

## HOW TO GET A JOB 101

(Workshop, Free of Charge)

JULY 21, 2015

Session 1: 10am-12noon;

Session 2: 2am-4pm at

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Thursday, July 16, 2015

Athens, Tennessee

## State & Local News

### ◆ STORM AFTERMATH CAUSES FLOODING

McMinn County escaped the worst of the storms that moved across Southeast Tennessee on Tuesday. McMinn County Highway Commissioner Dan Evans says a lot of trees and tree limbs were blown down, especially in the Tranquility and Mt. Verd areas. He also says a few roads were flooded, including Co. Rd. 185 below.



## NATIONAL & WORLD NEWS

◆ Federal authorities say they've taken down one of the biggest internet forums for cyber criminals in the world called DarkCode which is the most sophisticated criminal cybersite in the world. Professional hackers used the site as a secret online meeting place to sell and purchase information and tools, and to swap ideas on potential targets. On Wednesday, authorities charged 70 alleged DarkCode members from 20 countries.

◆ Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu, says that President Obama's nuclear agreement with Iran puts both the U.S. and Israel in danger, while Obama defended the nuclear deal with Iran, saying it "represents a powerful display of American leadership and diplomacy."

◆ Lay's Potato Chips mystery flavors for 2015 are Wavy West Coast Truffle Fries, Southern Biscuits and Gravy, New York Reuben and Kettle Cooked Greektown Gyro. Fans who nominated the flavors now have a chance to win the ultimate prize of \$1 million.

### BARN DESTROYED IN MONROE COUNTY

Lisa Cochran took this photo of a barn that was destroyed by high winds off U.S. 411 south of Madisonville.



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### WEATHER

**Thursday** - Mostly sunny. Highs in the upper 80's to lower 90's.

**Thursday night** - Mostly clear. Lows around 70.

**Friday** - Mostly sunny. Highs in the lower to mid 90's.

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## WHEN RADIO WAS

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### Stores Remove Scouring Pads

Several stores in McMinn County, including most convenience stores, have agreed to remove copper scouring pads from their shelves after being informed by the MADCAT Coalition that the pads are being used by crack cocaine smokers. A MADCAT spokesman says smokers remove the copper strands from the scouring pads and make them into screens or filters for crack pipes. Cleveland Dollar and Price Less are the latest stores to remove the items. The Price Less manager says more of the pads were being stolen than sold at his store. One of the most popular brands is Chore-Boy, but other copper scour pads are sold under generic labels. A photo is shown above. MADCAT asks that if you see these pads in stores where you shop, ask the manager to consider removing them.



#### ◆ COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

✓ **CORRECTION:** The E.G. Fisher Library's morning hike with Ranger Angelo will be today. However, there is a change in the meeting place for the hike. Participants should meet at the parking area where Highway 64 and Highway 30 intersect at 10 a.m. It will be a 2-mile hike to a beautiful waterfall and swimming hole.

### Regional News

◆ Another East Tennessee man has died as a result of a wasp sting. A 67-year-old Bradley County man was trimming bushes when he was stung. A friend found him inside his truck with the engine running. Paramedics found a packet of Benadryl that he had apparently rubbed on his hands in an effort to treat the reaction from the wasp sting. Paramedics found a wasp nest near the bushes where the victim was working. Earlier this summer, a McMinn County man died after he was stung by a wasp.

#### ◆ MORE COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

- ✓ Applications are now being accepted for the Leadership McMinn Class of 2016. Leadership McMinn is a program sponsored by the Athens Area Chamber of Commerce designed to recognize and train future leaders in McMinn County. Participants will spend one Wednesday per month learning about McMinn County history, news media, government, industry, health services, criminal justice, and community involvement. Applications are available at the Chamber office, 13 N. Jackson Street.
- ✓ McMinn Central Baseball's Dugout Club will have a car wash in the parking lot of First Volunteer Bank in Etowah this Saturday from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Donations will be accepted.
- ✓ The Adult Summer Reading Program at the Etowah Carnegie Library next Tuesday, July 21st, will give you a chance to learn to knit and/or crochet. If you want to learn to knit, bring size 10 needles and worsted weight yarn (Red Heart). If you want to learn to crochet, bring any size "G" hook and yarn. The classes are free.

### TODAY IN HISTORY - July 16

- 1790** - Congress designated the District of Columbia as the permanent seat of the U.S. government.
- 1872** - Norwegian explorer Roald Amundsen was born. He discovered the South Pole in 1911.
- 1935** - The first parking meters in the U.S. were installed in Oklahoma City.
- 1945** - The first test of the atomic bomb was conducted at a super-secret base near Alamogordo, New Mexico. The bomb was nicknamed "Fat Boy." A short time later, World War II was hastened to an end when U.S. planes dropped atomic bombs on two Japanese cities.
- 1965** - Country singer Craig Morgan was born. One of his biggest hits is "That's What I Love About Sunday."
- 1969** - Apollo 11, the first moon-landing mission, was launched from the Kennedy Space Center in Florida. Aboard were astronauts Neil Armstrong, Edwin "Buzz" Aldrin, and Michael Collins.
- 1980** - Ronald Reagan was unanimously nominated as the Republican candidate for president at the G-O-P National Convention in Detroit.
- 1981** - Jack Nicklaus played his worst round of professional golf. He scored a 13-over-par 83 at the British Open. He came back the next day, however, and whipped the field with a four-under-par 66.
- 1999** - John F. Kennedy Jr., his wife, Carolyn, and her sister died when the single-engine plane Kennedy was piloting plunged into the Atlantic Ocean near Martha's Vineyard, Mass.
- 2004** - Martha Stewart was sentenced to five months in prison and five months of home confinement by a federal judge for lying about a stock sale.