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The CCC Interpretive Trail. Photo by Rick Dreves

Civilian Conservation Corps Campsite Is Open

by Bailey Basham, Messenger Staff Writer

In December of 2017, South Cumberland State Park officials and volunteers were in the early stages of recreating a portion of a local Depression-era Civilian Conservation Corps (CCC) campsite.

The volunteer project, which was led by the Friends of South Cumberland State Park, was organized around the aim to honor the legacy of local Company 1475.

Work on the project was completed earlier this year, and last week, the site was unveiled. The CCC Interpretive Area consists of a new one-third mile trail connecting 13 graphic panels, which tell the story of Company 1475.

"We didn't want to turn the site into an open field. We wanted to restore it to what it looked like about the time when the camp was established. They tucked their buildings into the woods, which you can see on some of the graphic panels. We wanted to give the

people going through the site today an idea of what it was like when the CCC boys first set up camp there," said Rick Dreves, who worked as the communications chair for the volunteer group. Dreves was responsible for constructing the graphic panels for the site.

Created under President Franklin Delano Roosevelt in 1933, the CCC was primarily made up of young men in their late teens and early 20s who performed work related to natural resources and infrastructure. The Corps was designed to get much needed work done and provide employment during the Great Depression and was vital to starting Tennessee's state park system.

From 1935 to 1942, Company 1475's camp was on 211-acres near Tracy City in Grundy Forest. Grundy County native Herman E. Baggenstoss, son of the found-

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Williams at Seawanee Spoken Word

Fast-rising literary star Caroline Randall Williams will perform at the Blue Chair Cafe at 7 p.m., Tuesday, April 23, as part of a special session of Seawanee Spoken Word.

Randall Williams, a visiting professor at the University of the South, won national acclaim in February for Nashville Ballet's adaptation of her poetry collection "Lucy Negro, Redux." The book portrays its title character — an actual London brothel owner — as the enigmatic "Dark Lady" of Shakespeare's sonnets. Recent research supports this view, although no expert consensus has emerged.

"A mixed-media, multigenre embodiment of a scholarly theory about an arcane point of literary history might not seem like fertile ground for enchantment," said one of two New York Times pieces about the ballet, "but it was absolutely transformative." The underlying book is "a witty and audacious rejoinder to literary history and its systematic suppression of female voices. Especially black female voices."

Randall Williams read from her poetry as part of the Nashville



Caroline Randall Williams

performances and will do so again in Seawanee. Students in her "Writing the Blues" class here will join her onstage and share work they've been creating this semester.

The goal of the Blue Chair show, student Tori Hinshaw said, is to conjure the raw emotions of a juke joint — "community, heartbreak, empowerment, pain, and pleasure." Audience members are advised to come early and be prepared to stand, as space is limited and de-

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Leal Leaving Home

by Bailey Basham, Messenger Staff Writer

César Leal was recently named director of orchestra activities at the Gettysburg College Symphony Orchestra in Gettysburg, Pa.

Leal has served as assistant professor of music at the University of the South and as artistic director of the Seawanee Symphony Orchestra (SSO) for the past six years.

"After I finished my doctorate in musicology, I was looking for a place where, as a historian and conductor, I could combine my fields. Most universities require you to be in one track. I was never aligned with that particular way of being a musician. Seawanee was somewhere that resonated with that," Leal said.

Before he came to Seawanee, Leal said his experience with student musicians was limited—he was used to working with professional musicians. Being among the students who showed so much passion and drive for their work inspired him to create something new.

Over the last six years, Leal has developed a complete program around the SSO, allowing the students to gain experience in all aspects of orchestra.

Through the Artistic Leadership Program, Leal has created a space for the students to learn what it takes to work with an orchestra and put on a concert. He has also worked with students in sororities and fraternities who do not play in the orchestra to extend the involvement beyond the orchestra members.

"I invited professionals from different universities and orchestras to teach the students how to run an orchestra, about management and leadership, how to plan a program. The students do everything at this point. They are in charge of the social media presence, of creating contracts. They do announcements, they are managers and librarians," he said.

Barbara Carden, a cellist in the SSO and one of the orchestra's founding members, said it's that student-centered approach Leal employed that she thinks served Seawanee so well.

"At the very beginning the orchestra was very adult-heavy, and professional musicians were essential to making the orchestra work, but the whole focus has changed," said Carden.

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César Leal

Community Cleanup Day

University students, St. Andrews-Seawanee students, and community members are encouraged to gather for a litter pickup on Saturday, April 20. Titled "Hearts, Hands, and Headwaters," the event will be the kick-off for Earth Week, and the goals will be both aesthetic and ecological, getting plastics and other trash off our roadways and out of our waterways. This is the first annual event that honors the late Professor Arthur Knoll, who organized annual community cleanups for many years.

Volunteers will gather at 8:30 a.m. at the University cornerstone in Louisiana Circle, which is the point where the three main watersheds that drain the campus meet. After orientation, the group will fan out for trash pickup along streets and streams and in woodlands within the three watersheds: Boiling Fork (Hawkins Cove), Mud Creek (Alto), and Lost Creek (Lost Cove).

After 9 a.m., volunteers rising a little later can go to the parking lot behind Fulford Hall to pick up materials and get assignments. Each cleanup site will have an on-site coordinator.

After the morning's work, everyone is encouraged to meet at noon at McClurg Dining Hall for a picnic lunch, provided at a special reduced price. Chef Rick and crew will be serving Impossible Burgers (Vegan), local grass-fed beef hamburgers from Double Tree Farms, whole wheat buns, condiments, tossed green salad sourced locally from the University Farm, truffle garlic fries, and Planet Earth cupcakes.

The Bazzania Girls Band will provide music. Professor Martin Knoll, accompanied by Mother Earth, will be the MC. Prizes will be awarded for most trash collected, most unusual item collected, youngest and oldest participants, best get-up, and more.

The grand finale, scheduled for 1 p.m., will be a group photo of volunteers with the day's haul.

Organizations and groups teaming up to make this event possible include the Seawanee Community Council, the Office of Environmental Stewardship & Sustainability, Sustain Seawanee, Seawanee Headwaters Initiative, Civic Engagement, Greek Life, and Facilities Management.

Participants are encouraged to wear long pants and closed-toe shoes and bring work gloves. In case of inclement weather, the rain date will be 2 p.m., Sunday, April 28. For more information, contact <marypriestley@bellsouth.net>.



Vice-Chancellor John McCardell, Frank Gladu, special assistant to the vice chancellor, Joe deLozier, Board chair, Russell Green, bookstore manager, Sarah Boykin, campus planning director, and Mary Margaret Murdock, C'19, student trustee at the groundbreaking ceremony for the new bookstore on University Avenue. Photo by the University of the South

Community-Wide Yard Sale

The Seawanee Community Center is coordinating the community-wide yard sales, to be held 8 a.m.–1 p.m., Saturday, April 27.

A \$15 registration fee and form is required. This fee will be used to print maps highlighting the sales that day, printing an official yard sign for your house, and placing advertisements in local papers including Seawanee, Manchester, Tullahoma, Monteagle, Winchester and other surrounding communities.

You can participate by either having a sale at your home or join up with others at the Community Center. Maybe you don't have many items for sale or would rather be in a larger group—you can reserve space inside the Center.

Deadline to register is April 22. If you have any questions please email Rachel Petropoulos at <rpetropo@gmail.com>.

The registration form can be found on page 8.

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Letters

MGTA THANK-YOU

To the Editor:

The Mountain Goat Trail Alliance would like to thank everyone who made April 13-14's Mountain Goat Trail Race Weekend a success.

More than 250 runners and walkers participated in the 5-mile run and 2-mile walk on Saturday and half-marathon on Sunday. Special thanks to those who waited three hours on Sunday for the storms to clear!

Marjorie and Haynes Burnett of Mountain Outfitters, as they have for the last six years, made the entire weekend possible. Andy Baggenstoss and Baggenstoss Farms sponsored Saturday night's Trail Weekend Hootenanny at their wonderful facility in Tracy City. The Hootenanny itself was a collaboration with the Friends of South Cumberland State Parks, who teamed up with us to raise funds to connect the Mountain Goat Trail to the park. And the Town of Tracy City welcomed runners to the first-ever finish of a major race in their downtown.

More than three dozen corporate sponsors supported the weekend, offering everything from cash donations to food and drink. Hardworking volunteers stuffed goody bags, registered runners, and stood at road crossings. We literally could not do this event without them. (Please see our full-page thank-you in this issue of the Messenger!)

Thanks to the police departments of Sewanee, Monteagle, and Tracy City for keeping us and our runners and walkers safe on the roads.

Finally, thanks to all in the community who support the Mountain Goat Trail, and help make our communities healthier and happier. See you next year!

Patrick Dean, Executive Director, Mountain Goat Trail Alliance

E PLURIBUS UNUM

To the Editor:

I personally have a great amount of respect for John McCardell and his trying to be respectful of all of us. I believe in the 133 Psalm, the University Motto in Latin, Ecce Quam Bonum. I consider John as one of Sewanee's better Vice Chancellors who tries to understand

the town people along with some earlier Vice Chancellors.

Others had an agenda that used the locals without consideration for their well being and did not tend to be sympathetic to the workers' needs.

After I read Steve Cardwell's letter (April 5, 2019 issue) I asked John McCardell and Nancy Berner to please refrain from the use of the word "Village." The uptown people, or as Ely Green used the term aristocrats, called downtown Sewanee the Village. We, the locals, called it the town of Sewanee or downtown.

The Corporation Fence enclosed the uptown and it was necessary to get a gate opened near what is now the Folks at Home business. In my childhood, Bakers Café was at that point. Before that, Wadams, a Scottish immigrant encouraged to come to Sewanee by Quintard, had a bakery /ice cream parlor there. My father, Erskine Berry Gipson, spoke of the gate that at the age of 11 in 1922. He had to go through it when he went to mix concrete for Tom Hamilton, an immigrant from Belfast, Ireland, who was doing work on the house that Joe deLozier owns today.

We had separation of social classes and race here. No more. Let's make sure that is history. Now it is time to realize that we are one community. We are Sewanee the town and University as one. We are one out of many (E Pluribus Unum).

Thank you,
*James Elywin Gipson, C'66,
descendent from members of the
Cherokee Nation and pioneer
settlers to this area, and original
benefactors to the Sewanee Domain*

VOTE NO ON VOUCHERS

To the Editor:

How would vouchers work here in Franklin County? St. Andrew's-Sewanee costs approximately \$20,000 per year for a day student. The public school system spends roughly \$5,000 per child. If an FCHS student goes to SAS, the family gets a \$5,000 voucher towards the \$20,000 tuition. Vouchers are great for a family who can easily spare \$15,000 per year. The rest stay at FCHS, which loses \$5,000 per child. If just six families take their children out of FCHS, the public high school loses \$30,000—enough to pay a teacher's salary.

Vouchers take money from pub-

lic schools and families that need it most and siphon it away to families with disposable income. Once vouchers pass, new schools will spring up like mushrooms to get that \$5,000 per child; these schools won't have the same oversight as public schools. The voucher system is wide open to abuse. If a family takes the voucher, the county loses that \$5,000 for the whole year, even if that family decides to put their child back into the public school because homeschooling or the private school didn't work out. Rather than strong, well-funded public schools serving as the anchor of a community, students will splinter off into numerous weaker schools, and the fabric of society unravels.

The school boards in most Tennessee counties oppose vouchers. Families have the right to send their kids to private school or homeschool, but not at the expense of public schools. Please ask State Representative, Iris Rudder (615) 741-8695 or <rep.iris.rudder@tn.capitol.gov> and State Senator Janice Bowling (615) 741-6694 or <sen.janice.bowling@tn.capitol.gov> to vote "No" on vouchers (SB 795/HB 939).

*Helen F. Stapleton, County
Commissioner, District 5, Seat B*

Summary of the April Lease Committee Meeting

The following items were approved: March minutes; request to transfer Lease No. 731, located at 275 North Carolina Ave., to Stacey Parrott Stevens and Judge Rebecca Rieder; request from list of community members for plaques to be placed on historic homes purchased from Sewanee Trust for Historic Preservation; request to add porch and bay window on Lease No. 735, located at 62 Abbott Martin Ln.; request to add storage shed and replace roof on Lease No. 654, located at 246 Florida Ave.; request to add stairs to porch on Lease No. 1059, located at 162 Girault Jones Dr.; request to place stones in driveway for erosion control on Lease No. 621, located at 231 North Carolina Ave.; request to replace roof on Lease No. 905, located at 143 Florida Ave.; request to replace roof on Lease No. 840, located at 276 Tennessee Ave.; request to replace windows on Lease No. 571, located at 60 Maple St.

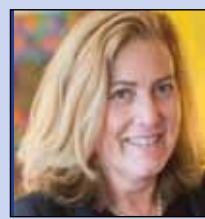
Leasehold information is available online at <leases.sewanee.edu> or by calling the lease office at 598-1998.

Please be sure and contact the Franklin County Planning and Zoning for any needed permits as well as the local utility companies to ensure there are no issues before beginning your project.

Planning and Zoning office, (931) 967-0981; Duck River Electric Membership Corporation, (931) 598-5228; Sewanee Utility District, water and sewer, (931) 598-5611; Elk River Public Utility District, natural gas, (931) 967-2110.

Agenda items are due by the fifth of each month for Lease Committee meetings. If the fifth falls on a weekend, then items are due the following Monday. Lease Committee meetings are normally the third Tuesday of the month.

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"I would like to thank Betty Carpenter for the Community Action Committee donation to help my 8-year-old granddaughter Lily, have a safe wheel chair ramp. Also, thank you for sending Joe Porter and George Horton. We appreciate all their hard work. They did a wonderful job." Darlene Brown



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Upcoming Meetings

Coffee with the Coach

Coffee with the Coach, an opportunity to learn more about Sewanee's sports teams, continues at 9 a.m., Monday, April 22, with Layton Jackson, Sports Information Director. Gather at the Blue Chair Tavern for free coffee and conversation.

Sewanee Garden Club

The Sewanee Garden Club will meet at Abbo's Alley at 1:30 p.m., Monday, April 22. Mary Priestley will be on hand to point out the many lovely and interesting aspects of Sewanee's wooded treasure house. Guests and visitors are always welcome.

Refreshments will be provided after the tour in the Gazebo at Abbo's Alley. In the event of rain, the meeting will be held at the home of Jane Flynn. For more information, please contact Flournoy Rogers at (931) 598-0733 or <semmesrogers@gmail.com>.

Community Council Meeting

The following items are on the agenda for the Sewanee Community Council meeting scheduled for 7 p.m., Monday, April 22, at the Senior Citizens' Center.

