

Breaking News



David Copeland, Longtime House Member Who Authored Copeland Cap And Ran For Governor, Dies At 88

Wednesday, June 5, 2019



Rep. David Copeland was honored by UTC in 2015

David Copeland, who had a long tenure in the Tennessee General Assembly and authored the Copeland Amendment as a cap on state spending, has died at the age of 88.

The longtime Ooltewah resident was in the Tennessee House from 1968-1992.

Mr. Copeland ran for Governor in 1994 with his daughter Valerie Copeland Rutledge, as his campaign manager.

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The Political Proxy of:
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\$3 Million in Trust Money to
Unified, so far.

He launched a family business, Copelands, Inc. in 1965. It is still operated by his son, Mike.

Voters approved the Copeland Cap in 1978, limiting the growth of state government.

UTC in 2015 dedicated the Copeland Conference Room. His wife, Mary, was also honored.

Mr. Copeland was long active in the James County Historical Society.



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PHOTOS: Coppinger Urges 34-Cent Tax Hike For Schools

County Mayor Jim Coppinger urged a 34-cent property tax increase for the schools at a press conference outside the County Courthouse (click for more)

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A Woman Of Noble Character

Recently, we said a temporary goodbye to Booncy Ingvalson, a woman of noble character, loved by many of us. She was known for many accomplishments, but the most memorable is her strength and incredible ability to unite two families torn apart by war. A Viet Cong bullet separated the three young Fullam sons, Mike, Mark, and Gary from their father forever; and another bullet placed ... (click for more)

Roy Exum: D-Day & My Life

There was a time in my life where I was plagued by "panic attacks," these awful mental episodes where the afflicted all but lose their grip on life. Between 2005 and 2010 I underwent dozens of surgeries due to a disease called osteomyelitis, which awakens dormant bone infections I will carry for the rest of my life, and it is believed during that long surgical ordeal I developed ... (click for more)

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Chattanooga Lookouts Get Third Straight Win In Tuesday's 5-4 Victory Over Mobile BayBears

Chattanooga escaped the BaybBear's grasp, collecting their third win in a row, and securing the series over the Mobile Baybears 5-4. The Baybears were held scoreless all the way into the eighth inning, when they rallied for four runs, between innings eight and nine, falling short in the ninth with a man in scoring position. Jo Adell, top prospect of the California Angels, went ... (click for more)

Hayes Helps USA U18 3x3 Team Beat New Zealand, Russia In World Cup Play

East Hamilton's Madison Hayes helped the USA U18 3X3 squad defeat No. 10 seed New Zealand, 20-11, and then thumped No. 2 Russia, 19-8, in its first two Group B preliminary round games on Tuesday in the FIBA World Cup being played in Ulaanbatar, Mongolia. Hungary also won twice in Group B, beating Poland, 11-10, and Russia, 14-13. Hayes, the 2019 TSSAA Miss Basketball and ... (click for more)

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Carolyn Lewis Celebrates Her 80th Birthday

Celebrate National Park Night At The Chattanooga Lookouts To Benefit National Park Partners June 24

Rabbits Program Is June 13 At 4-H Animal Group Meeting

First Annual HCSO Fishing With A Deputy Is Saturday

Exploring Chattanooga's Rich History Talk Is June 18

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