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Wednesday, June 12, 2019

Athens, Tennessee

Community News You Can Use

- ✓ The Southeastern Tennessee Human Resource Agency will be distributing USDA commodities to eligible McMinn County residents on Thursday, June 20th, from 12 noon to 4 p.m. at the National Guard Armory between Athens and Etowah. You must already be signed up in order to receive commodities on that day. You may call the McMinn SETHRA office at 745-8095 to sign up for the next commodity give away after Monday, July 8th.
- ✓ The American Job Center Career Coach Bus will be at the Etowah Carnegie Library next Monday, June 17th, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Assistance with job searching, basic computer operation, interviews, referral letters, etc., will be provided.
- ✓ The Friends of the Library's annual Book Sale will be held June 27th-30th at McMinn County High School. If you have books to donate for the sale, drop them off at E.G. Fisher Public Library.
- ✓ The McMinn Regional Humane Society's Old Fashioned Carnival that was cancelled last Saturday because of bad weather will be held this coming Saturday, June 15th. The location is Prof Powers Park, and the time is 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. There will be a small dog race, a litter scoop, a dog kissing booth, and much more.
- ✓ The guest on the Women at the Well radio show, "Hope From the Well," this week will be Hunter Randolph, a staff member with Miracle Lake. "Hope From the Well" is heard at 8:15 a.m. Thursday on WYXI RADIO, AM-1390 & FM-94.5 or [ONLINE](#)

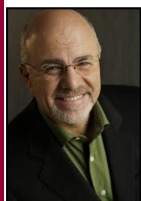
Ever Seen a "Fire Sale" Sign?

Here's something you don't see every day. Nicholas Blair, who is originally from Athens, was at work the other day at the UT Federal Credit Union on Kingston Pike in Knoxville where he is the branch manager. When he looked out the window, he saw the sign in front of Franklin Square going up in flames and smoke. He took this photo with his cell phone. Nicholas is the son of Stanley and Harriell Blair of Athens.



Hear

Dave Ramsey



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7 to 9 p.m.
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WEATHER FORECAST

Wednesday - Times of clouds and sun. High 74.
Wednesday night - Mostly cloudy. Low 60.
Thursday - Sunny and pleasant. High 75.
Thursday Night - Clear & cooler. Low 48.
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Obituaries

- ♦ **Helen Earlene McKenzie**, age 88, of Decatur, died Saturday at Life Care Center of Athens. She had worked as an LPN. No formal services are scheduled at this time. Bowers Funeral Home is in charge.
- ♦ **Frances Annette Pressley**, age 71, of Decatur, died Monday. Graveside services will be held at 1 p.m. Wednesday at Mountain View Memorial Gardens. Bowers Funeral Home is in charge.
- ♦ **Christopher Arlie Baker**, age 44, of Athens, died June 7th. He was an SRO Officer at E.K. Baker School. A private memorial service will be held with the family. Companion Funeral Home of Athens is in charge of arrangements.
- ♦ **Cynthia Green**, age 60, of Madisonville, died Saturday at Blount Memorial Hospital. There will be no formal services at this time. Companion Funeral Home of Athens is in charge of arrangements.
- ♦ **Cecil Moses**, age 98, of Athens, died Monday. He was a World War II veteran. He retired as a carpenter at Bowater. Funeral services will be 11 a.m. Thursday at New Zion Baptist Church, with visitation from 5 to 7 p.m. Wednesday at Bordwine Funeral Home.

TUESDAY'S MARKET REPORT: The Dow Jones Industrial Average was down 14 points or 0.1% to 26,049. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was down 1 point to 2,886, and the NASDAQ Composite Index was down 1 point to 7,823.

Fire Damages House on CR 437

A house on County Road 437 was heavily damaged by fire Monday afternoon. Units from the Englewood and Athens Rural Fire Departments responded. Upon arrival, the structure was heavily involved in flames. AMR and the Red Cross also responded to the scene. (Photo by Lynn Ingram, Englewood Rural Fire Dept)




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