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Thursday, September 12, 2019

Athens, Tennessee

Local & Area News

◆ TWU PLANNING DAY OF SERVICE

The 9th annual Tennessee Wesleyan University Day of Service is will be held on Thursday, October 24, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Over 300 students, faculty and staff will head into the community to serve local organizations, performing everything from cleaning, organizing, painting, maintenance, and more. If your non-profit organization would like to host the TWU family for a service project, the school is seeking partnerships for this day of service. If you're a leader of a local non-profit, contact Ashley Harris, TWU Director of Student Involvement at: aharris@tnwesleyan.edu or call 423-746-5224.

◆ STREET CLOSINGS ANNOUNCED

The City of Athens Public Works Department announces the following closures: The areas to be affected are the SIDEWALK and PARKING SPACES 155, 156, 157 and 158 on WHITE STREET from Washington Avenue to Madison Avenue. These closures will continue until Wednesday, November 27, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. for the renovation of a building.

◆ VETERANS RESOURCE EXPO TODAY

The 10th Judicial District Veterans Treatment Court will hold an expo for Veterans and for their families today from 1:30 to 4 p.m. at Wesley Memorial UMC in Cleveland. For info call 423-339-5506 or email: veteranscourtvista@gmail.com

COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN

- ✓ The Athens-McMinn Sea Dragons announces a coaching partnership with Ooltewah Swim Club head coach, Todd Jones and staff. The AMSD swimmers will compete at meets as the YMCA team while training with the coaches from the Chattanooga area at the YMCA pool in Athens. The partnership allows for the school league swimmers to train with OSC coaches at practices. Interested swimmers can still join either league with signups available at the front desk of the YMCA. There will be a parent meeting on September 30th at 4:30 p.m. for the community to learn more about OSC head coach, Todd Jones and the OSC/YMCA partnership.
- ✓ Women at the Well will have their annual Faith Ride on September 28th at 10 a.m. For information, call 745-0010.

◆ Ruby-throated Hummingbird

Jennifer Hardison sent these photos of a beautiful female Ruby-throated hummingbird perched on the limb of a cedar tree.



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 7 p.m. - Bingo & Movie
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Obituaries

♦ **Ann Lee Banks Caylor**, age 85, of Maryville, died Monday at Blount Memorial Hospital in Maryville. A celebration of Ann's life will be held at a later date. Ziegler Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

♦ **Lynette Elaine Sides Sloan**, age 67, of Hendersonville and formerly of Athens, died last Sunday at Hendersonville Medical Center. She worked in the library system for 44 years with 34 of those years in Tennessee. A funeral service will be Friday at 1 p.m. at Ziegler Funeral Home with visitation beginning at 12 noon at Ziegler.

♦ **Lula Ann Hennessee Roberts**, age 95, of Athens, died Monday at her home. She had been associated with Sears and Proffitt's as a sales clerk for many years. A funeral service will be Saturday at 11 a.m. at Union Chapel United Methodist Church with visitation beginning at 11 a.m. Smith Funeral Home is in charge.

WEDNESDAY'S MARKET REPORT: U.S. equities ended higher for the day. Utilities and health care were the top-performing sectors. President Trump continued to urge the U.S. Federal Reserve to lower interest rates. Treasury prices declined as interest rates increased.

The Dow Jones Industrial Average was up 228 points or 0.8% to 27,137. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was up 22 points or 0.7% to 3,001, and the NASDAQ Composite Index was up 86 points or 1.1% to 8,170.

Ribbon Cutting in Etowah

McMinn Primary Care celebrated opening in Etowah with a ribbon cutting hosted by the Etowah Area Chamber of Commerce. McMinn Primary Care provides a wide variety of medical services and is located at 723 N. Tennessee Avenue in Etowah. In the photo is the staff of Primary Care, Government officials and members of the Etowah Chamber of Commerce.

Photo submitted by Durant Tullock



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