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Athens, Tennessee

TWU Academic Awards

◆ During the Tennessee Wesleyan University graduation last Saturday, The Athens Area Chamber of Commerce Awards were given to the graduates who achieved the highest academic average. Dr. Harley Knowles presented the awards. The two seniors receiving the



awards were Allie Dill (above) and Brianna McKinney (right).

Photos by Tommy Botello

Community News You Can Use

- ✓ The LITE House Innovation Center is sponsoring an event next Wednesday, May 18th from 8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. for Women Entrepreneurs. If you are already in business, thinking about starting a business, or currently managing a business, please join them at The LITE House for this networking breakfast that will enlighten the opportunities that are available. The goal of The LITE House Innovation Center is to "Lead Innovators To Excel" (LITE). Call 423-333-0329 for more information.
- ✓ The American Legion Post 68 fish fry scheduled for today at the VFW on Congress Parkway North has been cancelled. The next fish fry is scheduled for the 2nd Friday in June (June 10th).
- ✓ Registration is now open for the Friendly City Co-Ed Adult Softball League for team registration and free agents, for individuals 16 and older, now through June 6. The cost is \$400 per team and \$30 per free agent. Games will be played Tuesdays at 6:30 and 8 p.m. from June 14 to August 2 at Athens Regional Park. For more information or to register, visit the Athens Parks and Recreation Department at 815 N. Jackson Street or call 744.2704, EXT 3, or email recreation@athenstn.gov for more information.
- ✓ The E. K. Baker Elementary School PTO is having an auction today. See their ad below for more information.
- ✓ The INDIGO DYES event with Pat Armstrong, at the McMinn County Living Heritage Museum, will be Saturday, June 4th at 11 a.m. Admission is free to the museum; the program cost is \$5.00.

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1044 County Road 172 - Athens, TN

AUCTION - Friday, May 13 - 6 p.m. - Doors Open at 5 PM

Classroom baskets for each grade level are included! Kibo Japanese Kitchen will be there! The PTO would like to thank local business owners/merchants for donating and helping make this year a success! You don't want to miss it!



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Obituaries

✓ **Rev. Angela Renee Billingsley**, age 76, of Etowah, passed away Wednesday, May 11th, at her home. She was a minister of the gospel for over thirty years. She also worked at Thomas and Betts in Athens for over 30 years. A Homegoing Celebration will be Monday at 2 p.m. at Mt. Olive A.M.E. Zion Church with visitation from 1 to 2 p.m. at the church. Interment will follow the service at New Zion Cemetery in Etowah. M. D. Dotson and Sons Funeral Home of Athens is in charge.

THURSDAY'S MARKET REPORT:

Major equity markets ended mixed, as the Nasdaq closed modestly higher. The S&P finished lower and is inching towards a technical bear market, down 20%. The 10-year Treasury yield is now down to 2.87% levels. The Dow Jones Industrial Average was down 103.81 to 31,730.30. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was down 5.10 to 3,930.08 and the NASDAQ Composite Index was up 6.73 to 11,370.96.

SPORTS NEWS: The University of Tennessee Baseball Team is poised to win the college World Series this year. They are ranked as the number 1 team in the nation and just won the SEC East Title for the second season in a row. You can follow them at this link: utsports.com/sports/baseball

Church News & Events

- If you or someone you know is battling addiction, struggling with anger, or other life issues, Planted In Christ Outreach Fellowship, 317 Maple Street, in Athens, invites you to attend Outreach Deliverance Classes every Thursday at 7:00 p.m.

- If you have suffered the loss of a loved one, Mars Hill Presbyterian Church of Athens now offers a Griefshare program each Sunday at 2:00 p.m. For more information call 423-829-5052.

- The Athens Christian Church is having a carnival on Saturday, May 14th from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. at the church located at 802 South Matlock Road in Athens. There will be bouncy houses, vendors, games, hotdogs, popcorn, and a petting zoo from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the church.

- Jones Chapel United Methodist Church offers Celebrate Recovery every Sunday from 4:45 to 6 p.m., with worship, groups, and a to-go meal.

- Celebrate Recovery meets every Sunday at 6 p.m. at the Englewood Church of God.

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