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Friday, August 12, 2016

Athens, Tennessee

### State & Local News

#### ◆ STATE PROBES HILLSVIEW FIRE DEPT.

The Tennessee Comptroller's Office is raising questions about the Hillsview Volunteer Fire Department in McMinn County. Investigators are questioning \$6400 that was spent without adequate documentation to determine if the money was used for legitimate purposes or for the personal benefit of its members. They also say the fire department violated state law when it raffled a television and a .22 rifle during fund-raising events. Under state law, only qualified non-profits may conduct certain games of chance, including raffles. The Hillsview Fire Department is not a registered not-for-profit organization. Investigators also found numerous deficiencies in Hillsview's financial operations, including allowing one member to have too much control over financial transactions, signing checks prior to making a purchase, and failing to deposit fund-raising collections. The Comptroller's Office has turned its findings over to the District Attorney's office.



### NATIONAL - WORLD NEWS

◆ The Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) has denied two petitions to reclassify marijuana as a less dangerous drug. It will remain a Schedule I drug, the most restrictive category under federal drug control laws along with Heroin and LSD.

◆ Real weapons will not be used at future Citizen Police Academy events after a 73-year-old Florida woman was fatally shot with a live round at an event on Tuesday. The tragic accident occurred during a two-hour training session hosted by the Punta Gorda Police Department.

#### ◆ FIRE BURNS THREE ACRES ON CR 470

The Englewood and Etowah Rural Fire Departments were called out Wednesday afternoon to help contain a fire that began as a controlled burn on County Road 470. Englewood Chief Billy Roach was in control at the scene. The Tennessee Forestry Division assisted in containing the fire which covered about three acres.

(Photo by Lynn Ingram of the Englewood Rural Fire Dept.)



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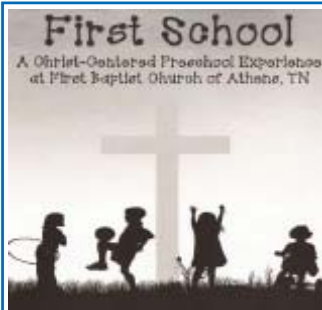
#### WEEKEND WEATHER

Friday - Mostly sunny. 20% rain & t'storms. High- 92.  
Friday night - Clear. 10% rain & t'storms. Lows - lower 70's.  
Saturday - Partly cloudy. 20% rain & t'storms. Highs - lower 90's.  
Sunday - Partly cloudy. 20% rain & t'storms. Highs - upper 80's.  
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## Church News & Events

~ The Annual Men and Women's Conference will be held at the Oak Grove Missionary Baptist Church in Niota Saturday and Sunday. On Saturday, there will be a luncheon at 11 a.m. The speakers will be Ministers James and Sandra Wilkes from Madisonville. Minister Sandra Wilkes will speak at the 11 a.m. service on Sunday and Rev. James Wilkes will speak at the 3 p.m. service on Sunday. Dinner will be catered. If you plan to eat, call 507-3933 so they can have a headcount.

~ A benefit singing, dinner, and auction for Katie McGill will be held Saturday at the Nonaburg House of Prayer, Highway 39 East of Englewood. A bean dinner starts at 2 p.m., the auction starts at 3, and the singing starts at 7 p.m. featuring *Recognized* and *The Revelations*.

~ Glorybound Church on Isbill Road in Madisonville will have The Russell Family singing in the evening service on Sunday, August 21st, at 6 p.m.

~ August is Heritage Month at Fairview Baptist Church. Dr. Mike Norris, pastor of Franklin Road Baptist Church in Murfreesboro, will be speaking during Sunday School, the morning worship hour, and during the evening service at 10 a.m., 11 a.m., and 6 p.m. this coming Sunday. The public is invited and a nursery is provided.



## OBITUARIES

• **Billy Ray Morgan**, age 50, of Madisonville, died Wednesday. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Sunday at Serenity Funeral Home with visitation from 5 to 8 p.m. Saturday at Serenity.

• **Kenneth McCumber, Jr.**, age 68, of Florida, and formerly of Decatur, died August 2nd. A memorial service will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday at Mountain View Memorial Gardens. Bowers Funeral Home of Decatur is in charge.

**THURSDAY'S MARKET REPORT:** The Dow Jones Industrial Average was up 117.86 at 18,613.52. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was up 10.30 at 2,185.79, and the NASDAQ Composite Index was up 23.82 at 5,228.40.

### ◆ COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

✓ The Sounds of Summer concert at Market Park in Downtown Athens this week features Calling Glory. The opening act is Nicole "Coley" Jones. There will be free home made ice cream from the "Hit & Miss" Ice Cream Company. The concert is sponsored by state Rep. John Forgety and starts at 7 p.m. Saturday.

✓ Registration is underway for a variety of arts classes and workshops for children of all ages to be held this fall. For information, call the Athens Area Council for the Arts at 745-8781.

✓ The Athens Parks Department will host its 4th Annual "Bash for the Cash" Wiffle Ball tournament on August 27th. The tournament is open to all age groups. For more information, call 744-2704.

### IN HONOR OF OUR VETERANS



**State Rep. John Forgety** invites you to Sounds of Summer free concert this Saturday, Aug. 13 @ 7 PM at Market Park in Downtown Athens. Headliner is "Calling Glory". Opening Act is Nicole "Coley" Jones.

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