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Lifelong Learning Academy on Thursday at McCrory Hall

The January session of the Academy for Lifelong Learning will feature Theodore Roosevelt interpreter Joe Wiegand at noon Thursday, Jan. 13, in the McCrory Performing Arts Center at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School. Please note the change in location for this month.

The "Lunch and Learn" series, now in its second year, provides opportunities for lifelong learning for local residents and visitors. Meetings are generally held at the beautiful bluff setting of St. Mary's Sewanee.

Lectures are held on the second Thursday of each month and annual dues for the Academy are \$10. New members are welcome at any time. Reservations are not required to attend the lecture, and participants may bring their own lunches.

Please note that because of food and beverage restrictions at the McCrory Center, lunch will be at 1 p.m. in the Tucker Room in Langford Hall following Wiegand's presentation.

For more information, contact Anne Davis, (931) 924-4465, or Elaine Goleski, (931) 924-3227.

SUD Sets 2011 Budget Consumers Will See 3% Rate Increase

The Board of Commissioners of the Sewanee Utility District of Franklin and Marion Counties held its regular monthly business meeting Wednesday, Dec. 22, at the SUD office building.

The board approved the 2011 budget, which includes a 3 percent rate increase, a request for a change order at the new water plant and a request to use a floating tap. The board also entertained a developer's request for pre-contract water-line inspection.

The 2011 operating budget totals \$1,430,304, an increase of \$118,675 over 2010. The operating budget allocates approximately \$192,000 toward repayment of the loan financing for construction of the new water plant. The capital improvement budget for 2011 totals \$413,500, an increase of \$197,500 over 2010. In the 2011 capital improvement budget, \$235,000 of the allocated funds are earmarked for sewer repair and related projects. The vote to approve the 2011 budget was unanimous.

To meet revenue requirements, the 2011 budget calls for a 3 percent increase in water and sewer rates. Ben Beavers, SUD manager, said customers' bills would increase an average of \$2.50 per month. Raftelis Financial, Inc., the consulting firm hired by SUD, conducted a review of the 2011 budget and recommended a 3 percent rate increase to maintain cash reserves at a level equal to 25 percent of the operating expense portion of the budget.

Working with Raftelis, Beavers ran a number of different rate scenarios for the board and looked at their effect on SUD's financial health. He used the operations budget and capital plans previously submitted to the board as the foundation for the studies.

"We looked at keeping cash reserves at their current level, which are very good, but that would require a 20 percent increase in water rates and a 41 percent increase in sewer rates," Beavers said. "The next scenario kept the cash reserves above the recommended 25 percent of the operations budget, which is our 'normal' budget goal. This plan would require a 3 percent increase in water and sewer rates, which is less than the 4 percent we had projected from last year's budget. This is mostly due to selling more water than we had forecast. The last scenario was to leave rates flat for next year. As expected, this would cause a dip in our cash reserves that would take about six years to recover from."

All of these scenarios meet the state's requirements as far as revenues and cash reserves, Beavers said. In the past, he noted that the board has opted for smaller annual increases rather than years of no increase followed by double-digit increases.

Reporting on the current operation of the utility, Beavers said the video camera inspection of the sewer system was nearly complete and the

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Grotto Club Sets Clean-Up

Sewanee Mountain Grotto Club will work to clean-up a sinkhole near Big Room Cave in Grundy County at 10 a.m., Saturday, Jan. 8. The sinkhole is 100 feet from the cave and trash has been dumped there for years.

Volunteers will rig a vertical haul system to remove large items like water heaters. Volunteers will pull the compacted trash apart and get it to the haul baskets. Anyone interested in helping is welcome.

The group will meet at the site in Payne Cove on Roberts Road. Volunteers should dress in old, but warm clothes and wear boots and gloves. Hot tea and cocoa will be provided to participants, as well as pizza donated by Crust Pizza in Sewanee. The cleanup will take place rain or shine. For more information call (423) 605-5569.



The Rev. John Thomas, head of St. Andrew's-Sewanee School, is shown here after a successful fishing outing with his son, Sam. Thomas recently authored an article on rafting and canoeing for "New Encyclopedia of Southern Culture: Sports & Recreation," just published by University of North Carolina Press.

Dog Park Survey Deadline Monday

The Sewanee Community Council is studying the feasibility of a dog park in our community and wants your feedback. A survey about the proposed park is on page 8 of this week's paper and is due back by Monday, Jan. 10.

Councilman Phil White said, "The Council has generally agreed that a dog park would benefit Sewanee. Such parks exist now across Tennessee and throughout the nation. Dogs, being pack animals, need to associate with other dogs."

"Regular dog park visitors report that in parks their dogs become socialized—learn how to behave around strangers and other dogs. They often report that after a few visits to a dog park, their dogs no longer bark at every dog that passes their house."

"Having a dog park here would mean that dogs would no longer need to be restrained by leashes and will be able to run and get the exercise they need. And since they would not have to walk their dogs, it would be easier for the elderly and handicapped to enjoy the companionship of dogs. It would also be easier to hire dog sitters if prospective sitters know they will not have to exercise them on leashes during inclement weather."

"And as more and more people discover the advantages of dog parks, dogs should become less of a nuisance around the community."

The Sewanee Community Council will meet on Monday if you want to provide input in person. For more information, contact White at 598-5846.

CCJP Receives Grant From National Foundation

The Cumberland Center for Justice and Peace (CCJP) was recently awarded a \$2,000 grant by RESIST, Inc., a national progressive foundation that supports grassroots organizing for peace, economic, social and environmental justice located in Somerville, Mass.

CCJP received funding to educate and empower the community of Franklin County and the surrounding Cumberland Plateau region to take action for social, cultural and environmental change that promotes justice and peace locally, nationally and globally. Over the course of the past several months, CCJP hosted programs addressing climate change, Tibet's struggle for autonomy and anti-Islamic sentiment surrounding construction of a mosque in nearby Murfreesboro. CCJP also sponsored peace vigils calling for an end to the U.S. invasion of Afghanistan.

"Each year, RESIST funds groups like Cumberland Center for Justice and Peace because our mission is to support people who take a stand about the issues that matter today, whether it's to resist corporate globalization, promote a woman's right to choose or develop activist leaders," said Miabi Chatterji, chair of the RESIST board. "And we believe it's especially important to help grassroots organizations that might be too small or too local—or too radical—for mainstream foundations."

CCJP's plans for the future include the annual Martin Luther King, Jr. birthday celebration, a letter-writing campaign supporting Tennessee legislation abolishing capital sentencing for the mentally ill, a peace vigil in April, and a gardener's forum on growing your own fruits and vegetables. "At Peace with the Seasons: Recipes for Sustainable Living from the Cumberland Plateau" will be published in late March. In support of the Camp Anytown program to foster leadership by ending bias, bigotry and racism, CCJP will continue to recruit area high school students to attend the weeklong camp held each August in White Bluff, Tenn.

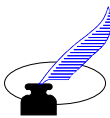
RESIST began in 1967 in support of draft resistance and in opposition to the Vietnam War. As the funder of first resort for hundreds of organizations, RESIST's small but timely grants and loans are made to grassroots groups engaged in activist organizing and educational work for social change. RESIST defines organizing as collective action to challenge the status quo, demand changes in policy and practice and educate communities about root causes and just solutions. RESIST recognizes that there are a variety of stages and strategies that lead to community organizing, so they support strategies that build community, encourage collaborations with other organizations, increase skills and/or access to resources and produce leadership from the constituency being most directly affected. In 2009, RESIST gave \$277,000 to 134 organizations across the country.

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Letters



ANGEL TREE ANGELS

To the Editor:

Once again the Sewanee/Monteagle community has just overwhelmed us with amazing generosity! The response to our Blue Monarch Angel Tree was tremendous, and thank you to Debbie Ball for so brilliantly organizing it for us again this year. I always regret that the folks who have carefully chosen the perfect pink tiara, the biggest Batman castle, or just the right cool pair of jeans can't be there to see the unforgettable expression of excitement when those items are opened. All it took was an expectant mother in tears over her gift card for baby clothes, and we were all in tears with her. Thank you for helping this Christmas replace some painful memories for lots of women and their precious children.

Susan Binkley
Executive Director
Blue Monarch ■

THANKS FOR BENEFIT

To The Editor:

Ronnie Daniel Jr. and family would like to thank all the people who came out and helped to make the benefit a success. Thanks to all the people who volunteered to help and provided food or drink. We want to also give thanks to God and pray that everyone had a safe, healthy and happy Christmas and have a great New Year!

Betty Sue Rollins
Sewanee ■

EfM Hosts Web Conference

Education for Ministry (EfM) at the University will serve as one of nearly 100 partner sites presenting Trinity Institute's 41st annual conference, "Reading Scripture Through Other Eyes," Jan. 19-21 via video web link.

At Trinity Institute's 41st annual conference in 2011, an international roster of scholars will consider questions such as: Do we read scriptures on our own, deciding what to believe? Do we read them as part of a group, with a similar mind set? Does our world view shape what we find there? They will also consider the impact of cultural influences and individual perception on how we understand scripture. All of this will lead to a deeper understanding of how to practice authentic and transformative Bible study.

Keynote speakers include: Walter Brueggemann, Mary Gordon, Teresa A. Okure, SHCJ and Gerald O. West. Guest panelists include outstanding members of the next generation of Bible scholars: Steed V. Davidson, Eric D. Barreto and Amy E. Meverden. Distinguished scholar Mary Chilton Callaway will be the closing panelist.

Conference participation is open to clergy and laypersons of all faith traditions and can be attended at Hamilton Hall at the School of Theology. For more information, call 598-1577.

SUD Candidate Statements

Sewanee Utility District members are encouraged to vote for new commissioners to the board. Voting takes place at the SUD office on Sherwood Road from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. weekdays until Jan. 25. Each candidate submitted biographical information to the Messenger.

