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Wednesday, September 9, 2015

Athens, Tennessee

Local & State News

◆ TIPS FOR REMEMBERING YOUR CHILD

Every summer, we hear tragic stories of young children dying when they are left inside a hot car, either by mistake or due to negligence. It happened this past weekend in Walker County, Georgia, when a family accidentally left their 11-month-old child inside their car for two hours after returning home from church. The child died from the extreme heat. On a hot summer day, temperatures inside vehicles can reach 170-degrees within 15 minutes. Experts say you can do several things to keep from leaving your child behind. One tip is to put an item you'll need in the back seat, such as a cell phone or purse. If you normally drop your child off at a childcare facility, you can ask them to contact you if you don't show up for a scheduled drop-off. There are special car seat sensors that set off an alarm to remind parents their child is still strapped in the back seat. One of them is the Evenflo SensorSafe Car Seat. The high-tech seat costs \$150.

◆ COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

✓ The McMinn County Board of Education holds its monthly meeting tomorrow, Sept. 10th, at 5:30 p.m. at the McMinn County Center for Educational Excellence, #3 South Hill Street, Athens.

NATIONAL AND WORLD NEWS

◆ Following a judge's order, Rowan County Clerk Kim Davis was released from jail Tuesday in Grayson, Kentucky. Davis was jailed almost a week ago for refusing a judge's order to issue marriage licenses to same-sex couples.

◆ Bankrate has agreed to pay \$15 million to settle accounting fraud charges brought by the Securities and Exchange Commission. Federal regulators charged Bankrate for manipulating its financial results to meet Wall Street's expectations.

◆ A magnitude 2.2 earthquake was recorded in Rhea County Tuesday morning. The small quake was centered about seven miles north-east of Spring City.

◆ MORE COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

✓ The Athens Chamber of Commerce Cash Mob will be this Thursday from noon to 5 p.m. at the E.G. Fisher Public Library.

✓ The Delano Lions Club will have a Bluegrass Festival and Crafts this Saturday on Carolina Avenue from 11 a.m. to 9:15 p.m. There will be barbecue chicken plates, hamburgers, hotdogs, and barbecue sandwiches, music by several bands, and vendors will be selling crafts. Admission is \$5. Children under 12 get in free.



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**Delano Lions Club
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Sat., Sept. 12th 11a-9:15p
119 Carolina Ave., Delano
\$5 pp - BBQ Chicken
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WEATHER
Wednesday - 80% rain & t'storms. Highs in the mid 80's.
Wed. night - Cloudy. 70% rain & t'storms. Lows in the upper 60's.
Thursday - Mostly cloudy. 60% rain & t'storms. High around 80.
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Is "Going Home" Time Near?

The latest novel by Athens author Jan Munch describes much of what is occurring in the nation and the world today. The book is titled "Going Home." In his novel, "1984," George Orwell described a time where the government had become "Big Brother" and freedoms were no more. "Going Home" depicts an even worse time period. It is the story of popular syndicated radio talk show host Graham Bradford, his wife (who can see what no one else can see), and their best friends, Dr. David Morgan and his attorney wife, Alexis. Together they live through the worst period of history, known as the End Times. Munch describes how the government takes away freedoms, cracks down on church pastors who preach against such things as abortion and homosexuality, and goes to great lengths to try to get Bradford's show taken off the air. Munch uses the pen name of Jon Truman. Munch was born in Illinois, worked as a radio announcer, became lead vocalist for a rock group, later became a Christian, and was a former pastor at the Athens Lutheran Church. His book is available at Amazon and Barnes & Noble.



Obituaries

• **Evelyn "Evie" Madsen Bettenhausen**, age 83, of Athens, died Monday, September 7th in Walworth, WI. Arrangements will be announced by Ziegler Funeral Home.

TUESDAY'S MARKET REPORT: U.S. stocks rose amid a global stock rally led by Chinese markets. The Chinese stock market surge followed a pattern that suggested state intervention was proping up its equity markets. The Dow Jones Industrial Average was up 390.30 at 16,492.68. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was up 48.19 at 1,969.41, and the NASDAQ Composite Index was up 128.01 at 4,811.93.
 Commodity markets: The spot price of gold rose \$2.38 to \$1,121.78. The spot price of silver rose \$0.27 to \$14.77, and crude oil prices fell \$0.14 to \$45.91.

◆ **MORE COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:**
 ✓ Plans are proceeding for Downtown Athens to participate in the Tennessee Main Street Program. Following City Council approval, Mayor Ann Davis, Council Member Yvonne Raper, and Patti Greek, President of the Downtown Business Association, will meet on September 9, 16, 23 and 30 from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. to prepare the Tennessee Main Street Program application. Those meetings will be held in the Conference Room at the Athens Municipal Building. For more information, call the City Manager's office at 744-2702.



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Feast of Trumpets

The Journey of Grace Church will celebrate the Feast of Trumpets Sunday, September 13 at 5:30 PM at the McMinn Senior Activity Center 205 McMinn Ave. in Athens. Light hors d'oeuvres will be served after a short service and the 'blowing of the shofar'. Everyone welcome. Call 252-0747 or 333-0679.

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