Approval of the revised January minutes; approval of the March minutes; parks committee report, Potter; revised Community Council Constitution draft first reading, Whitmer; suggestions for parking policy revision, Berner; Village Update, Berner; Report on Southern Tennessee Regional Hospital System, Berner; and announcements and/or questions.

SUD Meeting

The Sewanee Utility District of Franklin and Marion Counties Board of Commissioners will have its regular meeting at 5 p.m., Tuesday, April 23, at the utility office on Sherwood Road. If a customer is unable to attend but wishes to bring a matter to the board, call 598-5611, visit the office, or call a board member. Your board members are Art Hanson, Randall Henley, Ronnie Hoosier, Charlie Smith and Paul Evans.

FCDW Meeting

The Franklin County Democratic Women will meet Tuesday, April 23 at 5:30 p.m., at the home of Sandy Rice in Sewanee. We will have a salad buffet. Dr. Amy Evans will discuss pediatric issues in the news: measles outbreak and loss of TennCare for kids. Brief business meeting following. Contact Sandy sandrafrice55@gmail.com for more info and directions.

EQB Meeting

Members of the EQB Club will gather at 11:30 a.m., Wednesday, April 24, at St. Mary's Sewanee. Lunch will be served at noon.

Area Rotary Club Meetings

The Grundy County Rotary Club meets at 11:30 a.m., Tuesdays at Dutch Maid Bakery in Tracy City. The Monteagle-Sewanee Rotary Club meets at 8 a.m., Thursday, April 25, at St. Mary's Sewanee. The presentation will be given by John Hille, on the Friends of the South Cumberland.

Caregivers Groups

The Folks at Home's Caregivers Group meets weekly on Thursday, 1-2:30 p.m., in Otey Parish's St. Mark's Hall. There is no charge and new members are welcome. Contact Folks at Home at (931) 598-0303 or <folksathomesewanee@gmail.com>.

United Daughters of the Confederacy

The UDC Kirby-Smith Chapter 327 Sewanee will meet at the Oak Restaurant in Manchester, on Saturday, April 27, with the meeting beginning at 11:15 a.m.

Sewanee Fourth of July Planning

Planning begins for the best Fourth of July yet. The theme for 2019 is "Peace, Love, and Fireworks," so get your tie-dye and peace signs ready for a groovy celebration.

Volunteers are needed to help with the parade committee and to coordinate and run the children's games. Contact Jade Barry at <jademcbee@gmail.com> for more information.

The planning meetings will be at 5:30 p.m., Mondays, April 29, May 13, June 3, 10, 17, and 24, and July 1, at the Sewanee Senior Citizens' Center.

Town of Monteagle

The Monteagle City Council will meet at 6 p.m., Monday April 29, at City Hall.

Trustee Community Relations Committee Meeting

The Trustee Community Relations Committee will be in Sewanee on Thursday, April 25, at which time the Community Council will update the Trustees on topics of interest and concern to our community. If you have topics that you would like the Council to consider, please contact a Council member.

Community members are invited to join the Trustees and Council members for a reception at 5:30 p.m., Thursday, April 25, at the American Legion Hall.

Members of the Community Council include: Anna Palmer, June Weber, Pamela Byerly, Louise Irwin, Pixie Dozier, Eric Keen, Phil White, Cindy Potter, Kate Reed, Theresa Shackelford, Charles Whitmer, Nancy Berner, Sallie Green, Austin Oakes, Shirley Taylor, Adam Foster, Gray Hodsdon and John McCardell.

Cowan Commercial Club

The Cowan Commercial Club will meet at 6 p.m., Monday, April 22, at Simpler Times, 104 E. Cumberland St., Cowan. The group will discuss and make plans for the April 27 work day and upcoming summer events. Cowan Commercial Club, founded in 1922, is one of the area's oldest civic organizations. Membership is open to area residents and business owners. For more information log on to <www.cowancommercialclub.com>.

Isn't Whaling Illegal?

Thirst for Knowledge will meet at 7 p.m., Wednesday, April 24, at the Blue Chair. The presentation will be given by Russell Fielding on "Isn't Whaling Illegal?"

When most people think of whaling their minds travel back in time to the days of Moby Dick or across icy tundras to the subsistence activities of northern indigenous people. Modern whaling is generally thought of as a crime against nature. The surprising fact, though, is that whales are hunted today in more than 70 countries, mostly legally. Drawing from his decade of fieldwork exploring hunter societies in the Caribbean and North Atlantic, (including three months spent working aboard a Caribbean whaleboat), Fielding will discuss the complex world of whaling and the complicated process of developing and enforcing international environmental policies in a world made up of sovereign states all trying to share the high seas. Moderated by Dixon Myers.

Housing Sewanee Applications Available

Housing Sewanee, Inc, a local organization that constructs small, energy efficient homes for residents of the greater Sewanee area who need affordable housing, is accepting applications for a new home on Sherwood Road.

The home should be ready for occupancy by the first week of August. Applications can be obtained from the CAC office at Otey Parish or downloaded from the Housing Sewanee website <https://www.housingsewaneeinc.com>. This home, the first in the Sherwood Springs development, has two bedrooms, one and a half baths and is suitable for one, two or possibly three occupants. The application lists certain criteria which need to be met in order to apply.

May Is Hat Month for SWC

The Sewanee Woman's Club (SWC) will meet at noon, Monday, May 13, at the Dubose Center in Monteagle.

This is the annual business and budget meeting at which members elect officers for the coming year and will vote on the proposed budget for 2019-2020.

This year the program meetings have focused on "Women Who Volunteer." At the final meeting of the year, members are invited to bring information (brochures, pamphlets and photos) about agencies and organizations through which they do their own volunteer work. There will be a table set up for an informational display.

At this meeting, the Honorary Member for 2019 will be announced.

In keeping with SWC tradition, members are encouraged to wear hats to this meeting. Hats may be serious or frilly, humorous or vintage, arts and crafts or particular to your own volunteer work. But do wear a hat.

The deadline for reservations is Friday, May 3. The cost of lunch is \$14. Please make your reservations by responding to Glyn Ruppe Melnyk at <g.ruppemelnyk2015@gmail.com> or to Janet Miller Schmidt at (504) 858-5221. Childcare is available upon request in advance.

The menu for May's luncheon is: mushroom bisque, grilled chicken on caesar salad, hot rolls, cupcakes with pretty spring colored icing.

Upcoming Events at St. Mary's Sewanee



Portrait of Christ

4 p.m., Saturday May 18

Come share this spiritually uplifting experience as artist Tracy Sugg sculpts a Portrait of Christ in clay as we watch, learn, and are inspired.

This event is free because of generous underwriting by an anonymous donor. Seating is limited and reservations are encouraged. To secure a place or for more information call (931) 598-5342.

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Church News

All Saints’ Chapel

Catechumenate concludes this Wednesday, April 24, at 6:30 p.m. in the Women’s Center. A catered meal will be provided. Based around fellowship, study, openness, and conversation, the Catechumenate serves as a foundational piece for the Christian faith, as well as a forum for discussion for people of all backgrounds. This week we reflect on the Easter Vigil and wrap up this academic year. All are welcome! For more information, please contact Lay Chaplain Kayla Deep <kayla.deep@sewanee.edu>.

Way of the Cross will begin at noon, Friday, April 19, at Otey Parish and end at All Saints’ Chapel.

The Good Friday Liturgy will be from 1–2:30 p.m., Friday, April 19.

The Great Vigil will be at 8 p.m., Saturday, April 20.

Decorators needed for Easter—On Saturday, April 20, beginning at 9 a.m., you are cordially invited to come and help the St. Augustine’s Flower Guild decorate the chapel for the Great Vigil of Easter and the Festival Easter Eucharist to be celebrated the following morning. All levels of skill and talent are needed. Coffee and pastries will be provided.

The Paschal Tridum at Christ Church Monteagle

In the 1960s so many changes were afoot that some people failed to understand that some things which seemed to be “change for change’s sake” were really restoration of beautiful things from hundreds of years before. The tragic fire at Notre Dame Cathedral in Paris this week reminded millions of the great treasures there which seem to have been taken for granted. Holy Week itself is such a treasure. The Latin words which form our headline remind us that there is a connection between Passover and the Lamb of God. Each day has its special meeting and there are really four rather than three. The title for the Thursday service is taken from the Latin word for Commandment. “Maundy Thursday” gives us the commandment to love one another, and the commandment to “Do this,” which clearly means some kind of reenactment. Some traditions include “foot washing.” Others believe that is contrived in a world of footwear and socks. Maybe fixing a hot cup of coffee for someone who loves coffee would be a better symbol for our age.

Many churches have an evening

service to recall the Supper on that Thursday. Good Friday speaks for itself. Christians commemorate the crucifixion of Jesus. It may be walking the Way of the Cross, using the traditional “Stations,” or by having a Three Hour Service with sermons on the “Seven Words.” Christ Church Monteagle has a service at noon. It is less than one hour and consists of readings and hymns.

Holy Saturday is kept by churches as a day to reflect, and to work

to get the property ready for Easter itself. Easter Eve may be the oldest celebration of the Resurrection of Christ. Many churches have a Vigil and read many lessons. The Orthodox, who have churches in Chattanooga and Nashville, but none close by to the mountain, have this as their primary Easter service.

Christ Church invites you to all services, and more especially to Easter Day. We begin around 10:30

a.m. and the service concludes before noon. We have a great feast and a children’s Easter egg hunt.

Cowan Churches

April 19, Good Friday Service, noon at St. Agnes’ Episcopal Church. Good Friday recalls the arrest, trial, crucifixion, death, and burial of Jesus. The service involves lessons and prayers that focus on

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Church Calendar

Weekday Services April 19–26

- 7 a.m. Morning Prayer, St. Mary’s Convent (Tu–W)
- 7:30 a.m. Morning Prayer, Otey
- 7:30 a.m. Morning Prayer, St. Mary’s Convent (Th)
- 8 a.m. Holy Eucharist, St. Mary’s Convent (not M)
- 8 a.m. Morning Prayer, St. Mary’s Convent
- 8:30 a.m. Morning Prayer, St. Augustine’s (M–F)
- 9 a.m. Centering Prayer, Taylor’s Creek Greenway, Estill Springs (W)
- 9 a.m. Communion, Good Shepherd, Decherd (M, W)
- 9 a.m. Mass, Good Shepherd, Decherd (T/Th/F)
- 11:30 a.m. Prayer/Healing, Morton Memorial (1st and 3rd Th)
- 4 p.m. Centering Prayer, McRae Room, adjacent to Anna’s House, St. Mary’s Sewanee (W)
- 4 p.m. Evening Prayer, St. Augustine’s (M–F)
- 4:30 p.m. Evening Prayer, Otey (M–F)
- 7 p.m. Centering Prayer, St. Paul’s, Otey (M)
- 7 p.m. Spanish Mass, Good Shepherd, Decherd (Th)

Friday, April 19 • Good Friday

- 7:30 a.m. Morning Prayer, Otey
- 7:30 a.m. Morning Prayer, St. Mary’s Convent (Th)
- 8 a.m. Morning Prayer, St. Mary’s Convent
- 8 a.m. Gethsemane Watch ends, St. Augustine’s
- 8 a.m. Holy Eucharist, St. Mary’s Convent (not M)
- 8:30 a.m. Morning Prayer, St. Augustine’s
- Noon Good Friday liturgy, St. Agnes, Cowan
- Noon Good Friday liturgy, St. Mary’s Convent
- Noon Good Friday liturgy, Christ Church Monteagle
- Noon Way of the Cross, Otey to All Saints’
- 1 p.m. Good Friday liturgy, All Saints’
- 4 p.m. Evening Prayer, St. Augustine’s
- 5 p.m. Solemn Liturgy, Otey
- 5:30 p.m. Good Friday liturgy, St. James
- 7 p.m. Mass, Good Shepherd, Decherd

Saturday, April 20 • Holy Saturday

- 7:30 a.m. Morning Prayer, St. Mary’s Convent
- 8 a.m. Holy Saturday liturgy, St. Mary’s Convent
- 10 a.m. Sabbath School, Monteagle Seventh Day Adventist
- 10:30 a.m. Liturgy of the Day, All Saints’ Chapel
- 11 a.m. Worship Service, Monteagle Seventh Day Adventist
- 4:30 p.m. Evening Prayer, St. Mary’s Convent
- 5 p.m. Mass, Good Shepherd, Decherd
- 8 p.m. Great Vigil of Easter, All Saints’ (incense); reception follows in Convocation Hall
- 8 p.m. Easter Vigil, Good Shepherd, Decherd

Sunday, April 21 • Easter Sunday

All Saints’ Chapel

- 8 a.m. Holy Eucharist
- 11 a.m. Holy Eucharist
- Bible Baptist Church, Monteagle**
- 10 a.m. Worship Service
- 5:30 p.m. Evening Service

Chapman Chapel Church of the Nazarene, Pelham

- 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
- 10:45 a.m. Morning Worship
- 6 p.m. Evening Worship

Christ Church, Monteagle

- 10:30 a.m. Liturgy of the Palms

Christ Episcopal Church, Alto

- 10 a.m. Holy Eucharist

Christ Episcopal Church, Tracy City

- 10 a.m. Adult Bible Study
- 11 a.m. Holy Eucharist (child care provided)

Christ the King Anglican, Decherd

- 9 a.m. Sunday Service

Cowan Fellowship Church

- 10 a.m. Sunday School
- 11 a.m. Worship Service

Cowan Churches Easter Sunrise Services

- 6:30 a.m. Cowan Montgomery Cemetery
- 6:30 a.m. Goshen Cemetery

Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Monteagle

- 9:30 a.m. Bible Study
- 11 a.m. Worship Service

Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Sewanee

- 9 a.m. Worship Service
- 10 a.m. Sunday School

Decherd United Methodist Church

- 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
- 10:50 a.m. Worship Service

Epiphany Mission Church, Sherwood

- 10 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II

Good Shepherd Catholic Church, Decherd

- 10:30 a.m. Mass
- 2 p.m. Spanish Mass

Grace Fellowship Church

- 10:30 a.m. Sunday School/Worship Service

Harrison Chapel Methodist Church

- 6 a.m. Sunrise Service
- 10 a.m. Sunday School
- 11 a.m. Worship Service
- 5 p.m. Worship Service

Midway Baptist Church

- 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
- 10:45 a.m. Morning Service
- 6 p.m. Evening Service

Midway Church of Christ

- 10 a.m. Bible Study
- 11 a.m. Morning Service
- 6 p.m. Evening Service

Monteagle First Baptist Church

- 10 a.m. Sunday School
- 11 a.m. Worship Service
- 6 p.m. Evening Worship

Morton Memorial United Methodist, Monteagle

- 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
- 11 a.m. Worship Service