Randall Henley

I am running for a position on the board of commissioners of the Sewanee Utility District as an at-large representative. I am a lifelong resident of Sewanee and have been married to Susie (Sherrill) Henley for more than 30 years. I am running for the position to which I was appointed in 2010. I have been the owner of Henley Electrical and Plumbing for more than 20 years; we provide services for individuals across the area, as well as helping out with projects at the American Legion Hall and Sewanee Housing, Inc. I have been a member of the Sewanee Volunteer Fire Department since the 1970s. My goal on the SUD board is to keep rates down for our consumers, keep costs down for the district, keep our employees happy and do the right thing for the state of Tennessee. I want to make sure that we have clean water and protect the environment while we do all these things. I really enjoy working with this part of the community, and I hope you will vote for me in this election.

Cliff Huffman

I am running for a position on the board of commissioners of the Sewanee Utility District as the Marion County representative. I, along with Angie, my wife of 22 years, and our son, Zach, moved to the Sewanee area in 1994. We came here from Memphis. Our home has been in the Sewanee area for 16 years, and it is our intent to stay (mine and Angie's, anyway ... Zach is now a college student). I have, for the last four years, served as the Marion County representative on the Sewanee Utility District's board of commissioners. I am proud of the commissioners' accomplishments over these last four years. It has been an honor and a pleasure to serve the community in this capacity, and it is now my hope to serve another term. We have met many challenges, but many challenges remain. For continuity, my prior knowledge of and engagement in these issues make me a good fit for this position going forward. Furthermore, I still feel there is a critical need to balance growth with sustainability of our environment and its wonderful natural resources. For these reasons, I ask for your vote.

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CCJP Seeks Award Nominees

The Cumberland Center for Justice and Peace (CCJP) is seeking nominees for its annual award to recognize individuals and organizations whose work furthers the mission of bringing a measure of justice and peace to the Cumberland Plateau area. The deadline for nominations is noon, Jan. 21. The award will be announced at the CCJP banquet on Saturday, Feb. 26.

Please provide a short explanation (100 words or less) saying why the individual or group deserves recognition. Nominations should be submitted to Leslie Lytle at <sllytle@blomand.net> or P.O. Box 307, Sewanee, TN 37375.

Fowler Center Hours

The Fowler Center building hours are as follows:

Friday, Jan. 7, 6 a.m.–10:45 p.m.;
Saturday, Jan. 8, 9 a.m.–6 p.m.; Sunday, Jan. 9, 9 a.m.–5 p.m.; Monday–Thursday, Jan. 10–13, 6 a.m.–7 p.m.;
Friday, Jan. 14, 6 a.m.–10:45 p.m.;
Saturday, Jan. 15, 9 a.m.–10:45 p.m.;
Sunday, Jan. 16, 11 a.m.–4 p.m.;
Monday, Jan. 17, regular hours resume, 6 a.m.–11 p.m.

Until Sunday, Jan. 16, the pool is open from 1 to 3 p.m. daily.

For information, call 598-1284.

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Please keep the following individuals, their families and all those who are serving our country in your thoughts and prayers:

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Christopher Norcross
Dustin "Dusty" Lee Parker
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Michael Parmley
Greg Rinkes
Charles Schaerer
Charles Tate
Jeffery Alan Wessel
David White

If you know of others in our Mountain family who are serving our country, please give their names to American Legion and Auxiliary member Louise Irwin, 598-5864.

American Legion Cancels Meeting

American Legion Post 51, which normally holds its regular monthly meeting on the second Saturday of each month, will not meet in January. The next meeting will be at 9 a.m., Feb. 12, in the Legion Hall on University Avenue in Sewanee.

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A DREAM FULFILLED

To the Editor:

When I was a student at Sewanee Elementary in 1982 in the fourth grade in Mary Davis' class, we had to write an essay about what we wanted to be when we grew up. I wrote that I wanted to be an artist. My essay won first place and I had to read it to the entire school. 28 years later, I am living that dream.

I now live in Dickson. One of my pictures was featured recently in the studio artist room at the Renaissance Center here [see photo]. Even though we live in another county, we still go to sewaneemessenger.com to keep up with everything that is happening on the Mountain.

Janice McBee Hambrock
Dickson, Tennessee ■

Editor's note: Janice is the daughter of Carol and Billy McBee of Sewanee.



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Community Council Agenda Set

The agenda for the next Community Council meeting, at 7 p.m., Monday, Jan. 10, is:

1) Approval of the November minutes; 2) Environmental effects of electromagnetic pollution as it pertains to wireless technology—L. Lorren; 3) Announcements.

Council meetings are held at the Sewanee Senior Center.

Lease Committee Agenda Deadline

The next meeting of the Lease Committee will be on Wednesday, Jan. 19. Agenda items are due in the Office of the Superintendent of Leases in Carnegie Hall by 4:30 p.m. on Wednesday, Jan. 12.

FC School Board in Session on Thursday

The Franklin County School Board regular session will be held Thursday, Jan. 13, at 6:30 p.m. at the Board of Education office, 215 S. College St., Winchester. The meeting is open to the public. Chris McDonough is Sewanee's representative on the board.

Masons to Meet on Monday

The Summit Masonic Lodge #497 F&AM, a member of the Sewanee community since 1878, meets on the second Monday of every month. The next scheduled meeting will be at 7:30 p.m. on Jan. 10, in the Lodge Hall. For more information call Brian Masters, (931) 924-3389 or Joe Milner Sr., (931) 598-0711.

New Arrivals



Jesse Ashton Gilliam Justin Lee Gilliam

Jesse Ashton Gilliam and Justin Lee Gilliam were born on Dec. 21, 2010, at Southern Tennessee Medical Center to Candice and Troy Gilliam of Tracy City. Jesse weighed 4 lbs., 12.5 oz., and was 16 inches long. Justin weighed 5 lbs., 7.9 oz. and was 17 inches long. They join their sister, Lexie, and their brother, Trevor. Maternal grandparents are Charlotte and Nick Lame and Troy Lawson, all of Tracy City. Paternal grandparents are Cora Bridges of Tracy City and Troy Gilliam of Monteagle.

Kaitlyn Rose Cockburn

Kaitlyn Rose Cockburn was born on Dec. 29, 2010, at Southern Tennessee Medical Center to Linda and Glenn Cockburn of Sewanee. She weighed 7 lbs. 4 oz. and was 18 inches long. She is the couple's first child. Maternal grandmother is Pam Schenkel of Orlando, Fla. Paternal grandparents are Sylvia and Ed Cockburn of Passadumkeag, Maine.

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Daniel Dario Pascua

Daniel Dario Pascua was born on Dec. 17, 2010, to Alicia Gottfried Pascua and Dario Pascua Ponce at Boca Raton Regional Hospital, Boca Raton, Fla. He weighed 8 lbs. and was 19.5 inches long. He is the couple's first child. Maternal grandparents are Robin and Yolande Gottfried of Sewanee. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Juan Francisco Pascua of Sevilla, Spain.

Luke William Watters

Luke William Watters was born on Dec. 29, 2010, at Southern Tennessee Medical Center to Maria and Marty Watters of Sewanee. He weighed 7 lbs., 3 oz., and was 18.5 inches long. He joins his brother, Davis Emory. Maternal grandfather is Rudolph Ranieri of Baltimore, Md. Paternal grandparents are Cynthia and Chris Watters of Middlebury, Vt.

*A few days after New Year's
is when most people find out
that it's easier to break a
resolution than a habit.*

From "Two-Liners Stolen From
Others" by Joe F. Pruett

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Saddletree Lane	892961	\$28,700
Jackson Pt Rd	686392	\$29,000



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Sewanee. \$285,000



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Monteagle. \$227,000



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Clifftops. \$549,000



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Sewanee. \$138,000



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Sewanee. \$249,999



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Keith Springs Mtn	1166132	\$126,900
Old Sewanee Rd	951522	\$221,000
Jackson Point Rd	1111807	\$ 99,000
Jackson Point Rd	1111815	\$ 99,000
Jackson Point Rd	1099422	\$218,000
Jackson Point Rd	1101401	\$ 99,000
Lot 36 North Bluff	1064111	\$ 99,900
Saddletree Lane	836593	\$ 75,000
Raven's Den	1015362	\$129,000
Jackson Point Rd	850565	\$ 80,000



Obituaries

Ruby J. Bradford

Ruby J. Bradford, age 85 of Estill Springs, died Dec. 19, 2010, at Harton Regional Medical Center in Tullahoma. She was born April 18, 1925, in Cowan, the daughter of Robert Jason and Arvie Lee Tucker Foster. She worked as a caregiver in the healthcare industry. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, Glen Bradford, one son, one daughter, a grandson, three brothers and a sister.

She is survived by sons Mike Bradford, Sr. of Winchester, and Greg Bradford, Sr. of Estill Springs; 11 grandchildren, six great-grandchildren, five great-great-grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Dec. 21 in the funeral home chapel with Bro. Mark Bolin officiating. Interment followed in Franklin Memorial Gardens, Winchester. Arrangements were by Moore-Cortner Funeral Home, Winchester.

Daisy Mae Clark

Daisy Mae Clark, age 91 of Decherd, died Dec. 29, 2010, at Southern Tennessee Medical Center in Winchester. She was born Feb. 24, 1919 in Sherwood, the daughter of William and Lear Garner Wise. She was employed by the old Franklin Co. Hospital and worked as an aide. Mrs. Clark was preceded in death by her parents, husbands James Lewis Henley and Raymond Clark; son George Carter Henley; daughter Myra Sue Simmons; two sisters and five brothers.

She is survived by daughter Shirley (Thomas) Penny of Decherd; brothers, George (Juanita) Wise of Mobile, Ala. and James C. (Annett) Wise of Tarpon Springs, Fla.; six grandchildren, 13 great-grandchildren, three great-great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held on Dec. 31 in the funeral home chapel. Interment followed in Mt. View Cemetery, Sherwood. Arrangements were by Moore-Cortner Funeral Home, Winchester.

