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Band
Reunion**

Sept. 17th 2pm

Athens Regional Park Pavilion
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Thursday, September 1, 2016

Athens, Tennessee

Local & State News

◆ ATHENS ANNOUNCES HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

The Athens Municipal Building, Public Works Department, Recycle Center, and Animal Shelter will be closed on Monday, September 5th, in observance of Labor Day. They will re-open on Tuesday during regular business hours. The residential garbage route for Monday will be picked up on Tuesday. All other routes will remain on the regular schedule.

◆ NEWLY ELECTED BOARD MEMBERS SWORN IN

The newly elected members of the McMinn County School Board were sworn in recently by Chancellor Jeri Bryant. The photo shows Chancellor Bryant with her back to the camera, and board members, left to right: Donna Cagle, Melinda King, Sharon Brown, Johnna Hampton, and Tony Alman. (Photo courtesy of Quinten Howard, School Board chairman)



NATIONAL & STATE NEWS

◆ Two small aircraft collided in midair Wednesday in Alaska, killing all five people on board. The crash happened in midair about 60 miles north of Bethel.

◆ Embattled Brazilian President Dilma Rousseff was booted from office once and for all after a Senate impeachment vote on Wednesday with sixty-one senators voting in favor of permanently removing Rousseff from office. Twenty voted against her impeachment.

◆ The top American general in the Middle East, Gen. Joseph Votel, the commander of U.S. Central Command, said Tuesday at a Pentagon briefing that the Iraqi military is on track to launch an operation to retake Mosul by the end of the year.

◆ Early Wednesday morning, a United Airlines flight bound for London was diverted to Ireland when turbulence left multiple passengers injured and in need of medical treatment.

◆ COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

✓ The McMinn County High School Marching Band is accepting donations for their Annual Yard Sale to be held on September 17th. For drop-off information, call Abbie Headrick at 865-661-2404.

✓ The Cora Veal Senior Center and the Tellico Plains Pilots Association are holding their 2nd annual Fly-In fundraiser this Saturday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Tellico Plains Airport. This is your chance to bring your kids and grandkids and get up close and personal with the pilots and their planes, and even catch a ride. There will be a \$6 BBQ lunch.

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Thursday - Partly cloudy. 50% rain & t'storms. High 89.

Thurs. Night - Partly cloudy. 20% rain. Low 65.

Friday - Partly cloudy. 20% rain & t'storms. High 84.

Fri. Night - Partly cloudy. 10% rain. Low 61.

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RESTAURANT SCORES

The following restaurants and eating facilities were inspected between August 16th and August 24th. A score of 70 and above is passing.

RESTAURANTS:

- Arby's - 99
- Mammie's Diner, Etowah - 98
- Little Caesars - 97
- Buddy's BBQ - 97
- KFC of Athens - 96
- Krystal - 96
- Etta's Diner, Etowah - 95
- Hong Kong King Buffet, Etowah - 95

CAFETERIAS:

- Athens City Middle School - 99
- City Park School - 98

Wednesday's Market Report

U.S. stocks declined as a sharp drop in oil prices weighed on energy stocks. The Dow Jones Industrial Average was down 53.42 at 18,400.88. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was down 5.17 at 2,170.95, and the NASDAQ Composite Index was down 9.77 at 5,213.22. Crude oil prices fell \$1.56 to \$44.79 a barrel.

A HUMMER CHOWS DOWN

Jennifer Hardison says she's been trying all summer to get a really sharp photo of a hummingbird in flight and eating at the same time. Her patience paid off. Enjoy the photo!



Labor Day Family Packs

Michael's
Casual Dining

Enjoy your Labor Day Weekend with a Family Pack

\$29.99

- Feeds 6 to 8
- 2 Lbs Pulled Pork
- 1 Qt Baked Beans
- 1 Qt Slaw
- 1Qt Tater Salad
- 12 Buns
- 1 Pt Housemade BBQ sauce

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Scott Crisp Memorial Pow Wow vendors contact Javier Alfaro: (706) 206-5527 or alfaro@shawinc.com

PUMPKINTOWN

October 8, 2016....10 a.m. until 5 p.m. in historic downtown Athens