New Beginnings Church, Monteagle

- 10:30 a.m. Worship Service

New Beginnings Church, Pelham

- 9:45 a.m. Worship Service

Otey Memorial Parish Church

- 8:30 a.m. Festival Eucharist
- 11 a.m. Festival Eucharist

Pelham United Methodist Church

- 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
- 11 a.m. Worship Service

St. Agnes’ Episcopal Church, Cowan

- 11 a.m. Holy Eucharist

St. James Episcopal Church

- 9 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II, potluck follows

St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church, Alto

- 8 a.m. Mass

Sewanee Church of God

- 10 a.m. Sunday School
- 11 a.m. Morning Service
- 6 p.m. Evening Service

Sisters of St. Mary’s Convent

- 5:30 a.m. Great Vigil of Easter (no 8 a.m. service)
- 5 p.m. Evensong

Tracy City First Baptist Church

- 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
- 10:45 a.m. Morning Worship
- 5:30 p.m. Youth Group
- 6 p.m. Evening Worship

Trinity Episcopal Church, Winchester

- 9:30 a.m. Christian Formation
- 10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II

Valley Home Community Church, Pelham

- 10 a.m. Sunday School, Worship Service

Wednesday, April 24

- 6 a.m. Morning Prayer, Cowan Fellowship
- 7 a.m. Morning Prayer, St. Mary’s Convent
- 7:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist, St. Mary’s Convent
- 9 a.m. Communion, Good Shepherd, Decherd
- 10 a.m. Bible Study, Sewanee C.P. Church
- Noon Service, Christ Church, Monteagle
- 5 p.m. KAs/Bible study/meal, Monteagle First Baptist
- 5:30 p.m. Evening Worship, Bible Baptist, Monteagle
- 5:45 p.m. Youth Bible study/meal, Monteagle First Baptist
- 6 p.m. Bible study, Monteagle First Baptist
- 6 p.m. Prayer and Bible study, Midway Baptist
- 6 p.m. Evening Prayer, Trinity, Winchester
- 6:30 p.m. Community Harvest Church, Coalmont
- 6:30 p.m. Prayer Service, Harrison Chpl, Midway
- 6:30 p.m. Youth group, Tracy City First Baptist
- 7 p.m. Adult Formation, Epiphany, Sherwood
- 7 p.m. Bible study, Chapman’s Chapel, Pelham
- 7 p.m. Evening Worship, Tracy First Baptist

Obituaries

JoAnn Goodman

JoAnn McCollum Goodman, age 73 of Murfreesboro, died on April 5, 2019, at her home. She was born in Sewanee in 1946 to Joe Horace McCollum and Margaret Alene McCollum. She was an employee of Middle Tennessee State University for more than 20 years. She was preceded in death by daughter Shannon Goodman Underwood; and grandson Logan Mitchell.

She is survived by daughter Stephanie (Blair) Mitchell; brother, Bill (Lele) McCollum of Monteagle; two grandchildren, and good friend and assistant, Tess Bailey.

A celebration of her life will be held at a later time at The Cross in Sewanee. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to “Shannon’s Story,” a reading incentive program at Monteagle Elementary, c/o Lele McCollum, 2317 Lakeshore Dr., Monteagle, TN 37356. For complete obituary go to <www.woodfinchapel.com>.

Robert Reece Thomas

Robert Reece (“Bobby”) Thomas, age 95 of Monteagle, died on April 8, 2019, at a local hospital. He was born on May 16, 1923, in South Pittsburg, Tenn., to Ruth Patton Thomas and William Carl Thomas. His maternal ancestors were among the earliest settlers of the Sequatchie Valley. He graduated from the University of the South: Sewanee in the Class of 1949. He served from 1942–1946 in the U.S. Marine Corps, and was a staff sergeant in the 2nd Marine Division which was sent to Saipan and Nagasaki at the end of World War II. He was a member of Christ Church Episcopal, sang in the choir, served on the vestry, (and as Senior Warden several times). He was the originator of Sequatchie Concrete Service, now with plants in 16 locations in Tennessee, Alabama and Georgia, and Tower Bank (originally Citizens State Bank) in 10 locations across Tennessee. He loved golf and was instrumental in building the Sequatchie Valley Golf Course in the 1950s, and in 2010, rebuilt the course which is now the Sweetens Cove Golf Course. He was preceded in death by his parents; first wife Emmy; sisters Rachel Graham and Pat Carter Wilson; sons William and Frank; and granddaughter, Shanna Thomas.

He is survived by his wife of 26 years, Susan Rogers Thomas of Monteagle; sister Nancy (Dick) Cook of Tucson, Ariz.; sister-in-law, Ruth Wainwright of Pearl River, N.Y.; sons Reece and David Thomas, both of Chattanooga; step-daughter, Dayna (Tom) Eddy of Lookout Mountain; ten grandchildren, two great-grandchildren, five nephews, 11 nieces, and a dear cousin.

Funeral services were on April 11 at Christ Church, Episcopal, South Pittsburg with The Rev. John H. Bonner and The Rev. Kim Hobby officiating. Interment with full military honors followed in Cumberland View Cemetery, Kimball. Memorial donations may be made to the Emmy Thomas Memorial Fund at Christ Church, P.O. Box 347, South Pittsburg, TN 37380, or to a favorite charity. For complete obituary go to <www.rogersfuneralhome.com>.



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Church (from page 4)

the different events as recorded in scripture.

April 21, Easter Sunrise Service, 6:30 a.m. at Cowan Montgomery Cemetery with the Rev. Elder Willie Lee Bonner. The early morning service in the cemetery recalls the discovery of the empty tomb and the news that Jesus is risen from the grave. A sunrise service will also be held at 6:30 a.m. at Goshen Cemetery on Williams Cove Road.

Harrison Chapel

Come join us this weekend. There will be an Easter Egg Hunt and we will be having finger foods Saturday, April 20, at 3 p.m. Everyone is invited. Then on Sunday we will be having Sunrise Service at 6 a.m. with guest preacher Pastor Franklin Hill. At 11 a.m. We will be having our Sunday Worship with Pastor Kyle Lewis. Hope to see you this weekend.

Otey Parish

This Sunday, April 21, infants 6 weeks to children 4 years old are invited to the nursery beginning at 8:30 a.m. There will be nursery for both services and the Sunday School Hour. Youth Ministry meets in Brooks Hall.

Way of the Cross will begin at noon, Friday, April 19, at Otey Parish and end at All Saints' Chapel.

There will be Solemn Liturgy at 5 p.m., Friday, April 19.

On Easter Day, there will be a Festival Holy Eucharist at 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m., with Bishop James Tengtanga, guest celebrant.

On April 21, there will be an Easter Egg hunt between services.

Otey offices will be closed on April 22.

St. James Episcopal Church

Holy Week Schedule: Community Stations of the Cross, April 19 at noon, begins at Otey Parish and ends at All Saints' Chapel. Good Friday Solemn Liturgy, April 19, at 5:30 p.m. Easter Sunday, April 21, at 9 a.m., Holy Eucharist, Rite II with a festival potluck brunch following.

St. Mary's Convent

On Good Friday, the liturgy will be from noon-3 p.m., with periods of breaks and silences in between each hour. Holy Saturday liturgy will be at 8 a.m. The Great Vigil of Easter will be at 5:30 a.m., Sunday, April 21.

Unitarian Universalist

The speaker this Sunday will be Wyatt Gogolin on "The Long Egg Hunt: Connecting Obscure Easter Traditions with Christianity." The service begins at 10 a.m., followed by refreshments and a discussion period. The church is located at 3536 New Manchester Hwy., Tullahoma. For more information, visit the church's website at <www.tullahomauu.org>.

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CCC Camp (from page 1)

ers of Dutch Maid Bakery and a Sewanee alumnus, worked with local businessmen to raise money to purchase the property, which was donated by the state for the camp.

The approximately 200 men of Company 1475 tackled a number of area projects, including building Grundy Lakes and constructing part of the Fiery Gizzard Trail. The legacy of Company 1475 also includes fighting a large fire in Tracy City on April 27, 1935. The fire destroyed a swath of downtown, causing about \$100,000 in damages.

"Their primary job and reason for moving here was to reclaim the Lone Oak coal mines, which is where the coke ovens are at Grundy Lakes. They built the lakes and planted the trees," said Rob Moreland, who served as the Team Leader for the Education Committee. "Along with making fire bricks for the forestry service and planting telephone poles, they did some road building and repair around the Tracy City area."

Dreves said in addition to building infrastructure and recreation areas in the county, Company 1475 also fought fires and provided flood relief.

"Their mission was to restore the Grundy Lakes area, and if the EPA had been around, they would have declared it an environmental disaster. Company 1475 built the dam, the roadway and made it a recreational area," he said. "It's such a fascinating story because it's both a local history story and a story of conservation and care for the land. These young men came in and made some major contributions to the area. I think that's what makes that story compelling," Dreves said.

Before reconstruction of the site began, all that was left was a few concrete slabs.

"The initial camps in 1933 in Palmer were tents, and after that, they changed to permanent buildings. They were bolted together and built in sections. When they moved to Sewanee, they took everything except a few concrete pads and all that had to do with water, such as the ice house, the well, the bathhouse, the laundry. In 1935, they had switched to portable buildings," he said. "From what we can tell, they probably went to Camp Forest in Tullahoma from there."

Dreves said without the help of the community, the reconstruction would not have been possible. Without the project, pieces of local history would have been lost.

"On Saturday, we had a family come from Central Alabama, two daughters and their husbands. They said, 'We would not be here were it not for this CCC camp,'" Dreves said. "Their dad worked in that camp while it was in Tracy City, and apparently, the story was that the local girls would go over and sit on the hillside and enjoy looking at all the young men. That is how his mother met their father. She was from Tracy City, and he was from Central Alabama. They walked up to the first panel, which has a big group shot, and they said, 'There's dad!'"

To get to the CCC site, take the Grundy Trail, and when it splits, take the day loop and bear right. About three-tenths of a mile in is the first CCC camp tour sign. This is where the CCC campground used to be.

"The park is opening another campground within the month just a little bit further down the day loop," he said. "But you've got to wonder how many people camped out there and didn't know about the history."

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**Williams (from page 1)**

mand for seats is expected to be high. There is no charge for admission.

Randall Williams lives in her hometown of Nashville, where she lectures at Vanderbilt University. With her mother, the bestselling novelist Alice Randall, she previously co-wrote "Soul Food Love." The Times called it "a book about redefining soul food for the future, not romanticizing its often calorie-laden past."

"We are delighted to have Caroline here to enrich our offerings," said Jennifer Michael, chair of the English Department.

Sewanee Spoken Word is a free showcase of creative writing that takes place on the second and fourth Tuesday of most months at the Blue Chair. Organizers include Brooks Egerton, Michael Cimino-Hurt, and Naomi Buck Palagi. For more information, or to request a reading slot at another upcoming showcase, email <fogpoets@gmail.com> or see Sewanee Spoken Word's Facebook page.

**Third Annual Tiger Tuesday**

Tuesday, April 23, marks the third annual Tiger Tuesday giving day at the University of the South. Tiger Tuesday is a one-day giving challenge that focuses on meeting goals for participation and matching donations. Thanks to generous donors and the ability to meet donation-matching challenges, giving to the Sewanee Fund during the first two Tiger Tuesdays raised more than \$600,000 in 2017 and more than \$700,000 in 2018. Social media plays a big role in generating enthusiasm for the event.

Gifts to the Sewanee Fund made on Tiger Tuesday—and every other day of the year—support scholarships, internships, research, arts, and more. This year, the Sewanee Village Project also will be a part of Tiger Tuesday. Matching gifts are available up to \$10,000 to support efforts to spruce up the downtown area. These improvements might include seating areas, signage, landscaping, public WiFi, bike lanes, or other enhancements.

The Sewanee Business Alliance (SBA), made up of the locally owned businesses, has embraced this effort. Many businesses are making donations and some are donating a percentage of sales for the event. You are encouraged to patronize them as always, but on April 23 in particular. The SBA is committed to the Village project and is going all out to support this effort.

To show your support for the Sewanee Village, the SBA members are encouraging you to shop and dine locally. Donating a percentage of their proceeds from sales on April 23 are Beauty by Tabitha, Big A Marketing, Sewanee Gifts, Blue Chair Cafe and Tavern, The Frame Gallery, and the Lemon Fair.

Other local businesses are donating a set amount. They include eXp Realty, Joseph's Remodeling Solutions, Kim Butter Pilates, Monteagle Security Operations, OctoPi, Sewanee Mountain Messenger, Sewanee Pilates, Shenanigans Restaurant, University Realty, and Sweet Ellie's in Cowan.

So please join in and help move the project along on Tuesday, April 23. You may also give online by visiting <sewanee.edu/tigertuesday>. Select "Give Now" then select the designation "Village Development Fund" to make your gift.

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**Leal (from page 1)** —

“Over the years the dependence on the professionals to make a concert possible has changed. The adult professionals teach and work with their instrumental section rather than simply showing up to save the concert. César has taken that point of view very seriously by empowering the students to take charge of the orchestra,” Carden said.

Leal said through his work with the SSO, he wanted to provide the student musicians with in-depth looks at the professional experience, about what it's like to be an artist in the world and about the importance of a diverse ensemble.

“On average, every student that stays with us, they play around 20 concerts, and that's a lot. These are concerts in which they interact with their peers, collaborate, play different styles, embed themselves into musical life. The Halloween concert is something I've been very proud of. It shows the students that what they do has an impact and that they can create something that makes a difference in the community,” he said.

At Gettysburg College, Leal will have the opportunity to direct a program of roughly 400 music majors and continue to combine music history with music performance.

“After the last concert of this season, the students gave me a beautiful speech. I was telling them that I'm going to keep an eye on Sewanee. Sewanee is a place that has many second parts. It's a place where people return,” he said.

“This is a place I love, and it will always be home.”

## Joseph's Remodeling Solution's Celebrates 32 Years; Open House April 24

To commemorate the 32 years of success of the company, Joseph's Remodeling Solutions will host an Open House from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., Wednesday, April 24, at their new office building. The building located at 1244 West Main St., in Monteagle.

Joseph Sumpter started working at a very young age, when he was 14-years-old, doing painting and repairs. “I loved working with my hands,” he said. “Then painting and repairs led to remodeling work.”

“My first job was painting an exterior of a house in Miami, Fla., for an Alan Garr” he said. “In addition to getting paid actual money, I received a canoe, and Mr. Garr's roommate made brochures for me. I went around in my go-cart to the neighborhoods, distributing the brochures. And, I got more jobs.”