Dennis Lee Cleek

Dennis Lee Cleek, 54, died on Monday, Dec. 20, 2010, in Erlanger Hospital in Chattanooga. Dennis was employed by Komatsu and was preceded in death by a brother, Gary Cleek; and grandparents Hearl and Lillie Cleek and Arthur Leroy Land.

He is survived by his wife, Tammy Susan Cleek; son, Dennis Lee Cleek Jr., Monteagle; daughter, Whitney Christine Cleek, Knoxville; father, Gene (Alpha Gay) Cleek, Gruetli-Laager; mother, Sue Ann (Kelso) Long, Palmer; grandmother Jessie Jane Land, Palmer; sister, Gina Cleek; granddaughter, Stormi Alona Nunley; stepsisters, Vicki and Lisa; father-in-law and mother-in-law, W.H. and Jo Nunley, Monteagle; brothers-in-law, Timmy and Tommy Nunley, Tracy City.

Funeral services were Dec. 23 with Bro. Matthew Meeks officiating; burial was at Plainview Cemetery, Tracy City. Arrangements were by Cumberland Funeral Home, Monteagle.

Frances Dennis Doherty

Frances Dennis Doherty died on December 23, 2010. She was born on March 6, 1954, in Greenville, S.C. She graduated from North Springs High School in Atlanta and was valedictorian at the University of the South. She received her M.B.A. from Emory University and had a long career at BellSouth Corporation. She had a home in Sewanee and recently created the Frances Dennis Doherty Endowed Internship in support of the Babson Center for Global Commerce to help students explore careers in business.

Her husband, Dennis Doherty, preceded her in death. She is survived by her parents, Wade and Mary Frances Dennis; her brother, Charles Dennis; her sister, Minna Elliott; stepchildren, Colin and Hollis Doherty; step-grandchild, Rowan Doherty; and many other family members. A memorial service was held on December 30 at Holy Innocents Episcopal Church in Atlanta. Memorial donations may be made to the Doherty Internship at the University of the South. Arrangements were by SouthCare Cremation Society and Memorial Centers in Marietta, Ga.

Thomas Edward “Short” Fultz

Thomas Edward “Short” Fultz died Dec. 31, 2010, in a Murfreesboro hospital. He was a retired machinist with Ford Motor Co., and a retired employee of Foster & Son Funeral Home. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II, a member of Sewanee Lodge 405 F&AM, Scottish Rite and was a Shriner. He was preceded in death by children Jocelyn Bettyjean Moses, Cobert Donnie Fultz, Robert Alfred Fultz and Eddie Sue Fultz.

He is survived by sons Charles Edward “Buck” (Tracy) Hampton of Tracy City and Mark Anthony (Danielle) Fultz of Newport, Ky; daughters Nadine (Benson) Northcutt of Pelham, Nadene Moore of Tracy City, Portia (Allen) Phillips of Alexandria, Ky. and Vickie Traylor of Falmouth, Ky.; sisters-in-law, Hester and Willie Mae Fultz, both of Tracy City; 24 grandchildren, 35 great-grandchildren and five great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Jan. 5 in the funeral home chapel with the Rev. Gary Gabbard officiating. Interment followed in Plainview Memorial Cemetery with military honors. Masonic services were held on Jan. 4 in the funeral home chapel. Arrangements were by Foster & Lay Funeral Home, Tracy City.

Roosevelt Garner

Roosevelt Garner, age 61 of Sewanee, died Dec. 27, 2010, at Emerald-Hodgson Hospital in Sewanee. He was born Sept. 16, 1949 in Winchester, the son of John Larkin and Mamie Allison Garner. He was employed by the University of the South. He was preceded in death by his parents; wife Peggy Garner; half-sisters Sally Morris and Peggy Garner; brothers Clyde and Notty Payne.

He is survived by wife Susan Reed; brother Carl R. Garner; sister, Betty Haney; half-sisters Willie Dean Wackler, Kathy Lovell, Barbara Ann Wilkes, Vickie Thomas and Mabel Miller; half-brothers John T. Garner, Rick Lankford and Howard Garner;

stepchildren, James and Charles Byrd; and three grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Dec. 29 in the funeral home chapel with Bro. Franklin Hill officiating. Interment followed in Franklin Memorial Gardens, Winchester. Moore-Cortner Funeral Home, Winchester.

Jinks Hartsfield Jr.

Jinks Hartsfield Jr. of Cowan died Dec. 17, 2010, at Southern Tennessee Medical Center in Winchester. He was preceded in death by daughter Cornelia Jean Holman.

He is survived by his wife, Dollie Hartsfield of Cowan; daughters Evelyn H. Wall of Bartlette, Tenn., Sylvia (Gary) Hill of Orlando, Fla., Sonya H. (Curtis) Ballentine of Atlanta, Ga. and Randi C. Hartsfield of Birmingham, Ala.; an honorary daughter, Alvis Rowe of Cowan; sons, Jinks (Priscilla) Hartsfield of Manchester and Lorne F. Hartsfield of Murfreesboro; son-in-law, Gregory Holman of Maylene, Ala.; sisters, Helen (Booker) Mathis of Chattanooga and Bobbie J. (Howard) Morrow of Cowan; brothers, Leon (Brenda) Hartsfield of Winchester and James I. Hartsfield of Detroit, Mich.; brother-in-law, George O. (Alva Jean) Taylor of St. George, Utah; sisters-in-law, Julia (Wilbur) Hartsfield of Detroit, Mich., Lillie Bonner of Winchester and Bettye Hill of Cowan; 10 grandchildren, three great-grandchildren and many nieces, nephews and cousins.

Funeral services were held on Dec. 23 at Elk River Tabernacle with Moderator Gary Hill officiating, and Pastor Watyne Lott as eulogist. Interment followed in Thorogood Cemetery, Cowan. Arrangements were by J.A. Welton and Son Funeral Home, Tullahoma.

Hazel Selma Hopwood

Hazel Selma Hopwood, age 85 of Monteagle, died Dec. 19, 2010. She was born May 25, 1925, in New York Mills, Minn.

She is survived by her brother, Harold True; children, John Robinson, Gary Robinson, Chris (Joyce) Robinson, Suzanne (Joe) Arballo and Lisa (Greg) Rollins; six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

A private service was held on New Year's Eve. Arrangements were by Cumberland Funeral Home, Monteagle.

Anne Ross McGee

Anne Ross Gee McGee, age 75, died Monday, Dec. 27, 2010, in New Orleans.

She was born in Greenville, Miss., the daughter of Anne Strudwick Gee and Joseph James Gee and grew up in Carrollton, Miss. She attended Randolph-Macon Woman's College in Lynchburg, Va., and graduated from the University of Mississippi. In 1955 she married Burrell Otho McGee.

She is survived by her daughters, Elizabeth McGee Cordes and Anne McGee (Sidney) Quarrier; granddaughters, Catherine Strudwick Cordes and Elizabeth Humphreys Cordes, and devoted friend of 30 years, Maggie Taylor. Funeral services were held at St. James Episcopa Church in Greenville on Dec. 30. Memorial gifts may be made to St. James in Greenville or St. John's Episcopal Church in Leland.

Robert Lee Myers

Robert Lee Myers, age 63 of Pelham, died Jan. 3, 2011, at his residence. He was a farmer and small engine repairman. He was born in Altamont on Aug. 3, 1947, a son of the late Calvin and Geneva Myers. He was preceded in death by sister Wilma Nadine Kilgore.

He is survived by his wife, Bonnie Ruth Myers of Manchester; son, Junior Lee (Shirley) Myers of Pelham; daughter, Jennifer Renee Myers of Manchester; brothers Roy Myers of Manchester, Carl and James Myers, both of Hillsboro and Elmer Myers of Pelham; sisters Patricia Thomas of Monteagle, Mary Myers of Rock Island and Ruby Baker of Manchester; five grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Jan. 6 in the funeral home chapel with Bro. Mike Partin officiating. Interment followed in Warren Cemetery. Arrangements were by Cumberland Funeral Home, Monteagle.

Alma P. Owens

Alma P. Owens, age 82 of Winchester died Dec. 21, 2010, at Southern Tennessee Medical Center in Winchester. She was born Jan. 15, 1928, in Winchester, the daughter of the late James Lewis and Sally Morris Brewer. She was preceded in death by son Douglas Owens; two sisters, one brother and three grandchildren.

She is survived by her husband, Thomas Earl Owens of Winchester; sons James Earl (Alice) Owens and Roy Allen Owens, both of Winchester, and Douglas Addison Owens of Decherd; daughters Carolyn Faye Owens, Rosemary (Danny) Neal and April Michelle (Gary) Hill, all of Winchester, Dot (Jim) Kilgore of Pelham, Shirley Joann (Johnny) Rains of Athens, Ala. and Billie Jean (Robert) Jones of Tullahoma; brothers David Brewer, Floyd Brewer and Thomas Brewer; sisters Margaret Brewer, Ann Brewer and Edna Brewer; 16 grandchildren, several great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Dec. 23 in the funeral home chapel with Bro. Billy Wayne Owens officiating. Interment followed in Owens Chapel Cemetery, Winchester. Arrangements were by Moore-Cortner Funeral Home, Winchester.

George Bosley Royston

George Bosley Royston, age 93, died on Dec. 25, 2010. He was born April 21, 1917, in Phoenix, Md., the third child of Katherine Eicholts Royston and George Royston. He graduated from the public school system and received his bachelor's degree from Towson State. He served in the armed services during the occupation of Japan following World War II. Pursuing graduate work in history and education at Johns Hopkins, the University of Maryland, and Columbia University, he dedicated himself to teaching in the Baltimore County public schools. For many years, he was the principal of Elmwood Elementary.

He is survived by his wife, Nellie Dewlin Royston; his son, David; his daughter, Pamela Royston (Tom) Macfie of Sewanee; and his grandson, Thomas Bosley Macfie.

