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## LOCAL & AREA NEWS

### ♦ MEET THE NEW MISS TENNESSEE

The new Miss Tennessee is Nicole Jordan of Memphis. Miss Jordan is a senior at the University of Alabama, majoring in Musical Theatre. She won the talent preliminary with her rendition of the Celine Dion song "All By Myself." She was crowned Saturday night in Jackson. Miss Chattanooga, Nicole Mazzio, was first runner-up. The photo shows the new Miss Tennessee on the left moments after she was crowned by Miss Tennessee 2009, Stefanie Wittler, of Soddy-Daisy.



### ♦ COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

- ✓ The Living Heritage Museum's "Once Upon a Time" National Heritage Quilt Show, to be held Sept. 4-Oct. 29, is accepting applications through June 30. Call 745-3029 for more information.
- ✓ The McMinn County Commission meets tonight at 7:30 p.m.
- ✓ The McMinn County High School 40-year Class Reunion will be held Aug. 7. Call 745-0790, 744-9591, or 887-5124 for details.


## NATIONAL & WORLD NEWS

- ♦ Many residents of the Gulf coast are infuriated because BP chief Tony Hayward took Saturday off from the oil spill cleanup to attend an exclusive yachting competition in England.
  - ♦ The mother of Joran van der Sloot, the main suspect in the killing of a young woman in Peru last month and in the 2005 disappearance of Alabama teenager Natalee Holloway, says her son suffers from mental problems.
  - ♦ Two suicide car bombers struck a crowded area outside a state-run bank Sunday in Baghdad, killing nearly 30 people in the latest attack targeting a high-profile part of the capital.
  - ♦ Randy Owen, lead singer for the group Alabama, is undergoing treatment for prostate cancer. Owen, 60, says the treatment has been successful and he plans to resume touring in September.
- UPDATE:** Last week, we reported about the 8-year-old Rhode Island boy who got into trouble for bringing a homemade patriotic hat to school that displayed a flag and toy soldiers with tiny guns in violation of the school's zero tolerance policy on weapons. Since then, the youngster has received a medal from the Rhode Island National Guard. Now, school officials are reviewing their policy to see if it is too strict.

### McMinn Co. High School Class of 1970 40 Year Class Reunion - August 7, 2010

For Info., call Becki Schreck, 423-745-0790 or e-mail [bjreck@comcast.net](mailto:bjreck@comcast.net)  
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**Stonehaus Deli & Bakery, 601 Madison Ave. (745-9116)**  
Hamburger & fries, \$4.99; Loaded Grilled Cheese & fries, \$4.99, Chicken Strips, fries & toast, \$4.99, Hamburger Steak w/potato choice, \$4.99.  
Starting June 28th, Stonehaus will be open for breakfast, 6:30-10am.

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The Gem Players announce auditions for **Showtime at First Baptist**  
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 June 27 at 3:00pm  
 June 28 @ 7:00 pm  
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We encourage you to e-mail announcements of community events, church news, or other items of interest for possible use in the Morning Fax. Also, if you have a newsworthy photograph, email it to us at: [wysi@bellsouth.net](mailto:wysi@bellsouth.net)

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### Digging For History

A group of fourth and fifth graders got a chance to unearth a little history at the McMinn County Living Heritage Museum's Archeology Camp last week. Under the supervision of Lisa Chastain, curator of exhibits, children used trowels, brushes, and screens to uncover and examine Native American "artifacts," including pottery shards and arrow heads in a specially prepared dig put outside the Museum.



### OBITUARIES

**Rickey Larry Crowe**, age 42, of Athens died last Thursday at Parkwest Medical Center. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Ziegler Funeral Home, with visitation from 5 to 8 p.m. Monday.

**Grace Cannon Womac**, age 88, of Athens died Saturday at Athens Regional Medical Center. She was a retired school teacher, with most of her years spent teaching at City Park Elementary School. Funeral services will be at 7 p.m. Tuesday at Smith Funeral Home, with visitation from 5 to 7 p.m.

### SCHOLASTIC WINNER

Last Tuesday, we published a photo of the awards recipients in the McMinn County Junior Miss Program. The photo of Holly Higgins was inadvertently omitted. She was the winner of the Scholastic Achievement Award. Her photo is shown to the right.



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