Joseph has always worked for himself and made a living from it. He began as a one-man show, working while in school. In 1992 he moved to the Mountain, as a student at Sewanee. He took some time off to hike the Appalachian Trail. Then he started in earnest taking the bigger jobs. He now has a crew of 14 people.

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Joseph said his company does a lot of old home restorations. They also do custom drainage and rainwater collection systems. An example of a collection system can be seen at Wade Hall for the Sciences on the campus of St. Andrew's-Sewanee School.

“We are excited to have an office on the Mountain. We needed a place for our growing staff, and a place where our customers could easily come to us,” Joseph said.

Hard work and attention to detail has paid off.

“We attribute our growth to our clients who look to us to provide solutions to their home remodeling needs. We are fortunate to have worked for so many great folks who ask us to help them again and again,” said Joseph.

Joseph and his wife Alyssa are the owners and operators of the business.

They and their two daughters live in Cowan, and are active community members. Joseph is on the advisory board for St. Mary's Convent. He also helps with a couple of nonprofits including Housing Sewanee, Inc., and Animal Harbor. In his spare time, he likes to hike and go canoeing.

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## Oral History: Unsilencing Sewanee's Black History

by Leslie Lytle, Messenger Staff Writer

“Oral history enables us to work through the silences of the unremarked upon and ignored,” said oral history workshop leader Margo Shea. “The narrator and the performance, the tears, pauses, nodding, are part of the story.”

Professor of history at Salem University and former visiting professor at the University of the South, Shea led the April 8 workshop in conjunction with Sewanee's Black History Project, an initiative that arose from within the Project on Slavery, Race, and Reconciliation.

“The Sewanee archive is the history of white people,” said project coordinator Woody Register. “We needed to do something to change the archive.” Register stressed that the history of African Americans in Sewanee is about more than slavery and desegregation.

“We call the stories of the powerful people history. They put their stuff in museums,” Shea said. “But we all make history. We just don't all make history from circumstances of our own choosing.”

Shea cautioned against viewing oral history as unpacking memory's filing cabinet with a goal of decorating traditional history with juicy anecdotes or, worse, turning it into a judgmental exercise about the narrator's trustworthiness and accuracy.

“Memory is constantly changing based on where you're at now and other things that have happened to you. Oral history has a different credibility. It's not about the facts, but departure from the facts as imagination symbolism, and desire.”

Shea recounted the example of an anthropologist interviewing a Pueblo descendant about his ancestors' reaction to the arrival of white men. The interviewee told the anthropologist, “We were so afraid, we jumped on our horses and fled.” The anthropologist discounted the information as false since the Pueblo didn't have horses then.

“Things with emotional resonance enhance our memory,” Shea insisted. “We get the details screwy.”

Shea emphasized again and again, the importance of listening. “The person speaking may be recollecting, revisiting, changing the story to fit in with other stories, taking advantage of the opportunity to speak for themselves for a change. The process matters, the moment of the interview. The silences and pauses matter. Don't try to fill the silence.”

“The goal of oral history is to restore the past by making room for the ignored and repressed,” she said. Shea gave several reasons for history taking a wrong turn, among them things being ignored because they weren't what the researcher was looking for and archivists' judgment about what is valued.

“Show a people as one thing over and over and that's what they become,” Shea said. She cited black consciousness in the era of Jim Crow. “If you're seen as a problem, you come to believe you're a problem.”

“Telling Sewanee's black history is an important repair measure,” Shea insisted.

Shea advised local interviewers to be alert to certain themes as doors into the past, comments like “That's just the way it was,” talk about food white people didn't eat and places white people didn't go, and stories about leaving.

Archiving the past takes space, a repository, and the leisure to do the work, Shea noted, pointing to the advantage of the Sewanee Black History Project being under the umbrella of the University Project for Race and Reconciliation.

The motto of the Sewanee Black History Project is “Nothing about us without us.” Register plans to involve the local African-American community in not just collecting the stories, but the actual archival process.

Why does restoring Sewanee's history matter?

“A community that knows its history more truthfully is more inclusive,” Register said, “and more just. The hope is we'll be a better community.”

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## Scholarship Sewanee to Be Held April 25 and 26

This year marks the 25th anniversary of Scholarship Sewanee, the university's annual celebration of student scholarship, research, and creativity. The event begins with a talk Thursday afternoon, April 25, and continues through Friday, April 26.

Scholarship Sewanee 2019 will feature 105 posters and 53 oral presentations representing biology, physics, chemistry, earth and environmental systems, psychology, politics, economics, English, history, visual arts, and more. Breakout sessions will run from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Friday, April 26, and the poster session in Spencer Hall will last from 2:30 to 5 p.m. Two noted speakers will give talks, and other campus events during the week are related to student scholarship and creative endeavors. (Scholarship Sewanee has grown dramatically from its early days as "Scientific Sewanee," a half-day poster session with approximately 40 posters affiliated with the sciences!)

The community is invited to join in this celebration of scholarship. The complete schedule may be found at <http://www.sewanee.edu/academics/research/undergraduate-research/scholarship-sewanee/>.

Erika Milam, the Scholarship Sewanee 25th anniversary speaker, will discuss "The Hunt for Human Nature in Cold War America," an examination of the role of violence and war in the human species at 4:30 p.m., Thursday, April 25, in Gailor Auditorium. Milam, a professor of history at Princeton University, specializes in the history of the modern life sciences, including the ways in which scientists have used animals as models for human behavior. Her new book, *Creatures of Cain: The Hunt for Human Nature in Cold War America*, charts the controversy over instinctual aggression in defining human nature in the 1960s and '70s and cultures of masculinity in the sciences. Milam will sign copies of her new book at a reception following her lecture.

Ramesh Srinivasan, an associate professor in the UCLA Information Studies and Design Media Arts departments, will present the McCrady Lecture at 1 p.m., Friday, April 26, in Blackman Auditorium. Srinivasan is the founder of the University of California system-wide Digital Cultures Lab, exploring the meaning of technology worldwide. He will speak on "The Internet of Tomorrow: Stories from Beyond the Valley," a sneak preview of material from Srinivasan's upcoming third book, which is built upon research conducted with leading figures in politics, economics, and culture from across the world. A reception and book signing will follow the lecture.

Other events during the week of April 22 related to student scholarship and creative endeavors include the Sewanee Festival of Speaking and Listening, which showcases student speakers engaging in topics of political, legal, social, cultural, and professional significance. More information regarding the Festival may be found here: <https://www.sewanee.edu/resources/center-for-speaking-listening/public-speaking-festival/>. In addition, "Reclamation," the senior art majors' exhibition, is on display at the University Art Gallery, and the University Jazz Ensemble will give an end-of-semester concert at 7 p.m., Wednesday, April 24, in St. Luke's Chapel.

## Do You Have Dinner Plans for April 27?

The Sewanee Children's Center would love to have you join us for our third annual Progressive Dinner.

A progressive dinner is a social occasion at which the different courses of a meal are eaten in different people's homes. Cost is \$60 per couple or \$35 per single. You'll begin with appetizers (in the one home), a seated dinner with wine (in another), and end up, upstairs, at Shenanigans for delectable desserts, music, and a cash bar.

Participants will receive an email the week of the event about the progressive dinner locations. If you have a group of friends with whom you'd like to 'progress' through the evening, let us know, beforehand, when you purchase your tickets. Also, be sure to let us know if you have any special dietary needs.

The deadline for reservations is noon, Tuesday, April 23. To sign up, contact the Sewanee Children's Center at [sewaneechildrenscenter@gmail.com](mailto:sewaneechildrenscenter@gmail.com).

Come out and support one of the community's best educational programs for our little folks. Proceeds from this major fundraising event will be directed toward the Center's continuing commitment to excellence in pre-school education, offered in a safe and nurturing environment by teachers and staff whose goal is to draw out the unique creativity and personality of each and every child.

## Easter Egg Hunt

The InterAct club at St. Andrew's-Sewanee will be hosting an Easter Egg Hunt for the community at 3 p.m., Easter Sunday, April 21, on the campus of St. Andrew's-Sewanee. Egg hunters will have the opportunity to not only find candy, but vouchers for donations in their name to one of the various local causes of their choosing including Blue Monarch, Grundy County Food Bank, Tools for School for Monteagle Elementary, Morton Memorial Food Bank, Christmas on the Mountain, or Mountain T.O.P. Come celebrate the season by giving back and having fun.

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## Upcycled Fashion Show

Sustain Sewanee and the Sewanee Theater Department proudly present the third annual Upcycled Fashion Show. The show will feature outfits from the Hospitality Shop, styled and designed by students. Come on out for a night of fashion and fun at 7 p.m., Thursday, April 25, at the Tennessee Williams Center. All pieces in the show will be available for purchase at the conclusion of the show to benefit the Hospitality Shop. Everyone is invited to attend.

## Bob Corker at Sewanee, April 24

Retired Senator Bob Corker will be interviewed on the Sewanee campus by noted journalist Olivier Knox; a Q&A period will follow the interview. The event will be held at noon, Wednesday, April 24, in Guerry Auditorium. The public is welcome.

Bob Corker left office in January after serving two terms in the U.S. Senate. As a senator, he was known especially for demonstrating bipartisanship and for his service as chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, where he pushed to hold foreign governments accountable for adverse actions. In his first term, Corker worked on the 2008 financial crisis and auto bailout. He was a vocal lawmaker advocating for the end of human trafficking and slavery.

Corker's business background is in construction and real estate. He served as Commissioner of Finance and Administration for the State of Tennessee from 1995 to 1996, and was elected mayor of Chattanooga in 2000, serving one term (2001–05).

Olivier Knox is chief Washington correspondent for SiriusXM radio, covering the White House, politics, and foreign policy, and currently serves as president of the White House Correspondents' Association. At SiriusXM, Knox provides commentary for the broadcaster's political channels, where he also hosts a weeknight show. He joined SiriusXM in 2018 from Yahoo News, which he joined following 15 years of reporting for Agence France-Presse. Knox covered the George W. Bush administration, the impeachment and acquittal of President Bill Clinton, and the 2000 election. He has a bachelor's degree from Columbia and a master's from the Johns Hopkins School of Advanced International Studies.



*Come decorate Easter eggs at Otey Memorial Parish.*

## Community Easter Egg Decorating and Hunt

For the last three Easters, Otey Memorial Parish has enjoyed providing an egg decorating experience for the whole community. College students, professors, and community members have enjoyed learning Eastern European traditions such as batik egg decorating. In batik work, the egg is decorated with wax and a special stylus to mask parts of the egg, then dipped in successively richer dyes. Finally the wax designs are melted away from the egg to reveal the colors beneath the wax. This will be the fourth year for the event, launched by the Mellon Globalization Forum and Otey Memorial Parish in 2016.

Chef Rick Wright and his team at Sewanee Dining provide 20 dozen steamed eggs. Eastern European traditions are taught by Yuliya Ladygina, Teaching Assistant Professor of Russian at the University of the South. Ladygina is from from Kyiv, Ukraine. As a young person, she learned batik egg decorating in secret, because celebrations of Christianity were not allowed.

On Good Friday, everyone is invited to decorate eggs using the supplies provided. Some people bring hollowed egg shells, so their masterpiece will last longer. However, Ladygina advises that raw eggs are less fragile and last just as long without stinking; they will simply become lighter over time.

The Good Friday egg workshop is from 7-9 p.m. in St. Mark's Hall. The activity is most appropriate for adults, teens, and older children who are able to focus for long periods of time and work safely with open flame and dripping wax. There is no cost. Please bring a drink or snack to share.

On Easter Sunday, April 21, at 10 a.m., Otey Memorial Parish will offer the community three age-appropriate hunts for children up to 12 years old. Hand-decorated eggs will be hidden along with hundreds of candy-filled eggs – and, of course, a prize egg for each age group. The hunt will take place between the two services, along with a delicious brunch provided by the Parish Life committee.



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You can participate by either having a sale at your home (feel free to combine your efforts with a friend!) or join up with others at the Community Center. All participants will be listed on the official map that will be distributed that day. Advertising will be in local papers in the surrounding areas.



Maybe you don't have many items for sale, live further from town, or would rather be in a larger group. You can reserve space inside the Center too.

**Yes! I want to participate in the Sewanee community-wide yard sales. Entries due 4/22/19**

- ☐ I will have a sale at my home and want to be include on the official map.
- ☐ I want to have booth space at the Sewanee Community Center (limited tables available)

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*The Sewanee Community Center is generously supported with funding through the Sewanee Community Chest.*



*Kids of all ages enjoyed the Mountain Goat Trail Race weekend, April 13–14. Photo by David Andrews*



*Eli Andrews, crossing the finish line in downtown Tracy City, won the Mountain Goat Trail half marathon on Sunday. Photo by David Andrews*



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## MARC Receives Petco Foundation Grant

MARC - Marion Animal Resource Connection of Jasper, Tenn., announced it has been awarded a \$20,000 grant from the Petco Foundation to support its Making Lives Better Program.

The Petco Foundation investment will help to spay/neuter pets of low-income families, prepare animals for adoption, and provide humane education materials for schools and local libraries.

"MARC depends on donations and grants to carry out its mission. This grant is a huge boost to our ability to Make Lives Better. Petco Foundation's support means we will be able to reach more people and help more animals," said Sue Scruggs, MARC's Executive Director.

MARC is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) animal welfare organization whose mission is to improve the lives of animals through spay/neuter, humane education, and rescue/rehoming. Since 2011, MARC has been serving Marion County and the surrounding counties. In 2018, 1,698 dogs and cats were spayed or neutered through MARC, approximately 3,000 students were taught how to humanely care for animals and the importance of spay/neuter, and 1,457 animals were rescued/rehomed.

"Stopping dog and cat over population, finding good homes for dogs and cats, and teaching the community how to take good care of pets will improve the lives of not only animals but also the lives of the people who care for them," said MARC's Director, April Bowden.

For more information about MARC, visit <[www.marc4change.org](http://www.marc4change.org)>. For more on the Petco Foundation, visit <[www.petcofoundation.org](http://www.petcofoundation.org)>.

## The Big Payback on May 2

A record number of area nonprofits are busy preparing in a big way for The Big Payback's sixth annual, 24-hour online giving day.

A total of 964 Middle Tennessee nonprofits, including schools and religious institutions, from 35 counties will be participating in The Big Payback, an initiative of The Community Foundation of Middle Tennessee (CFMT), on Thursday, May 2.

The Big Payback is a community-wide online giving day designed to give the public the opportunity to pay back the nonprofits. Starting at midnight on May 2, there is 24 hours to make donations to participating local nonprofits at <[TheBigPayback.org](http://TheBigPayback.org)>.

