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Grace Zechman (No. 20) broke the school record for assists with nine last Wednesday (shown passing to Hattie Fogarty No. 15) and added three more versus Oglethorpe on Sunday. For more sports, go to page 15. Photo by Lyn

## Chernicky's Sculpture Selected for the Old Roundhouse Park Competition

by Bailey Basham, Messenger Staff Writer

Jamey Chernicky has lived in the area for what seems like forever. He went to the James K. Shook School in Tracy City, and has lived on the Mountain for 50 years.

In March, the Grundy Area Arts Council (GAAC) and Mountain Goat Trail Alliance announced that Chernicky's submission for the Old Roundhouse Park & Mountain Goat Trail Sculpture Competition had been selected for construction.

The "Forged Track Park Bench" will be fabricated from railroad track from the Tracy City park area and weathered-treated lumber. The contour of the seat and back were traced from a pre-1890 school desk

onto plywood to begin the concept drawing.

Chernicky said his inspiration came from his roots—the history of his home and what he was taught by his family.

"I was taught from an early age not to waste and to repurpose materials when possible," he said. "That, and using materials and techniques that I haven't seen before are the main inspirations for this sculpture design."

Chernicky began metal sculpting in 1996 and was invited to sell his creations at Cheekwood in Bloom.

Christi Teasley of the GAAC said it is important to the council for the community to be involved.

"Any time you're working with public art, you're going to want to have some stakeholders involved with the decision making so they have some ownership," she said. "We're hoping to do sculptures throughout the trail in the future."

The unveiling of the sculpture is scheduled for June of this year, and Chernicky said he's well on his way. He had a third of the sculpture completed before the application was even sent.

"The rail iron is split with an acetylene torch, heated red hot and pulled mechanically around the jig which was created specifically for this project. There will be 48 individual bends, all of which have to match," he said. "A lot of thought and effort goes into everything I do, and I'm honored to have the chance to be a part of such great effort to improve our Mountain and to share our heritage.'



This is the first piece of the bench Jamey Chernicky made before he sent his application to the sculpture contest.

## Village Updates

by Leslie Lytle Messenger Staff Writer

Two years ago Frank Gladu who oversees the Sewanee Village project made a promise "not to cut my beard until we build something." Gladu will soon get to cut his beard. At the April 2 Sewanee Village update meeting, Gladu announced the long-awaited groundbreaking for the new bookstore momentum initiatives, narrowing U.S. Hwy. 41A and construction of a mixed-use grocery and apart-

ment building.

"The bookstore underwent a redesign to conform to the budget," Gladu said. Abandoning the double-gable design, the smaller footprint building is L-shaped with two stories, which saved money by avoiding dealing with the drop off in back, according to Gladu. The site will offer 12 parking spaces.

The bookstore groundbreaking is scheduled for 1:30 p.m., April 13. "Groundbreaking isn't building, though," Gladu pointed out. He'll wait to cut his beard until the foundation is poured.

Turning to other Village initiatives, Gladu said the Tennessee Department of Transportation (TDOT) has finalized the design for narrowing U.S. Hwy. 41A for the half-mile stretch between Kennerly Road and Kentucky Avenue. A recent development in the highway project resulted in TDOT incorporating the Mountain Goat Trail into the design. The Mountain Goat Trail Alliance lobbied TDOT, citing state legislation that provided for including multimodal trails in highway projects. The trail will be extended for several blocks through the center of the Village.

Asked about the inspiration for narrowing the highway Gladu explained, "We want to make it less of a highway and more of a city street by calming traffic."

'Narrowing the highway worked to calm traffic in Monteagle," observed longtime resident Lynn Stubblefield.

Narrowing the highway will allow for six-foot sidewalks and sixfoot planting strips on both sides. There will also be a pedestrian activated crosswalk. The University will bear financial responsibility for the actual plantings, any additional lighting needed, and relocating

utilities, if necessary.

The highway will continue to have two left turn lanes, and the right turn lane coming from Monteagle at the downtown intersection will be eliminated, Gladu said. The University hopes TDOT will decide to lower the speed limit from 35 mph to 25 mph. TDOT will hold a public meeting on the design after it is presented to the county.

The problem with change is it's hard for drivers to keep up with," insisted a concerned resident, who objected to eliminating turn lanes and the lower speed limit.

Updating the group on the mixed-use grocery and apartment uilding under design by BP Con-

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## **Two Different Contractors Will Build** Middle Schools

by Leslie Lytle, Messenger Staff Writer

At the March 29 meeting, the Franklin County School Board selected Biscan Construction to build the new North Middle School and Southland Constructors to build South Middle School. Of the five contractors bidding, three bid on both schools, Southland among them. The bids by R. G. Anderson and Barton Malow Construction offered a discounted price if awarded the contract for both schools. The combined bid from the contractors selected, \$40,588,200, was nearly a million dollars less along with reviewing other high than the next lowest bidder, Barton Malow, even after taking the discount into account.

Biscan's \$20,258,500 bid includes HVAC for the Huntland School gym, as requested in the bid package. The County Commission allocated \$48 million for construction of the middle schools.

"It's good not to be up against the wall," said Construction Manager Gary Clardy who pointed out unforeseen costs could arise. Clardy also noted the bids didn't include \$1.8 million for the design and \$4 million earmarked for technology.

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English majors leave the comps rejoicing on March 30. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

## Rosanne Cash in Concert

The eldest daughter of country music icon Johnny Cash, Rosanne Cash carries on the family legacy in the best way possible: with her own unique voice and approach, and a timeless and supremely poetic mixture of country, folk, gospel, pop, blues, Americana and jazz. Along with husband and songwriting partner John Leventhal, Cash summons the spirit of the American South in all its rich history, heartache, joy,

Cash and John Leventhal will perform at the University of the South at 7:30 p.m., Friday, April 5, in Guerry Auditorium. Advance tickets are available from 11 a.m.-3 p.m. weekdays in Guerry Hall, room 129. Tickets for the public are \$20; payment can be by cash or check made out to the Sewanee Performing Arts Series. Tickets are free for University students, faculty, and staff with Sewanee ID. Please call (931) 598-1225 with questions about tickets.

Cash's newest album, "She Remembers Everything," is a poetic and soulful collection of songs that reckon with a flawed and fragile world. It follows Cash's triple-Grammy winning 2014 album The River & the Thread and marks a return to more personal songwriting after a trio of albums that explored her southern roots and family heritage. "There is a woman's real life, complex experiences and layered understanding in these songs," Cash said. "I could not have written them 10 years ago—not even close. Time is shorter, I have more to say."

The concert is possible thanks to funding from the Performing Arts Series and the Stowe Family Endowment for Traditional Music.

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## Letters

#### **SEWANEE NO MORE**

#### To the Editor:

Being a true Sewanee native I years to Sewanee and the Univerand two upcoming changes fall into the latter. The natural beauty of Green's View has been destroyed by the construction of an island surrounded by massive rocks placed LIFELONG LEARNING in the middle of the parking lot. One can no longer drive up to the edge of the view and enjoy it from the confines of their auto. The wooden fence interferes with the view and even blocks the view from one of the stone benches which has been there for decades. On Parents' Weekend kids were sitting on top of the fence, which is just an accident waiting to happen.

The construction of the cell tower at the stadium will be an eyesore and a safety issue due to the radiation. It doesn't belong at the South's oldest football stadium.

The last upcoming change is extremely personal and upsetting, the destruction of the house next to the post office. It was my grandmother's home and was built in the late 1920s or early 1930s. I have many fond memories as a kid playing in and around the house. I have been on numerous campuses and the bookstores were always in the middle of campus. That is where this one should remain.

Earlier plans even called for the construction of a building in front of the American Legion Hall. That opinion, is an excellent embodi-

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was so disrespectful to all veterans. Fortunately it was stopped by a concerned member of the Women's

the village. I despise that term. have seen many changes over the These changes are being made by people I refer to as outsiders. In a sity. These changes have been both good and bad. One recent change nize Sewanee. Sewanee will truly be no more.

Stephen Cardwell, Sewanee

## THANK-YOU

#### To the Editor:

Although we offered our thanks personally, the Program Committee at Sewanee Seminars-Lifelong Learning wish to offer additional free tax return. thanks to Russell Fielding who spoke to a large gathering at Lower Cravens on March 7. He spoke on "The Wake of the Whale: Hunter Societies in the Caribbean and the 1099, etc.), dividend and inter-North Atlantic." Although the subject was not in everyone's daily vernacular, the talk drew a large audience. They were not disappointed. numbers for direct deposit (found Fielding illustrated his research (now a Harvard Press book) with wonderful graphics of his travels (many with Sewanee students) to St. Vincent and the Faroe Islands along with recounts of difficulties melding into these cultures for an "on the ground" capture of this long standing hunter societies. A multitude of questions followed the lecture. Fielding left soon thereafter on a lecture tour at universities in BetterFi, 9933 SR-56, Coalmont. England and Ireland, highlighting this particular subject. He, in my

ment of a Sewanee academic ambassador.

Lifelong Learning has featured almost 100 speakers during the last The lower part of Sewanee has 9 years and this talk (and delivery always been called downtown, not technique) stands out as truly

> Stephen Burnett, Sewanee

## Free Income Tax Prep

The IRS-certified Sewanee Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) Program has three more sessions to process and file qualifying residents' income taxes. Any resident of Franklin, Grundy, or Marion counties who makes less than \$55,000 a year qualifies for a

Each resident interested in filing must bring proof of identification (a photo ID), social security cards, est statements, birth dates of the resident(s) and dependent(s), and banking account and routing on a blank check).

