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Athens, Tennessee

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Around midnight on Wednesday the driver of a 2000 Mercury Villager was traveling north on Hwy 411 in the southbound lane hitting a concrete bridge over the railroad at Co Rd 875 & Hwy 411S, Etowah. The driver was transported by AMR to Erlanger Hospital in Chattanooga. Responding to the scene was Etowah Rural Fire, Englewood Rural Fire, and McMinn County Sheriff's Dept. THP Officer Whitney Stooksbury investigated the accident. Photo by Lynn Ingram, Englewood Rural Fire Department.



Community News You Can Use

✓ **TONIGHT** is the third concert in the 2023 Sounds of Summer series presented by Friendly City Festivals and features country music artist "**Tyson Leamon**". Tyson has years of experience performing locally and nationally. He was also a finalist in the 2020 Tennessee Songwriters Week Showcase and became one of six winners to perform at the Bluebird Café in Nashville in 2022. He will be performing tonight at Market Pavilion in downtown Athens, starting at 7:00 p.m. It's free.

✓ The monthly meeting for the Cherokee Beekeepers Association will be held on Tuesday, June 27, 2023, at 7:00 P.M. The meeting location is at the AgCentral Farmers Cooperative located at 920 Congress Pkwy. N., Athens. The public is welcome and you do not need to be a member to attend.

✓ Local Hiwassee Chapter of the SAR will clean up a local Revolutionary Soldier's Grave site and the Upper Matlock Cemetery on Saturday, June 24th at 10 AM. Also, they are seeking the community's support with labor for this cemetery project. Please bring a rake or a wheelbarrow if you would like to assist the chapter this weekend. The SAR will meet at the Upper Matlock Cemetery across from the Athens Regional Stockyard on the end of McMinn County Road 209, Niota. For more information, contact them at: hiwassee_sar@yahoo.com

✓ The annual American Legion Post 68 July 4th Celebration will be on July 4th 11 am to 2 pm at Market Park in downtown Athens. Free hamburgers, hot dogs, chips, a drink and live music will be provided.

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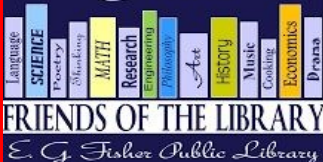


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Obituaries

- ♦ **Carla Hayes of Benton**, passed away on June 20th. She had a long battle with cancer and is finally at rest. She enjoyed watching children and sewing. She will be deeply missed by all who were fortunate enough to know her. Visitation will be Saturday, June 24th at Companion Funeral Home in Cleveland with family visitation at 4:00pm and friends from 5:00 – 7:00pm. Companion Funeral Home of Cleveland is in charge of arrangements.
- ♦ **William Brock "Bill" Haney**, age 83, of Englewood, passed away Thursday, June 22nd at his residence. Funeral arrangements will be announced by Ziegler Funeral Home.
- ♦ **William Joseph Lyons**, age 54, passed away June 20th. He was an avid sports fan but especially enjoyed watching the Florida Gators and worked at Southern Hydraulics. There will be no services held at this time. Good Samaritan Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

TODAY IS:

- National Pecan Sandies Day
- National Hydration Day
- National Detroit-Style Pizza Day
- National Pink Day
- National Take Your Dog To Work Day (Friday after Father's Day)

Church News and Events

- Thomas Brown will be singing at Pope Avenue Baptist Church on Sunday, June 25th at 6 p.m. Everyone is welcome.
- Planted In Christ Outreach Fellowship, 317 Maple Street, in Athens, invites you to attend free 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.
- Celebrate Recovery meets at the following churches: The Englewood Church of God every Sunday at 6 p.m. and Woodward Avenue Church of God every Tuesday at 6 p.m.
- Thomas Brown will be singing at the McMahan Calvary Baptist Church at their morning service on Sunday, July 2nd. Come and be blessed by his singing ministry.

THURSDAY'S MARKET REPORT: Stocks closed mixed. The S&P 500 and Nasdaq closed higher, while the Dow Jones closed lower. Treasury yields also climbed higher. The 2-year Treasury yield closed around 4.79%.

At the closing bell the Dow Jones Industrial Average was down 4.81 to 33,946.71. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was up 16.20 to 4,381.89, and the NASDAQ Composite Index was up 128.41 to 13,630.61.

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