Last year's event raised a record of more than \$3.1 million in donations, from 22,071 total gifts.

"The Big Payback's slogan is 'Live Here. Give Here' and provides an easy and fun way for our community to show our local pride and give back," said Ellen Lehman, president of CFMT.

Franklin County nonprofits participating include: Franklin County Humane Society (Animal Harbor), Friends of South Cumberland State Recreation Area, Mountain Goat Trail Alliance, South Cumberland Community Fund, St. Andrews-Sewanee School, Waiting for a Star to Fall Farm, and Ziggy's Tree Wildlife Rehabilitation Center.

## SEWANEE NOW AND THEN

*Sewanee Trust for Historic Preservation*

### Parochial Report of the Reverend Franklin L. Knight, D.D., To Tennessee's 1869 Diocesan Convention

St. Augustine's Chapel, Sewanee Mission, University Place.

The work at this station is peculiar, involving, as it does, the duties of an Academical Institution, as well as of a Missionary Post. It is difficult to separate the results of this year's labor, which are localized at this place, and the chaplain and missionary begs leave to make his joint report, as follows:

Baptisms-Adults 6; infants 12. Total 18. Confirmed 17. Communicants-Last report 20; added 36; removed 2; present number 54. Marriages 1. Public services-Sunday and holy days 185; other days 244. Total 429. Number of celebrations of Holy Communion 50. Sunday-school scholars-Children 20; freedman 15-35; teachers 7. Studying with a view to the ministry of the church, in the Sewanee Training and Diocesan School-now merged in the University of the South--6.

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We also owe to the praiseworthy efforts of two ladies of the congregation-whose diffidence would shrink from being named-a superb satin altar cloth, and Easter gift; and to Mrs. Cyrus Mason, of New York City, a beautiful font, of Pictou stone. Mr. Henry Sharpe, of the same city, has also generously donated to St. Augustine's Chapel a richly stained wheelwindow for the west gable.

Of the number confirmed thirteen were students, and there are now no less than twenty-five, or about one-half of the number now present in the University of the South, that are constant and earnest minded communicants.

The Missionary has received, on account of salary, \$735.68, in part (viz. \$479.13) from the Board of Domestic Missions, and in part (\$256.55) from Diocesan Funds, derived from the offertory.

During the year, with the aid of some of the students, the missionary services have been extended to three places outside of this mission, and the number of services thus supplied is twenty-five. Of the baptisms reported above, four were at one of these outside stations-Tracy City.

In order to carry on church work more systematically and effectively, on St. Mark's day the preliminary steps were taken to organize The Missionary Guild of St. Mark.

Three days after, at a special service, the Bishop of the Diocese solemnly set apart to the office of Lay Readers, in the face of the congregation, eight young men of the guild, whom he afterwards appointed to go two by two, to four different places where there is room and a desire for church extension. These posts are McMinnville, Tracy City, the "Lower Coal Banks," and Cowan. At the first two there is a strong disposition to build chapels at once, and at the third a schoolhouse is about being erected, which will be under the control of the church for all public religious services.

Necessity obliges the missionary-as Chaplain, and also a Professor in the University-to devote his attention mostly to the local work of the Sewanee Mission. The "Guild of St. Mark" will, therefore, be a very happy association to disseminate from this, as a center, the knowledge of Him who is the light of the world.

We feel that a great interest is grown up here; one which may become of incalculable advantage to the Diocese in which it is providentially planted. Their far-reaching plans who nobly projected this enterprise for the church and the South are beginning to be accomplished. Fervent opus. The work, indeed, glows. May its agents and instruments, and all associated with it, glow in their work, more and more, with the fervent love of Christ.

*F.L. KNIGHT, D.D.*

*Missionary Priest and Chaplain of the University of the South*



Grundey County Mayor Michael Brady and University of the South Vice-Chancellor John McCardell joined thousands of local leaders across the country in a nationwide bipartisan initiative to highlight the impact of national service in tackling local problems. On April 2, Brady and McCardell issued a proclamation recognizing the day as National Service Recognition Day. They were joined by representatives of the South Cumberland Community Fund and the University's Office of Civic Engagement for a luncheon held at the University honoring members of the South Cumberland Plateau (SCP) AmeriCorps VISTA Program.



Compassus-Tullahoma had a dinner event for the hospice volunteers April 9 at University of Tennessee Space Institute on Woods Reservoir, outside of Tullahoma. The event was held during Community National Volunteer Week, April 7-13.

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The Franklin County Farmers' Market is open 7 a.m.-1 p.m., Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday on Dinah Shore Boulevard, Winchester, next to the Franklin County Annex building. Meats, eggs, baked and canned goods, arts and crafts and more are available. Call (931) 967-2741 for more information.

## SENIOR CENTER NEWS

The Sewanee Senior Center serves lunch at noon Monday through Friday. The suggested donation is \$4, regardless of your age. Please call 598-0771 by 9 a.m. to order lunch. Menus follow:

**Monday, April 22:** Beef stew, Mexican cornbread, dessert.

**Tuesday, April 23:** Fish, baked potato, slaw, hush puppies, dessert.

**Wednesday, April 24:** Barbecue sandwich, potato salad, baked beans, dessert.

**Thursday, April 25:** Baked spaghetti, salad, garlic bread, dessert.

**Friday, April 26:** Baked chicken, macaroni/cheese, green beans, roll, dessert.

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

### Regular Activity Schedule

Chair exercises, Mondays and Wednesdays, 10:30-11:15 a.m.; Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m., the group plays bingo, with prizes; Wednesdays at 10 a.m., the writing group gathers at 212 Sherwood Rd.; Fridays at 10 a.m. is game time.

The Sewanee Senior Center does not charge any membership fee. All persons 50 or older who take part in any of the activities are considered members.



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**Holy Saturday Service**  
Noon, April 20

**Easter Day Service**  
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10:30 am, April 21

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## FROM THE HERITAGE CENTER

by Oliver W. Jervis, Grundy County Historical Society

### Mountain People

We are mountain people.  
We are a boorish set, they tell us -  
Hard-bitten, coarse off eature and of speech,  
Shallow and brawling as the mountain streams,  
- With morale friable as our sandstone.

All my life I have wanted to tell them: That we are  
mountain people,  
That mountain streams have pools of deep quietness, And  
that beneath the sandstone of our hills  
There is granite.

This poem written by Leonard Tate, once proclaimed as the Poet Laureate of Grundy County, and eulogized by Grundy County Judge J.L. Rollins: In the years to come, Grundy County will be remembered for one reason: that Leonard Tate lived here and wrote his poetry, captures the depth of character of the white mountaineer settlers. They were an independent lot. They built their homes (cabins) with logs hewn from the great forests around them. They carefully selected their home site near the purest free-stone spring they could find. The cabin built near the spring was most likely a double log house with an entry or dog run between. The cabin was the domain of the women and where the men came in to sleep, but the men's life was outdoors where they delighted in the wonders of nature and the wildlife that they hunted and fished to sustain themselves and their families.

American pioneers of European heritage began settlement on the Cumberland Plateau after 1806 and Dearborn's Treaty. These settlers were mostly of Scotch Irish lineage but included those of English and German derivation. Some Native Americans were found there, having fled to the plateau after the destruction of the Chickamauga towns along the Tennessee River by the Major James Ore expedition in 1794.

Mountaineers developed small sustainable farms. The crops grown were mostly for their own consumption. They often established small farming operations on the benches or shelves on the sides of coves of the plateau. There the soil was rich and far more fertile than on the top of the plateau. They almost always ran hogs. The hogs could sustain themselves on acorns and other plants that abounded within the forests. Pork was the staple of the mountaineer's diet. It also provided the drippings of the women's cookery, providing gravy for biscuits, grits and other grain products.

The cabins of the mountaineers were far apart. They developed friendships with one another but they did not relate to each other in the sense of community. Their isolation fostered self reliance and independence. They tended to unite only in cases of dire emergency. As a result much of the economic enterprise on the Cumberland Plateau has been driven by outsiders.

*Readers are invited to visit the Heritage Center Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.*

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Contact Kai Koopman for more information: [kdhoopma@sewanee.edu](mailto:kdhoopma@sewanee.edu)



Sally Hubbard attended the wedding of Robin Allison Reed and Michael Lee Brown on March 30, at the Episcopal Church of the Resurrection in Longwood, Fla. Robin raised her two daughters, Allie and Cammie, in Sewanee. She served as the Director of Religious Education at Otey Memorial Church and worked locally and at the Veterans Hospital in McMinnville as a therapist. Since moving to Florida, Robin worked full-time at the Veterans Hospital in Orlando and began seminary at night at Asbury Theological School. As she has now been accepted for two years of residential seminary study at Virginia Theological School, Robin and Mike will move to Alexandria in August.

## New Legal Help Clinic

Legal Aid Society of Middle Tennessee and the Cumberland is partnering with the Office of Civic Engagement of the University of the South to offer a free legal help clinic on the morning of Saturday, April 20, at the Dubose Conference Center, 635 College St., Monteagle. People who want to meet with a lawyer should come at 9:45 a.m. Breakfast and child care will be provided for attendees with some fun spring activities for children.

The Grundy County Legal Help Clinic is supported by the law firm Burr Foreman, attorney Patrick Warfield, and local lawyers, including Russell (Rusty) Leonard, who has offices in Monteagle and Winchester. The lawyers will assist with advice on any civil legal issue, including custody, landlord/tenant, employment, debt collection, bankruptcy, benefits, auto accident or neighbor disputes. The DuBose Conference Center has generously donated space for the event.

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## Nine SAS Students Recognized for National Latin Exam Achievement

Thirty-nine St. Andrew's-Sewanee students were recently joined by over 139,000 students from all fifty states and twenty foreign countries in taking the 2019 National Latin Exam. SAS students in their curriculum do not generally prepare for this exam as many schools do, but they consistently return high scores. This year on the day before the Ides of April, nine students earned commendatory awards, including three medalists. The Cum Laude was awarded to Zolon Knoll (Latin IV); earning the Magna Cum Laude award were Dimitri Sherrill (Latin I), Nneka Okolo (Latin II), and Elijah Seavey, Mac Croom, and Riley Burnette (Latin III); finally, at the Silver Maxima Cum Laude level, the three medalists were Reese Michaels, Erin Mattingly, and Kenneth Simmons, all from Latin I.

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## Monahan Named to IUA Advisory Board

St. Andrew's-Sewanee Director of College Counseling was recently named to the International University Alliance (IUA) High School Counselor Advisory Board. The IUA is committed to creating more opportunities for students and inspiring cross-cultural exchange by expanding opportunities for new communities of international students aspiring to study in the U.S.

The International University Alliance is an organization that collaborates with 17 different institutions throughout the U.S. to create pathways to colleges and universities for international students. When students apply through the IUA and if they are offered admission, the students are welcomed into a full year of support services directed at helping them successfully navigate the transition from high school to college.

Members of the High School Counselor Advisory Board provide input to the IUA on the student experience and educational trends, as well as helping IUA to identify new partnerships.

SAS Director of College Counseling Dan Monahan plans and administers all aspects of the college counseling process beginning with academic planning in the ninth grade and continuing with guidance through senior year and the college admission process. Dan is also the standardized testing coordinator at SAS and an assistant wrestling coach.

Dan is an active member of the Southern Association for College Admission Counseling and the National Association for College Admission Counseling.



David Johnson, Sewanee's 48th Watson Fellow

## Sewanee Students Awarded National Scholarships, Fellowships

Five University of the South students have received the good news that they are the recipients of national awards. David Johnson, a politics major and business minor, has been awarded a year-long Watson Fellowship for 2019-20. Three Sewanee students—Lala Hilizah, C'21, Jasmine Huang, C'21, and Campbell Stuart, C'20—have been awarded Critical Language Scholarships sponsored by the U.S. Department of State. And Livia Karoui, C'20, has been named a recipient of the 2019 Newman Civic Fellows Award, which recognizes students who are change-makers and problem-solvers.

David Johnson is Sewanee's 48th Watson Fellow. Offered by the Thomas J. Watson Foundation, the Watson Fellowships offer college graduates a year of independent exploration and travel outside the United States. Watson Fellows are selected fellows based on their leadership, imagination, independence, integrity, and resourcefulness; they must create, execute, and evaluate their own projects.

Johnson's project centers on transitional justice. He plans to visit the United Kingdom, Germany, Rwanda, South Africa, Chile, and Peru—all countries transitioning from their own histories of oppression—in order to learn how they are reconciling with their pasts. He hopes to bring new ideas and imagination to the ways the U.S. may reconcile with its own history. The project is close to Johnson's heart; at Sewanee, he has served on the working group for the Sewanee Project on Slavery, Race, and Reconciliation.

In addition to his work with the Slavery Project, Johnson has been a member of the University's basketball team and the Honor Council. He has served internships at the Grameen Bank in South Asia and at NAACP Headquarters, and he sits on the National Youth Work Committee for the Board of the Directors of the NAACP.

Lala Hilizah, Jasmine Huang, and Campbell Stuart were awarded Critical Language Scholarships for an intensive overseas language and cultural immersion program for American college students. Students spend eight to 10 weeks abroad studying one of 15 languages deemed critical to national security and economic prosperity. The highly competitive program is part of a U.S. government effort to expand the number of Americans studying and mastering critical foreign languages.

Hilizah will study Arabic at the Arab American Language Institute in Meknes, Morocco; Stuart will study Korean in Busan, South Korea, at Pusan National University; and Huang will study Chinese in Suzhou, China.

Livia Karoui has received the 2019 Newman Civic Fellows Award presented by Campus Compact, a Boston-based nonprofit organization working to advance the public purposes of higher education. It recognizes students who are change-makers and public problem-solvers at Campus Compact member schools.

Karoui, a political science major and history minor, is also pursuing a certificate in Civic and Global Leadership. She has worked in various ways, on and off campus, to learn about and address issues of food insecurity. She spent a semester abroad in Ghana, interning for a USAID food security program. There she learned that increasing access to adequate

nutrition can foster the economic and social wellbeing of individuals and their communities. Back at Sewanee, Karoui continued to study nutrition science, and designed a community engagement project illustrating the importance of food security from a local perspective.

## SES MENUS

**Monday–Friday,  
April 22–26  
LUNCH**

**Monday, April 22:** Easter Monday - No School.

**Tuesday, April 23:** Breakfast for Lunch: Chicken or sausage, eggs, tater tots, salsa, cherry tomatoes, biscuit, fruit.

**Wednesday, April 24:** Chicken nuggets, cheesy bread sticks, oven fries, marinara sauce, green beans, dinner roll, fruit.