Go to <a href="https://www.betterfi.co/">https://www.betterfi.co/</a> vita> to sign up for your appointment or for more information.

Thursday, April 11, 12:30-2:30 p.m., BetterFi, 9933 SR-56, Coal-

Saturday, April 13, 11 a.m.-4 p.m., Franklin County Library, 105 S. Porter St., Winchester;

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## Sewanee Fourth of July Call for Volunteers

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.

It takes many volunteers to pull off the day of festivities, and we have a few committee openings available. A parade committee member is needed to help the current committee members with planning and day-of hands-on assistance with organizing parade entrants. The second volunteer opportunity is to coordinate and run the children's games, and this person will need many helpers. Both positions come with support and guidance from current and past committee members. Contact Ĵade 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. Join us to plan the best day of the year in Sewanee.

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

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

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## **Letters to the Editor**

must have some relationship to our community. We do not accept letters on national topics from individuals who live outside our print circulation area. Please include your name, address and a daytime telephone number with your letter. You may mail it to us at Sewanee Mountain Messenger, P.O. Box 296, Sewanee, TN 37375, come by our office, 418 St. Mary's Ln., or send your email to <news@sewaneemes-

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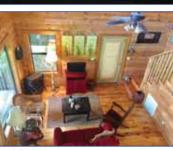


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## **Upcoming Meetings**

#### 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 8, with University of the South rugby coach, Daniel Carter. Gather at the Blue Chair Tavern for free coffee and conversation.

#### International P.E.O. Sisterhood

The April meeting of Chapter Z Tennessee of the International P.E.O. Sisterhood will at 10 a.m., Tuesday, April 9. All unaffiliated Members of the P.E.O. Sisterhood who are in the Middle Tennessee area are welcome to attend. Call (931) 962-0202 for more information.

#### **Laurel Lake Garden Club**

The Laurel Lake Garden Club will meet Tuesday, April 9 at 10 a.m. for a tour of the Silver Bait LLC company in Coalmont. Following the meeting, the group will meet for lunch at Papa Ron's restaurant in Monteagle. Members of the Laurel Lake Club help to take care of planting and weeding at Horton Park through out the year and have donated \$80 to the town of Monteagle for the Easter Egg Hunt in the park to be held on Saturday, April 6.

#### La Leche League

The next meeting of the La Leche League, which provides breastfeeding support and information for new mothers, will be at 10:30 a.m., Tuesday, April 9, at the Sewanee Community Center, 39 Ball Park Rd. All pregnant women, mothers and babies are welcome. For more information call Pippa, (931) 463-2050.

#### **EQB Meetings**

Members of the EQB Club will gather at 11:30 a.m., Wednesday, April 10, at St. Mary's Sewanee. Lunch will be served at noon. Following lunch, approximately 12:30 p.m., we will have the pleasure of a Lead from Sue Herrick titled "Vanatu-Small Country, Big Heart." Interested non-members are welcome to arrive at 12:30 p.m. and sit in on the presentation.

#### **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 11, at the Sewanee Inn. Margaret Matens will give the presentation on "Youth-Environmental Education."

#### **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>.

#### **American Legion**

American Legion Post 51 will meet at 9 a.m. Saturday, April 13, in the Legion Hall on University Avenue in Sewanee.

#### **Sewanee Book Club**

The Sewanee Book Club will meet at 1:30 p.m., Monday, April 15. Jane Flynn will host the meeting in her home and Sally Hubbard will lead the discussion about "Manhattan Beach" by Jennifer Eagon. For more information or directions please contact Debbie Racka <debbie811123@gmail.com> (931) 692-6088 or Flournoy Rogers <semmesrogers@gmail.com>, (931) 598-0733.

#### **STHP Meeting**

The Sewanee Trust for Historic Preservation (STHP) meets at 4 p.m., Monday, April 15, in the Otey Adult Education Room. The public is invited.

#### Franklin County Commission

The Franklin County Commissioners are scheduled to meet at 7 p.m., Monday, April 15, at the Franklin County Courthouse.

#### Franklin County Democratic Meeting

The monthly meeting date and time was changed to the third Tuesday beginning at 5:30 p.m. Location for April 16 and program is to be announced. The Franklin County Democratic Women will meet next on April 23 in Sewanee at 5:30 p.m., with a discussion of the Green New Deal in celebration of Earth Week.

### Franklin County Republican Women Meeting

The FCRW monthly meeting will be at the Oasis Restaurant in Winchester, on Thursday, April 18. Lunch will begin at 11 a.m. with the meeting beginning at 11:30 a.m.

#### **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.

#### **Community Council**

The next meeting of the Community Council is scheduled for 7 p.m., Monday, May 20, at the Sewanee Senior Citizens' Center. Monday, April 22, is reserved as a possible meeting date. If there are any items for discussion that cannot wait until May, please submit them to the Provost's office by noon, on Wednesday, April 10.

## FCDW Rummage Sale

The Franklin County Democratic Women will host a rummage sale from 8 a.m.-2 p.m., Saturday, April 6, at Franklin County Annex Community Room, 839 Dinah Shore Blvd., Winchester.

Please look around your house for anything no longer used or no longer "sparks joy" and drop off gently used items on Friday, April 5 between 1–8 p.m., or contact a member anytime before the sale. Volunteers are needed to assist with this sale. Please contact Louise Carrington (931) 703-1043 < klcarr321@comcast.net>) if you can help or if you have items to donate. People may also drop off items with Sandy Rice in Sewanee. Call (678) 613-5574 for more information.

## Big Workday at the Swiss **Farm**

In preparation for the annual Swiss Celebration in Gruetli-Laager, there will be a workday. Meet at 10 a.m., Saturday, April 13, at the Stoker-Stampfli Farm for repairs, clean up, and maintenance.

Call Jackie Lawley for questions and more information at (931) 235-3029. Bring a lunch and stay with us all day.

# Spring Workday in the Park

There will be a workday in the Park, starting at 9:30 a.m., Saturday, April 27, in downtown Cowan.

Let's get Cowan ready for a beautiful spring and summer season. Bring your gloves, tools, and ideas so that our park and museum area will show our town pride. We will meet at 9:30 a.m. in front of the log cabin and will dispatch teams from there. If you or your church group have a project you want to tackle, please send a post to us at <visitcowan@gmail.com>.

## **University Job Opportunities**

Exempt Positions: Admission Counselor/Assistant Director of Admission, Admission; Director, Advancement Services, University Advancement; Director, Student Accessibility Services, Student Life Administration; German Co-Curricular Activities Director, German Department; Sustainability Program Manager, Stewardship and Sustainability.

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For more information call (931) 598-1381. Apply at <jobs.sewanee.

## Monthly Health Care **Services** at Morton Memorial

St. Thomas Health will be providing medical services every second Saturday of the month in their Mobile Medical Van at Morton Memorial UMC in Monteagle. The next service is 9 a.m.-1 p.m., Saturday, April 13.

St. Thomas's medical outreach program is to provide medical services to those who do not have insurance or are underinsured. Their medical staff will provide routine physicals, well-child care exams, immunizations, and sick visits for chronic and acute illnesses. St. Thomas partners with RX Outreach to provide free prescriptions as needed and those prescriptions will be mailed to the patient's home address. They are not able to provide prescriptions for pain medications.

The ministry will coincide with Morton's monthly food ministry distribution. Please note that anyone in the community is eligible for these medical services. It is not required that anyone be a Food Ministry recipient to receive these services. For more information, please contact Reverend Jodi McCullah at Morton Memorial UMC or Karen Noffsinger at (931) 636-8474. Morton Memorial UMC is located at 322 W. Main St., Monteagle.

## Easter Egg Hunts

There will be an Easter Egg Hunt at 10 a.m., Saturday, April 6, in Harton Park, Monteagle.

On Saturday, April 13, from 2-4 p.m., there will be an Easter Egg Hunt at St. James Midway Community Park.

## 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.

## Preventing and Reversing **Diabetes** Seminar

A Preventing and Reversing Diabetes Seminar begins on April 11, at the Smoke House Restaurant, Monteagle. This is a six week program every Thursday from 6:30-8 p.m. There will be lectures, weigh-ins, blood pressure checks and food tasting. The cost is \$40, which includes two books and two booklets. A limited number of scholarships are available upon request. For more information and to register, contact Becki Cheney at (989) 488-8771, or email <acheney1947@att.net>.

## **Diabetes** Clinic

The Franklin County Senior Citizens is holding a free six-week diabetes program. The program will be 9-10:30 a.m., April 22, April 29, May 6, May 13, May 20 and May 22, at 74 Clover Dr., Winchester. For more information and to register call (931) 967-9853.



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#### Sara Treadwell Dudney

Sara Treadwell Dudney, age 84, died peacefully on March 28, 2019. She was boron on Oct. 9, 1934, in Jacksonville, Fla., to former University registrar Rainsford Fairbanks Glass Dudney and former University Director of Development Rev. Thomas Earl Dudney. Her great-grandfather was Maj. George Rainsford Fairbanks, a lay founder of the University. She grew up living in Rebel's Rest. She served in the Sewanee Pink Ribbon Society, Fortnightly Club, as Assistant Editor of Sewanee Review Quarterly, and sang in the Otey choir and Sewanee Chorale. She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Lee Edward Ham; and sister, Rainsford Dudney Lynch.

