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Tuesday, May 24, 2022

Athens, Tennessee

Motorcycle Wreck on Hwy 307

Saturday night at 9:30 the driver of a 2001 Kawasaki motorcycle was driving on State Highway 307 at Coounty Road 350, Sweetwater, when he stated that an animal ran out in front him causing him to wreck the bike. AMR transported the driver to Sweetwater Hospital. Niota Rural Fire and Englewood Rural Fire Departments responded along with McMinn County Sheriff's Department Sgt. Nathan Stiles who investigated the accident. Photo by Lynn Ingram, Englewood Rural Fire Dept.



Community News You Can Use

- ✓ Gospel singer Gary Winningham will be at Bojangles in Athens today, May 24th, at 7 p.m. for their weekly gospel singing.
- ✓ The Good Faith Clinic will be open on Tuesday, May 24 (today), at 3:00 p.m. for refills and AT 3:30 p.m. for Doctor Visits. The Good Faith Clinic is for residents of McMinn and Meigs Counties that do not have health insurance and are under the age of 65. The clinic is located at 18 South Congress Parkway in Athens on the campus of Christ Community Church.
- ✓ The Athens-McMinn Family YMCA is participating in the Summer Food Service Program. Meals will be provided to all children without charge and are the same for all children regardless of race, color, national origin, sex, age, disability, and reprisal or retaliation for prior civil rights activity, and there will be no discrimination in the course of the meal service (not all prohibited bases apply to all programs.) Below is a link for the full list of the sites:

[lunch.https://www.athensmcminnymca.org/programs/y-fly](https://www.athensmcminnymca.org/programs/y-fly)

LISTENING REMINDER: The guest on Main Street Moments will be Brianna Baker with Athens Parks and Recreation Department. The program will be heard at 8:15 a.m. today on WYXI RADIO: AM-1390 and FM-94.5.

RESTAURANT SPOTLIGHT



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TODAY IN HISTORY - MAY 24th

1607 - English colonists landed near the James River in Virginia and established Jamestown, the first colony in the New World.

1775 - John Hancock was elected President of the Continental Congress, succeeding Peyton Randolph.

1883 - The Brooklyn Bridge opened, linking the New York boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn.

1937 - San Francisco's famous Golden Gate Bridge opened.

1941 - The British battleship H.M.S. "Hood" was sunk by the German battleship "Bismarck" between Greenland and Iceland, touching off a massive search which ended with the sinking of the Bismarck.

1955 - Singer Roseanne Cash, the daughter of Johnny Cash, was born.

1962 - Astronaut Scott Carpenter became the second American to orbit the Earth as he flew aboard Aurora 7.

1994 - Four men convicted of bombing New York's World Trade Center in 1993 were each sentenced to 240 years in prison.

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Athens, Tennessee

Obituaries

- ♦ **Catherine L. Melton**, age 97, of Athens, passed away at Morning Pointe on Saturday. She was born in Athens. She worked for South Central Bell in Chattanooga in her early career. She finished her career there as a manager before retiring to Athens in the early 1980's to be near her family. A memorial service will be at 4 p.m. Wednesday at Keith Memorial United Methodist Church with visitation at the church from 3 to 4 p.m. prior to the service. A private family burial will be held at a later date. Smith Funeral & Cremation Services of Athens is in charge.
- ♦ **Ruby Alma Benton Elkins**, passed away Monday at her home. Arrangements will be announced by Smith Funeral Home.
- ♦ **Broughton Blair**, age 86, of Etowah, passed away Monday, May 23rd. Arrangements will be announced by Bordwine Funeral Home of Etowah.
- ♦ **Evelyn Daugherty**, age 64, of Englewood, passed away Monday, May 23rd. Arrangements will be announced by Bordwine Funeral Home of Etowah.
- ♦ **Evelyn "Tiny" Malone Geren**, age 84, of Athens, passed away, Sunday in NHC of Athens. She was a native and lifelong resident of McMinn County. She retired from Athens Stove Works. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m., Wednesday at Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home with visitation from noon to 2 p.m. at the funeral home prior to the service.

Brick Ceremony at Veterans Memorial Park

A brick ceremony was held Sunday afternoon at Veterans Memorial Park. This ceremony was almost 20 years to the date from the first ceremony held at Veterans Memorial Park. Bricks for Veterans can be ordered from the Athens Parks and Recreation Department. Phone: (423) 744-2705 for details. (Photo by Brianna Baker, Athens Parks & Rec.)



MONDAY'S MARKET REPORT Equities closed higher as major U.S. indices were up over 1.5%. The S&P 500 is now down about -17% for the year. The technology-heavy Nasdaq remains in bear market territory. The U.S. 10-year Treasury yield inched higher, now at 2.86% levels. Energy prices remain high, with WTI crude oil still hovering above \$110 levels, as demand from China may start to rise as lockdowns ease. The Dow Jones Industrial Average was up 618.34 to 31,880.24. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was up 72.39 to 3,973.75, and the NASDAQ Composite Index was up 180.66 to 11,535.28.



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