**Thursday, April 25:** Taco or chicken fajita, refried beans, potatoes wedges, salsa, garden salad, tortilla tub/chips, fruit, cinnamon roll.

**Friday, April 26:** Pizza, chicken sandwich, buttered corn, pinto beans, curly fries, fruit.

### BREAKFAST

Each day, students select one or two items.

**Monday, April 22:** Easter Monday - No School.

**Tuesday, April 23:** Yogurt, Elf grahams, or breakfast pizza.

**Wednesday, April 24:** Biscuit, sausage or chicken, gravy, jelly.

**Thursday, April 25:** Egg omelet, toast, jelly or breakfast burrito.

**Friday, April 26:** Biscuit, ham, gravy, jelly.

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## AT THE MOVIES

### SEWANEE UNION THEATRE

Friday–Sunday, April 19–21, 7:30 p.m.

*Glass*

PG-13 • 129 minutes

M. Night Shyamalan brings together the narratives of two of his standout originals—2000's "Unbreakable," from Touchstone, and 2016's "Split," from Universal—in one explosive, all-new comic-book thriller: "Glass." From "Unbreakable," Bruce Willis returns as David Dunn as does Samuel L. Jackson as Elijah Price, known also by his pseudonym Mr. Glass. Joining from "Split" are James McAvoy, reprising his role as Kevin Wendell Crumb and the multiple identities who reside within, and Anya Taylor-Joy as Casey Cooke, the only captive to survive an encounter with The Beast. Following the conclusion of "Split," Glass finds Dunn pursuing Crumb's superhuman figure of The Beast in a series of escalating encounters, while the shadowy presence of Price emerges as an orchestrator who holds secrets critical to both men.

### CINEMA GUILD

Wednesday, April 24, 7:30 p.m., free

*The Florida Project*

R • 115 minutes

Warm, winning, and gloriously alive, Sean Baker's "The Florida Project" is a deeply moving and unforgettably poignant look at childhood. Set on a stretch of highway just outside the imagined utopia of Disney World, The Florida Project follows six-year-old Moonee (Brooklyn Prince in a stunning breakout turn) and her rebellious mother Halley (Bria Vinai, another major discovery) over the course of a single summer. The two live week to week at "The Magic Castle," a budget hotel managed by Bobby (a career-best Willem Dafoe), whose stern exterior hides a deep reservoir of kindness and compassion. Despite her harsh surroundings, the precocious and ebullient Moonee has no trouble making each day a celebration of life, her endless afternoons overflowing with mischief and grand adventure as she and her ragtag playmates—including Jancey, a new arrival to the area who quickly becomes Moon's best friend—fearlessly explore the utterly unique world into which they've been thrown. Unbeknownst to Moonee, however, her delicate fantasy is supported by the toil and sacrifice of Halley, who is forced to explore increasingly dangerous possibilities in order to provide for her daughter.

### SEWANEE UNION THEATRE

Thursday–Sunday, April 25–28, 7:30 p.m.

*Isn't It Romantic*

PG-13 • 89 minutes

Natalie is a New York architect who works hard to get noticed at her job, but is more likely to deliver coffee and bagels than design the city's next skyscraper. Things go from bad to weird when she gets knocked unconscious during a subway mugging and magically wakes up to find herself in an alternate universe. Always cynical about love, Natalie's worst nightmare soon comes true when she suddenly discovers that she's playing the leading lady in a real-life romantic comedy.

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*Members of the SAS Vocal Ensemble perform at the Winter Concert. The school's Spring Concert will be April 24 at 7:30 p.m.*

## SAS Spring Concert April 24

The St. Andrew's-Sewanee School spring concert, titled "Around the Corner and Around the World," will be at 7:30 p.m., Wednesday, April 24, McCrory Hall for the Performing Arts.

The concert will feature the upper school guitar ensemble, middle school musicians and the upper school vocal ensemble performing a musical journey across countries, styles, eras and languages, from Thomas Tallis to Ziggy Marley.

Soloists include Lauren Wockasen, Isabella Randolph and Maddie Jones. Ruth Cobb will be accompanist. The SAS music program is under the direction of J.R. Ankney.

There is no cost to attend the event, and the public is welcome to attend.

## SSMF Faculty Preview Concert

The Sewanee Summer Music Festival will present a Faculty Preview Concert at 7 p.m., Monday, April 29, in Guerry Auditorium. The concert is free and open to the public, and there will be a reception immediately following in McGriff Alumni House.

The performers are Gregory Lee, violin, University of Oklahoma; Brittany McWilliams, violin, University of Louisville; Amy Chang, piano, University of Michigan; Hillary Herndon, viola, University of Tennessee; Rachel Miller, harp, Southwest Symphony Orchestra, Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra; Paula Bressman, harp, Nashville Symphony Orchestra/University of the South; Bill Yelverton, guitar, MTSU, University of the South; and Jason Calloway, cello, Frost Music School, University of Miami.

Repertoire includes Parvis: Cortège et Danse by Bernard Andres, Baba O'Riley by Pete Townsend arr. by Paula Bressman, Terzetto 3rd and 4th movements, and Schumann piano quintet 4th movement.

## Carillon Series at University

The University will host carilloners from the Mountain and beyond in 2019.

Concerts will take place on Sundays at 1:30 p.m. The schedule for the concerts is as follows:

June 16, Raymond Gotko, University of the South

June 23, Charlene Williamson with Raymond Gotko, University of the South

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## Upcoming Events

### Studio Theatre Shows

On April 22 and 23 at 7:30 p.m., the theatre will present "The Aliens," by Annie Baker. Two drifting young adults are sitting on the back porch of a small Vermont coffee shop, talking about art, love, and the meaning of their lives. When a young high school student walks into their lives, they welcome him into their circle after some initial difficulties, and teach him everything they know in the process.

The play is directed by Balazs Borosi, and performed by Finn Gallagher, Nick Govindan, and Balazs Borosi.

On April 26 and 27, the theatre will present "Dreamin' On a Starry Night" with Karissa Wheeler, at 7 p.m. "Dreamin' on a Starry Night" features songs from Bonnie & Clyde, Les Misérables, Mama Mia and many more Broadway musicals.

Joining Karissa will be accompanist Bramwell Atkins with special appearances by Nick Govindan and Jonathan Herring.

The performances will be at the Tennessee Williams Center Tennessee Williams 115 - Studio Theatre.

### University Jazz Ensemble

The University Jazz Ensemble End of Semester Concert will be at 7 p.m., Wednesday, April 24, at St. Luke's Chapel.

### Gospel Choir Spring Concert

The University Gospel Choir, Sewanee Praise, presents their end of year concert on Tuesday, April 30. It will take place in St. Luke's Chapel at 7 p.m. The concert is free and open to the public.

### A Cappella Concert

There will be an a cappella concert 6:30–9:30 p.m., Wednesday, May 1, at Guerry Auditorium.

### String Academy Concert

There will be a String Academy Concert from 3–4 p.m., Sunday, May 5, in Guerry Auditorium.



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## At the Galleries

### The Artisan Depot

On display now is “Facing Forward,” through May 5. Opening April 18 is “Between the Rocks,” by Andy Gay; opening reception Friday, April 26. The next show, to which the entire community is invited to participate, is themed “Found in the Making.” Intake is May 2 through 5, and the opening reception is Friday, May 10.

The Artisan Depot is operated by the Franklin County Arts Guild and is located at 204 Cumberland St. East, Cowan. Gallery hours are noon to 5 p.m. on Thursday, Friday and Sunday, and 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday.

### The Frame Gallery

Frame Gallery presents “Swept Away, Drawn Into & Adrift in the Blue” by Ed Carlos through April 30.

The Frame Gallery is located at 12569 Sollace M. Freeman Hwy., Sewanee. The frame shop and gallery’s regular hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Tuesday through Friday, and 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday.

### St. Andrew’s-Sewanee Gallery

Starting in the art gallery and spilling out into the halls and windows of the academic buildings, students and faculty of St. Andrew’s-Sewanee School will create a series of tape art images and murals using only blue painter’s tape. The public is invited to watch the work in progress between 8 a.m. and 3 p.m., Monday through Friday until April 26. There will be an artists’ reception on Friday, April 26, from 11 a.m.–1 p.m.

The SAS Gallery is located in the center of Simmonds Building on the St. Andrew’s-Sewanee School campus.

### University Art Gallery

“Reclamation” is an exhibition of photography, sculpture, and collage by the University of the South’s senior art majors: Ivey Dahlstrom, Violet Hoagland, Barton Perkins and Brianna Young. The exhibit will be on display from April 19–May 11.

An opening reception will be held in the University Art Gallery on Friday, April 19, at 4:30 p.m. On Friday, April 26, beginning at 9 a.m. in Convocation Hall, the seniors will speak about their work as part of Scholarship Sewanee. From 1-3 p.m., Saturday, May 11, the UAG will host a closing reception, celebrating the senior art majors and the close of a successful exhibition season.

The Gallery is located on Georgia Avenue. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday and noon–4 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday.

### University Archives

Historic Houses of Sewanee is on display through July 31. Hours are Monday-Friday, from 1–5 p.m. The Archives is located between duPont Library and the Police Department. Parking is available on Georgia Avenue.



A dedicated group of ladies at the Franklin County Arts Guild have been crocheting mats that can be used by anyone who sleeps outdoors. During the month of April, the Artisan Depot is gathering plastic grocery bags of the type given at Kroger, Walmart and Dollar General. The bags should be clean and dry, right-side out, sorted by color, folded neatly and placed in the yellow recycle container at the Artisan Depot. The sleep mats will be distributed to a homeless mission in Nashville.

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## Ralston Events

The William Ralston Listening Library, a state of the art listening room on the second floor of the Jessie Ball duPont Library, is hosting several upcoming events, which are free and open to the public.

Friday, April 19, 5-6 p.m., Caleb Thorn, Weyes Blood.

Sunday, April 21, 6-7 p.m., Caiti Berends, Wagner’s Das Rheingold.

Monday, April 22, 3-4 p.m., Prokofiev’s Alexander Nevsky; 6-7 p.m., Jackson Campbell, ; 7-8 p.m., When We All Fall Asleep Where Do We Go? by Billie Eilish; 8-9 p.m., Isabel Butler & Heidi Hayne, Khalid’s Free Spirit.

Tuesday, April 23, 6-7 p.m., Anna Wilson, classic rock; 7-8 p.m., Tristan Benedict, Jazz Music.

Wednesday, April 24, 5-6 p.m., Annie Bowers, Chamber music; 6-7 p.m., Wilder McCoy, Luiz Bonfá; 8-9 p.m., Henry Fisher, Bill Evans.

Thursday, April 25, 4-5 p.m., Prokofiev Chamber Music; 6-7 p.m., Brant Lewis, Drive By Truckers.

Friday, April 26, 5-6 p.m., Caleb Thorn, Eddie Floyd.

Sunday, April 28, 6-7 p.m., Caiti Berends, Mascagni’s Cavalleria Rusticana and Leoncavallo’s Pagliacci.

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*The Conservatory dancers show their best moves, on Guerry stage last Saturday. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson*

## Artisan Depot Workshops

Spring Into Watercolors, Saturday, April 27, 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., with instructor Durinda Cheek. Class fee is \$85, with a \$10 or \$15 materials fee payable at class.

A one-day workshop designed as a follow-up to the Watercolor Bootcamp, for people with some beginning watercolor painting experience. Improve your skills and develop your techniques in glazing, creating texture, mixing colors, preserving whites, etc. We will paint a variety of spring images. Participants should bring lunch and a drink, and wear painting clothes.

Porcelain Windchimes, Saturday, May 4, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., with instructor Cathy Norrell. Class fee is \$50. Materials Fee is \$35, payable to instructor at class.

Come join us in celebrating spring and make your own windchimes using porcelain clay and

simple tools. Participants will create up to two sets of chimes, one to keep and one to share. Class is geared towards beginners but all levels are welcome. Wear old clothing and bring a sack lunch.

Garden “Love Rocks,” Saturday, May 25, 1–4 p.m., with instructor Kim Phillips. Class fee is \$25, which includes \$10 materials fee.

Show your garden some love with small mosaics. Choose to create an angel or a heart, or both, if time allows. All materials will be provided except the rock; bring one or two rocks no larger than 6 inches by 6 inches with a smooth surface, flat or slightly rounded. We’ll provide beads, grout, glass, and other bling; if you’d like to share your stash, please bring it along.

Pre-registration is required for all workshops, and space is limited. Go to <[www.franklincoarts.org/workshop-details](http://www.franklincoarts.org/workshop-details)>.

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## Middle School Volleyball Places Second

On April 13, the St. Andrew's-Sewanee varsity girls' middle school volleyball team competed in the Mountain Valley Volleyball League tournament held at Grundy County High School, competing against North, Swiss, Palmer, Pelham, Coalmont and Monteagle. In the first round, SAS won their match against North in two sets, with scores of 25-16 and 25-11, Pelham beat Coalmont, and Palmer beat Swiss. SAS then won the next match against Palmer in three sets with scores of 25-23, 18-25, and 15-6, and Monteagle beat Pelham. In the final round for the championship, the SAS Mountain Lions fell to the Monteagle Hornets in three sets, taking second place in the tournament.

The Mountain Valley League All-district game will be held Tuesday, April 30 at Swiss Memorial Elementary School at 5 p.m. The match is best of five sets. SAS players Lucy Cassell, Madison King, and Ava Carlos earned positions on the teams.

## TigerSharks Summer Season

The Sewanee TigerSharks, the local summer league swim team for all area youth ages 4–18, is preparing for an exciting summer season. John Noffsinger returns in his third year as the TigerShark head coach, accompanied by returning assistant coaches Nan Long and Alyssa Summers.

Last summer, the team enjoyed a robust roster of 84 swimmers and hopes to have even more swimmers participating this summer. The Sewanee TigerSharks had a strong 2018 season, finishing second out of 10 teams at the RACE League Championships to the Manchester Makos, and they look to continue improving this summer.

The mission of the Sewanee TigerSharks is to provide a quality amateur competitive swimming experience for Sewanee and the surrounding areas. The team promotes good sportsmanship, individual health and safety through the development of quality swimming skills, self-esteem, and provides a strong community experience in all swimmers through an emphasis on individual progress, team unity, peer mentorship, and family participation.

All experience levels, from the complete beginner to the experienced year-round swimmer, are encouraged to participate. The only requirement is that a swimmer be able to swim 15-feet unaided. New swimmer, Rookie, and Junior evaluations will take place on Monday, May 20, at 3:15 p.m. at the University of the South Natatorium, with regular practices beginning Tuesday, May 21. All interested parents and swimmers should visit the Sewanee TigerSharks website at <www.sewaneetiger-sharks.com> or email the team representatives at <sewaneetiger-sharks@gmail.com>.

