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# MORNING FAX™

## Today's News...This Morning

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**SHONEY'S** May 27 Memorial Day  
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Friday-May 24, 2013

Athens, Tennessee

### LOCAL & AREA NEWS

#### ◆ MAINE MAN CHARGED WITH CHILD PORN

Jermamy Scott Claus, 39, of Maine has been charged in a child pornography case involving a young Athens girl. The TBI obtained federal warrants, and Claus was arrested in Maine on charges of enticing a minor to engage in sexually explicit conduct and receipt of child pornography. The TBI says the Athens girl sent numerous nude photos to Claus by cell phone at his request.

#### ◆ COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

✓ The Athens Municipal Building, Public Works, and Animal Shelter will be closed on Monday for Memorial Day. Monday's residential garbage route will be picked up on Tuesday next week.

The McMinn County Clerk's Office, including the Drivers License Office, will be closed Saturday and Monday.

The Memorial Day Celebration will be held at 11 a.m. Monday at the VFW Post on Congress Parkway, with lunch afterward.

✓ Both Senator Bob Corker and Congressman Chuck Fleischmann will be in Athens next Tuesday, May 28th. Rep. Fleischmann will teach a class in auto mechanics at the Tennessee Technology Center from 9 a.m. to noon. Sen. Corker will speak to elected officials and community members at 2 p.m. at the Living Heritage Museum.

### NATIONAL & INTERNATIONAL NEWS

◆ Two more people were arrested by British police on Thursday in a hunt for accomplices of two British men of Nigerian descent accused of hacking a soldier to death on a London street in revenge for wars in Muslim countries. The two suspected killers, had been known to security services prior to Wednesday's attack.

◆ More than 60% of the Boy Scouts of America's 1,400-member national council has voted to allow openly gay youths to join the scouting organization. The BSA says the decision will keep it unclouded by "a single, divisive, and unresolved societal issue." The vote took place at an annual meeting in Grapevine, Texas.

◆ A businessman from a New York City warehouse, who had been held captive for a month by kidnappers, has been rescued by police. Pedro Portugal was found in the warehouse by police who were acting on a tip from the victim's mother. Portugal was bound in cloth and duct tape. The kidnappers had demanded a \$3 million ransom from his family in Ecuador.

◆ The United States and Israel hope for a restart of the Middle East peace process, despite little tangible progress from U.S. Secretary of State John Kerry's two-month-old effort to get Israelis and Palestinians back to the negotiating table. Kerry praised Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu for the seriousness with which he is looking at ways to revitalize peace hopes.

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**Toscana Pizza & Italian Grill, Ingles Shopping Center, Athens 746-9900. LUNCH SPECIAL: 11am-2:30pm**  
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### Ribbon Cut For New Chamber Member

The ribbon was cut recently for the newest member of the Athens Area Chamber of Commerce, Chattanooga Business Machines. Pictured below: (L to R) Brenda Lowe (Chamber Diplomat), Melissa Campbell (Chamber Diplomat), Ann Davis (Athens City Councilwoman), Rob Preston (Chamber President/CEO), Jeff Pepper (CBM Sales Manager), Marcus Hindmon (CBM Technology Director), Billie Crabtree (Chamber Diplomat), Vicki Anderson (CBM Marketing Director), and Harry Fields (CBM Owner)



### Church News & Events

- Rev. Matthew Cox and the Mt. Cumberland CPCA in Sweetwater will have a 2 p.m. worship service this coming Sunday at Morning Pointe Assisted Living in Athens.
- Mars Hill United Methodist Church will observe Homecoming this Sunday. Preaching begins at 10 a.m., with lunch to follow. The 2 X 2 Quartet from Cleveland will be singing.
- Union McMinn Baptist Church will have Vacation Bible School June 9-14 at 6:30 p.m. Supper will be served.

### Obituaries

**A. Thomas "Tom" Grayson**, age 90, of Athens died Thursday at Morning Pointe of Athens. He was a veteran of World War II serving with the U.S. Air Force. A funeral service will be at 2 p.m. Sunday at Smith Funeral Home with visitation on Saturday from 5-7 p.m. at Smith Funeral and Cremation Service.

**Ina Lorene Bookout Gilbert**, age 91, of Maryville died Thursday at Blount Memorial Hospital. A Memorial Service will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, May 28th at Bordwine Funeral Home with visitation from 1 to 2 p.m. Tuesday at Bordwine.

**Thursday's Market Report:** U.S. stocks closed lower as weak Chinese manufacturing data offset positive American employment figures. The Dow Jones Industrial Average was down 12.67 at 15,294.50. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was down 4.84 at 1,650.51, and the NASDAQ Composite Index was down 3.88 at 3,459.42.

#### AMERICAN LEGION

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#### FISH FRY

Fried Fish, Home Fries,  
Cole Slaw, Hush Puppies,  
Cobbler & Drink

**FRI MAY 24th: 5 - 7 p.m.**  
at **VFW Dining Room**

**Congress Pkwy. North**  
**All You Can Eat \$9 ea.**

#### WEATHER

**Friday** - Mostly sunny. High  
low to mid 70's.

**Friday night** - Clear. Low - mid  
40's.

**Sat.** - Sunny. High mid to lower  
70's.

See our Zoom Radar at:  
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#### TODAY IN HISTORY-May 24

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

**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, Johnny Cash's daughter, 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.

#### Porch Rockers, Swings & Adirondack Chairs

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#### WHEN RADIO WAS

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Tonight:

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