She is survived by sons, Thomas Dudney Ham of Atlanta, Ga., Lee Edward (Donna) Ham of Oldsmar, Fla., John Ham (Melissa) Fairbanks of Columbus, Ind., and James Ham (Trisha) Treadwell of Los Angeles, Calif.; eight grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and one goddaughter.

A service in celebration of her life will be 3 p.m. on April 6 at Four Seasons Chapel, Columbus, Ind., with the Rev. Marc Vance officiating. A local service will be nois, to James Elson and Geraldine at 1 p.m. on Saturday, May 4, in Mitchell Gregory. All Saints' Chapel with the Rev. Thomas Macfie officiating. A reception will follow, with interment

in the University Cemetery. to the Kanuga Conference Cen- several other cousins and friends. ter Memorial in honor of Sara Treadwell Dudney, 130 Kanuga Chapel Dr., Hendersonville, NC 28739. For complete obituary and to leave online condolences for the go to <www.moorecortner.com>. family go to <br/>barkesweaverglick. com>.

#### **Berry Eugene Gipson**

Berry Eugene Gipson,age 80 of Decherd, died on April 1,2019, at Elk River Health and Rehabilitation of Winchester. He was born on July 26, 1938, in Sewanee, to Erskine Berry Gipson and Hattie popular music stars in Nashville, Marie Gudger Gipson. He was a to creating buildings as a licensed descendent of two original land contractor throughout the U.S. and donors to the University domain, Allen Gipson and Henry Garner. He was a U.S. Marine Corp. Veteran, a member of Greenhaw Baptist Church, and a retired employee Christie LaVoie of Cedar Key, Fla., of Duck River Electric Corpora- Mary Margaret LaVoie of Mantion. He loved the outdoors and chester, Tenn., Annie (Josh) Parrish especially enjoyed working on his and Jodee (Dillard) LaVoie-Woodtractor and with his cattle. He was preceded in death by his parents; Myers, Fla. and Blake Longacre sister, Betty Ann Gipson; and brother Wayne Gipson.

He is survived by his wife of 52 years, Georgia Taylor Gipson of Decherd; daughters, Cathy Lynn Gonyea of Winchester and Patti Wilkerson of Decherd; brothers James E. and Richard D. FL 32680. Gipson, both of Sewanee; six grandchildren, and three greatgrandchildren.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. today, Friday, April 5, from the Moore-Cortner Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Donald Gregory, the Rev. Kevin Murphy and the Rev. John Gipson officiating. Interment with military honors will follow in Franklin Memorial Gardens, Winchester. For complete obituary go to <www. moorecortner.com>.

#### Mary Sherrill Gipson

Mary Sherrill Gipson, age 63 of Winchester, died on March 28, 2019, at Southern Tennessee Re-

gional Health System, Winchester. She was born on March 6, 1956, in Sewanee, to James William and Cleo Dotson Sherrill. She worked with Southern Tennessee Regional sister Darla Sherrill; and brother dom acts of kindness. Clea Sherrill.

Paul Collis Gipson; brother James Galon (Cindy) Sherrill of Alto; sisters Brenda (Doug) Woodard of Winchester, Janice Sherrill, Susie Henly, Cathy Sherrill and Tracie Sherrill, all of Sewanee; eight brothers- and sisters-in law and their spouses, and many nieces and nephews.

Memorial services were on March 31 from the Cumberland Funeral Home chapel. Interment of ashes will be in Eastern Star Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, please make a donation to any cancer research foundation or any charity that helps sick children. For complete obituary go to <www. cumberlandfuneralhome.net>.

#### William Michael Gregory

William ("Sput") Michael Gregory, age 56 of Winchester, died on March 30, 2019, at his home. He was born on June 15, 1962, in Illi-

He is survived by his cousins, George and Vera Mitchell of Cowan, Chris and Ashley Mitchell of Estill Springs, and Kristy and Memorials may be designated Eric Stewman of Huntland, and

> Graveside services were on April 3 at Eastern Star Cemetery, Sewanee, with the Rev. L.Z. Johnson officiating. For complete obituary

#### Roger Edmund LaVoie

Roger Edmund ("Bunky") LaVoie, age 78 of Winter Haven, Fla., died on March 25, 2019, at his home. His career reflected his many talents, from writing for a New York City advertising agency, to songwriting for country and Caribbean islands with his brother Blake. He was writing a novel when he died.

He is survived by daughters, all; brothers, Kent LaVoie of Ft. of Clearwater, Fla.; former wife, Susan Hamilton LaVoie of Nashville, and four grandchildren.

A celebration of his life will be from 2–5 p.m. on April 20, 2019 at the Suwannee River Bend RV Park, U.S. Hwy. 19, Old Town,

#### **Cynthia Sanborn Smith** Putnam

Cynthia Sanborn Smith Putnam, age 82, died on March 12, 2019, at her home in Covington, La. She was born on Aug. 25, 1936, to Cynthia Sanborn Ware and Charles Magill Smith. Her career as a public health nurse in Metairie La., included several medical mission trips with Trinity Church to South America. She was an active advocate for human and animal rights on large and small scales. She was preceded in death by husband Gorham Joseph Putnam.

She is survived by husband Calhoun Winton of Sewanee;

daughters, Rosamond and Meredyth (Christoffer); sisters, Meredith Ramsey and Tamar Gamble; death by his parents, Eunice Tucker stepsons, Will Winton of Sewanee Summers and Jake L. Summers; and Jay (Peggy) Winton, four and brothers Wilbern Jake Sumgrandchildren, a number of nieces and nephews, cousins, and in-laws.

Her memory may be honored by a donation to Best Friends Animal Sanctuary or The Community Action Committee of Otey Parish Church; or by patting a cat or dog, leaving a big tip for a service worker, Health System for 42 years. She was participating in an act of political preceded in death by her parents; engagement, or performing ran-

A service in celebration of her She is survived by her husband, life is planned for later in the year in Sewanee.

#### **David Leon Summers**

David Leon Summers, age 77 of Dallas, Ga., died on March 21, 2019, at his home. He was born in Sherwood, served in the U.S. Army

and U.S. Army Reserves from 1963-1969. He was preceded in mers, Luke Samuel Summers and James Campbell Summers.

He is survived by his sisters, Selma Jean Power of Dallas, Ga., Bonnie Sue (James) Weaver of Tyler, Texas, Debra Louise (Fred) Bedell of Lake City, Fla., Nancy Jeanetta (Steve) Summers of Sherwood, and Barbara Jean (Gerald) Ballenger of Ft. Payne, Ala.; brothers Bewis "Wayne" (Sidney) Summers of Danielville, Ga., and William Lee Summers of Stevenson, Ala.; and numerous nieces, nephews and great-nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were on March 27 from Watson-North Funeral Home Chapel. Interment followed <www.watsonnorth.com>.

# Church News

#### All Saints' Chapel

There will be a Taizé Service at p.m., Friday, April 5, in St. Luke's Chapel.

Growing in Grace continues Sunday, April 7, at 6:30 p.m. in All Saints' Chapel. Lauren Goodpaster, assistant dean for Campus Life, will be sharing her reflections with us. This informal worship service is designed for students and community members, featuring student-led acoustic music, a different guest speaker each week, and Holy Communion. This semester, each of our speakers will meditate on the theme in Mountain View Cemetery, Sher- of Moving Mountains. Inspired by wood. For complete obituary go to Matthew 17:20, "...if you have faith

(Continued on page 6)

## Church Calendar

#### Weekday Services April 5–12

7:30 a.m. Morning Prayer, Otey

7:30 a.m. Morning Prayer, St. Mary's Convent (not M) 8 a.m. Holy Eucharist, St. Mary's Convent (not M)

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

9 a.m. Mass, Good Shepherd, Decherd (T/Th/F) 1:30 a.m. Prayer/Healing, Morton Memorial (1st/3rd Th)

Noon Contemplative Eucharist and Healing, Chapel, St. Mary's Sewanee (T) 6 p.m. Evening Service
Noon Stations of the Cross, St. Mary's Convent Monteagle First Baptist Church

(Fridays during Lent) 12:15 p.m. Lenten Eucharist/Healing, Otey

12:25 p.m. Lenten Eucharist, St. Augustine's (M–F) 3:30 p.m. Centering Prayer, St. Mary's Sewanee (T) 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) 5 p.m. Stations of the Cross, Christ Church Alto

7 p.m. Centering Prayer, St. Paul's, Otey (M) 7 p.m. Community Fellowship Service, Harrison Chapel Church (Monday, 4/8)

7 p.m. Spanish Mass, Good Shepherd, Decherd

#### Saturday, April 6

10 a.m. Sabbath School, Monteagle Seventh Day Adventist

11 a.m. Worship Service, Monteagle Seventh Day Adventist

5 p.m. Mass, Good Shepherd, Decherd

#### Sunday, April 7 • CAC Pantry Sunday

All Saints' Chapel 8 a.m. Holy Eucharist 11a.m. Holy Eucharist

6:30 p.m. Growing in Grace Bible Baptist Church, Monteagle

10 a.m. Worship Service

5:30 p.m. Evening Service

Chapman Chapel Church of the Nazarene, Pelham Tracy City First Baptist Church

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

Christ Church, Monteagle 10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist 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

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 a.m. Mass 2 p.m. Spanish Mass **Grace Fellowship Church** 

10:30 a.m. Sunday School/Worship Service Harrison Chapel Methodist Church

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

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. Holy Eucharist 9:45 a.m. Adult Forum, Godly Play

