood Golf Club.
- ✓ The annual METHEA Curriculum Sale will take place this Friday, May 18th, at E.G. Fisher Library in Athens from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Books, games, videos, educational items and other teaching resources will be on sale. Admission is \$4.00.

## NATIONAL & WORLD NEWS

- ◆ ABC News has obtained a medical report by the family physician of George Zimmerman, the man accused of killing Trayvon Martin in Sanford, Florida. The report shows Zimmerman suffered a fractured nose, a pair of black eyes, two cuts to the back of his head, and a minor back injury in his struggle with Martin.
- ◆ John Edwards' defense team rested Wednesday without calling the former Democratic presidential candidate, his daughter, or his one-time mistress to the witness stand. Edwards is accused of violating federal campaign finance laws by using campaign money to try and hide his pregnant mistress.
- ◆ The World Health Organization says one in three adults across the world suffers from high blood pressure. Less than 20% of adults in the U.S. and Canada have high blood pressure, but in poorer countries like Niger, the figure is close to 50%.
- ◆ A new study shows that eating too much sugar can affect your brainpower. The study shows how a steady diet of high-fructose corn syrup affected lab rats' memories.
- ◆ Sketchers has been ordered to pay the government \$40 million because the footwear company made unfounded claims that its shoes would help people lose weight and strengthen muscles.

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## Open House At Niota Fire Hall

The Niota Volunteer Fire Department will be having an Open House this Sunday, May 20th, from 1 to 4 p.m. to show the new Fire Hall and to thank those who supported its construction. A dedication ceremony will start at 1 p.m., followed by a free lunch. The public is invited. (Photo by Travis Newberry)



## Obituaries

**Traynor Ricker**, age 84, of Ten Mile died Tuesday at Athens Regional. He was retired from TVA. Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. Thursday (Note this is a change in time) at Five Point Baptist Church. Ziegler Funeral Home is in charge.

### ◆ COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

- ✓ Nine students from McMinn High School's Career and Technical Center will be traveling to Kansas City in June to compete at the Skills USA National Leadership Conference. The students are selling Krispy Kream donuts to raise money toward the projected cost of \$10,000. Donations are appreciated. For more information, call Bobby Moses, Skills USA Advisor, and CIS Instructor at 745-8633, extension 108.
- ✓ The UT Extension Office will offer canning college on May 22nd and May 24th from 6 to 8 p.m. The May 22nd college will be at McMinn High School. The May 24th college will be at Meigs County High School. The topics are waterbath canning, jams and jellies. The cost is \$30 and the registration deadline is today. Call 745-2852 for more information.
- ✓ The Tellico Lake Rotary Club presents "Tellico Tales-An Evening With Bill Landry" Friday, May 18th, at 7 p.m. at First Baptist Church in Tellico Village.
- ✓ The Athens Parks Department will dedicate 23 bricks in the Brick Walk at Veterans Memorial Park this Sunday at 2 p.m.

### The Gem Players Presents Frank W. Wicks' *Soldier Come Home*

(from actual Civil War Letters)  
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**Day Stage:** 11a Kinslee Melhorn, 12noon Our Three Tenors, 1p September Song, 2p The Blue, 3p Purpose, 4p Calling Glory

**Kid's Entertainment Stage:** 11:30a Magic Show-Pokey Dot, 11a; 12:30p; 5p Puppet Show, 1:30p Tiger Rock Martial Arts Academy, 3p Story Teller Elizabeth Rose, 4p Juggler & Magician Great Scott

**Activities:** 12noon Mooing Contest, 1p Scoop Stackin' Contest, 2p Sundae Celebration, 3:30p Chug-A-Lug Contest, 4p Ice Cream Eating, 5p Frozen T-shirt

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**Thursday** - Mostly Sunny. Highs in the mid 80's.  
**Thursday night** - Partly cloudy. Lows in upper 50's.  
**Friday** - Sunny in AM. 20% chance of rain. Highs mid 80's.  
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