

Car Fire at Ingleside Pool

The photo to the right shows car that а caught on fire and burned while parked near Ingleside Pool on Ingleside Avenue and Forrest Avenue Mondav afternoon. (Photo submitted by Tim Linton)



TWO MORE VIRUS CASES REPORTED IN TN The Tennessee Department of Health has confirmed two additional cases of COVID-19 in Middle Tennessee, bringing the state's number of confirmed cases of coronavirus to six. The patients are adult males. The overall risk to the public remains low as the virus is not currently widespread in Tennessee or the United States. To put things into perspective, there have been over 41,000 cases of the regular seasonal flu in Tennessee this year. Eleven children have died from the regular flu in Tennessee so far. The CDC says each year between 12,000 and 79,000 die nationwide as a result of seasonal flu.

Community News You Can Use

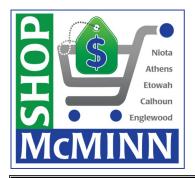
✓ A free Health and Wellness Expo will be held at the L&N Depot in Etowah on Sunday, March 29th, from 1 to 5 p.m. There will be free health screenings, interactive stations on the 8 laws of health, samples of plant-based foods, a Monroe County Beekeepers Association Educational Booth, Dulcimer Music, chair massages, the Medic Blood Mobile will be on hand for blood donations, and there will be information on Organic Gardening. For more information, call Janet Gedeon at 295-5977.

✓ Waupaca Foundry will host their 4th annual chili cook-off benefiting the Etowah Cooperative Food Pantry on March 20th from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. The event is open to the entire community in an effort to re-stock the local food bank after a busy holiday season. You are invited to enjoy a bowl of chili, drinks, and desert for \$5. Donations of non-perishable food items will be accepted as well. Waupaca is located at 134 Waupaca Drive, Etowah.

✓ The LITE House and Main Street Athens are sponsoring Business and Bagels on Wednesday, March 18th, at The LITE House, 1 West College Street from 8:30 a.m. to 10 a.m. Mary Maddox of Maddox Marketing & Media will discuss the topic "Marketing Your Business."

✓ The guest on "Hope from the Well" this week is Capri Violet Grace Nation. "Hope from the Well" is presented by Women at the Well each Thursday at 8:15 a.m. on WYXI Radio, FM 94.5 and AM-1390 and <u>ONLINE</u>







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TODAY IN HISTORY

1888 - A blizzard struck the northeastern United States, resulting in some 400 deaths.

1903 - Bandleader Lawrence Welk was born in Strasburg, North Dakota. He was a fixture on Saturday night TV for decades. **1930** - William Howard Taft became the first President to be buried in the National Cemetery in Arlington, Virginia.

1950 - Singer Bobby McFerrin was born. His biggest hit was "Don't Worry, Be Happy."

1955 - Singer Jimmy Fortune was born in Virginia. He became a member of the Statler Brothers when original member Lew Dewitt became too ill to continue with the group.

1993 - North Korea withdrew from the Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty.

2011 - A magnitude 9.0 earthquake and resulting tsunami struck Japan's northeastern coast, killing nearly 20,000 people and severely damaging the Fukushima Dai-ichi nuclear power station.

TUESDAY'S MARKET REPORT: U.S. stocks finished the day higher as the White House considers a payroll tax cut. Technology and financials led. Walmart is implementing new emergency leave policies after an employee in Kentucky tested positive for coronavirus. Treasury prices fell.

The Dow Jones Industrial Average was up 1167 points or 4.9% to 25,018. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was up 136 points or 4.9% to 2,882, and the NASDAQ Composite Index was up 394 points or 5.0% to 8,344.

February Home Sales Report

Tennessee Valley Appraisal Services reports there were 34 sales of single family homes in McMinn County in February. Here is a sampling:

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County Road 125, Athens -	\$860,000
Highway 307, Athens -	\$510,000
County Rd 461, Englewood -	\$345,000
County Rd 260, Niota -	\$330,000
County Rd 7030, Athens -	\$329,100
County Rd 725, Riceville -	\$282,000
County Rd 3050, Athens -	\$260,000
County Rd 51, Riceville -	\$250,000
County Rd 7030, Athens -	\$244,000
County Rd 442, Athens -	\$190,000
Call Drive, Athens -	\$183,500
County Rd 574, Englewood -	\$180,000
Elizabeth St., Athens -	\$179,000
County Rd 213, Athens -	\$170,000
County Rd 616, Athens -	\$170,000
County Rd 786, Etowah -	\$160,000
James Street, Athens -	\$160,000
County Rd 523, Athens -	\$158,000
Tellico Ave., Athens -	\$139,300
Highway 39, Athens -	\$135,000
Bryson St., Athens -	\$124,900

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