The burial liturgy was held in the chapel of Trinity Episcopal Church in Towson, Md., on Dec. 29. Arrangements were by the Ruck Towson Funeral Home, Inc.

Church News

Otey Parish This Week

Otey Parish will host its Epiphany Pageant at 5 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 9, when the children will follow the Star to Bethlehem. Refreshments follow the service in the Parish hall.

On Sunday morning, Otey will have services at 8:50 a.m. and 11 a.m. During the 10 a.m. Sunday school hour, Adult Forum will continue its “Living Well, Dying Well” series about end-of-life issues. The Lectionary Class will study Matthew 3:13-17.

Middle school youth can attend “Grateful Reflections,” while high school youth are welcome for “Text and Teach.” Children ages three to 11 can participate in Godly Play. Nursery care is available from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Coffee hour follows the 11 a.m. service.

Emotional Support Group Forming

A new support group for people experiencing emotional pain and grief is starting on Jan. 8 in Monteagle. Led by hospice chaplain Richard Barger, the group is designed to help those who are overwhelmed by guilt, anxiety and other emotional problems. The program will last for 13 weeks. For more information about the location and times, contact Barger at (423) 650-8802.

Midway Church of Christ

At 11 a.m. on Sunday, Jan. 9, Midway Church of Christ Minister Keith Hamilton will preach a sermon titled “Directions for Observing the Lord's Supper.” At 6 p.m., he will preach on the subject “Messianic Prophecies Fulfilled.” The 10 a.m. Bible study is a continuation of a study on “The Life of Christ.” At 7:30 on Sunday mornings, Hamilton conducts a radio program called “Ask and the Bible Answers” on FM 94.5 or AM 1440 or online at <wzyxonline.com>. Located at 151 Otter Falls Road, Midway Church of Christ welcomes visitors at any of its services. For more information, contact Hamilton at (931) 454-2196.

Death Notices



Jan Drake-Lowther

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Jan Drake-Lowther, formerly of Sewanee, died on Jan. 1, 2010, while visiting family in Florida. A celebration of her life is being planned for this spring in Sewanee, and as more details become available they will be published.

Milly Dodd

Milly Dodd, long-time former resident of Sewanee, died Jan. 4, 2010, at Morning Pointe Assisted Living Center in Tullahoma.

A celebration of her life is planned for the spring in Sewanee. As details become available they will be published.

Jay C. Harris

Jay C. Harris, age 79, died in a Chattanooga hospital on Dec. 22, 2010. He had been a Sewanee resident before his hospitalization.



Natalie Davis

Blue Monarch Welcomes New Staff Member

Blue Monarch is proud to welcome Natalie Davis as the new family life coach. Natalie holds a master's degree in women's studies from the University of Memphis and has previously served as a women's and children's advocate, crisis assessor, residential counselor, group home supervisor and crisis care supervisor at organizations serving similar populations.

"We are delighted to have Natalie join our team," said Susan Binkley, Blue Monarch's executive director. "She brings extremely valuable experience to this position and we are excited about what she will add to our curriculum. Having Natalie on board allows us to offer more programs in-house than ever before, and her bubbly personality has quickly made her part of our Blue Monarch family."

Blue Monarch is a one- to two-year residential program for women and their children who are recovering from abuse and addictions. Visit <www.blumonarch.org> for more information.

A New Year's Update from Folks At Home

by Kathleen O'Donohue

The support of the entire community is responsible for the success of Folks at Home. We express gratitude to all of you who have created and supported Folks at Home throughout our journey.

As the seasons change, so do the needs of our community members. An integral function of Folks at Home (F@H) is to coordinate access to affordable quality services. Our goal is to connect community members in need of services with those offering services. Folks at Home relies on volunteers, vetted vendors (service providers) and a professional staff person to assist in times of need, as well as a lending service of safety equipment.

Do you have a skill for sale? Could you refer someone you've hired who does great work? F@H is always seeking vendors/service providers to add to our vetted vendor referral lists. As the seasons change, please review your files of workers and make a referral to F@H. If you have a skill for sale, please contact Folks at Home.

Volunteers are a vital part of this project. Folks at Home welcomes additional volunteers who are willing to become volunteer drivers, friendly visitors or providers of one-time tasks. Transportation, especially to medical appointments, has been one of the greatest areas of need. Friendly visits, grocery shopping, pharmacy pickups and transportation are a few of the ways volunteers may choose to serve.

In early 2011, with the support of a grant from the University's Fund for Innovation in Teaching and Learning, Folks at Home will collaborate with students, faculty/staff and community members on a second Accessibility Awareness Project. In addition to an educational presentation, volunteers will be recruited to learn how to build a wheelchair ramp. Our goal is to create a core of trained ramp team leaders who can implement the building of a ramp when the need arises. Please contact F@H if you are interested in participating.

Our normal office hours are 9:30-11:30 a.m. on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, when a F@H volunteer is in our office. Additional office hours vary, Monday through Thursday. Please call to arrange for services or for information about F@H.

Folks at Home is a membership-based, volunteer-driven, not-for-profit organization "developed for and dedicated to assisting its members in continuing a dignified and comfortable lifestyle in their homes through services they need or require." People of all ages are invited to join Folks at Home as members, vendors, volunteers, donors, and as advisors, board or committee members. Your support, questions and suggestions are welcome. For more information, you may call, e-mail, come by or visit our website at <http://folksathome.sewanee.edu>. Please contact Kathleen O'Donohue, director, Folks at Home, Brooks Hall, Otey Memorial Parish, 216 University Ave., P.O. Box 291, Sewanee, TN 37375. Phone 598-0303 or e-mail <folksathomesewanee@gmail.com>.

Hughes Book Honored

"Beloved Dust," written by the Rev. Robert Davis Hughes III, professor of systematic theology at the School of Theology, is one of six books on the shortlist for the 2011 Michael Ramsey Prize, which will be awarded on May 26.

"It is a great honor to have my work listed among such a distinguished group, whoever receives the prize in the end," said Hughes, who is the Norma and Olan Mills Professor of Divinity at the School of Theology. "My hope is that this nomination will give a boost to the project of 'Beloved Dust,' which was written to restart spiritual theology by grounding it in the doctrine of the Holy Spirit. Though I had to conduct some necessary academic business in this book, it is intended for both clergy and laity."

The Michael Ramsey Prize is awarded to the author of a theological work that is judged to contribute most towards advancing theology and making a lasting contribution to the faith and life of the Church.



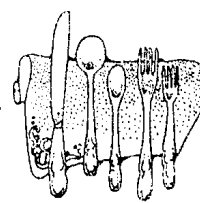
The Rev. Dr. Bob Hughes, professor of systematic theology at the School of Theology,

Senior Center News

The Sewanee Senior Center will host a covered-dish luncheon on Saturday, Jan. 15, at noon. Come and bring a dish to share.

The center needs volunteers to assist with its daily mission of serving hot meals to the seniors in our community. They serve 20 to 30 or more people a day and deliver meals to those who cannot leave their homes. If you would like to help, please contact the center at 598-0771. They have openings for regular weekly help and also can use substitutes for regular volunteers.

The center is located at 5 Ball Park Road (behind the Sewanee Market).



Senior Menus

The Sewanee Senior Center serves lunch at noon Monday through Friday. The suggested donation is \$3 (50 or older) or \$5 (under 50). Please call 598-0771 by 10:30 a.m. to order a lunch. Menus follow:

Jan. 10: Chicken/rice soup, crackers, salad, dessert.

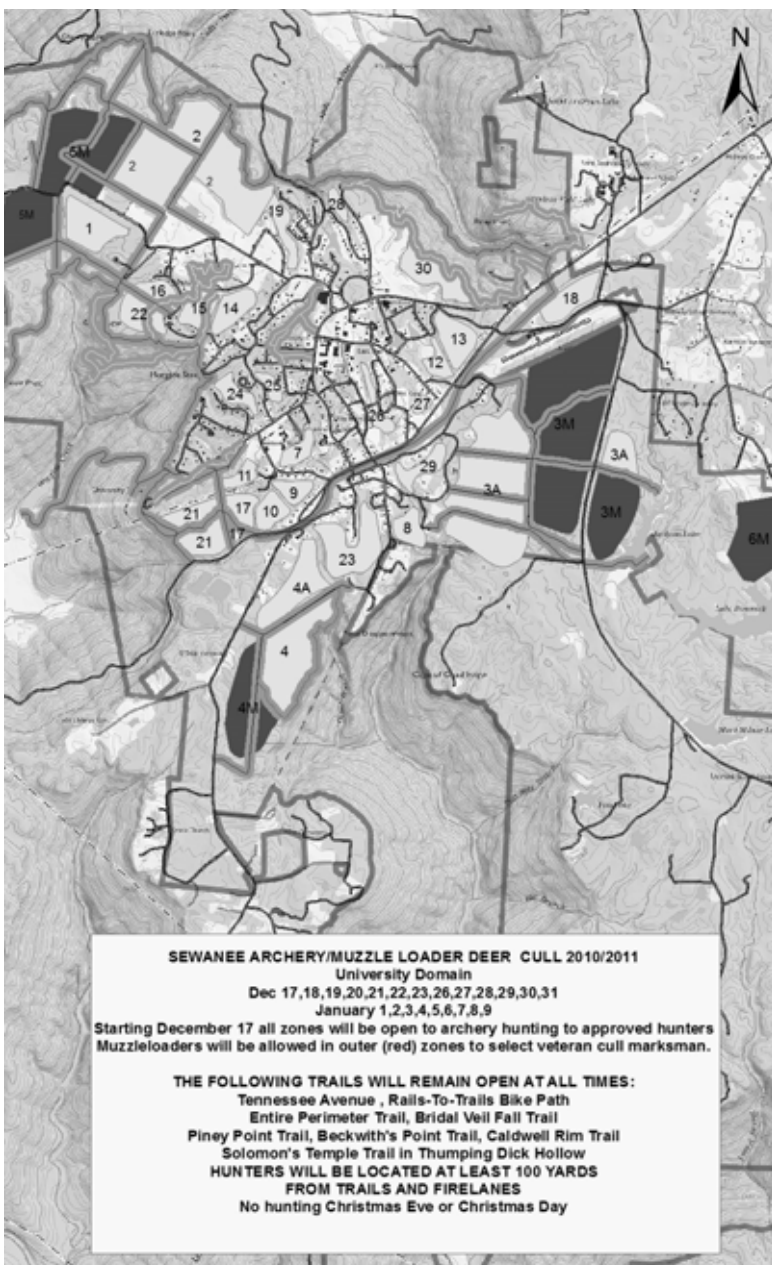
Jan. 11: Pork loin, au gratin potatoes, green beans, roll, dessert.

