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# MORNING FAX™

## Today's News...This Morning

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Wednesday-June 26, 2013

Athens, Tennessee

### Local & State News

#### ◆ CHATTANOOGA MAYOR TO SPEAK IN ATHENS



Chattanooga Mayor Andy Berke will be the keynote speaker at the annual Jackson Day Dinner held by the McMinn County Democratic Party. The Jackson Day Dinner will be held on September, 7th at 6 p.m. at Tennessee Wesleyan College.

#### ◆ WALKING FOR PTSD

June is national Post Traumatic Stress Disorder month. There was a PTSD Awareness walk and program in downtown Athens last Friday. The photo shows McMinn County Veterans Affairs Director Deborah Cox on the left and her assistant, Jennifer Shumate, holding the banner as the walk got under way.



(Photo by submitted by Dick Pelley)

### NATIONAL & WORLD NEWS

◆ Former NSA operative Edward Snowden has been in the Moscow airport, according to Russian President Vladimir Putin, claiming that he is a "free person" and will not be stopped from leaving the country by Russian authorities, despite warnings from the U.S. government that the 30-year-old should be handed over. Putin also stated that, "In the territory of Russia, Mr. Snowden committed no crimes", Mr. Snowden is a free person. The sooner he chooses his final destination, the better it is for us and for him."

◆ In May, new home sales rose to the fastest pace in five years, adding to signs of a steadily improving housing market. Sales increased 2.1 percent in May compared with April. The new homes sales rate was the highest level since July 2008.

◆ Photos of Travon Martin's body lying in the grass shortly after he was killed, were shown to jurors in the George Zimmerman murder trial. Martin's father was visibly shaken and walked out of the courtroom, and his mother remained but did not look and walked out shortly after.

◆ A key provision of the Voting Rights Act was struck down 5-4 by The Supreme Court on Tuesday ruling that the formula used to enforce the nearly 50-year-old civil rights law needs to be updated. The court said that the coverage formula used by the government to determine which states are required to get federal permission before they make any changes to voting laws is unconstitutional.

◆ A black bear "broke into" the Knoxville Zoo Monday night by scaling the fence. Zoo officials scoured the grounds, but could not find the bear. Zoo officials say if the bear is located on zoo grounds, they will waive his admission fee.

### The Gallery

122 N. Jackson  
New Vera Bradley  
Styles & Prints  
Have Arrived !

**746-0464**

### RESTAURANT SPOTLIGHT

**Toscana Pizza & Italian Grill, Ingles Shopping Center, Athens 746-9900. SPECIAL: 11a-2:30p M-F-Pick up or dine-in only!** Any small Calzone or Stromboli, plus a drink, only \$5.99.

**Western Sizzlin Steak House-1804 Decatur Pike (745-2626)**  
Wednesday (11a-4p) Petite Sirloin + Side Item, Salad, Bakery, & Dessert Bars, \$7.99. **Monday-Thursday (All Day):** 8 oz. Sizzlin' Sirloin + Side, Fresh Rolls, Bakery and Dessert Bars, just \$7.99!

**BOjangles Famous Chicken & Biscuits-S. Cong. Parkway (744-5292)**  
JUNE Specials »» 2 Steak Biscuits \$3 ▪ 5 Meals for just \$5 each ▪ 12 Piece Box with 6 Biscuits \$13.99 ▪ **Chicken Rice Bowl \$4.99** ▪ Our 32 oz. tea is still just 99¢. ▪ **It's Bo Time !!**

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### Have a Healthy Day!

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**The YMCA is now taking registration for**

For more info. contact the YMCA front desk at 423-745-4904

1. Summer Fun Camp
2. Swim Lessons
3. Summer Mini Sports Camps



**Englewood Celebrates 2013**

**Saturday, June 29**  
In Downtown Englewood  
Pancake Breakfast 7 am  
Tractor Show 9 am  
Square Dance 7 pm

**WELLINGTON PLACE**  
**BROOKDALE SENIOR LIVING**  
 120 Keith Lane, Athens  
 (423) 744-7272

We now serve as a drop off center for Grace and Mercy ministries. For all boxed and canned food donations, the drop off times are Monday-Sunday, 8am until 6pm.

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**Gentry's Gift Gallery**  
  
 Madison Park Shpg Center 745-0101

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### Getting Muddy for a Good Cause

The first "Conquest Mud Run" was held last Saturday in Ocoee. The 5K endurance race had 23 obstacles, including a 16-foot leap into a 14-foot deep pit of ice water. The proceeds benefited The All Timate Blessing of Cleveland. Several folks from the Athens area took part. Shown in the collage are (top left, clockwise) Justin McRary and Todd Ledbetter, Emily Pierce, Patti Harris and Cindy Pierce. (Photos courtesy of Bruce and Chris Hari)



### Obituaries

**Roy (Eddie) Wood**, age 68, of Athens died Monday at his home. Funeral services will be at 7 p.m. Wednesday at Victory Baptist Church in Niota, with visitation from 5 to 7 p.m. at the church. Ziegler Funeral Home is in charge.

**Danny Langston** of Athens died last Saturday at a Knoxville health care facility. Funeral arrangements will be announced by Ziegler Funeral Home.

**TUESDAY'S MARKET REPORT:** The Dow Jones Industrial Average was up 100.75 at 14,760.31. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was up 14.94 at 1,588.03, and the NASDAQ Composite Index was up 27.13 at 3,347.89.

#### ◆ COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE

- ✓ There will be an Executive Committee Meeting of the McMinn County Board of Education Thursday morning, June 27th, at 10 a.m. at the McMinn County Center for Educational Excellence.
- ✓ The Athens Parks and Recreation Department announces a Farmers Market vendor meeting will be held next Tuesday, July 2nd, in the court room at the Athens Municipal Building. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss new ideas that have been presented by vendors relative to the current regulations.
- ✓ *Englewood Celebrates* will be held this coming Saturday in downtown Englewood. There will be a pancake breakfast at 7 a.m., a tractor show at 9 a.m., and a square dance at 7 p.m.

#### WEATHER

**Wednesday** - Partly sunny. 30% rain & t'storms. High upper 80's.  
**Wednesday night** - Mostly cloudy. 40% rain & t'storms. Low lower 70's.  
**Thursday** - Mostly cloudy. 60% rain & t'storms. High upper 80's.  
 See our Zoom Radar at: [www.wysi.com](http://www.wysi.com)

#### TODAY IN HISTORY - June 26

- 1819** - Abner Doubleday was born. He is generally considered to be the inventor of the game of baseball.
- 1892** - American author Pearl Buck was born. She wrote more than 65 books and received the 1938 Nobel Prize for Literature and a Pulitzer Prize for her novel set in China, "The Good Earth."
- 1900** - U.S. Army medical officer Walter Reed and his medical team began a successful campaign to wipe out yellow fever in the Panama Canal Zone.
- 1914** - Female golf player Babe Didrikson Zeharias was born in Texas. In 1949, an Associated Press poll voted her the outstanding woman athlete of the century.
- 1950** - President Harry S. Truman authorized the Air Force and Navy to enter the Korean conflict.
- 2008** - The Supreme Court struck down a handgun ban in the District of Columbia as it affirmed, 5-4, an individual right to gun ownership.

#### WHEN RADIO WAS

Old-time Radio Shows  
 6:05-7 pm Nightly  
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