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## SAS Tennis in Full Swing

The SAS varsity tennis teams are in the full rhythm of competition. On April 6, the SAS girls' tennis team moved to 4-0 on the season with its shutout of Franklin County High School. Tessa Shackelford, Anna Post, Jenna Black, Hannah Mullens, and Saje Mangru contributed wins at No. 1-5 singles. Shackelford/Post and Black/Mullens added two more at No. 1 and No. 2 doubles, respectively. In addition, Hannah Moss won her exhibition matches at No. 6 singles and No. 3 doubles with Mangru. The SAS boys' team enjoyed a 6-1 victory against Franklin County High School, evening its record to 2-2. Nathan King (No. 1), Tanner King (No. 4), and Tim Nelson (No. 5) all contributed singles wins. N. King/Finn Michler and T. King/Nelson added two more wins at No. 1 and No. 2 doubles, respectively. SAS earned the sixth point by default.

The SAS girls dropped their first match of the season on April 9 in district play against Collegedale Academy in a 3-4 decision. At No. 1 singles, Tessa Shackelford staged a zero to five comeback, showing pure will and winning 8 straight games to win the match 8-5. No. 2 Anna Post handled her opponent with steady play in an 8-2 victory. Shackelford and Post teamed up to win one more at No. 1 doubles. Despite a strong effort, the SAS girls were not able to secure the fourth point. The SAS boys' team worked hard on the court but fell to Collegedale 0-7.

On April 11, both teams faced district opponent Notre Dame. The girls' team fell 2-5 in a hard-fought battle, highlighted by long points that tested our endurance and patience. Tessa Shackelford persevered at No. 1 singles, the longest match of the day, to ultimately win 9-8 (7-3). At No. 2, Anna Post kept her opponent frustrated, remaining steady to win 9-7. At No. 3, Jenna Black showed great shot placement and hustle, but her opponent was ultimately a little more consistent. At number No. 1 doubles, Shackelford and Post dropped a nail biter 8-9 (5-7). In exhibition play, Laura Crigger and Hannah Moss won 6-2 at No. 3 doubles. The Notre Dame boys' team proved too tough for us as the boys' team fell 1-6. Nathan King and Finn Michler won their match 8-3 at No. 1 doubles, and in exhibition play, Alex Brewster and Caleb Simmons pulled out a tight match at No. 3 doubles, winning in a tiebreaker 7-6 (7-2).

On April 15 against Tullahoma High School, the girls' team won 5-1. SAS captured wins at No. 1-4 singles and No. 1 doubles from Shackelford, Post, Black, and Crigger. In addition, several players had wins in exhibition matches, including Saje Mangru, Hannah Moss, and Brooke Nichols. The boys' team fell 1-6. The lone win was a hard-fought 9-7 battle by Nathan King at No. 1 singles. In exhibition play, Van Carlton Shanahan picked up a singles win. The girls' team stands at 5-2 on the season and the boys' team at 2-5.



SAS soccer player Brody Metcalf, No. 3, in action.  
Photo by St. Andrew's-Sewanee

## SAS Soccer Update

On April 9, St. Andrew's-Sewanee School boys' middle school soccer team lost to South Middle School, 3-1. The first half ended in a 0-0 draw with both teams fighting for possession of the ball. In the second half, South struck quickly, scoring the game-winning goal in the first five minutes of the half. Unfortunately, five minutes later SAS scored an own goal. The Mountain Lions continued to fight

hard and, with eight minutes left in the match, Raulston Barnett hammered home the Mountain Lions' only goal.

On April 11, the soccer team lost to Westwood Middle School, 0-2. Despite the loss, strong play was seen from defender Toby Van de Ven and center midfielder Caleb Palmertree. The Mountain Lions wrap-up their regular season next week on the road.

## Golf 'Fore' Paws

Animal Harbor's second annual Golf "Fore" Paws will be held at the beautiful Bear Trace at Tim's Ford Golf Course on April 27, with a shotgun start at 1 p.m. Entry fee is \$100 per player, \$400 per team. There will be a staggered cash payout for teams, and a \$50 payout for balls closest to the pin on all par 3's, the longest drive, the most accurate drive, plus a pitching and putting contest. If you don't have a complete team, we'll match you up! Register by April 25. To register, call Phyllis Larson at (954) 895-1384, or sign up at Bear Trace.

## Aquatic Classes at Winchester Swimplex

Winchester Swimplex is accepting registrations for summer swim lessons. The Swimplex will be offering morning and afternoon classes again this year. Classes meet Monday through Friday for two weeks, 10 classes total. Cost is \$50. You can register for swim lessons at the Winchester Swimplex.

Session Dates are Session 1: June 3–June 14; Session 2: June 17–June 28; Session 3: July 8–July 19. Class times are 8:30 a.m.–9:15 a.m. for ages 6 and up; 9:30 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. for Pre-School (3 to 5); 5–5:45 p.m. for Pre-School and 6 and up.

Baby & Me swim lessons begin on June 8 and run through June 29 on Saturdays. Both the parent and the child get wet in this class. Class is designed to familiarize the child to an aquatic environment through drills, games, and songs. This is an instructor led class that meets Saturday mornings from 9–9:30 a.m. Children should be at least 6 months and no older than 3 years. Class cost is \$25.

For more information or questions contact Winchester Swimplex (931) 962-4204.

## MGT Parkrun

The Mountain Goat Trail Parkrun is a free, weekly, timed 5K event. The fun starts on Saturdays at 9 a.m. at Pearl's in Sewanee. All skill levels are welcome and participants can walk, jog or run. The event is stroller and kid friendly. Register at <parkrun.us/register>, print the barcode and show up.

## HOME GAMES

### Saturday, April 20

TBA, Winner of Centre/Oglethorpe vs. University Women's Lacrosse, Semifinals

2 p.m., University Softball vs. Birmingham Southern

### Tuesday, April 23

4 p.m., SAS Varsity Tennis vs. Silverdale Baptist Academy

### Thursday, April 25

4 p.m., SAS Varsity Tennis vs. Riverside Christian Academy

4:15 p.m., SAS Varsity Track and Field vs. Cascade, Sequatchie, South Pittsburg

4:30 p.m., SAS Varsity Boys' Soccer vs. Grace Baptist Academy

### Saturday, April 27

10 a.m., SAS Varsity Boys' Soccer vs. Notre Dame High School

### Thursday, May 2

4 p.m., SAS Baseball vs. Richard Hardy Memorial

### Monday, May 6

4 p.m., SAS Baseball vs. Boyd Christian School



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## FCHS Selects New Head Girls Basketball Coach

Franklin County High School is pleased to announce the hiring of Amber Gilliam as the new head girls basketball coach.

"Coach Gilliam will be a coach who inspires players with her energy and passion for the game," said Dr. Roger Alsup, Franklin County High School Principal. "Not only does Coach Gilliam have a firm understanding of the game, she also has proven her ability to get the most out of her players."

Coach Gilliam is a 2002 Franklin County High School graduate. While at FCHS she played basketball and softball.

Coach Gilliam is a 2006 graduate of Judson College (B.S., psychology), where she was a member of the basketball and softball teams.

On the softball diamond, Gilliam was named Best Overall Player in 2004, won the Hustle Award in 2003, and was Defensive Player of the Year two years in a row. In 2005, the Eagles competed in the USCAA 2005 National Softball Tournament.

On the basketball court, Gilliam was named Best Overall Player two years, was a co-captain from 2003 until 2006, and competed in the USCAA national tournament twice. In 2006, Gilliam received Judson's Mary Whitfield Lee Outstanding Senior Athlete Award.

After graduation, Gilliam was selected as a graduate assistant softball and assistant basketball coach at Judson College. Both teams competed at the national level and were ranked in the top 10 in the nation by the United States College Athletic Association (USCAA).

Coach Gilliam was an assistant girls' basketball coach at The University of the South from 2007 until 2016, and she was the head softball coach at The University of the South from 2007 until 2013.

Amber is currently the Decherd Elementary School Guidance Counselor. She is married to Nathan Gilliam and they have one daughter, Isabella.

## Women's Tennis Earns SAA Regular Season Title for Seventh Time in a Row

The 28th-ranked Sewanee women's tennis team swept Birmingham-Southern in league play, 9-0. With the win, the Tigers secured their seventh straight Southern Athletic Association Regular Season Championship.

The visitors swept doubles play from the 15th-ranked team in the Atlantic South region. Catherine Owen/Ellie Czura, ranked fourth in the region in doubles, survived a rally from Alyssa Yager/Isabella Wisener, 8-7.

The Tigers took each of the six singles points in the victory. Czura, Mary Jane McCaghren and Jordan Besh recorded a 6-0 shutout in a set during the contest.

Sewanee has secured its seventh straight SAA Regular Season Championship. With an undefeated 6-0 in league play in 2019, the team has won 44 straight regular season conference games. Adding 18 in the SAA Tournament, the team has won 62 straight contests against SAA institutions in the regular season, as well as the postseason.

## Men's Tennis Captures Seventh Straight SAA Regular Season Crown

The Sewanee men's tennis team, ranked 19th in the nation, wrapped up its seventh consecutive Southern Athletic Association (SAA) Men's Tennis Regular Season Championship with a 9-0 sweep over Birmingham-Southern on Sunday.

The Tigers swept doubles competition over the Panthers. At the No. 2 and No. 3 point, Andres Carro/Jack Gray and Brandon Kali/Ryan Wax earned identical 8-4 wins.

The Purple and Gold also took down the home team in singles. Despite Brandon Kali (6-2, 4-6, 10-7) going to a third set at the No. 4 point, Fletcher Kerr swept his opponent, 6-0, 6-0, at the No. 6.

Sewanee has locked in their seventh consecutive SAA Regular Season Championship. From the inception of the conference in 2013, the program is 43-1 in conference games.



Senior Jack Gray serving in the April 15 match against regional rival Emory. The Tigers lost 7-2, snapping the eight-match winning streak. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson



Senior Bryce Benedict hits a home run in Sunday's (April 14) third win of the series over Millsaps College. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson



Senior Kelly Thomsen scored three goals in Saturday's (April 13) conference win over Centre College. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

## Track and Field Sets New Records in 4x400 Relays

The Sewanee track and field teams saw new records made at the Berry Field Day Invitational over the weekend, as both the male and female 4x400 relay teams etched their names into the Sewanee record books.

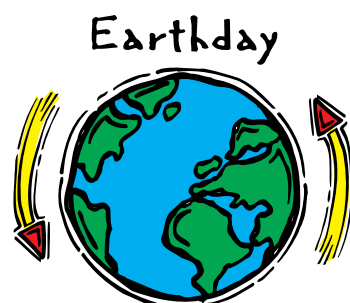
The quartet of Ash Midyett, Ford McGovern, Erbie Jennings and Lethario Jones set a new school record in the event with a 3:24.39, improving the school record by 0.08 seconds. The team finished third in the event.

In the women's event, the team of Kelsie Schiavone, Elizabeth Shackelford, Clay McKnight and Meredith Stuber shattered the school record of 4:11.23, set last season, with a 4:10.90 mark. Three of the four runners, Schiavone, Shackelford and Stuber, were a part of the previous record. The team earned fifth place in the event.

Clay McKnight earned a 12th place finish in the 1,500 meters, running to a 5:02.95 mark. Molly Montgomery ran to a personal-best time of 1:06.94.

In addition to the school record during the 4x400 relay, Lethario Jones sprinted to a 22.95-second time in the 200 meters, improving his personal best time by 0.59 seconds. The sophomore finished 16th at the event and seventh among Division III competitors.

Ash Midyett ran a 51.75-second finish in the 400 meters for 10th place. Ford McGovern finished 0.02 seconds behind Midyett for a 51.77 time in his first 400-meter event of the season.



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## NATURENOTES

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Adder's-tongue Fern. Photo by Yolande Gottfried



Rattlesnake Fern. Photo by Yolande Gottfried

### Ferns of the Grapefern Family

We were excited to find a large patch of Southern Adder's-tongue Fern on our property this past Monday. I suppose we have walked over it often without noticing. The plant is small and looks nothing like the typical fern. It has one frond with an undivided blade, only a few inches long and an inch or so wide. The other frond is the "adder's tongue," a narrow finger-like structure bearing the spore-producing parts of the fern. There were dozens of these ferns in the patch we found. They can spread from underground structures called rhizomes, and large patches are not uncommon, though easily overlooked. They are found in disturbed areas such as old fields and roadsides and along wooded streams.

On spring wildflower walks, a close relative of the Adder's-tongue Fern is often noticed. This is the Rattlesnake Fern. It also has only two fronds, one vegetative and the other reproductive. The much larger vegetative frond is triangular and much-divided. Rising from the common petiole or stem, the spore-bearing frond is narrow and branched. Early in the spring, it is small and curved and seems to be pointing in some direction. At this stage, it may resemble the rattle on a rattlesnake. In local lore, it is known as "sang-pointer" in that it was thought to point in the direction of a ginseng patch, much prized by collectors.

A couple of other ferns in this same family, the Grapefern Family, will be dying back this spring, having remained green through the winter. They are roughly similar to the Rattlesnake Fern but generally smaller, less-divided, and more leathery. The spore-bearing frond rises close to the ground and has many small round structures that resemble a bunch of grapes all together, hence the names, Common Grape Fern and Southern Grape Fern. They will release spores in the fall rather than the late spring, as the Rattlesnake Fern does.

**Pixie Dozier** reports that she saw two hummingbirds on April 8.

## Sewanee Herbarium Spring 2019 Calendar of Events

69th Annual Spring Wildflower Pilgrimage, Great Smoky Mountains National Park, April 24-27. Mary Priestley will lead nature journaling workshops. Mary and Yolande Gottfried will each be leading wildflower walks. Please see <http://www.wildflowerpilgrimage.org/> for more information. Registration online is recommended.

Shakerag Hollow—Sunday, April 28, 2 p.m., with Mary Priestley. A walk among the abundant and diverse spring wildflowers of this partly old-growth forest area. Meet at the Green's View parking lot (past the golf course). Two miles, moderate to strenuous, with one fairly challenging incline.

Piney Point—Sunday, May 5, 1:30 p.m., with Yolande Gottfried. The community of plants that grows on the sandstone outcrops along the trail to Piney Point, including the rare elf orpine, is a special one. This moderate one-to-two hour walk begins at the tennis courts at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School (beyond the football field).