Jan. 12: Chili, crackers, pimento cheese sandwich, dessert.

Jan. 13: Kraut/ribs, white beans, fried okra, cornbread, dessert.

Jan. 14: Beef stew, slaw, cornbread, assorted desserts.

Menus may vary. For information call the center at 598-0771.



Deer Cull Ends Sunday

The 2010-2011 Sewanee deer cull continues through Sunday, Jan. 9. The hunt is conducted in designated zones on the Domain, from early morning hours until 10 a.m. and after 2 p.m.

The following trails are open at all times during the cull: the entire Perimeter Trail, Mountain Goat Trail, Tennessee Avenue trail, Piney Point Trail, Bridal Veil Falls Trail, Caldwell Rim Trail, Beckwith Point Trail, and the Solomon's Temple Trail in Thumping Dick Hollow. Hunters must stay at least 100 yards from all trails and fire lanes.

The map can be downloaded at <www.sewaneemessenger.com>.

Lytle Announces Retirement

The Rev. Dr. Guy Fitch Lytle III, professor of church history and Anglican studies, Bishop Juhan Professor of Divinity and former dean of the School of Theology, will retire from the faculty at the end of December 2011. Lytle will be on sabbatical leave during the year preceding his retirement.

An experienced scholar, teacher and priest, Lytle was appointed dean by Dr. Samuel Williamson, the 14th vice-chancellor of the University of the South. During the years following Lytle's appointment, he made significant contributions to the mission of the school. Under his leadership, financial support by dioceses and parishes expanded. Large gifts received during his time as dean have allowed the School of Theology to offer very substantial financial aid to all students who need it. He created the school's visiting committee, one of the chief means by which the seminary comes into dialogue with the wider church and community. Lytle was also intimately involved in shaping, developing and implementing the building of the school's new Chapel of the Apostles.

"I want to bear witness to the integrity of what I know to be his deepest commitment: to his Lord, Jesus Christ, whose death and resurrection won our salvation; and, flowing from that, to the distinctively Anglican ways of living into that inestimable gift," the Rev. Dr. William S. Stafford, dean of the School of Theology, announced. "As his departure from the faculty approaches, I want to thank God for all the good that has come of his and Maria's partnership in ministry in Sewanee, to thank them for all they have given and to wish them health, peace, and joy in their retirement."

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December Lease Committee Report

At the December Lease Committee meeting, the minutes of the November meeting were approved with no changes.

The following agenda items were approved: the request to replace the roof on Lease No. 526, located at 52 Castleberry Drive; the request from Kelly and Charles Whitmer to transfer Lease No. 964, located at 53 Campbell Court and install a backyard fence and a door and window on the back of the house; the request to install a sign at Otey Parish Lease No. 1, located at 214 University Ave.; the request to install a backyard fence on Lease No. 1008, located at 143 Winn's Circle; the request from the Beta Theta Pi Fraternity for a lease and an addition on the house, located at 107 Mitchell Avenue; the request to transfer Lease No. 941, located at 103 Brooks Lane, to Megan and William Miles; and the request to sublease an office in the Stephens building (Lease No. 912), located at 141 University Avenue to Charles Bloeser.

Discussion item: November 2010 report and proposed policy to allow livestock on the Domain.

Leasehold reduced since the last meeting: Lease No. 666 (Kipp), 58 Oklahoma Ave., from \$445,500 to \$425,000.

The next meeting is scheduled for Jan. 19. Agenda items are due no later than Wednesday, Jan. 12, at 4:30 p.m. Items received after that date will be placed on the February agenda.

Current policies, meeting dates, and other leasehold information are available online at <www.sewanee.edu/leases> or by calling the lease office at 598-1998.

Emerald-Hodgson News Employee Recognition

Emerald-Hodgson Hospital (EHH) named Rick Cook as the employee honoree for the month of November. Rick is a laboratory technologist and has been employed at EHH since 2000. He is a special employee who goes the extra mile, including volunteering for the hospital's activities committee where he helps coordinate employee and community activities. During the Christmas season, Rick played the role of Santa Claus at EHH's community outreach program for less-fortunate families in the area. He resides in McMinnville with his children, Maddison and Parker and especially enjoys spending his free time with them. Rick was selected for recognition in a random drawing among all EHH employees having November birthdays. His award included use of a close-in parking space for the month and a gift basket with movie tickets and other goodies. Congratulations, Rick Cook.

State of the Hospital

EHH administrator Ralph Underwood reported that there were fewer emergency room visits in November 2010 than in November 2009, and general admissions were also at slightly lower levels than last year; however, EHH experienced an 18 percent increase in utilization of the hospital's outpatient facilities and skilled care admissions rose by 44 percent. Observation visits were at the same level as last year, and slightly higher than projected.

—Reported by Leslie Lytle

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Bill Elliott, district manager of the Decherd and Sewanee offices for Duck River Electric, presented Tim Shelton (right) with his 20-year service award at a recent employee dinner. David Kelley (not pictured) received his award for 25 years of service to the cooperative. The 29 employees who were recognized for their service by Duck River Electric Membership Corporation have a combined total of 550 years of service to DREMC.

Frist Offers Free Admission on Jan. 15 Receives NEA Grant for Vishnu Exhibit

The Frist Center for the Visual Arts is celebrating the inauguration of Bill Haslam as Tennessee's next governor by offering free admission on inauguration day, Saturday, Jan. 15, and will extend its hours until midnight that evening.

Currently at the Frist is "The Birth of Impressionism: Masterpieces from the Musée d'Orsay." The exhibition includes 100 masterpieces of mid-to-late 19th-century French painting from the museum in Paris dedicated to the art of the early modern period (1840s through the early 20th century). The exhibition provides a broad context for understanding the roots of Modernism by combining seminal works by innovators such as Courbet, Manet, Cézanne, Monet and Renoir; salon painters such as Bouguereau; and artists who moved easily between convention and innovation such as Degas, Fantin-Latour and Whistler.

In other news, Rocco Landesman, chairman of the National Endowment for the Arts, recently announced that the Frist Center for the Visual Arts in Nashville has been approved for a grant of \$20,000 to support the exhibition "Vishnu: Hinduism's Blue-Skinned Savior," and its accompanying education programs. The Frist Center is one of 1,057 not-for-profit organizations recommended for a grant as part of the federal agency's first round of fiscal year 2011 grants. In total, the Arts Endowment will distribute \$26.68 million to support projects nationwide.

The Frist Center-organized exhibition "Vishnu: Hinduism's Blue-Skinned Savior," opening Feb. 20, is the first major museum exhibition to focus on Vishnu, one of Hindu's three major deities. It will remain on view at the Frist Center through May 29. The exhibition presents approximately 150 paintings and sculptures made in India between the fourth and twentieth centuries. The goal of the exhibition is to introduce non-Hindu audiences to the beauty and cultural meaning contained in works of art relating to the Vaishnava tradition, while helping the Hindu audience celebrate the traditional expressions of their spiritual beliefs. The exhibition will travel to the Brooklyn Museum of Art, where it will be on view from June 24 to Oct. 2.

The Frist Center for the Visual Arts, located at 919 Broadway in downtown Nashville, is an art exhibition center dedicated to presenting the finest visual art from local, regional, U.S. and international sources in a program of changing exhibitions. The Frist Center's Martin ArtQuest Gallery features interactive stations relating to Frist Center exhibitions. Gallery admission to the Frist Center is free for visitors 18 and younger and to Frist Center members. The Frist Center is open seven days a week: Monday through Wednesday and Saturday, 10 a.m.–5:30 p.m.; Thursday and Friday, 10 a.m.–9 p.m. and Sunday, 1–5:30 p.m., with the Frist Center Café opening at noon. Additional information is available by calling (615) 244-3340 or by going to <www.fristcenter.org>.



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damage was worse than anticipated. He stressed that the two main cost factors driving SUD's 2011 budget were construction of the new water plant and repair to the sewer to reduce inflow and infiltration (I&I) of rainwater into the system. Beavers said the only alternative to a rate increase was to delay I&I repair. SUD board president Doug Cameron pointed out that reducing I&I would decrease the amount of wastewater that had to be treated, and therefore decrease costs at the wastewater treatment plant.

In other action, the board approved a change order authorizing an increase in the time needed for W&O Construction Company to complete the new water plant. The change in time will not increase the cost of the project.

Developer John Goodson requested permission to use a floating tap in the Jump Off community. A floating tap is a tap purchased at an earlier date (and at a lower cost) but never installed. Cameron explained that when the Jump Off community applied for water service, some customers bought extra taps in order to meet the minimum number of taps required before SUD would run a water line to the area. Beavers said that the floating taps purchased in conjunction with the Jump Off project could only be used in that community. The board voted to grant Goodson's request.

Goodson also asked the board to waive its policy and authorize inspection of a water line under construction in his Myers Point development. Goodson has not signed a contract with SUD. SUD policy states that construction is not to begin until a contract is signed, and all fees are paid. Goodson said that he wanted SUD to inspect the installation so he could pay the contractor. Beavers said that he could not properly inspect the project because the work was partially done.