11 a.m. Holy 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 I 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

8 a.m. Holy Eucharist 5 p.m. Evensong

9:45 a.m. Sunday

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 10

6 a.m. Morning Prayer, Cowan Fellowship 9 a.m. Communion, Good Shepherd, Decherd

10 a.m. Bible Study, Sewanee C.P. Church 5 p.m. KAs/Bible study/meal, Monteagle First

**Baptist** 5:30 p.m. Evening Prayer, St. James, Midway;

book study, soup and bread follow (Lent) 5:30 p.m. Evening Worship, Bible Baptist, Monteagle 5:45 p.m. Youth Bible study/meal, Monteagle First

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 p.m. Adult Formation, Epiphany, Sherwood

7 p.m. Bible study, Chapman's Chapel, Pelham 7 p.m. Evening Worship, Tracy First Baptist

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BLUFF - MLS 1994448 - 294 Jackson Point Rd., Sewanee. 20.9 acres. \$299,500



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MLS 202040 - 1204 Gudger Rd., Sewanee. \$139,000



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Pine Dr. 3.22 ac

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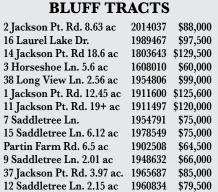
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MLS 1994452 - 24 Overton Ave., Monteagle. \$219,000

MLS 2002714 - 191 S. Carolina Ave., Sewanee. \$439,000



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MLS 1983502 - 174 Carpenter Cir., Sewanee. \$496,000



BLUFF - MLS 2010800 - 1710 Stage Coach Rd., Sewanee. 30 acres. \$695,000

#### Middle Schools (from page 1)

bidders," said Director of Schools fered by other institutions. Stanley Bean.

and reputable, according to Clardy who has an extensive background in school construction. "We're confident they're good contractors and manageable; we can manage them."

project being a month ahead of schedule. He thanked Assistant concern about the expense. Superintendent Linda Foster, Primary Supervisor Jenny Crabtree, dents can substitute online courses any questions. and Secondary Supervisor Diane Spaulding—"They've taken care scheduling conflict. of a lot for me"-freeing him up to collaborate with Clardy and the

In regular business, the board reviewed three policy changes School Board Association (TSBA). The board approved amending the Tobacco Free Schools Policy to strengthen the language forbidding electronic cigarettes and amendnotification protocol in instances

The revised Promotion and Retention Policy stipulates parents auto mechanics. must be notified by February 1. The date, assessment, medical and other pertinent circumstances.

The board took issue with some of the provisions of the new Alter- a working session to discuss the Committee (CAC). Please drop native Credit Options Policy, which 2020-2021 budget. The board's

"We selected the lowest and best school credit for online courses of the size of a mustard seed, you will

The policy stipulates the state here to there,' and it will move; Both companies are experienced will provide a list of approved and nothing will be impossible for Course Access Programs. "For any you." Our speakers will consider courses we don't offer, a student can take as many courses as they want move mountains. Together, we from the list. The schools system will reflect on times that our own will be required to pay for the first mustard seed-sized faiths have Bean credited his staff for the two courses," explained Board been catalysts for growth, grati-Chair Cleijo Walker. She expressed tude, and love in our communities

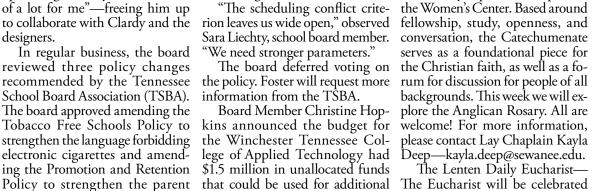
> The policy also stipulates stufor classroom courses if they have a

The scheduling conflict crite-

certification programs. The top each weekday, during the season picks of the students and parents of Lent beginning at 12:25 p.m. in surveyed were X-ray technician and St. Augustine's Chapel. The service

policy allows exceptions to the notimechanics program has a years make it to your 1 p.m. class or apfication deadline due to enrollment waiting list," Hopkins observed. A decision on how to spend the extra funds is pending.

would allow students to earn high next regular meeting is May 13.



is designed to last 20–25 minutes, "The Shelbyville TCAT auto so that you can take part and still

Church News (from page 4)

say to this mountain, 'Move from

when they have witnessed God

and within ourselves. Email Lay

Chaplain Kayla Deep if you have

The Catechumenate will meet

Wednesday, April 10, at 7 p.m. in

Food Drive—A food drive will be taking place during Lent The board will meet May 6 for to support Community Action your non-perishable food items in the containers that are located in the Narthex.

#### **Cowan Churches**

April 18, Maundy Thursday Service, 6 p.m. at Cowan First Baptist Church, with the Rev. Laban Agisa. Maundy Thursday recalls the Last Supper with Jesus in the Upper Room with the Disciples. The Last Supper is where Jesus gave the new commandment. (The word "maundy" is based on a Latin word that translates to "mandate" or "commandment".)

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 the different events as recorded in

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.

#### **Daughters of the King** Meet April 9

Daughters of the King will meet at 5:30 p.m., Tuesday, April 9, in the parish hall of St. James Episcopal Church in Midway. All women are invited to attend to learn more about the organization, the oldest Order for Lay Women in the Episcopal Church, established in 1855.

#### **Harrison Chapel Church**

On Saturday, April 6, at 2 p.m., there will be a gospel singing and barbeque dinner fundraising event. The fundraiser will help to raise money for sound equipment. All are invited to attend.

Pastor Kyle Lewis and the congregation of Harrison Chapel Church invite everyone to a Community Fellowship Service at 7 p.m. on Monday, April 8. The service will feature Evangelists Bishop Shane Calhoun and Chris Vanallman. Harrison Chapel Church is located at 254 Otter Falls Rd., in the Midway community of Sewanee.

#### **Otey Parish**

This Sunday, April 7, 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. Children psalms and lessons tracing the ages 3-11 are invited to join us in the Godly Play 2 room.

Karen Meridith, Director of the Education for Ministry program at the Beecken Center, will speak and lead a discussion on the year's work at the Adult Forum at Otey on Sunday. Comments and suggestions will be very much welcomed. Coffee and tea will be provided. The Forum meets in St. Mark's Hall of the Otey Parish House.

Wednesdays during Lent, at 6 p.m., Soup and Lenten Series, Julia Gatta's "Life in Christ: Practicing Christian Spirituality," St. Mark's; April 11, 12:15 p.m. Holy Eucharist & Healing Service; 1 p.m. Brown Bag Lenten Series, Brooks Hall.

Thursdays during Lent—April 11, 12:15 p.m. Holy Eucharist & Healing Service; 1 p.m., Brown Bag Lenten Series in Brooks Hall.

Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday in Holy Week, April 15, 16 & 17, Holy Eucharist at 5 p.m.

Maundy Thursday, April 18, Holy Eucharist, Footwashing and Stripping of the Altar, 5 p.m.

#### St. James Episcopal Church

St. James will have a Lenten Program Book Discussion, meeting Wednesday, April 10, at 5:30 p.m., The evening will consist of the following: 5:30 p.m., Evening Prayer in the Church; 6 p.m., simple meal of soup, salad and bread in the Parish Hall; 6:30-7:30 p.m., book discussion, "Falling Upward: A Spirituality for the Two Halves of Life," by Richard Rohr, in the Parish Hall.

Holy Week Schedule:

Palm Sunday, April 14 at 9 a.m., Holy Eucharist, Rite I

Ťenebrae, Wednesday, April 17 at 5:30 p.m.

Maundy Thursday, April 18 at 5:30 p.m.

Community Stations of the Cross, April 19 at noon, begins at Otey Parish and ends at All Saints'

Good Friday Solemn Liturgy, April 19, at 5:30 p.m.

Easter, April 21, at 9 a.m., Holy Eucharist, Rite II with a festival potluck brunch following.

#### St. Mary's Convent

Each Friday during Lent at noon, the Sisters of St. Mary will have Stations of the Cross beginning in the living room area of the convent and ending with a procession to the chapel.

The Sisters will have a Palm Sunday service on April 14 at 8 a.m. On Wednesday in Holy Week, the Tenebrae service will be at 7 p.m. (a very moving 1.5 hour service consisting of chanting of the movement of Holy Week through the Triduum - Maundy Thursday through Holy Saturday). Maundy Thursday liturgy with footwashing will be at 5 p.m., with vigil following. Anyone interested in participating in the vigil can sign up for an hour to keep watch in the garden of repose. 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.

The Sisters of St. Mary are having a quiet day in preparation for Holy Week entitled "Lazarus, Come Out! Reflections on John 11" on Saturday April 13, at St. Mary's Convent. It will be led by New Testament scholar and poet, Bonnie Thurston. She will examine the passage as a play in three acts, each focusing on a different spiritual teaching. In the Orthodox Church the Saturday before Palm Sunday is "Lazarus Saturday." The traditional writing of the icon of the raising of Lazarus will be introduced. As we enter Holy Week, John 11 issues a timeless challenge to awaken us to awareness and aliveness. It encourages us to leave behind what is dead and to respond to Christ's call to liberation. If you would like to register for the quiet day, call the Sisters at (931) 598-0046. Cost is \$50 and lunch is included. All are welcome.



The annual Trails & Trilliums event, set for April 12-14, will feature hikes in the South Cumberland State Park led by State Naturalist Randy Hedgepath. Spaces are still available for many hikes and talks. For those who did not preregister, signups will be held at the DuBose Center in Monteagle beginning at 1 p.m. on April 12. For details visit <www.trailsandtrilliums.org>.