The herbarium sponsors a nature journaling group that meets Thursdays, 9–11 a.m. led by Mary Priestley. Come try it out – stick with it if you like. Bring an unlined journal (or a few sheets of unlined paper) and a pen or pencil. No experience needed. The group meets in Spencer room 173. All are welcome. Email Mary at [mpriestley0150@gmail.com](mailto:mpriestley0150@gmail.com) for more information.

Wear appropriate shoes on all of these walks. Risks involved in hiking include physical exertion, rough terrain, forces of nature, and other hazards not present in everyday life. Picking flowers and digging plants are prohibited in all of the above-mentioned natural areas.

For more information on these or other Sewanee Herbarium events, please contact Yolande Gottfried at the Herbarium (931-598-3346) or by email at [ygottfri@sewanee.edu](mailto:ygottfri@sewanee.edu). A map of meeting place locations is available at [http://sewanee.edu/media/offices/herbarium/sewanee\\_herbarium\\_maps.pdf](http://sewanee.edu/media/offices/herbarium/sewanee_herbarium_maps.pdf).



Samson



Harvey

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Harvey is a one-year-old grey tabby and white cat. Harvey was found on the road and almost hit by a car. The driver kindly picked him up and brought him in to us to find a home. Harvey is very social and loves to be loved and petted on. Harvey also gets along with other cats and does not seem to mind dogs. Harvey is up-to-date on vaccinations, microchipped, FIV/FelV negative, and neutered. Harvey would love to be rescued and go into a home where he will be the center of attention.

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## State Park Offerings

Please note: To confirm that these events will occur as listed go to <http://tnstateparks.com/parks/events/southcumberland/#/?park=south-cumberland> or call (931) 924-2980.

### Monday, April 22

**Earth Day Hike**—Join Ranger Jessie McNeel at 1 p.m. at beautiful Grundy Lakes parking lot, 587 Lakes Rd., Tracy City, for an easy-to-moderate 1-mile hike around the Lakes area. She'll discuss the wildlife that calls the area home, as well as the history of the Coke Ovens you'll pass on the hike. Wear sturdy shoes, bring water, and don't forget the bug repellent.

**Nature Hike to Stone Door**—Join Ranger Dan Wescoat at 10 a.m. at Stone Door Ranger Station, 1183 Stone Door Rd., Beersheba Springs for a short 2-mile roundtrip hike to one of the Park's most expansive and impressive views, the Great Stone Door overlook. Good for most hiking abilities. Bring/wear hiking footwear, water, snacks, and your camera.

### Friday, April 26

**Sherwood Forest Trail-building**—Join other SCSP enthusiasts at 1 p.m. at Sherwood Forest parking lot, (go out Jump-off Road to Old CCC Camp Road, turn right, go to just past Coyote Cove Lane) to continue creating this new loop trail, which is now open for a variety of public uses. Sturdy footwear, water and snacks, and favorite trail-building tools and gloves.

### Saturday, April 27

**Volunteer Trail Day at Foster Falls**—Join Ranger Ryan Harris at 9 a.m. at Foster Falls parking lot, 498 Foster Falls Rd., Sequatchie, (go through Tracy City on Hwy. 41 and look for signs about 10 miles out) to help repair sections of Foster Falls loop trail. You will be working on the small land-bridges on the loop. Bring water and a small lunch. Gloves and trail tools will be provided.

### Monday, April 29

**Nature Hike to Suter Falls**—Join Ranger Dan Wescoat at 9 a.m. at Collins West trailhead, Gruetli-Laager, for a roughly 2-mile roundtrip hike to see beautiful Suter Falls. On the way back you will make a quick detour to a beautiful overlook just past the Collins West campsite, through some tough footing, with some boulder crossings and slippery areas of the trail included.

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| Thu | April 04 | 67 | 51 |
| Fri | April 05 | 67 | 50 |
| Sat | April 06 | 74 | 58 |
| Sun | April 07 | 63 | 58 |

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**THE SEWANEE COMMUNITY CENTER** is coordinating the community-wide yard sales to be held on Saturday, April 27, 8 a.m.–1 p.m. **Deadline to register is April 22.** You can participate either by having a sale at your home or joining up with others at the Community Center. To register or for more info email Rachel Petropoulos at <rpetropo@gmail.com>.

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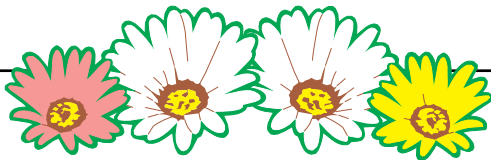


# BARDTOVERSE

by Phoebe Bates

Easter  
Where the path closed  
down and over,  
through the scumbled leaves,  
fallen branches,  
through the knotted catbrier,  
I kept going. Finally  
I could not  
save my arms  
from thorns; soon  
the mosquitoes  
smelled me, hot  
and wounded, and came  
wheeling and whining.  
And that's how I came  
to the edge of the pond:  
black and empty  
except for a spindle  
of bleached reeds  
at the far shore  
which, as I looked,  
wrinkled suddenly  
into three egrets—  
a shower  
of white fire!  
Even half-asleep they had  
such faith in the world  
that had made them—  
tilting through the water,  
unruffled, sure,  
by the laws  
of their faith not logic,  
they opened their wings  
softly and stepped  
over every dark thing.

--Mary Oliver, "Egrets"



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# Community Calendar

## Today, April 19 • Good Friday

FC, GC, MC Schools no classes

SAS classes half day

- 8:30 a.m. Deep Stretch Yoga, Darrylann, Comm Ctr.
- 10 a.m. F@H Tai Ji Quan, Comm Ctr.
- 10 a.m. Game day, Senior Ctr.
- 4:30 p.m. Senior Art Majors art reception, University Gallery
- 5 p.m. Ralston Room, Weyes Blood, until 6 p.m.
- 7 p.m. Easter Egg Decorating, St. Mark's, Otey, until 9 p.m.
- 7:30 p.m. Movie, "Glass," SUT

## Saturday, April 20 • Holy Saturday

- 8:30 a.m. Hearts, Hands, Headwaters cleanup day, meet at Louisiana Circle; meet afterward @ McClurg at noon
- 9 a.m. Decoration of All Saints' Chapel
- 9 a.m. MGT 5K Parkrun, Pearl's parking lot
- 9:30 a.m. Hospitality Shop open, until 1 p.m.
- 9:45 a.m. Free Legal Clinic DuBose; more info call (931) 455-7000
- 3 p.m. Easter Egg Hunt, Harrison Chapel
- 7:30 p.m. Movie, "Glass," SUT

## Sunday, April 21 • Easter Sunday

- 2 p.m. Knitting circle, Mooney's, until 4 p.m.
- 3 p.m. SAS InterAct Club Easter Egg Hunt, St. Andrew's-Sewanee
- 4 p.m. Hatha Yoga, Helen, Comm Ctr.
- 6 p.m. Ralston Room, Wagner, until 7 p.m.
- 7:30 p.m. Movie, "Glass," SUT

## Monday, April 22 • Earth Day

Deadline to register for Community-wide Yard Sale

<rpetropo@gmail.com>

Otey Parish Church offices closed

- 9 a.m. Coffee with Coach, Blue Chair Tavern
- 9 a.m. Diabetes Clinic (1 of 6), FC Senior Ctr, 74 Clover Dr., Winchester
- 9 a.m. Pilates, intermediate, Kim, Fowler Ctr.
- 10:30 a.m. Chair Exercise, Ruth, Senior Ctr.
- 1:30 p.m. Sewanee Garden Club, Priestley, Abbo's Alley (rain location Flynn residence)
- 3 p.m. Ralston Room, Prokofiev, until 4 p.m.
- 4:15 p.m. Lecture, Mollan, Gailor
- 5 p.m. Pilates, Golfers, Kim, Fowler Ctr.
- 5:30 p.m. Yoga, Strength/Healing, Pippa, Comm Ctr.
- 6 p.m. Cowan Commercial Club meeting, 104 E. Cumberland St., Cowan
- 6 p.m. Karate, youth, Legion Hall; adults, 7 p.m.
- 6 p.m. Ralston Room, J Campbell, until 7 p.m.
- 7 p.m. Ralston Room, Eilish, until 8 p.m.
- 7:30 p.m. Theatre/Sewanee, "The Aliens," Tennessee Williams Studio Theatre
- 8 p.m. Ralston Room, Khalid, until 9 p.m.

## Tuesday, April 23

- 8 a.m. Godly Play/PMO, Otey, until 10:30 a.m. <oteyformation@gmail.com>
- 8:30 a.m. Deep Stretch Yoga, Darrylann, Comm Ctr.
- 9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m.
- 9 a.m. Pilates, beginners, Kim, Fowler Ctr.
- 9:30 a.m. Hospitality Shop open, until 1 p.m.
- 10 a.m. F@H Tai Ji Quan, Comm Ctr.
- 10:30 a.m. Bingo, Senior Ctr.
- 11:30 a.m. EQB luncheon, St. Mary's Sewanee
- 11:30 a.m. GC Rotary, Dutch Maid Bakery
- Noon Pilates, intermediate, Kim, Fowler Ctr.
- 12:30 p.m. F@H Grief Recovery intro session, 39 Ball Park Rd.
- 5 p.m. Sewanee Utility District meeting, Utility office
- 5:30 p.m. FCDW, 201 Kentucky Ave., Sewanee
- 6 p.m. Ralston Room, Classic Rock, until 8 p.m.
- 6:30 p.m. Ballroom dance, beginners, Valerie, Comm Ctr.; intermediate, 7:30 p.m.
- 7 p.m. Acoustic Jam, Water Bldg., Tracy City
- 7 p.m. Ralston Room, Jazz, until 8 p.m.
- 7 p.m. Sewanee Spoken Word, Blue Chair
- 7:30 p.m. Theatre/Sewanee, "The Aliens," Tennessee Williams Studio Theatre

## Wednesday, April 24

- 8 a.m. TKP clothing sale benefitting CAC, Women's Ctr., until 6 p.m.
- 9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m.
- 9 a.m. Pilates, intermediate, Kim, Fowler Ctr.
- 10 a.m. Joseph's Remodeling Open House, 1244 W. Main St., Monteagle, until 6 p.m.
- 10 a.m. Senior Writing Group, Sherwood Rd.
- 10:30 a.m. Chair Exercise, Ruth, Senior Ctr.
- 11:30 a.m. EQB luncheon, St. Mary's Sewanee
- Noon Olivier Know interviews Bob Corker,

Guerry; Q&A follows

- 5 p.m. Pilates for Tennis, Kim, Fowler Ctr.
- 5 p.m. Ralston Room, Chamber Music, until 6 p.m.
- 5 p.m. Suicide Survivors of Sewanee, Brooks Hall, Otey
- 5:30 p.m. Hatha Yoga, Helen, Comm Ctr.
- 6 p.m. Ralston Room, Luiz Bonfa, until 7 p.m.
- 6:30 p.m. Catechumenate, dinner, Women's Center
- 7 p.m. Thirst for Knowledge, Fielding, Blue Chair
- 7 p.m. Concert, University Jazz Ensemble, St. Luke's Chapel
- 7:30 p.m. SAS Spring Concert, (free) McCrory Hall
- 7:30 p.m. Movie, "Florida Project," (CG, free), SUT
- 8 p.m. Ralston Room, Bill Evans, until 9 p.m.

## Thursday, April 25

Scholarship Sewanee

- 8 a.m. Monteagle-Sewanee Rotary, Hille, St. Mary's Sewanee (note location change)
- 9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m.
- 9 a.m. Nature Journaling, Spencer Rm 173
- 9:30 a.m. Hospitality Shop open, until 1 p.m.
- 10 a.m. Tai Chi, Kathleen, intermed., Comm Ctr.
- 11 a.m. Tai Chi, Kathleen, advanced, Comm Ctr.
- 1 p.m. F@H Caregivers Group, St. Mark's, Otey
- 2 p.m. Knitting circle, Mooney's, until 4 p.m.
- 3:30 p.m. Tutoring, K-5, St. James, until 5 p.m.
- 4 p.m. Ralston Room, Prokofiev, until 5 p.m.
- 4:30 p.m. Scholarship Sewanee talk, Milam, Gailor
- 5:30 p.m. Trustee Community Relations Reception, American Legion Hall
- 5:45 p.m. Zumba, Veronica, SAS Theatre (\$7)
- 6 p.m. Karate, youth, Legion Hall; adults, 7 p.m.
- 6 p.m. Ralston Room, Truckers, until 7 p.m.
- 6:30 p.m. Reversing Diabetes Seminar, (session 3 of 6), Smoke House, (989) 488-8771 or <acheney1947@att.net> info/to register
- 7 p.m. Upcycled Fashion Show, TN Wms Ctr
- 7:30 p.m. Movie, "Isn't It Romantic?" SUT

## Friday, April 26

School of Theology last day of classes

- 8:30 a.m. Deep Stretch Yoga, Darrylann, Comm Ctr.
- 9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m.
- 9 a.m. Senior honors art talks, Convo Hall
- 10 a.m. F@H Tai Ji Quan, Comm Ctr.
- 10 a.m. Game day, Senior Ctr.
- 11 a.m. Art reception, SAS Gallery, until 1 p.m.
- Noon Spinal Spa, Kim, Fowler Ctr
- 1 p.m. Scholarship Sewanee McCrady lecture, Srinivasan, Blackman Auditorium
- 5 p.m. Art reception, Gay, Artisan Depot
- 5 p.m. Ralston Room, Eddie Floyd, until 6 p.m.
- 7 p.m. Theatre/Sewanee "Dreamin' on a Starry Night," Tennessee Williams Studio Theatre
- 7:30 p.m. Movie, "Isn't It Romantic?," SUT

## Local 12-Step Meetings

### Friday

- 7 p.m. AA, open, Christ Church, Tracy City

### Saturday

- 7:30 p.m. NA, open, Decherd United Methodist
- 7:30 p.m. AA, open, Claiborne Parish House, Otey

### Sunday

- 6:30 p.m. AA, open, Holy Comforter, Monteagle

### Monday

- 5 p.m. Women's 12-step, Brooks Hall, Otey
- 7 p.m. AA, open, Christ Church, Tracy City

### Tuesday

- 7 p.m. AA, open, First Baptist, Altamont
- 7:30 p.m. AA, open, Claiborne Parish House, Otey

### Wednesday

- 10 a.m. AA, closed, Clifftops, (931) 924-3493
- 7 p.m. NA, open, Decherd United Methodist
- 7:30 p.m. AA, open, Holy Comforter, Monteagle

### Thursday

- 6 p.m. Al-Anon, Morton Memorial, Wesley House, Monteagle
- 7 p.m. Al-Anon, First UMC, Winchester

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