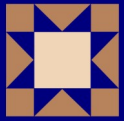


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## Today's News... This Morning

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Athens, Tennessee

### Community News You Can Use

- ✓ A Palm Sunday Community Service will be held on Sunday, April 10th at the Niota Elementary School Gym beginning at 6 p.m. Everyone is welcome to attend.
- ✓ The Meigs County FFA greenhouse sale will be at the Meigs County High School on April 9th, 16th, and 23rd from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. They will have a variety of vegetables, herbs, annuals, and perennials.
- ✓ The Etowah Chamber's Annual Easter Egg Hunt will be Saturday, April 9 at 11 a.m. at the L&N Depot Lawn. Games, ice cream, small crafts and activities will take place before and after the egg hunt. Children ages 2-10 are welcome to participate in the egg hunt.
- ✓ McMinn County 4-H is hosting a tomato project. The project is open to 4<sup>th</sup> thru 8<sup>th</sup> graders and is \$5 to join McMinn 4-H will partner with McMinn County FFA this year. Participants will receive two plants that can be picked up from the MCHS Greenhouse on May 20<sup>th</sup> between 3 and 6 p.m. The 4-H'ers will grow their plants and bring three (3) tomatoes to the Tomato Show at the Athens Farmers Market on August 13th at 9:45am. There will be fun categories to enter like the best in show, ugliest, best recipe, and several more. Space is limited. For more information call 423-745-2852.
- ✓ The McMinn Senior Center is closed for repairs and maintenance. No one is permitted inside the Center for safety reasons. Meals on Wheels will be delivered as normal. Weekend meals will be distributed on Friday outside instead of inside the Center.

### Top Ten Baby Names In Tennessee for 2022

✓ The top baby names in Tennessee for 2022 have been released with some new additions to the annual list. Names.org released their Most Popular Baby names in Tennessee 2022 list based on Social Security Administration data on births and user interest on the company's website. Listed below are the 10 most popular names for boys and girls in Tennessee for 2022.

#### BOYS

1. Liam
2. William
3. Noah
4. James
5. Elijah
6. Oliver
7. Henry
8. Wyatt
9. Asher
10. Levi

#### GIRLS

1. Olivia
2. Ava
3. Amelia
4. Emma
5. Charlotte
6. Harper
7. Evelyn
8. Willow
9. Sophia
10. Elizabeth

#### RESTAURANT SPOTLIGHT



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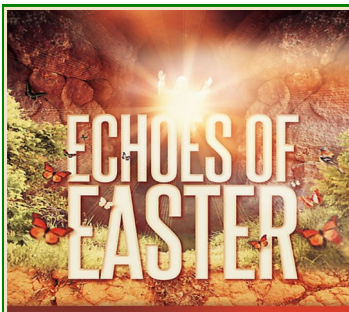
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### Obituaries

### Wednesday's Market Report

♦ **Carson Lee Hamby, Jr.**, age 53 of Niota, passed away Tuesday, April 5th, at his home. He had worked for Heil and was an announcer for Riceville and Meigs County Youth football games. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Saturday, April 9th, at Ziegler Funeral Home with visitation from 5 to 7 p.m. Friday at Ziegler.

♦ **Dustin Ray Russell**, age 40 of McMinn County, passed away at his home on Sunday, April 3rd. No formal services are planned at this time. A Celebration of Life service will be held later. Companion Funeral Home of Athens is in charge.

U.S. equities finished lower as bond yields continue to rise. German and Chinese economic data disappointed, with the war in Ukraine weighing on Europe's largest economy and a COVID-19 outbreak in China triggering renewed lockdowns. At the closing bell, The Dow Jones Industrial Average was down 144.67 to 34,496.51. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was down 43.97 to 4,481.15, and the NASDAQ Composite Index was down 315.35 to 13,888.82.

### COVID-19 VIRUS UPDATE

Weekly Summary: 03/27/22 - 04/02/22  
 There were 245 cases (per day) and 18 deaths (per day) last week

Tennessee: 2,021,350 Total Cases 25,647 Total Deaths

| COUNTY  | CASES  | ACTIVE | DEATHS |
|---------|--------|--------|--------|
| McMinn  | 16,673 | 10     | 252    |
| Meigs   | 3,384  | 1      | 55     |
| Monroe  | 14,509 | 7      | 236    |
| Polk    | 4,729  | 2      | 71     |
| Bradley | 33,104 | 20     | 406    |
| Rhea    | 9,970  | 4      | 154    |

Covid-19 update information from the Tennessee Department of Health is updated on Saturday and posted to their website each Wednesday.

### TODAY IN HISTORY - APRIL 7<sup>th</sup>

**30 A.D.** - According to many scholars, Jesus Christ was crucified by Roman soldiers in Jerusalem on this date.

**1778** - Many people believe the first baseball game in the U.S. took place on this date at Valley Forge, Pennsylvania. The game probably developed from a similar game called "rounders." In rounders, fielders put out base runners by throwing the ball at them and hitting them.

**1862** - Union forces led by Gen. Ulysses S. Grant defeated the Confederates at the battle of Shiloh in Tennessee.

**1927** - An audience in New York saw an image of Commerce Secretary Herbert Hoover in the first successful long-distance demonstration of television.

**1935** - Country singer Bobby Bare was born. His hit records include "Detroit City" and "Daddy, What If?"

**2001** - NASA's Mars Odyssey spacecraft was launched on a six-month, 286-million-mile journey to the red planet.



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#### Contact

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