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Thursday, April 4, 2019

Athens,

Local & Area News

◆ WOW, THAT'S A WHOPPER!

Jeremy Lorenz of Michigan now holds the state record for yellow perch after catching a two pound five ounce fish on Ocoee Number 3 in Polk County. Lorenz caught the big fish on March 26th. The previous record was two pounds three ounces. Lorenz was visiting a cousin, Eric Reed of Birchwood, to fish for a few days. After purchasing a three-day license, the two men headed to Ocoee Number 3. They were using minnows as bait as they fished in windy, drizzly conditions. With just a few minnows left, Reed saw a bald eagle and remembered that their grandfather had taught them as children to watch and learn from nature. They headed to the spot where the eagle was circling and threw their lines into the water. That's when Lorenz felt the familiar run of the line and managed to reel in the large perch, which measured 15.75 inches. (Photo by TWRA)



Community News You Can Use

- ✓ The annual Trash and Treasure Sale continues at the former American Bedding building at 276 Dennis Street. The sale hours are 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Thursday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Friday, and 10 a.m. to 12 noon on Saturday. Proceeds benefit the McMinn Living Heritage Museum.
- ✓ Full Circle will hold its annual fundraising luncheon next Thursday, April 11th, at St. Mary Catholic Church. The guest speaker is Abby Johnson, former manager of a Planned Parenthood abortion clinic whose story is told in the movie "Unplanned." The lunch goes from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. For tickets, call 744-3005. Proceeds benefit Full Circle Medical Center for Women.
- ✓ A household hazardous waste mobile collection service will be provided this Saturday at Etowah City School. You are encouraged to bring household hazardous waste, including cleaning fluids, pesticides, batteries, etc. The hours are 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Items not accepted include ammunition, explosives, alkaline batteries, paint, electronics, and any empty containers that should be disposed of in normal trash.



Join us Thursday Evening April 4th
6pm - 8pm for our first **Girls Night Out**
Sip and Shop New Arrivals at our New
Location 2012 Decatur Pike
(inside Black Friday Deals)
Invite Your Friends to Join the Fun!

We will be closing at 4 to prepare the store for all the fun!

RESTAURANT SPOTLIGHT



April Specials >>> 2 Bacon, Egg, & Cheese Biscuits \$3.50 • Salad & Drink Combo \$5
• 12 Pc Chicken Box w/ 6 Biscuits \$24.99
• 5 Meals for \$5 Ea • 32 oz Tea \$1.00

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WEATHER FORECAST

Thursday - Mostly cloudy.
High 72.
Thursday Night - 81% rain.
Low 54.
Friday - Cloudy. 56% rain.
High 70.
Friday Night - 20% rain. Low 52.
More Weather at: wysi.com



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Athens, Tennessee

Obituaries

♦ **Linda Lou Wilson Webb**, age 69, of Athens, died Tuesday at NHC Healthcare of Athens. She was a former elementary school teacher in special education. Funeral services will be at 7 p.m. Thursday at Clear Springs Baptist Church, with visitation from 5 to 7 p.m. at the church. Ziegler Funeral Home is in charge.

WEDNESDAY'S MARKET REPORT: U.S. stocks ended the day higher with the basic materials and technology sectors leading the way. Corporate news was light for the day, and in economic news, the ADP employment report indicated that 129,000 private sector jobs were added in March.

The Dow Jones Industrial Average was up 39 points or 0.1% to 26,218. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was up 6 points or 0.2% to 2,873, and the NASDAQ Composite Index was up 47 points or 0.6% to 7,896.

REMEMBER THE 1974 TORNADOES?

In case it slipped by unnoticed, yesterday-April 3rd-was the anniversary of the two tornadoes that hit Etowah. It was mid to late afternoon when the twisters struck on April 3, 1974. Two people were killed and 50 were injured. Dozens of houses and businesses were destroyed or heavily damaged, including the Carwood Manufacturing plant, the Town and Country Restaurant, two gas stations on Tennessee Avenue, and the East Etowah Church of God.

March Home Sales in McMinn

Tennessee Valley Appraisal Services reports there were 44 home sales in McMinn County in March. A sampling of the sales can be found below:

County Rd 60, Athens -	\$342,500
County Rd 282, Niota -	\$310,000
County Rd 80, Riceville -	\$240,000
County Rd 364, Niota -	\$237,900
County Rd 578, Englewood -	\$233,500
County Rd 326, Sweetwater -	\$226,500
County Rd 775, Riceville -	\$225,000
English Lane, Athens -	\$213,000
Athenian St., Athens -	\$205,000
County Rd 571, Englewood -	\$198,800
Miami St., Athens -	\$185,000
County Rd 146, Riceville -	\$175,000
County Rd 550, Athens -	\$170,000
County Rd 50, Riceville -	\$175,000
Housley Drive, Athens -	\$170,000
County Rd 137, Riceville -	\$168,500
Keith Lane, Athens -	\$167,500
County Rd 79, Riceville -	\$164,000
County Rd 146, Riceville -	\$162,900
County Rd 587, Englewood -	\$160,000
Woodlawn Circle, Athens -	\$154,000



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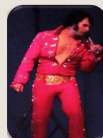
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Ronnie Miller
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