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## Today's News...This Morning

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Wednesday, July 6, 2022

Athens, Tennessee

## Volunteer Tennessee-Grants

Volunteer Tennessee, the state's governor-appointed commission on volunteerism and service, announced that Tennessee received nearly \$7.4 million in AmeriCorps grant funding from AmeriCorps, the federal agency responsible for national service and volunteer programs. These grants will support nearly 900 AmeriCorps members across the state as they serve with 18 organizations. The AmeriCorps members will tackle critical challenges in Tennessee, including supporting students with tutoring and mentoring, providing health services, restoring the environment, increasing economic opportunities, and recruiting and managing volunteers. Volunteer Tennessee will award grants to nonprofit organizations and public agencies across the state. The law creating AmeriCorps gave a key role to states in determining how national service resources are used and in promoting service and volunteering to meet community needs. A complete list of awards, including organizations and funding totals can be found [here](#)

◆ The guest on the Women at the Well radio show, "Hope From the Well," this week will be Connie McIntosh, Part 2. "Hope From the Well" is heard at 8:15 a.m. Thursday on WYXI RADIO, AM-1390 & FM-94.5.

We encourage you to e-mail community events, church news, or other items of interest for possible use in the Morning Fax. If you take a newsworthy photograph, send it to: [wyxiradio@gmail.com](mailto:wyxiradio@gmail.com)

## Chamber Ribbon Cutting

A ribbon cutting was celebrated recently for new Athens Area Chamber of Commerce member Customer Driven Staffing (CDS) located at 2582 Ingleside Ave Suite 100, Athens. Chamber friends joining the celebration and pictured here left to right are: Front Row- Lisa Rhea, Chamber Diplomat, Jody Hayes, Theresa Rookard, Anderea Long (Customer Driven Staffing-Regional Manager), Caroline Toomey (Customer Driven Staffing-Recruiter), Jennifer Saucedo (Customer Driven Staffing-Branch Manager), Dick Pelley, Athens City Council, and Dannielle McMurray, Chamber Diplomat. Second Row- Holly Goines, Chamber Board Member; Karen Sullivan, Athens Chamber; Rob Preston, Chamber President/CEO; Ashton Burrows, Chamber Diplomat; Jody Montieth, Wes Skinner, Daniel Lakes, Brandon Watkins, Hunter Starr, Chamber Diplomat; and Caleb Ferguson.



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**Wednesday night** - Clearing &  
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**Thursday** - Periods of clouds &  
suns. Possible t'storms. High  
93.

**Thursday night** - T'storms in  
p.m. Cloudy & Humid. Low 76.

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## Obituaries

♦ **James Dennis "J.D." Kopkie**, age 77, of Athens, passed away Friday, July 1st at CHI Memorial Hospital in Chattanooga. He was a native of Battleground, WA and former resident of Blakely, GA before moving to McMinn County in 2018. There will be no formal services at this time. Ziegler Funeral Home is in charge.

♦ **Margaret Violet McCosh Cobble**, age 85, of Niota, passed away Monday, July 4th at her residence. She retired from Athens Products after 29 years of service. A funeral service will be at 7 p.m. Thursday, July 7th at Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home with visitation from 5 to 7 p.m. at Laycock prior to the service. Interment will be in the Niota Cemetery.

♦ **Dan Kenning Choat**, age 88, of Etowah, passed away Sunday, July 3rd at his residence. He had a 38 year career with Bowater in Purchasing culminating as a Senior Buyer. He also owned and operated the Goodsprings Grocery from 1955 to 1978. A funeral service will be at 7 p.m. Thursday at Bordwine Funeral Home with visitation from 5 to 7 p.m. Thursday prior to the service. A committal service will be at 11 a.m. Friday at Goodsprings Cemetery.

## Obituaries Continued

♦ **Richard Matthew Burke**, age 28, of Englewood, passed away Sunday, July 3rd at his residence. He was a native of Athens and resident of Englewood for the past 6 months. He was an assistant maintenance manager for Waupaca Industry. A funeral service will be at 6 p.m. Wednesday, July 6th at Eastanallee Baptist Church with visitation from 3 to 6 p.m. Wednesday prior to the service. Interment will be at Eastanallee Cemetery following the service. Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home is in charge.

**TUESDAY'S MARKET REPORT:** U.S. stocks were mixed. Stocks did see a boost midday. There was an 8% drop in oil prices that brought crude below \$100 per barrel for the first time in two months. Interest rates also declined. The 10-year Treasury yield fell near 2.8%. The Dow Jones Industrial Average was down 129.44 to 30,967.82. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was up 6.06 to 3,831.39, and the NASDAQ Composite Index was up 194.39 to 11,322.24.

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