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Friday, February 20, 2015

Athens, Tennessee

LOCAL & STATE NEWS

◆ GOOD NEWS! AUB POWER IS BACK ON!

With more wintry weather in the forecast, AUB has restored power to all of the 7,000 customers who lost electricity from the ice earlier this week. The last two customers--one on County Road 439 and the other on Short Street in Niota--were restored Thursday morning. The temperature dropped to 3 degrees above zero Thursday, and AUB's water crews had to repair two water main breaks. AUB's Wayne Scarbrough expresses thanks to the tree trimming crews from Asplundh for their work in clearing fallen trees, to the Electric Power Board in Chattanooga for sending three crews of linemen to Athens, and to AUB's customers for their patience.

◆ ETOWAH CHAMBER PRESENTS AWARDS

Despite the cold weather, the Annual Awards Banquet of the Etowah Area Chamber of Commerce was held Thursday night. The annual awards were presented to: Scott Cass, owner of East Tennessee Auto Outlet, who was named Business Person of the Year. The R. Frank McKinney Distinguished Service Award was presented to: Marvin Taylor. Laura Jenkins was named the Joe Quirk Educator of the Year. The photo shows out-going Etowah Chamber President, Russ Blair, on the right, presenting the Business Person of the Year award to Scott Cass, on the left. (Photo by Bob Ketchersid)



DRAMATIC COW RESCUE

There was a dramatic rescue of a calf from a pond on County Road 185 in the Clearwater community Thursday morning. The calf, which belonged to Mark Cobble, fell through the ice-covered pond and was unable to get out. Clifton Hampton showed up with a tractor with a front-end loader. Foster Bohannon climbed onto the loader and managed to lasso the calf and pull it to safety. Then, Hampton's tractor got stuck in the pond and had to be winched out. The calf was wrapped in blankets and taken to a nearby barn. No word on its condition.

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WEATHER

Friday -Cloudy. 60% snow. Accumulation up to 1 inch. Highs in the lower 30's. **Friday night** - Near 100% snow in P.M.. Light freezing rain and light sleet through the night. Snow and sleet accumulation of 1 to 3 inches. High upper 20s. **Saturday** - Light freezing rain. High mid 40s. More Weather & Zoom Radar at: www.wyxi.com

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Friday, February 20, 2015

Athens, Tennessee

Church News and Events

- A Black History Month Celebration Dinner in honor of Dr. Burkett L. Witt will be held Sunday, Feb. 22, at 4 p.m. at Tennessee Wesleyan College. Rev. J.R. Bridgeman will be the guest speaker. Tickets are \$20 for adults and \$10 for children. Call 745-6684 or 381-9309 for tickets and for more information.

- Singers Geron Davis and Angie Primm will appear on Sunday, February 22, at 10:30 a.m. at Mt. Harmony Baptist Church, 288 County Road 51, Riceville.

- The Senior Adult Choir from First Baptist Athens will be in concert at First Baptist in Etowah this Sunday at 6 p.m.

COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE

✓ The Gem Player's production of *Murder for Dummies* opens tonight at 7:30 at the Gem Theater in Etowah. Tickets are \$12 for adults and \$8 for children 8-12 years of age.

✓ The 3rd Annual Tellico Plains High School fashion show featuring student-made recycled and upcycled fashion apparel will be held on Thursday, March 5, at the high school. The show starts at 7 p.m. Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$7 for students. Proceeds go towards a college scholarship fund for students who want to study in the art and design fields.

✓ The rescheduled McMinn County Commission meeting will be next Monday at 7:30 p.m. The EMS Committee will meet at 6 p.m. to consider a proposal to form a new fire department.

Obituaries

• **George "G. W." Webb**, age 85, of Etowah died Thursday at Starr Regional Medical Center of Athens. He was retired from J.M. Huber. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday at Bordwine Funeral Home, with visitation from 12 noon to 2 p.m.

• **Nina Gunter Taylor**, age 62, of the Cumberland Hills Community near Englewood died Wednesday at her home. She was associated with Athens Products for 30 years and later was associated with Walmart as a manager. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Monday at Smith Funeral Home, with visitation from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Monday at Smith.

THURSDAY'S MARKET REPORT: The Dow Jones Industrial Average was down 44.08 at 17,985.77. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was down 2.23 at 2,097.45, and the NASDAQ Composite Index was up 18.34 at 4,924.70.

◆ CANCELLATIONS

- Due to the weather, the Heritage School at the McMinn Living Heritage Museum for Saturday has been cancelled.

- Christ Legacy Academy is calling off classes again Friday.

- The American Cancer Society's Ladies Day Out luncheon this Saturday has been postponed until Saturday, March 14, at noon at Woodward Ave. Church of God.

- The Athens Recycle Center on Rocky Mount Road will re-open next Monday during normal business hours. The center was closed the last several days due to accumulation of ice around the collection containers.

POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT - MACHINE TOOL TECHNOLOGY INSTRUCTOR

The Tennessee College of Applied Technology-Athens is accepting applications for the position of full-time **Machine Tool Technology Instructor**.

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Application Date: Applications and resumés will be accepted until 3:00 p.m. on Friday, February 27, 2015.

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