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LOCAL & AREA NEWS

◆ AGENCIES MAY LOSE TAX EXEMPT STATUS

More than 400 non-profit entities around Southeast Tennessee, including several in McMinn County, will lose their tax-exempt status with the IRS if they don't file tax returns for the past three years by October 15th. Some of the organizations which have not filed their returns include the American Legion posts in Athens and Etowah, the Chilhowee Shriners, the Etowah Lions Club, the McMinn County Amateur Radio Club, the Friends of the Niota Public Library, and the Dairy Herd Improvement Association in Etowah.

◆ COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

√ Habitat for Humanity of McMinn County is currently building a home on Ivory Lane. They are looking for volunteers with construction experience who could serve as "site construction supervisor" for the volunteer workers. Call Frank Davis at 920-4170 or Terry Ulm at 920-7719 for more details.

√ MADCAT invites you to a Community Parent Night Meeting to discuss youth prescription drug abuse Monday, October 11, from 6 to 7:30 p.m. in the MCHS cafeteria and Tuesday, October 7, from 6 to 7:30 p.m. in the Etowah City School cafeteria.

√ MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers) will have a consignment sale from 7 a.m. to 12 noon Saturday at the McMinn Senior Center.

NATIONAL-WORLD NEWS

◆ Security officials removed passengers from a US Airways flight bound for Bermuda at Philadelphia International Airport on Thursday after reports that someone was helping to load the plane without a security badge. Passengers were evacuated and bomb-sniffing dogs checked the plane and the baggage for explosives. None were found.

◆ Health experts say a surprising jump in the number of Americans hobbled by arthritis may be due to obesity. The Centers for Disease Control says about 22% of adults have doctor-diagnosed arthritis.

◆ Forbes magazine ranks First Lady Michelle Obama number one on its annual list of the 100 most powerful women in the world. Forbes says Mrs. Obama has been a "true change-maker" since coming to the White House. It cites her high approval ratings, her status as a role model, and her campaign against childhood obesity.

◆ Although jobless claims hit a 3-month low, the stock market slipped on Thursday. The Dow Jones Industrials Average closed at 10,948.58; down 19.07 points.

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE: MCHS hosts Bradley Central (Homecoming), McMinn Central is at Kingston, & Meigs County is at home against Pigeon Forge (Homecoming). Tennessee plays at Georgia on Saturday. Kickoff is at 12:21 p.m. with coverage on the SEC Network.

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MOPS

Consignment Sale

October 9th 7am-12pm
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Come check us out before heading to Pumpkintown!

Children's Items, household items, furniture, toys, books, clothing, shoes, too many items to list!

Athens, Tennessee

Who's New In Pink & Blue ?

Rafael Howard was born October 5 at Athens Regional Medical Center. He weighed 7 pounds and 2 ounces and was 20½ inches long. His mother is Karolina Pierko of Athens.

Remington Dalton Bean was born October 2 at ARMC. He weighed 8 pounds and 3 ounces and was 20 inches long. His parents are Candice Roderick and Daniel Bean of Decatur.

Anna Cate Stoner was born October 1 at ARMC. She weighed 8 pounds and 12 ounces and was 20½ inches long. Her parents are Heather and Adam Stoner of Athens.

Obituaries

Garland E. "Jack" Pierce, age 84, of Athens died Thursday at Athens Regional Medical Center. He was retired from Bowater and was a WWII veteran serving with the U.S. Marine Corps. Funeral services will be at 2pm Sunday at Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home with visitation from noon to 2pm on Sunday at Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home.

Ellen McNabb Harrison, age 84, of Athens died Wednesday at Athens Regional Medical Center. She was retired from Morgan Manufacturing. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Friday at East Athens Baptist Church, with visitation from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the church. Smith Funeral Home is in charge.

Margaret Ruth Miller Aldridge, age 85, of Athens died Thursday at her home. She was retired from Athens Hosiery Mill. Graveside services at 11 a.m. Saturday at McMinn Memory Gardens. Visitation will be from 6 to 8 p.m. Friday at Laycock-Hobbs.

Church News & Events

- Brenda Braswell will be the featured singer at the Friday Night Gospel Singing, 7 p.m. tonight, at the Cooke Ministry Center at 714 Walter Street in Athens.

- The Etowah Church of Christ will have it's Homecoming this Sunday. Worship service starts at 10:30 a.m. Lunch will follow in the Fellowship Hall. Everyone is welcome.

PUMPKINTOWN QUILT SHOW

The Heritage Quilt Guild Quilt Show will take place today and tomorrow, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., at The Arts Center as part of Pumpkintown. Over 100 quilts will be displayed, including the "USA" quilt which the Heritage Quilt Guild members made for the World Quilt Carnival in Japan in 2005. The photo



shows JoAnn Love with the USA quilt.

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McMinn Co. High School - Cafeteria

Tues., Oct. 12th 6 pm-7:30 pm

Etowah City School - Cafeteria

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1871 - The great Chicago Fire started when Mrs. O'Leary's cow kicked over a lantern in a barn. More than 250 people were killed and 17,000 buildings were destroyed. Over 90,000 people were left homeless.

1890 - American World War One flying ace Eddie Rickenbacker was born. He shot down 22 enemy planes. Later, he became president of Eastern Airlines.

1905 - The very first hair permanent was given by Charles Nesser of England. Nesser invented a machine that could wave a woman's hair in five hours.

1918 - Sergeant Alvin York of Tennessee became a World War One hero by capturing a hill in the Argonne Forest of France. He killed 25 enemy soldiers and captured 132 others single-handedly.

1945 - President Truman announced that atomic bomb secrets would be shared only with Britain and Canada.

1970 - Soviet author Alexander Solzhenitsyn received the Nobel Prize for literature.

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