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## **Education Savings Account Bill Troubles School Policy Makers**

by Leslie Lytle, Messenger Staff Writer

Governor Bill Lee's school voucher program that would allocate up to \$7,300 annually to qualifying students who enroll in private schools. The speaker of the house attended the meeting and exercised his option to cast a ballot, voting yes.

bill has made it out of committee," said Franklin County School Board Member Sara Liechty. "Students can get the money even if they don't attend a failing school and aren't from low-income families. A family of five earning \$76,492

According to the Tennessee School Board Association (TSBA), a student attending a high-performing school is eligible for the program as long as the student lives in a district with three or more low performing schools. Davidson, Shelby, Hamilton, Madison and Knox counties qualify, all of which have some excellent schools. The TSBA also notes the family income ceiling at 200 percent free-lunch eligibility makes the program available to middle income families, even though it purports to serve the economically disadvantaged.

The bill caps student participation at 5,000 the first year, increasing by 2,500 students per year for the next four years. The governor plans to budget \$25 million per year to fund the program.

"All the tax payers in the state will be paying for children to attend private schools," Liechty said.

Board Chair Cleijo Walker expressed concern about loss of revenue to schools. Schools will lose Basic Education Program (BEP) funding for each student they lose. "The bill proposes to give the schools who fose students compensation for loss of BEP funding, but only for the first three years. Then what?" Likewise unsettling, the compensatory grant can only be used for school improvements, not curriculum or instructional

private schools choose who to ad- the program.

On March 27, the Tennessee mit. "They aren't required to take legislature House Education Com- special education kids," Walker mittee voted 14-9 to advance the stressed, arguing that this segment Education Savings Account bill, of the student population, which cost more to educate, would remain in the public schools.

Responding to voucher criticism, Lee's plan eliminated spending the funds on homeschooling, but the TSBA noted that the student receiving ESA money 'This is the first time a voucher must enroll in a private school, the money doesn't need to be spent on tuition. Other uses include depositing unspent funds in a savings account for the student's college

> The TSBA expressed concern about the ESA money being allocated pre-expense, rather than on a reimbursement basis. "Other states with ESA programs have experienced rampant fraud," said TSBA attorney Garrett Knisley.

Currently, five states allow some sort of ESA: Arizona, Florida, Mississippi, Tennessee and North Carolina. In Tennessee, the existing program is fairly small, allocating a maximum of \$6,000, and is available only to parents of students tion about the field, share ideas and with certain disabilities.

Disputing the lack of academic accountability, Liechty said, "ESA students will only be tested in math and English, not science, social studies, and civics." Testing in all five areas is required for public school children.

Walker worries the program is poised to expand since several districts are on the cusp of qualifying for inclusion by meeting the three-low-performing schools Sumner counties each have one low performing school. Fayette and Maury counties already have two low performing schools.

Walker's prescription for improving low performing schools— Children need to know you care about them.'

"Don't skim off some of the kids and leave the rest in failing school," Liechtry insisted. "This is a bad direction for the state of Tennessee."

If the ESA bill becomes law, almost one-third of the state's Walker also pointed out that 1,822 schools will be eligible for

## **CAC Pantry Sunday**

Pantry Sunday for the Community Action Committee (CAC) is Sunday, April 7, for participating churches: St. James, Otey, Cumberland Presbyterian and All Saints' Chapel. Please bring your food offerings to conference, I'm going to go to talks Sunday services. The typical bag of groceries includes: rice, beans, pasta, macaroni and cheese, peanut butter, and cans of vegetables, fruit and soup. The cost for a complete bag is less than \$15.

The CAC is an outreach ministry of Otey Parish, with generous support from the Sewanee Community Chest and individuals across the Mountain. For more than 42 years, the CAC has provided food, financial assistance and educational support for persons in the greater Sewanee community. For more information contact the CAC at 598-5927.

## **Village** (from page 1)

struction, Gladu said the 10,000 square footprint structure proposed in the initial village plan would likely be reduced to 7,000 square feet and have two stories instead of three.

After carefully considering the project, BP decided it would be less expensive to build a smaller building and easier to fill the units, Gladu explained. The developers are working on a design with six studio apartments and six single-bedroom apartments on the second floor, a 5,000 square foot food market on the ground floor, and several other retail units.

Gladu anticipates the food market will be two and half to three times the size of the current market. "The food market will offer produce, meat, dairy, everything a regular grocery store has," he said.

University employees are the intended residents for the rental apartments," Gladu said. Gladu pointed out that the only reason the University was involved in offering campus rental units was to assist incoming employees in transitioning to the area.

"BP is pricing out the project to determine their ability to rent and lease the space. They won't build until they have at least 70 percent of the space leased," said Gladu.

Gladu said BP would hold a commercial lease with the University like all other Sewanee businesses. Lease holders must provide the Lease Office with information over prospective subleases, Gladu noted, giving the Lease Office some say about tenants.

## 45th Annual Sewanee Medieval Colloquium

by Bailey Basham, Messenger Staff Writer

of gender.

Topics covered will include

texts of sexual assault and trauma; the origins of the meanings behind

everyday values like the number,

the interval and scale; the contin-

ued lives of medieval spaces and

objects and medieval frameworks

itself provides benefit to those who

present a paper at a conference, you

just rely on the people who happen

your work," he said. "If you put

all the work into the research, you

don't want to end up in a situation

where you do not get feedback or

questions. We have respondents for

each paper who receive the works

guaranteed feedback from someone

The event is open to the public,

Irvin said the event's structure

"Most of the time when you

The 45th annual Sewanee Medieval Colloquium will be hosted medieval documents and their subon April 12 and 13 on the campus of the University of the South.

Founded in 1974, the the twoday event is centered around bringing medieval scholars from across the country to engage in conversatest new work.

The organizing committee for the Sewanee Medieval Colloquium received more than 80 papers, exploring afterlives in their local and global contexts.

Academicians will gather on to be in the room to engage with the Mountain to discuss the theme Lives and Afterlives." Cynthia Hahn, a professor of Art History at the Cîty University of New York Graduate Center will give the Edward King plenary address. standard. Anderson, Bedford, and Marjorie Woods, a professor in advance. The presenters are of English Literature at the University of Texas, Austin, will give the Brinley Rhys plenary lecture. Sewanee Professor of and registration information can English William Engel teaches the be found at <a href="http://medievalcol-Medieval Colloquium Seminar, which will coordinate with the Colloquium.

Matthew Irvin, who serves as director of the Sewanee Medieval Colloquium, said the event aims to gather scholars from different disciplines to discuss medieval languages, literature, philosophy, history and art.

"There are two big meetings in the medieval studies discipline, one in Michigan and one in Leeds, England, where roughly 3,000 people attend. I study a particular author from the late 14th century, and typically, over the 5 days of the about that particular subject. I talk to people who study the same things," Irvin said. "I'm not going to talk to people about 11th century Iraq or 19th century Spain. The Sewanee Medieval Colloquium is a way for people to interact across disciplines.'

## **Trail Race** Weekend & Hootenanny **Promises** Food, Music, Fun

The Trail Weekend Hootenanny, part of Trails & Trilliums and Mountain Goat Trail Race Weekend, will take place April 13 from 4-8 p.m. at Baggenstoss Farms in Tracy City.

Admission of \$10 (kids with adults free) covers food donated by local sponsors. Bounce house, zipline, and frisbee golf will be available, and Shane Worley will perform. Beer will be available for purchase. Tickets can be purchased at the event or at <mountaingoattrail.org/run>.

Funds raised will go toward construction of a connector trail between the Mountain Goat Trail and the South Cumberland Visitor

Trails and Trilliums, April 12-14, is a multi-day celebration of spring, featuring expertly-guided hikes on many of the South Cumberland State Park's most scenic trails. The festival offers a full slate of nature-themed speakers and workshops, a fabulous expanded plant sale, and family-oriented activities for the kids. Proceeds go to the Friends of South Cumberland State Park. Learn more or sign up at <trailsandtrilliums.org>

Mountain Goat Trail Race Weekend takes place April 13-14. The sixth annual Mountain Goat Trail Run & Walk, featuring a 5-mile run and 2-mile walk, will be held on Saturday, April 13. The second annual Mountain Goat Trail Half Marathon takes place on Sunday, April 14. All proceeds will go to the Mountain Goat Trail Alliance (MGTA) to aid their efforts to complete the Trail.



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Artist rendering of the new bookstore.

## **Bookstore Groundbreaking**

A groundbreaking ceremony for the new University bookstore will be held at 1:30 p.m., Saturday, April 13. The community is invited. See next week's Messenger for details.

## **SCC Ferns Fundraiser**

Support the Sewanee Children's Center (SCC) and beautify your home with a fern in a hanging basket. There are two options available for \$15 each: Kimberly Queen ferns to keep out in the sun, and Boston ferns, which prefer shade. Please complete an order form with cash or checks made payable to Sewanee Children's Center by Wednesday, April 10. SCC will contact all supporters with the pickup date and time.

To request an order form, or if you have any questions, contact Sandy Glacet at (931) 598-5928 or <sewaneechildrenscenter@gmail.com>.

NASA's Clean Air Study documented that the Boston Fern removes toxins from the air. Although the study looked only at the Boston fern, it seems very reasonable that other Boston-type ferns have similar properties to make your home or office a safer and healthier place. Plus, its calming vibes will make your office seem less stressful and your home

SCC is supported by Otey Parish and the Sewanee Community Chest.

