

# MOVIE NIGHT

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## Today's News... This Morning

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Monday, July 18, 2022

Athens, Tennessee

## It's Soap Box Derby Time Again!

All the attention this week will be on Akron, Ohio as a large group of people from the Athens area are there to witness the 84th Championship Run of the All American Soap Box Derby. Representing Athens is Parker McDonald, age 11, who is a 6th grade student at Athens City Middle School. His parents are Brandon and Ashley McDonald. Parker will compete in the Super Stock Division in the Grover Thurman CPA Car #126. In the Stock Division, 10 year old Jacob Barnes will represent Athens and will be competing in the



Athens Optimist Club Car #326. He is a 5th grade student at Westside School and his parents are Nic and Amanda Barnes. WYXI Radio will feature broadcasts all week from Akron and the Championship Races on Saturday. Listeners can win prizes by listening to a trivia

question each morning at 7:30 on AM-1390 and FM-94.5. Radio coverage is being presented by Jerry Fain at A&J Body Shop, Randy Dunlap with Domino's Pizza and Athens Utilities Board.

## SRMC Names Mercy Award Winner

Starr Regional Medical Center recently announced that Hollie Baker, RN, CCM, ACM, has been recognized as the facility's 2022 Mercy Award winner. The Mercy Award recognizes one employee from each of LifePoint Health's facilities who profoundly touches the lives of others and best represents the spirit and values on which the company was founded. The Mercy Award is an annual recognition program established in 2002 to honor the life and contributions of Scott Mercy, LifePoint's founding chairman and chief executive officer. The award is considered the highest honor a LifePoint employee can receive. Baker, who has worked at Starr Regional Medical Center for 21 years – the last seven as the Case Management Director, was nominated by her colleagues for her

kindness, care, compassion and diligence in ensuring that patients receive the best possible care while at SRMC. Baker will be considered for LifePoint's 2022 company-wide Mercy Award which will be announced later this summer in Nashville. In the photo (L-R): Ronald Hall, RN, CNO; John McLain, CEO; Hollie Baker, RN, CCM, ACM, Case Management Director; David Alley, CFO; and Dave Santoemma, COO. (SRMC Photo)



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- Tuesday-Madisonville-WilSav-10:30 - 1:30
- Wednesday-Etowah-10:30 - 2:00 (across from Johnson's Dept Store)
- Thursday-Loudon - Viskase - 10:30 - 1:00
- Friday-Sweetwater-Little Drugs-10:30 - 2:30



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## Obituaries

◆ **Natalie Nicole Barker Ramey**, age 47, passed away Thursday, July 14th. She was a lifelong resident of McMinn County. She was a graduate of McMinn County High School, Middle Tennessee state University and earned a MBA from UTC. She had worked for BlueCross BlueShield of TN for 25 years. Natalie helped her husband coach the McMinn Middle School Tennis Team. A graveside service was held Sunday, July 17th at Cedar Grove Cemetery. Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

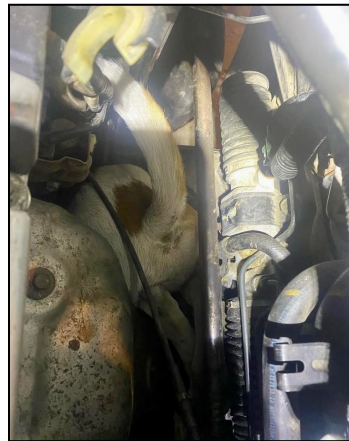
**FRIDAY'S MARKET REPORT:** Stocks finished higher. Strong retail sales results point to a resilient consumer even in the face of higher prices. Treasury yields fell slightly. The 10-year U.S. yield traded near 2.9%. The Dow Jones Industrial Average was up 658.09 to 31,288.26. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was 72.78 to 3,863.13, and the NASDAQ Composite Index was up 201.24 to 11,452.42.

### BUSINESS NEWS YOU CAN USE

- ◆ Federal Reserve officials said on Friday they will likely stick with a 75-basis-point interest rate increase at their July 26-27 meeting, though a recent high inflation reading could still warrant more, or faster, increases later in the year.
- ◆ The Walt Disney Company announced that the monthly subscription fee will be raised for its sports streaming platform ESPN+ by \$3 a month, a 43% hike.

## Puppy Stuck Inside Engine Bay

Last Wednesday morning Englewood Fire was requested for assistance in extricating a dog stuck in the engine bay of a vehicle. Upon arrival of Squad-3, personnel utilized hand tools and extrication equipment to safely remove the dog from the vehicle. The extrication took about an hour and half. Fire personnel examined the dog and it was apparent that it sustained an injury to the front right leg prior to the removal. Instinctively, fire units contacted a local Veterinarian for assistance in caring for the injured leg and made sure the puppy received the proper care before returning it to its owner. The puppy is expected to make a full recovery. A big thank you was given to the Englewood Police Department, McMinn County 911 Dispatchers and to Dr. Kirksey for their assistance. Photos by Englewood Fire Department.



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