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Tuesday, December 20, 2022

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City of Athens Christmas Parade - Grand Marshal

The annual "Jimmy Liner Memorial Christmas Parade" was held last evening in Downtown Athens. The theme for this year's parade was "Downtown Tennessee Christmas". The winners were as follows:

Business: 1. Athens Utilities; 2. Tice / Willis Family; 3. Scream Chamber.

Civic: 1. The Hope Center; 2. McMinn Republican Party; 3. Valley Christian Academy.

Churches: 1. Lighthouse Church; 2. New Life Church; and 3. Triumphed.

The photo at right shows Chris Liner presenting a plaque to Mike Keith, Interim City Manager surrounded by City of Athens Employees. The City of Athens was the Grand Marshal of the parade.



Photo submitted by Chris Liner

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Obituaries

◆ **Kevin 'Mac' John McInerney**, age 72, of Riceville passed away Sunday, December 18th at his residence. He was a native of Norwich, NY, and a longtime resident of McMinn County. He worked in construction as a form carpenter for 35 years and owned Mac's Creations. A Celebration of Mac's Life will be held at a later date in his hometown of Norwich, NY. Ziegler Funeral Home is in charge.

TODAY IN HISTORY - DEC 20th

- 1669 - Susannah Wesley was born. She was the mother of 19 children, including John Wesley who founded the Methodist Church.
- 1885 - The roller coaster was patented by La Marcus Thompson of, where else, Coney Island, NY. His coaster was 450 feet long with the highest drop being 30 feet.
- 1894 - Harold Gray, creator of the "Little Orphan Annie" comic strip, was born.
- 1896 - Comedian George Burns was born.
- 1922 - Bandleader Ray Anthony was born. His hit records included "Dragnet," "Bunny Hop," and "Peter Gunn."
- 1930 - Astronaut Edwin "Buzz" Aldrin, the second person to walk on the moon, was born.
- 1937 - Franklin D. Roosevelt's second inauguration was on January 20th. He was the first president to be inaugurated on this day and ever since then, presidents have been inaugurated on January 20th. His first inauguration was on March 4th, 1933.
- 1964 - This was a big day in U.S. record stores as the first album by The Beatles was released. The LP, Meet the Beatles, became a huge success and was #1 on the charts by February 15, 1964. The British Invasion had begun. Yeah! Yeah! Yeah!

Interim Principal at Westside School

Mrs. Debbie Harrison will serve as Interim Principal at Westside School beginning in January and continuing through June 2023 due to Mrs. Tracy Lee's retirement.



Photo submitted by Julie Lofland

MONDAY'S MARKET REPORT Markets closed lower as investor sentiment continues to sour. Last week's weakness was attributed to Fed Chair Powell's hawkish comments around monetary policy. Bonds were higher. The 10-year yield was around 3.94%. Oil was up. Investors expect a strong oil demand from China as its economy reopens. At the closing bell, the Dow Jones Industrial Average was down 162.92 to 32,757.54. The S&P 500 was down 34.70 to 3,817.66, and The Nasdaq Composite was down 159.38 to 10,546.03.

JOB POSTING: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR



Coordinated Charities, a ministry founded by churches to help the poor and needy in 1959, is seeking an individual to serve as Executive Director. This is a vital role for the organization, the community, and those in McMinn County in need. This person will provide oversight and management for both branches of the organization: the Thrift Store and the Assistance Center. Responsibilities include staffing, finances, record management, human resources, community relations, resource development, tax preparation, ensuring compliance, overseeing community service, and daily operations. Coordinated Charities is governed by a local board of directors and is a 501 c(3) nonprofit organization. The position is full time, Monday through Friday. Vacation and sick leave included. Compensation will be based on experience. Interested applicants should email a resumé to amgentry10@att.net Training will be provided as needed.

Happy 70th Birthday to Jayne Wilson!
You Are Loved!