## Honor Flight Veterans Trip

Honor Flight of Middle Tennessee invites World War II and Korean War-era veterans, and Vietnam War veterans with a 70 percent or higher VA disability, to sign up for the 2019 flight to Washington, D.C. The event is on Wednesday, May 1.

Veterans on the free one-day trip fly to the Capitol, and visit the World War II Memorial, the Korean War Memorial, the Vietnam War Memorial, the 9/11 Memorial at the Pentagon and Arlington National

For additional information and an application, contact Sergeant Major (E-9) Larry E. Williams, U.S. Army/retired at (931) 924-3000, 1-833-HONORUS (toll free) or cell phone (931) 224-3226 or email <Tennesseans2@blomand.net>.





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Breakfast Meeting Thursday, 8 a.m., Sewanee Inn This month's events:

April 4: Jeff McMahan, Sewanee graduate and White's Professor of Moral Philosophy on the topic "Killing for Profit" April 11: Margaret Matens on the topic "Youth Environmental Education"

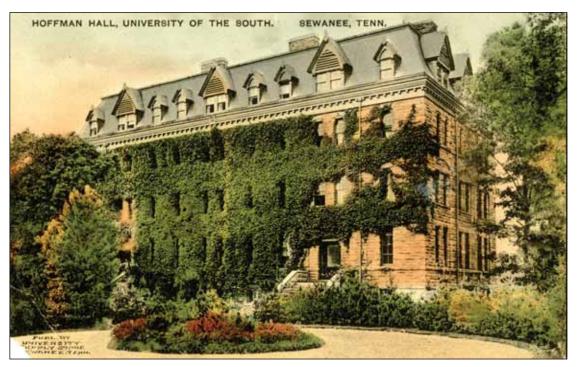
For more information, or to plan a visit, email Lee Harmon at leegreenharmon@gmail.com, website: www.monteaglerotary.org

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Sewanee Trust for Historic Preservation

## April 5, 2019—100th Anniversary of the **Burning of Hoffman Hall**

On April 5, 1919 Hoffman Hall was destroyed by fire. The following is from the April 11, 1919 issue of the Sewanee Purple.



## **Historic Old Hoffman Hall Totally Destroyed by Fire**

versity, Valued at Ninety Thousand five-story building with accom-Dollars. Fire of Unknown Origin modations for upwards of sixty Breaks Out on Monday at 4:45 students. It was a brick-and-stone p.m. Explosions of Boilers Demolish structure originally built for a ho-Walls. Many Students Heavy Losers tel at Bridgeport, Alabama, and in Personal Effects.

One of the biggest fires which came property of the University. has ever been witnessed on the Mountain destroyed the Hoffman Dormitory on Monday, Rev. John B. Cannon was in-April 5. It started in the north-strumental in having two of the west corner of the building and first floor suites combined into a by those returning from track that many mass and rat meetings practice at Hardee Field. The alarm quickly spread and when those nearest the building arrived on the scene they found the fire cause of the traditions attached to and faces of several firefighters. confined to one room and in the it. To Mrs. Preston and Mrs. King walls and ceiling between the it means the loss of their home, third and fourth floors. Defective since they lived there for years

of the fighters the flames quickly had been matron since the openspread and when they reached ing of the Hall. the fourth floor and the attic, hopes of saving the building had to be abandoned. Since the attic cy and opened their homes to the with no partition walls, the east opened to accommodate part fied if found. end of the building soon caught of the homeless ones, and many at the top floor.

gration lasted about three hours predicted. and all possibility of salvaging or rebuilding the structure were obviated when the steam boilers exploded, sending a column of fire and debris into the air and causing one of the great chimneys to push over most of the walls.

Probably the belongings of most of the students were saved, but many lost heavily, both in the fire and in the confusion that resulted from so many

A high wind was blowing from the southeast and nothing saved the houses north of Hoffman except the fact that they are built of stone and slate. Trees in the neighborhood caught fire from flying sparks, but by good work with the chemicals the danger was averted.

Hoffman Memorial Hall was valued at ninety thousand dollars according to present cost of material. It was built in 1899 by the benefaction of the heirs of the Rev. Charles Frederick Hoffman,

Principal Dormitory of the Uni- D.D., of New York, and was a and had to go about clad in a moved to Sewanee when it be-

> The Dormitory was the center were held in it.

loss which cannot be replaced bewiring probably started the blaze. and regarded it as such. Especially Despite the heroic efforts is this true of Mrs. Preston, who

The residents of the Mountain responded nobly in the emergenwas the only one big vacant space boys. Half of Van Ness has been are settled in different places. A over the lower floor and base-The hottest part of the conflareturn to the old hall system is ment, many large furry animals

#### Notes on the Fire

SMA cadets were stationed about the building as guards during the night. Many thanks are due to their watchfulness over the property which was strewn everywhere.

One boy was in the shower

bathrobe and raincoat.

Uncle Ben Holland, the janitor, was seriously injured on the head and hand by a falling piece of tin. He was rushed to the hospital and was reported to being (sic) doing nicely on Wednesday.

Classes were held the next day, of student life for years. The late but former Hoffman residents were excused and the professors failed to call their rolls.

The fire started in the bedwas first noticed about 4:45 p.m. Common Room. The result was room of Jack Adoue and was first noticed by Freshman McMurray.

> The contents of some of the To the University it is a great chemical extinguishers were used with telling effect on the heads

> > A sandstorm was created for some distance on the windward site of the dormitory, making a little Vesuvius.

> > Strong-man feats were the order of the day. Trunks were carried out as though they were

> > Rogers reports having lost a collar bottom in the fire. Same was gold-plated and can be identi-

> > As the fire began to extend were seen scurrying away. They proved to be Hoffman rats, run out of their holes at last.

An effort to obtain aid from the fire departments of the neighboring towns failed because transportation facilities were lacking.

The fire was visible to the people of Winchester and other











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## **FROMTHE HERITAGECENTER**

by Clopper Almon, Grundy County Historical Society

#### Charley's Camp in the Horseshoe

Perhaps the earliest recorded transaction in the vicinity of Beersheba is an entry of 150 acres for William Dugan in 1826 "in the Horseshoe known as Charley's Camp" said to be on the south side of Little Laurel Creek of the Collins River. (1) According to local tradition, William Dugan and his wife, with babe in arms, rode horseback from North Carolina to take up this land. (2) The name of the place seems to point to even earlier times when Charley had a camp there. But where was the Horseshoe and who was Charley?

We get a better clue of the location when, on January 10, 1838, William B. Smartt acquired from John Dugan, son of William, apparently the same 150 acres "about two and a half miles southwest of Beersheba." (3) The Horseshoe is thought to be a peculiar shaping of the ridges of the mountain simulating the appearance of a horseshoe. If we take Beersheba to mean the spring in front of the hotel, 2.5 straight line miles southwest brings us out in the Shady Valley Nursery property near the border with the state natural area, with nothing resembling a horseshoe either on the topographic map or to be seen by walking around the area. There are some U-shaped contour lines, but no striking topographical feature. If, however, we start walking from the observatory up Dalhgren Avenue to TN-56, along it to Hunter's Mill Road, then down it past the ballpark and off to the southwest along the old to the main road of the nursery, then south along this road to the lake created by damming (Little) Laurel Creek, and then imagine walking down the slope to the creek and up a short distance into one of the (now flooded) coves on the south side, we would have come 2.5 miles with a net direction of south southwest. The sides of the cove could have suggested a horseshoe. This location would also explain the particular relevance of "the south side of Little Laurel Creek.'

Who was Charley? About 1.5 miles north of Main Street in McMinnville, there runs a stream called Charles Creek on modern topographic maps but Charley's Creek in older sources. Pleasant Henderson lived on its banks between 1806 and 1811. She recalled that when the first white settlers came to the area, they found a group of friendly Creeks camped near the confluence of this stream with the Collins. Their chief was Chuwallee, and the white man gave his name to the creek.

It became corrupted to Chalee, then to Charley, and now finally to Charles. (4) These Creeks continued to hunt in the area for a number of years without objection from the white man. Chuwallee River is also a well documented alternative name of Elk River. They may well be the Creeks who hunted on the mountain top and, to maximize game production, maintained it as a grassland by periodic burning. If so, our Charley could well be Chuwallee.

- (1) Plat Book No. 2, Registrar's Office, Warren County, page 60. (2) Margaret Coppinger, In The Pathfinder, vol. 1 No. 2, 1956. (3) Warren County Registrar's Office, Book K, p 379.
- (4) John R. Swanton, Early History of the Creek Indians and Their Neighbors, Bureau of American Ethnology, No. 73, 1922,

The author of this article is Professor Emeritus of Economics at the University of Maryland. His mother's family has owned Nanhaven since 1887, one of the cottages built by John Armfield in Beersheba Springs before the Civil War. While the cottage was struck by lightning recently and burned to the ground, it is being rebuilt. It has served as the summer base of the author for most of his life.

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.

## **Upcoming Lectures**

### **Poet Javier Zamora to Speak**

Javier Zamora came to the U.S. when he was 9-years-old from El Salvador, escaping civil war. Today, he is a popular poet and Harvard fellow who writes about immigration and his experience crossing the border and life as an immigrant. He will speak at 4:30 p.m., Friday, April 5, at the Mary Sue Cushman Room, Women's Center.