"Sanitation when the pipe is put in is the biggest point, and there's no way to ensure that now that it is already in the ditch," Beavers said. In discussion, board members sympathized with the contractor's desire to be paid, but stressed that SUD could not ignore its policy. Cameron emphasized that the state had strict requirements about sanitation practices for water-line installations. The board took no action to waive the policy; however, Beavers agreed to contact the contractor and talk with him about the inspection process.

SUD customers may vote during regular business hours Jan. 3–25. SUD will hold its annual meeting at 5 p.m., Tuesday, Jan. 25, at the SUD office on Sherwood Road. Election results will be tabulated during the meeting.

--Reported by Leslie Lytle

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Paula Ann Ford Show Begins at The Artisan Depot

The Artisan Depot presents a one-person show, "The Romantic Landscape," by artist Paula Ann Ford from Jan. 14 through Feb. 28. Ford lives in Jasper, Tenn.

Ford is an award-winning artist known for her soft, romantic landscapes painted in soft pastels.

"Landscapes are my chosen subjects because I have always been amazed at the way nature arranges its compositions into scenes that capture my imagination and stay in my memories," she said.

Ford has been a guide in the pastel forum of Wetcanvas.com for several years, has been a featured artist on several websites, and teaches workshops throughout the southeast. She won the Silver Medal Award in the 2007 Arts for the Parks competition for her painting "Nick's Lake," is an associate member of the Pastel Society of America, and is a member of the Southeastern Pastel Society. Ford also acts as chairman for art exhibitions presented by the International Association of Pastel Societies.

"Pastels are my outlet, my sanctuary; my soul comes pouring out into my paintings. I think of nothing else when I'm painting except making a beautiful place to go," Ford said.

The opening reception for the show will be at 5 p.m., Friday, Jan. 14 at The Artisan Depot, 201 Cumberland Street East, Cowan.

"Treasured Impact" Opens at River Gallery

The January exhibit at River Gallery of Chattanooga features a collaboration between artists Janet Eskridge and Courtenay James titled "Treasured Impact." The opening reception is at 6:30 p.m., Friday, Jan. 7 (snow date: 2 p.m., Saturday, Jan. 8).

Mixed-media artist Janet Eskridge creates collages from found objects and images to explore the hidden places and layers of the human experience. Her assemblages form small worlds that peer into life's special spaces.

Artist Courtenay James examines unique personal history through his paintings of Chattanooga immigrants. His portraits are layered with representations of the individual.

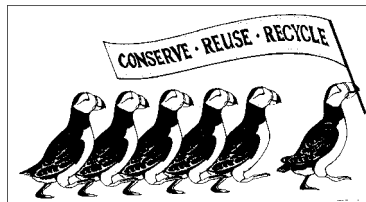
River Gallery is located at 400 E. Second Street in downtown Chattanooga and is open Monday through Saturday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Sundays from 1 to 5 p.m., and by appointment. For more information, call (423)265-5033 or go to <www.river-gallery.com>.

Low Country Boil Benefit Dinner

Tickets are now on sale for a Low Country Boil to be held at the National Guard Armory in Monteagle, at 3 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 15. The boil will consist of shrimp, sausage, corn and new potatoes, accompanied by Cajun music. Tickets are \$10 per person and can be purchased at any local bank, Monteagle City Hall or at the Monteagle Chamber. Proceeds from the dinner will support the Monteagle Mountain Chamber and Friends of South Cumberland State Recreation Area, Inc.

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Friends of Franklin County Library Offer Book Groups

The Franklin County public library announces its January events:

Jan. 7—Teen Action Group meets at 4 p.m. Grades 6–12 welcome.

Jan. 13—The book group for adults, Bookies, will meet to discuss "Little Bee" at 3 p.m.

Looking ahead: On Sunday, Feb. 6, the Wood and Strings Theater presents "Out of the Mist...a Dragon" at the Winchester Cumberland Presbyterian Church. All ages welcome. This free performance is brought to you by the Friends of the Library and the Tennessee Arts Commission.



Sewanee Book Club to Meet Jan. 17

The next meeting of the Sewanee Book Club will be on Monday, Jan. 17, at 1:30 p.m. at the home of Connie Kelley. Members and visitors may bring books to show, tell and share with everyone. Novels, biographies, coffee table, cooking, how-to, history, travel—if it is a book that you enjoy, it is welcome—as are visitors. For more information, contact Flournoy Rogers at 598-0733.

"Shenandoah" Auditions This Week

The Arts Center of Cannon County announces auditions for the musical "Shenandoah" at 2 p.m., Sunday, Jan. 9, and 6 p.m., Monday, Jan. 10. This colorful and dramatic saga revolves around a strong-willed Virginia farmer, Charlie Anderson, who tries to keep his family neutral during the Civil War, but the family is inevitably swept up in the conflict.

All those auditioning should be prepared to sing 32 bars of a song in the style of the show. An accompanist will be provided. For songs not in the show, you must provide sheet music for the accompanist. Auditions will include cold readings from the script. Roles are available for one African-American boy aged 10–15; men aged 10–65; and two women aged 16–30.

Songs in the show include: "Raise the Flag of Dixie," "I've Heard It All Before," "Why Am I Me?" "Next To Lovin' (I Like Fightin' Best)," "Over the Hill," "We Make a Beautiful Pair," "Violets and Silverbells," "It's A Boy!" "Papa's Gonna Make It Alright," "Freedom," "The Only Home I Know" and "Pass the Cross to Me."

Production dates are March 18 through April 2 with rehearsals beginning in January. For more information, call (615) 563-2787 or go to <www.artscenterofcc.com>.

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SAS Hosts FAFSA Workshop

St. Andrew's-Sewanee School will host a workshop on Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at 2 p.m., Sunday, Jan. 16, in the school's Bishop Bratton Hall. The workshop is free and open to the public.

Beth Cragar, associate dean of admission for financial aid at the University of the South and Christine Asmussen, director of college counseling at SAS, will conduct the workshop. Parents of high school seniors should bring their current tax information, pencils and any questions they have about the process and the FAFSA form, which is required by all colleges nationwide for financial aid. FAFSA is also required by the Tennessee Lottery Scholarship Program.

FAFSA is available on-line at www.fafsa.ed.gov. For free FAFSA advice, consult www.FAFSAonline.com.

For more information, contact Asmussen at 598-5651 ext. 3136 or cassmussen@sasweb.org.

School Scoop

Local Students Receive Named Scholarships at St. Andrew's-Sewanee

Each year St. Andrew's-Sewanee School provides close to \$1.7 million in financial aid to its students. Some of that financial aid comes in the form of named scholarships and designated monies that have been made possible through the generosity of the school's alumni and friends. This year, the following local students have received named awards:

Sixth-grader Madison Gilliam of Sewanee received the William E. Barry Memorial Scholarship. This award is given to encourage students from the Mountain to attend St. Andrew's-Sewanee and to recognize students who will enrich the life of the school.

Seventh-grader Anna Stapleton of Sewanee was the recipient of the Woods Memorial Scholarship, created in memory of Granville Cecil Woods Sr. and the Very Rev. Granville Cecil Woods Jr. The Woods Memorial Scholarship is presented to an entering middle-school student whose parent or parents are full-time employees of the University of the South.

Senior Elaine Taylor of Sewanee was the recipient of the Father and Mrs. Simmonds Scholarship. This award is given to a student who exemplifies the essence of the mission of St. Andrew's School, and who contributes in positive ways to the ongoing life of St. Andrew's-Sewanee School.

Senior Justin Thomas of Monteagle received the Speegle Scholarship, established in April 2000 in honor of Betty and Speedy Speegle, longtime employees of St. Andrew's School. This scholarship enables young boys and girls to have the opportunity to attend St. Andrew's-Sewanee School and to be cared for and helped in the way that Betty and Speedy cared for and helped young men over 30 years ago.

Seventh-grader Emily Turner of Monteagle was the recipient of the Ann Tate Scholarship, awarded each year to a student from the surrounding area who is new to the school and who reflects the same dedication exhibited by Ann Tate and her family to the pursuit of a high-quality education.

Senior Joel McGee of Cowan received the Clyde A. Fasick Jr. Scholarship that recognizes and rewards a deserving boy or girl in order to further their scholastic goals.

Senior Kelsey Pearson of Cowan received the Anne Roth Scholarship, which is given to a student whose cheerful spirit and exemplary character enrich the life of the school.

Senior Will Johannsson of Decherd received the Murray and Sue Robinson Scholarship. This scholarship is established by the Delta and Pine Land Company in appreciation for Murray Robinson's leadership of that company.

Seventh-grader Lauren Arnold of Winchester was the recipient of the Sofia Wentz Scholarship, which is awarded to a middle-school student who demonstrates the academic potential and motivation to capitalize on the St. Andrew's-Sewanee educational experience.

Senior Ben Ayers and junior Shea Ellison, both of Winchester, received the Reader's Digest Endowed Scholarships, given to students who have demonstrated outstanding achievement in academics and in nonacademic programs of the school.

Junior Kira Tharp of Signal Mountain received the Howard and Sally Wall Episcopal Scholarship, awarded in honor of Howard and Sally Wall, active lay members of St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Murfreesboro.

Girl Scouts Meet Wednesday

Sewanee Girl Scout Troop 2107 meets every two weeks on Wednesday from 3:45 to 5 p.m. in Otey parish hall (across the street from Sewanee Elementary School). The next meeting is scheduled for Jan. 12. For information call Angela Fowler, (931) 636-0289.

FCHS Goes Pink

During January, Franklin County High School is supporting cancer awareness week by hosting Pink Week Jan. 18-25. The LEO Club is selling "Pinkout Shirt" for \$15, with the proceeds going toward the Multi County Cancer Support Network and the Susan G. Komen Foundation. On Friday, Jan. 21, there will be a Pink Dance held at 10 p.m. in the auxiliary gym following the basketball game. Tickets are \$5 for a couple and \$3 each. If students purchase a "Pinkout Shirt" they will receive \$1 off tickets. The dance is sponsored by the Interact and LEO clubs. The highlight of Pink Week will be the selection of Mr. Pink and Ms. Pink. Each club in the school will nominate a boy and a girl to represent their club. The club will then design their own money bucket to set up in the cafeteria for donations. The club representatives that raise the most money will be Mr. Pink and Ms. Pink. The money raised will also be donated to the club's chosen cancer society. The winner will be announced at the Shelbyville-FCHS basketball game on Jan. 25.

