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## Today's News... This Morning

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### Athens Parade Postponed until Dec 19th

✓ The annual “Jimmy Liner Memorial Christmas Parade” that was postponed until Monday, December 12<sup>th</sup>, has been rescheduled for December 19th at 6:30 p.m. in Downtown Athens. The theme for this year’s parade is, “*Downtown Tennessee Christmas*”.

**MONDAY’S MARKET REPORT** Interest rates were higher. The 10 year Treasury yield hit 3.6%. The S&P fell 1.8% and the Dow shed 483 points. China policymakers will ease pandemic restrictions across a number of cities, including an elimination of the testing requirement before entering public transit or venues. China markets have surged recently. At the closing bell, the Dow Jones Industrial Average was down 482.78 to 33,947.10. The S&P 500 was down 72.86 to 3,998.84, and The Nasdaq Composite was down 221.56 to 11,239.94.

### Community News You Can Use

- ✓ Athens City Schools will be providing a free family engagement workshop on Tuesday, December 6<sup>th</sup> at noon. It will be provided by Simmons Bank. The location of the seminar is at ACS Administration Building, 943 Crestway Dr. See ad on page 2.
- ✓ Join the E.G. Fisher Public Library this Winter Break for free activities for the whole family to enjoy. The programs are free, and library cards are not required to participate:
  - Monday, December 19, 12:30 pm – 1:30 pm** - Ornament Making Workshop.
  - Tuesday, December 20, 12:30 pm – 2:30 pm:** Gift Making Workshop. Stations include Shrinky Dink Keychains, Rock Photo Holders, Bath Scents, Glass Magnets, and Gift Tags for Gifts.
  - Wednesday, December 21, 12:30 pm – 2:45 pm** - Cookie Decorating & Holiday Movie: *Elf* - The library will provide everything you'll need to decorate cookies.
  - Thursday, December 22, 10:30 am – 11:30 am** - *Search for Santa in the Wetlands*.
  - Friday, December 23, 10:30 am – 11:30 am** - *Storytime with the Grinch*. The library will be closed Monday, December 26<sup>th</sup>.

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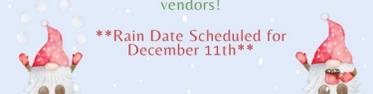
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## Obituaries

◆ **Donald Roger Farris**, age 74, of Madisonville, and formerly of Etowah, passed away on Friday, December 2<sup>nd</sup> in an Athens healthcare facility. He was born in Athens. A graveside service will be Thursday December 8<sup>th</sup> at 2:30 p.m. in the McMinn Memory Gardens. The family will receive friends on Thursday from 12 p.m. until 2 p.m. prior to leaving for the graveside service. Companion Funeral Home of Athens is in charge.

### TODAY IN HISTORY - December 6<sup>th</sup>

- 1790** - Congress moved from New York City to Philadelphia.
- 1907** - The worst mining disaster in U.S. history occurred as 362 men and boys died in a coal mine explosion in Monongah, W.Va.
- 1923** - A presidential address was broadcast on radio for the first time as President Calvin Coolidge spoke to a joint session of Congress.
- 1957** - America's first attempt at putting a satellite into orbit blew up on the launch pad at Cape Canaveral, Fla.
- 1973** - House minority leader Gerald R. Ford was sworn in as vice president, succeeding Spiro T. Agnew, who had resigned after pleading no contest to income tax evasion.
- 1994** - Orange County, Calif., filed for bankruptcy protection due to investment losses of about \$2 billion.

## Ribbon Cutting for Dental Designs of Athens

A ribbon cutting was celebrated recently for new Athens Area Chamber of Commerce member, Dental Designs of Athens, located at 200 N. Jackson St., downtown Athens. Shown here are representatives from Dental Designs of Athens, Chamber Members, elected officials and representatives from the Athens Chamber. Pictured front, left to right are: Veronika Lewis, Tracy Lindner and Abby Bryant (all of Dental Designs of Athens), Dr. Jamie Trott (Owner Dental Designs of Athens), Alicia Trott, Lisa Williams, Lisa Rowland, Donna Burns and Teresa Huff all of Dental Designs of Athens. Photo by Julie Simbeck.



## Financial Workshop for Families

Date: Tuesday, December 6<sup>th</sup>  
 Time: 12:00 p.m.  
 Location: Administration Building  
 943 Crestway Drive

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