#### **Bishop Reynolds Forum**

Producer, activist, and humanitarian Meredith Walker, C'91, is St. Andrew's-Sewanee School's 2019 Bishop Reynolds Forum speaker. The public is invited to a lecture at 4 p.m., Sunday, April 7, in McCrory Hall for the Performing Arts. The event is free. No ticket is necessary.

Walker began her television career working at Linda Ellerbee's NICK NEWS for Nickelodeon. During her time there, the show won the Peabody Award as well as several Emmys. Working her way up to senior segment producer, Meredith traveled to all 50 states to interview kids who had interesting stories to tell. This would become the foundation for her deepening interest in the lives of young people.

Meredith's visit is made possible through The Bishop Reynolds Forum which brings a prominent speaker to the SAS campus each year to engage students and the community in a topic of current

The Forum was established through an endowment in memory of the Rt. Rev. George Reynolds, the late Bishop of Tennessee. A graduate and former chaplain of the Sewanee Military Academy and a former trustee and past parent at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School, Bishop Reynolds was engaged by and involved with the numerous personal and social issues confronting the individual, the Church, and the society he served.

#### 'Grace And **Gratitude**

Eric Motley is an executive vice president at the Aspen Institute and formerly served in the U.S. State Department and the White House. He is the annual Omicron Delta Kappa speaker at the University of the South, and will give a talk, "An Odyssey of Grace and Gratitude," at 5 p.m., Monday, April 8, in Gailor Auditorium. All members attend the talk sponsored by Omicron Delta Kappa, the national leadership honor society, and the book signing that will precede it.

#### 'Are We There Yet'

Join us in Hargrove Auditorium at the School of Theology at 7 p.m., Tuesday, April 9, as we welcome the Rev. Canon Stephanie Spellers, The Episcopal Church's canon to the presiding bishop for evangelism, reconciliation and creation care. Canon Stephanie will deliver a talk, "Are We There Yet: A Southern Exile's Reflections on Racial Healing and Telling the Truth," followed by a reception and book signing. This event is free and open to the public.

This event is sponsored by The Beecken Center in partnership with the Sewanee Project on Slavery, Race, and Reconciliation.

### **Lincoln Lecture**

James Cornelius, curator of the Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library in Springfield, Ill., will lecture on "What's New in Lincoln and Civil War Studies," at 4 p.m., Monday, April 15, in Gailor

During the 20th century, historians and society overall, shifted from looking at decisions and words by the high-profile figures such as presidents, generals, church leaders, leaders of Congress and the courts, to an interesting new focus on the lesser-known or unknown voices: sergeants, servants, slaves, farmers and tradesmen, and especially women. In the 21st century, good history combines these two strands, but we also benefit from the continuing discovery of longlost original documents: letters by Mary Lincoln, statistical work on the numbers killed in the Civil War; overseas activity having to do with slavery and abolition. We've even finally learned what Lincoln thought of the Irish Potato Famine of 1845-48; what became of his dog; whether African-Americans had his permission to use the White House lawn; and perhaps most of all why (some people think) the Civil War was inevitable, and whether Lincoln's hopes for Reconstruction were realistic.



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 8: Philly steak sandwich, chips, dessert. Tuesday, April 9: Baked chicken Alfredo, salad, garlic

bread, dessert. Wednesday, April 10:

Tenderloin, mashed potatoes, green beans, roll, dessert. Thursday, April 11: BLT

soup, pimento cheese sandwich, dessert. Friday, April 12: Roast

beef, mashed potatoes, broccoli, roll, dessert. Menus may vary. For in-

formation 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.

## **Community** Clean-up Day, Save the Date

The first annual Art Knoll Community Clean-up will be from 8:30 a.m. to noon, Saturday, April 20. Dubbed "Hands, Hearts, and Headwaters," this year will be more than just a litter pick-up. The cleanup will concentrate on waterways, helping to keep debris out of the

This event is sponsored by the Sewanee Community Council. Evervone in the community is invited to attend. More information will be

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Automotive Products—fuel

Lawn/Garden Chemicals—fungicides, herbicides and pesticides;

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chemicals, photo processing chemicals, medicines/drugs, reactive compounds (aerosols, compressed gasses), TVs and other electronthermostats, fluorescent light bulbs, computers and accessories.

No explosive, radioactive, or medical waste materials will be accepted.

For more information call 967-1139 or go to <www.ISWArecycle. sistantfolksathome@gmail.com>.

## Free Legal Clinic

The Legal Aid Society is partnering with the University of the South Office of Civic Engagement to provide a free legal clinic in Monteagle. A free breakfast and childcare will be provided for attendees. The clinic will be held on Saturday, April 20 from 10 a.m. to Center, in Monteagle.

## Lake Cheston Work

Dam has been opened to lower the lake level. The lake level is being lowered to facilitate cleanup along the week before. portions of the shoreline near the

should begin to refill by late Spring. every child.

## Center of Lifelong Learning **Announces New Courses**

The Center of Lifelong Learning at the University of the South is excited to announce our new courses for April 2019. Please contact Dan Backlund at elifelong@sewanee.edu> for further information and to register for these exciting classes before they are full. The enrollment fee for each course is only \$60 and includes six hours of formal learning time.

Japanese Prints: Beautiful People and Famous Places. Instructor: Ali-Joyce Lane will have its annual son Miller, Art History and Visual Studies. This course will introduce the topic of 18th-20th century Japanese prints. We will discuss how prints impacted the time and place in which they were made, as well as how Hazardous household waste is they were created. We will have the opportunity to view 19th century defined as corrosive, flammable, Japanese prints in the University Archives collection. Thursdays, April

Seeing American Culture through the Young. Instructor: Richard O'Connor, Professor of Anthropology. How does growing up in the U.S. shape our values? Although anthropology arose studying other cultures, we'll be coming home to look at ourselves. Our class will reflect on what's built in, and often hidden, in how we raise our young. Wednesdays, April

10, 17, 24 and May 1 from 2–4 p.m.
Spring Flora of the South Cumberland Plateau. Instructor: Mary additives, grease/rust solvents, air Priestley. This class provides a great opportunity to increase your familconditioning refrigerants, starter iarity with the spring flora of this area, with emphasis on wildflowers fluids, auto body putty, antifreeze/ of Shakerag Hollow. Weather permitting, we will spend two class periods coolants, carburetor/fuel injector in Shakerag to watch the woodland wildflower community develop and during the other two, we will explore resources, both print and online, visit the herbarium, learn about the collection, and possibly use dissecting microscopes and do a little sketching.

Home Maintenance Chemicals—oil-based paint, paint thinTo get the most out of the class, participants should own a copy of the cals—oil-based paint, paint thinTennessee Native Plant Society's field guide: Wildflowers of Tennessee, ner, wood preservatives, paint the Ohio Valley, and the Southern Appalachians" by Horn, et al. A field notebook, 10x hand lens, and camera will also come in handy. Plan for Miscellaneous—batteries, some slow walking on somewhat challenging terrain for two of the sesfingernail polish remover, pool sions. Thursdays, April 11, 18 and May 2 and 9 from 2–4 p.m.

## **Grief Recovery Program**

Folks at Home will again be sponsoring Grief Recovery presented ics, mercury thermometers and by Compassus Hospice and Palliative Care, and facilitated by R. Jack Kennington. Grief Recovery is a "structured, action based educational

Ån introductory session will be Tuesday, April 23, from 12:30–2 p.m., at the Sewanee Community Center, 39 Ball Park Rd. Lunch will be provided by Compassus.

Please R.S.V.P. by April 17 to Folks at Home, (931) 598-0303 or <as-

## Taste of Italy Fundraiser

The Winchester Knights of Columbus will host "A Taste of Italy" Spaghetti Dinner from 5–7 p.m., Saturday, April 13, in the Good Shepherd Parish Center, 2037 Decherd Blvd., Decherd.

Cost is \$10 for adults, and \$5 for children under 12. The menu is all-you-can eat spaghetti dinner with salad, garlic bread, home-made desserts, ice tea, water, soft drinks. Adult beverages will be available.

## Help SCC Celebrate 70 Years

The community is invited to help the Sewanee Children's Center noon at the Dubose Conference (SCC) celebrate its 70th year of operation On Saturday, April 27, you are invited to join in the Center's celebration by taking part in the third annual Progressive Dinner, an evening of food and fun to be held at various locations across the community.

Reserve tickets (\$60 per couple, \$35 for singles) at the SCC by contacting Sandy Glacet at <sewaneechildrenscenter@gmail.com>. The activities will begin with hors d'oeuvres and conversation. Participants will then The drain valve on Lake Cheston move to their designated host's home for a lovely seated dinner. A final participant-wide dessert gathering will conclude the evening's event. Participants will be notified of their appetizer and dining assignments

Proceeds from this fundraising event will be directed toward the Center's continuing commitment to excellence in pre-school education, The lake will be lowered only offered in a safe and nurturing environment by teachers and staff whose enough to complete the work, and goal is to draw out the unique creativity and personality of each and

## **Upcoming Events at St. Mary's Sewanee**

Mindfulness on the Mountain May 3 - 5

> The Grace in Gardens May 15

One River Wisdom

Nailed to Your Own Predicament May 31 - June 2

**Introduction to Centering Prayer** May 15

The Welcoming Prayer June 7 - 9

**Spiritual Learning Workshop** June 9 - 11

For more information go to <www.stmaryssewanee.org>

## SPECIAL EVENT

Portrait of Christ 4 p.m., May 15

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



## **AVISITING VOICE**

by James Gipson, C'66



#### Susie Latham Duggard Gudger 1890-1952

Susie was the daughter of George Duggard and Betsy Parker (she had Native American Blood). George was the grandson of Benjamin Franklin Duggard and his Cherokee wife. He was an associate of Joe Vann in the steamboat business out of Ross's Landing, now Chattanooga. Vann removed to the West, the Direction of Death in the Cherokee belief, and continued his business in steam boating on the Arkansas River, dying in 1844.