Gentle Yoga for Seniors Begins on Monday

A Gentle Yoga Class for adults ages 70 and older will be offered at 8:30 a.m., Mondays, beginning Jan. 10 at the Sewanee Community Center. The class is appropriate for both men and women and requires no previous yoga experience. The class will consist of slow, gentle stretching designed to improve flexibility and joint mobility, as well as exercises to improve circulation, strength and balance. Gentle Yoga for Seniors will be taught by Carolyn Fitz, a certified yoga instructor through the Asheville Yoga Center. For more information, contact Fitz at 598-0597.

What's Cooking at SES?

Monday-Friday, Jan. 10-14

LUNCH

MON: Vegetable soup, ham sandwich on whole wheat, dried blueberries; or grilled cheese sack.

TUE: Chicken Parmesan, garden salad, orange half, whole wheat breadstick; or yogurt sack.

WED: Sliced turkey, green beans, sliced apples, whole wheat roll; or baked potato plate.

THU: Fajita/whole wheat tortilla, pinto beans, spinach salad, mixed fruit; or yogurt tray.

FRI: Sloppy Joe on whole wheat bun, baked oven fries, raw carrots, banana; or chef salad or grilled cheese sack.

BREAKFAST

MON: Mini pancakes.

TUE: Assorted cereal.

WED: Chicken biscuit.

THU: Steak biscuit.

FRI: Sausage biscuit.

Milk or juice is served with all meals. Menus are subject to change.



Weather

DAY	DATE	HI	LO
Mon	Dec 13	19	11
Tue	Dec 14	15	06
Wed	Dec 15	26	08
Thu	Dec 16	28	18
Fri	Dec 17	55	23
Sat	Dec 18	44	26
Sun	Dec 19	31	26

Week's Stats:

Avg max temp =	31
Avg min temp =	17
Avg temp =	22
Precipitation =	0.47"

DAY	DATE	HI	LO
Mon	Dec 20	38	21
Tue	Dec 21	46	24
Wed	Dec 22	45	38
Thu	Dec 23	53	24
Fri	Dec 24	38	24
Sat	Dec 25	46	24
Sun	Dec 26	44	27

Week's Stats:

Avg max temp =	44
Avg min temp =	23
Avg temp =	31
Precipitation =	0.7"

DAY	DATE	HI	LO
Mon	Dec 27	27	19
Tue	Dec 28	29	21
Wed	Dec 29	46	16
Thu	Dec 30	45	34
Fri	Dec 31	61	43
Sat	Jan 01	59	41
Sun	Jan 02	43	22

Week's Stats:

Avg max temp =	44
Avg min temp =	28
Avg temp =	35
Precipitation =	2.61"
(Snowfall 5.0")	

December Monthly Averages:

Avg max temp =	40
Avg min temp =	24
Avg temp =	29
Total Precipitation =	5.06"

December 52-Year Averages:

Avg max temp =	46
Avg min temp =	31
Avg temp =	38
Precipitation =	5.82"
YTD Rainfall =	58.92"
YTD Avg Rainfall =	61.13"

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Sports Scoreboard



The Sewanee Elementary School boys basketball team finished third in the recent elementary mid-season tournament. Both girls' and boys' teams will play at Cowan Elementary gym on Thursday, Jan. 13, taking on Decherd Elementary. Game times are 4:30 p.m. for the girls and 5:30 p.m. for the boys.

Sewanee Tigers Basketball Roundup

Men's team defeats Rhodes

The Sewanee men's basketball team picked up a thrilling victory over rival Rhodes on Jan. 2, dropping the Lynx 65-63 after freshman Valentino Bryant nailed a half-court shot with 0.4 seconds left to play. The Tigers were up 40-29 heading into halftime, but a spirited Rhodes effort, in which the Lynx held Sewanee scoreless for eight minutes, chipped away at the margin. Rhodes took a 51-50 lead late in the half before play moved back and forth until the final minutes. Sewanee was ahead 62-61 with three seconds left before Rhodes' Andrew Galow nailed a layup to put the Lynx ahead, 63-52. Sam Martin found Bryant on the inbound pass, and he knocked down the winning shot. [To see a video of this thrilling play, go to <sewaneetigers.com>.] Sewanee is now 5-5 overall and 1-2 in SCAC play.

On Dec. 31, the Panthers of Birmingham-Southern topped the Tigers 85-61. Sophomore Trent Williams and freshman Anvil Nelson led Sewanee with 12 points and five rebounds apiece. Bryant added 11, and Brett Bouldin chipped in nine on perfect shooting from the floor.

They play host to Centre on Friday and DePauw on Sunday in conference action at home.

Bryant, a 6'2" freshman, was named Player of the Week for his outstanding performance. In addition to his at-the-buzzer half-court shot in the Rhodes game, he finished the contest with 17 points, two rebounds, and one assist. He also finished in double figures in the Tigers' loss to Birmingham-Southern adding 11 points. Bryant leads the team in scoring with 11.2 points per contest and is third in rebounds.

Women's team drops two

The Sewanee women's basketball team dropped two conference contests over the weekend, falling to Birmingham-Southern College, 90-48, and Rhodes College, 85-66. In the Birmingham-Southern game, junior Claire Elliott led the Tigers with a game-high 17 points on a six-of-seven shooting from the field. Logan Miller added eight points, while Dani Kabbes contributed eight rebounds and three blocks. As a team, the Tigers shot 30.2 percent from the field and 20.6 percent from the 3-point line. The Panthers held the edge in rebounding, 56-36. On Sunday, the Tigers fell to Rhodes despite double-digit scoring efforts from three different Tigers. Miller poured in 24 points in the effort, while Kabbes pulled down a double-double with 17 points and 10 rebounds. Paige Lowe also added 14 points in the contest. Sewanee falls to 2-8 overall and 0-3 in conference play. The Tigers will host Centre and DePauw in conference play this weekend.

HOME GAMES THIS WEEK

Today, Jan. 7
6 pm SAS V Girls' Basketball
v Zion Christian Academy
6 pm Women's Basketball v Centre
6:30 pm FCHS V Girls' Basketball
v Columbia
7:30 pm SAS V Boys' Basketball
v Zion Christian Academy
8 pm FCHS V Boys' Basketball
v Columbia
8 pm Men's Basketball v Centre
Saturday, Jan. 8
9 am SAS Invitational Swim Meet
Sunday, Jan. 9
12 pm Women's Basketball v DePauw
2 pm Men's Basketball v DePauw
Tuesday, Jan. 11
4 pm SAS V Wrestling
v Chattanooga Christian Sch
6:30 pm FCHS V Girls' Basketball
v Tullahoma
8 pm FCHS V Boys' Basketball
v Tullahoma
Thursday, Jan. 13
4:30 pm SAS Coed V & MS Swimming
v Coffee Co Central HS
4:30 pm SES Girls' Basketball
v Decherd @ Cowan
5:30 pm SES Boys' Basketball
v Decherd @ Cowan
6 pm SAS MS Girls' Basketball
v Palmer Elementary
Friday, Jan. 14
6 pm Women's Basketball v Trinity U
8 pm Men's Basketball v Trinity U

SAS Wrestling Results

The St. Andrew's-Sewanee School Lions "let out a roar," said coach Dan Barry about the wrestling team's performance at the Warren County Invitational in December. Seth Burns, Allan Duggar and Cody Seals each came home with second-place finishes, while rookie JR Clay came home with his first tournament placing of fourth. Barry said he was very pleased with his team's effort, especially Clay, because he is new to the sport and already chalking up tournament finishes.

SAS will host the annual Mountain Top Invitational Wrestling Tournament on Saturday Jan. 15. Area teams include SAS, Franklin County, Coffee County, Sequatchie County, Whitwell, Riverdale, Warren County, Cumberland County, McMinn County, Sale Creek, Tyner, BGA and Knox Central. This is an action-packed day of high school wrestling that starts at 10 a.m.



Fritsl Butler

Butler Selected for Soccer Team

Sewanee senior Fritsl Butler has been named to the 2010 NSCAA/Performance Subaru Women's NCAA Division III All-South Atlantic Region Team. Butler, a midfielder for the Tigers' women's soccer team, was named to the second team. A four-time All-SCAC selection, this is her first appearance on the All-NSCAA All-Region Team.

Butler logged over 4,800 minutes on the field for the Tigers in her four-year career and as a captain, led the women to a 12-6 overall record in 2010. She scored six goals for the Tigers this season on her way to helping Sewanee win eight of their last nine games of the year.

"Fritsl's recognition is well-deserved, and I am very happy for her," said women's soccer coach Patrick Johnston.



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Overtime with Coach Shack

By John Shackelford

Last week Gov. Ed Rendell of Pennsylvania was outraged when the NFL postponed the football game between his hometown Philadelphia Eagles and the Minnesota Vikings because of the threat of snow. The game was canceled before the first snowflake fell in a city that has always been known for its toughness. Rendell said that America had become a nation of "wussies," and that the postponement was an indication of how soft we had become as a nation.

It is rare that politicians go on to say much more without fear of offending anyone, but Rendell is in his last month in office, so he continued by saying, "The Chinese wouldn't have postponed the game; they would have walked to the game and done their calculus while they were walking." The sensitivity police cited Rendell for stereotyping the Chinese. But if I was from China, I would feel pretty good if I was told the people of my country are kicking butt, they are tough enough to walk in the snow and smart enough to do their calculus homework while walking. If you take a quick glance at the last names of the 2010 Rhodes scholars, you will see a Jia, Shah, Tauqueer, Yang, Zeng, Zavala, Udehi. Nadathur, Alekseyeva and Kang. It is truly the continuation of America's melting pot that remains our strength. What do you think of the Governor's comments? Has the America of Smith and Jones become a nation of "wussies"? Is this football game an indication or symptom of a larger problem?

Thirty years ago no one wore a helmet while riding a bike or wore a seatbelt while driving a car. But does this make us softer or smarter? Are we getting softer because we are afraid to skin our knees without wearing kneepads while skateboarding or is it because we don't require 100 problems of calculus every night from our children before their lives are lived out on the pages of Facebook?

The NFL is also cracking down on helmet-to-helmet collisions. The football players cry that this is a tough game and that hitting hard is how the game is played. Are the rule-makers softening this game or protecting the player's brains from concussions and their spines from injury? Gov. Rendell is doing something that many of us often do: using sports as a metaphor for larger issues. I think the value of being an excellent skateboarder or hitting hard on the football field is found in the knowledge



that it takes practice to get better. And practice is often long, possibly boring and repetitive. When those values translate into calculus or learning to construct a sentence without using a semi-colon as half of a wink-face symbol, then sports have taught us something. Vince Lombardi told his team on his first day that "They would relentlessly pursue perfection. They would never get there, but they would approach excellence." What has changed since the Lombardi era is the priority of, and who determines, which excellence we are chasing. Many of us aren't pursuing perfection for the intrinsic value that the quest brings, but chasing it for the dream of being highlighted on SportsCenter or YouTube. Athletes are now chasing the next endorsement or fat multi-year contract.

Why relentlessly pursue perfection in the math classroom if that is not a value our country holds high? America's children need to be told that the accountant who calculates all those multi-year contracts and ticket sales does pretty well herself. It turns out the real reason the football game was postponed is because Gov. Rendell's own team, the Philadelphia Eagles, was afraid of massive requests for ticket refunds resulting from the weather. The coaches and players weren't afraid of the snow. It was the accountants that turned out to be the "wussies" based on the possible loss of millions in revenue. That is pretty smart. Perhaps their accountant was from China.

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Nature Notes

Piebald and Albino Birds

On Dec. 22, 2010 an unusual bird appeared at **Jean and Harry Yeatman's** feeder. It was a cardinal with a white belly and scarlet body. It reappeared to Jean on Dec. 30. This mixed pigmentation is produced



by a dominant gene that controls the color of the skin, eye iris, feathers, fur and bill. Piebalds have large irregular white spots or blotches on a dark body, or large areas of white blotched with dark blotches. These mixed colors are not to be called partial albino, because albinism is caused by a recessive gene. Albinos can have pink eyes, caused by tiny blood vessels in the white iris. Often, birds and mammals are white (white chickens, etc.), very light brown, light gray or spotted; these colors and color patterns are not albinos nor piebalds, but are caused by multiple gene actions. The mating of a normally-pigmented bird with an albino adult results in young that are normally pigmented

but will carry a suppressed gene for albinism. If two of these offspring mate, 50 percent of their young will have normal pigments, and 25 percent albino. Thus the suppressed recessive gene for albinism may be hidden through several generations. Pure piebald pigmentation is dominant to normal color pattern and is more common than albinism. However, neither piebalds nor albinos survive long in the "wild" because they are so conspicuous. Harry Yeatman has a mounted piebald cardinal (above), taken from Ashwood, Tenn., on Dec. 27, 1940, and the Yeatmans had a pet albino grackle (right) that had fallen out of its Sewanee nest of four normal-colored grackles on May 29, 1957.



Winter Beauty

Lewis Dozier e-mailed us to say, "Woke this cold but sunny morning to dozens and dozens of robins and cedar waxwings on the ground on the bluff and in the nandina bushes on the red berries—a beautiful sight. What a delightful wonder!"

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Autumn is a gray cat who is as sweet as she is pretty. She is affectionate and talkative, and she loves to be petted. Autumn is negative for FeLV and FIV, house-trained, up to date on shots and spayed.

Call Animal Harbor at 962-4472 for information and check out their other pets at www.animalharbor.com. Please help The Humane Society continue to save abandoned pets by sending your donations to The Franklin County Humane Society, P.O. Box 187, Winchester, TN 37398.

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<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	I believe Sewanee residents, alumni, and other visitors would benefit from a dog park.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	I favor the construction of a dog park in Sewanee.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	I would use the dog park.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	I am likely to use the dog park on a regular basis.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	I would be glad to contribute funds for the construction and maintenance of the park.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	I would be willing to pay a small annual membership for park maintenance.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	I would be willing to contribute my time and energy for the park's construction and maintenance.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	I would be willing to serve on the committee that will plan the construction, maintenance and supervision of the park.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	I favor some subsidies from University lease fee funds to support a dog park.
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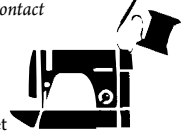
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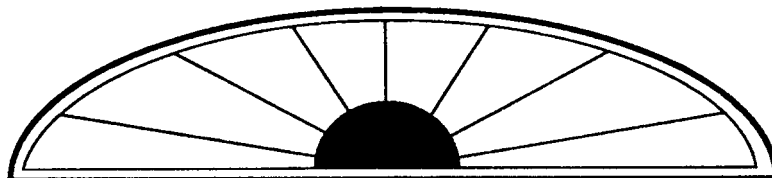
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EVENTS

Today, Friday, Jan. 7

DEER CULL: Dawn–Dusk except 10 am–2pm

SUD Commissioner voting until Jan. 25

9:30 am CAC office open, Otey, till 11
10:00 am Game day, Senior Center, till 11:45
12:00 pm Men Bible study, Otey
7:00 pm AA, Christ Church, Tracy City

Saturday, Jan. 8

DEER CULL: Dawn–Dusk except 10 am–2pm

8:00 am Tai Chi w/Lance, Sew Cmty Ctr
7:00 pm NA, Decherd United Methodist
7:30 pm AA (open), Otey parish hall

Sunday, Jan. 9

DEER CULL: Dawn–Dusk except 10 am–2pm

4:00 pm Yoga w/Helen, Sew Cmty Ctr
4:00 pm Women Bible study, Otey
6:30 pm AA (open), H Comforter, M’eagle

Monday, Jan. 10

Dog Park Survey due to Phil White

8:30 am Sr Yoga w/Carolyn, Sew Cmty Ctr
10:30 am Chair exercise, Senior Center
5:00 pm Women 12-step, Otey parish hall
5:15 pm 12-step meditation mtg, Stillpoint
7:00 pm Community Council, Senior Center
7:00 pm AA, Christ Church, Tracy City
7:00 pm Centering prayer, Otey sanctuary

7:30 pm Summit Lodge F&AM, Lodge Hall

Tuesday, Jan. 11

8:30 am Yoga w/Carolyn, Sew Cmty Ctr
9:00 am Yoga w/Hadley, St Mary’s Sewanee
10:30 am Bingo, Senior Ctr, till 11:45
4:00 pm Centering prayer, St Mary’s, till 5:30
6:30 pm DOK, St. James
7:00 pm NA, Decherd United Methodist
7:30 pm AA (open), Otey parish hall
7:30 pm Al-Anon, Otey parish hall

Wednesday, Jan. 12

9:30 am CAC office open, Otey, till 11:30
10:00 am Sewing/Quilting class, Senior Center
3:45 pm Girl Scout meeting, Otey parish hall
4:30 pm Lease Comm Agenda deadline
5:30 pm Yoga w/Helen, Sew Cmty Ctr
7:30 pm AA (open), H Comforter, M’eagle

Thursday, Jan. 13

9:30 am CAC office open, Otey, till 2
10:30 am Chair exercise, Senior Center
12:00 pm Lifelong Learning Lunch, McCrory
12:00 pm AA (open), 924-3493 for location
12:30 pm EPF, Otey parish hall
3:30 pm Yoga w/Hadley, St Mary’s Sewanee
6:30 pm NA, Otey
7:30 pm Young People AA, St James

Friday, Jan. 14

7:00 pm AA, (open), Holy Comforter, M’eagle

9:30 am CAC office open, Otey, till 11
12:00 pm Men Bible study, Otey
7:00 pm AA, Christ Church, Tracy City
5:00 pm Tai Chi w/Lance, Sew Cmty Ctr

CHURCH SERVICES

This Evening, Jan. 7

4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey
6:30 pm Worship Service, Church of God

Friday, Jan. 8

7:30 am Morning Prayer, Otey
4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey

Sunday, Jan. 10

All Saints’ Chapel

8:00 am Holy Eucharist

Cumberland Presbyterian

9:00 am Worship Service
10:00 am Sunday School

Grace Fellowship

10:30 am Sunday School/Worship Service

Harrison Chapel Methodist

10:00 am Sunday School
11:00 am Worship Service

Jump-Off Baptist

10:00 am Sunday School
11:00 am Worship Service
6:00 pm Worship Service

Midway Baptist

10:00 am Sunday School
11:00 am Morning Service
6:00 pm Evening Service

Midway Church of Christ

10:00 am Bible Study
11:00 am Morning Service
6:00 pm Evening Service

Otey Memorial Church

8:50 am Holy Eucharist
10:00 am Christian Education
11:00 am Holy Eucharist

St. James Episcopal

9:00 am Worship and Fellowship
10:15 am Sunday School Adults/Children

St. Mary’s Convent

8:00 am Holy Eucharist
10:00 am Sunday School

Sewanee Church of God

11:00 am Morning Service
6:00 pm Evening Service

Society of Friends

9:30 am Meeting, 598-5031

Monday, Jan. 11

7:30 am Morning Prayer, Otey
8:00 am Holy Eucharist, St Marys Convent
12:30 pm Noon Prayer, St Marys Convent
4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey
5:00 pm Evening Prayer, St Marys Convent

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Wednesday, Jan. 13

7:30 am Morning Prayer, Otey
4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey
5:00 pm Rite III HE/Rosary, St James

Thursday, Jan. 14

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