Many of the Native people slipped away into the hidden coves and hollows in this area and were not driven West. Susie was a young helper at the original St. Mary's, which had the Jabez Hayes property on the Bluff above Slope Wall's Cut. There was an attractive railroad stop in that area and steps off the Bluff.

Mary Ann Gudger McBee, my great aunt, told me she and her brother James Franklin Gudger took the buggy to St. Mary's and Frank and Susie ran away, with the Sisters in pursuit, and were married in Altamont in 1908. Susie and Frank raised eight children. Avver Elizabeth, called Ann, married Harry Jones and lived in Chattanooga. Thendoe, called Bud, married Catherine Garner and moved to Florida in the 1950s. Twins Hattie and Mattie (Boots) born at Tantallon in 1918. Hattie married Berry Gipson and stayed in Sewanee. Boots went to Florida to work at the ship yards during World War II and moved to Winter Haven, Fla. James Dilbert (J.D.) killed in World War II. Ethel Vivian Lucille married Richard Roden and moved to Missouri. Twins Calvin Andrew and Alvin Joseph moved to Florida. Joseph, called Joe, married Dorothy Robinson from Houma, La., and have sons Eric Gudger, Jeffrey Gudger, and twins Laura Gudger and Leah Gudger-Meder, who all live in Florida.





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## Coalmont Elementary Honor Lists

The principal and staff at Coalmont Elementary School have announced the Principal's List, Honor Roll and Perfect Attendance for nounce the Principal's List, Honor Roll and Perfect Attendance for the the fourth six weeks.

#### Principal's List

Second grade—Lily Brown, Johnathan Cox and Kylie Nunley; Third grade—Tori Bell; Fourth grade—Ryan Beers; Fifth grade—Trinity Lemons; Sixth grade—Stormi Nunley and Savanah Seagroves; Eighth grade—Jaycton Smith.

#### **Honor Roll**

Second grade—Chandlyr Bryant, Logan Campbell, Henry Nunley and Aubrey Parks;

Third grade—Madisen Knox, Lily Nunley, Ryelynn Scissom, Drew Stephens and Peyton Yates;

Fourth grade—Ashlynn McCullough and Lucas Braden, Jaycee

Lamb, John Cagle, George Bolton; Fifth grade—Skyler Reed and Mekelle Adams; Sixth grade—Tona Cox and Victoria Pearson;

Seventh grade—Tori Meadows, Aiden Layne and Adin Knight; Eighth grade—Mackenzie Thomas and Kaytlin Nunley.

#### **Perfect Attendance**

Second grade—Johnathan Cox and Henry Nunley; Third grade—Memorii Diaz, Dixie McElroy and Rylee Sweeton; Fourth grade—Isaac Campbell and Addison Partin;

Fifth grade—Olivia Plahm; Sixth grade—Dakota Allen, Alicia Partin, Destiny Pickett and Dominick Scruggs;

Seventh grade—Journey Winton.



Ranger Jessie McKneel, along with Cornbread the corn snake, and Artemis the red-tailed hawk, visited Aleis Picklesimer's second grade class at Tracy City Elementary. The students received the surprise visit because they have reduced the number of classroom tardies.



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## Monteagle **Elementary Honor Roll**

The principal and staff at Monteagle Elementary would like to anthird nine weeks.

#### Principal's List

Third grade—Dharvi Patel, Zoe Montgomery, Avery Byers and Brooklyn Roberts;

Fourth grade— Braden Meeks, Jackson King, Brilyn Fox, Kason Meeks, Sophie Rollins and Morgayne Hunt;

Fifth grade—Deacon Buchanan and Ashlynn Anderson; Sixth grade—Stella Wilson, Aaron Burney and Logan Hammond; Seventh grade—Emma Ladd and Kathryn Lusk;

Eighth grade—Kierra Buchanan, Ella Masters, Ethan Myers, Riley Hammond and Caden Rose.

#### **Honor Roll List**

Third grade—Addison Shrum;

Fourth grade—Anna Meeks, Christopher Campbell, Isaiah Smith, Briah Ellis, Khloe Christian, Olivia Jariett, Caitlyn Ballard, Lexy Brown, Kayden Westerfield and Tommy Harwell;

Fifth grade—Madi Sanders, Katie Lowe, Aila Sanders, Siennah Miller, Asia Lawson, Mikaela Sampley and Ian Grizzell;

Sixth grade—Danica Parmley, Anna King, Tayler Meeks, Alia Dixon, Josie Layne, Kyla Colston, Amelia Thomas and Nate Caldwell;

Seventh grade—Bryce Harwell, Colton Meeks, Josh King, Brady Everett, Lauren Haynes, Madison Stiefel, Dara Brown, Hollyn Fox, Tytus Meeks and Javon Brown;

Eighth grade—Spencer Hill, Ali Long and Jacob Church.

#### **Perfect Attendance**

K—Sam St. Pierre;

Second grade—Javon Blalock, Kelsyn Guyear and Madison Layne; Third grade—Brooklyn Roberts, Camden Nunley and Zoe Iontgomery;

Fourth grade—Brilyn Fox and Khloe Gipson;

Fifth grade—Madi Haynes;

Sixth grade—Kaden King, Javon Liles, Jacob Gault and Amber Gault; Seventh grade—Hollyn Fox and Lauren Haynes;

Eighth grade—Isaiah Ellis.

## Tigers Don't Leave Tracks!

Tigers Don't Leave Tracks!—a program aimed at educating students about sustainability and helping them reduce their use of single-use plastics, continues at Sewanee Elementary.

Show your support by continuing to bring your reusable bags to the Piggly Wiggly, Mooney's, The Lemon Fair, Village Wine and Spirits and Monteagle Wine and Spirits who are making donations to the school every time you do.

The Piggly Wiggly is hosting a draw in support of the project. When you bring your own bags to The Pig, write the name of a teacher or a class on the back of your receipt (grade 2, Mrs. Camp's class, Principal's Choice, etc.) and put it in the Tigers Don't Leave Tracks! jar at the front of the store. Those receipts will be collected periodically and entered in orize draws. The winning classes will receive sturdy Klean Kanteen water ottles for everyone. Together, we can give reusable water bottles to all he children in the school and help them in their efforts.

Thank you for supporting Tigers Don't Leave Tracks! and Sewanee Elementary.

## Tutoring at St. James

After-school tutoring for children in grades K-5, sponsored by the Community Action Committee of Otey Parish Church, continues on Thursdays at 3:30 p.m., at the Parish Hall of St. James Episcopal Church. There is no charge. All are welcome. Sessions will last until 5 p.m., when promptness in pickup of children will be greatly appreciated.

The tutoring schedule will follow the Franklin County School System's calendar, so if there is no school, there will be no tutoring.

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# SES

Monday-Friday, April 8-12 LUNCH

Monday, April 8: Chicken/waffle basket, hamburger/ cheeseburger, oven fries, baked beans, veggie juice, fruit.

Tuesday, April 9: Spaghetti, ham/swiss cheese sandwich, green peas, baby baked potatoes, carrot dippers, garlic breadstick, fruit.

Wednesday, April 10: Chicken nachos, cheesy fries w/ barbecue, pinto beans, buttered corn, salsa, tortilla chips, fruit.

Thursday, April 11: Macaroni/cheese, barbecue chicken sliders, steamed broccoli, potato smiles, garden salad, cookie,

Friday, April 12: Pizza, chicken smackers, buttered corn, potato wedges, green beans, tortilla chips, fruit.

#### **BREAKFAST**

Each day, students select one or two items.

Monday, April 8: Yogurt, poptart or breakfast pizza.

Tuesday, April 9: Biscuit, sausage or chicken, gravy, jelly. Wednesday, April 10: Egg

omelet, donut holes, or breakfast bun or banana bread slice. Thursday, April 11: Biscuit,

sausage or chicken, gravy, jelly. Friday, April 12: Oatmeal bar, cheese stick or pancake/

sausage stick, syrup. Options available every breakfast: assorted cereal, assorted fruit and juice, milk varieties.

Menus subject to change.

## **Diplomas** Available for Veterans

For any World War II, Korean War-Era or Vietnam Veterans: If you did not receive your high school diploma due to entry into the Armed Forces of the United States, you may now be awarded a high school diploma by your local high school.

Veterans should contact their local school superintendent to register their name and to request the awarding of a high school diploma. You will have to present your military discharge papers.

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# UAG Exhibits Exploration of the Cakewalk

"This Ain't No Cakewalk," created by visual artist Thom Heyer and musicologist César Leal, considers the parallels between the cakewalk tradition of the late 19th and early 20th centuries and New York's Vogue Balls of the 1980s and early 1990s. The exhibit will be open through April 13.

be open through April 13.

Both cakewalk and voguing are based upon competitive performances of movement. Both are associated, in their origins, with the expression of identity and resistance. Both became broadly popular, and were appropriated and recontextualized for other performers and purposes. Both are charged with questions about race, identity and power, explored through artifice.

Juxtaposing sheet music and representations of performers, New York's drag balls and turn of the century cakewalks, Heyer's collages, costumes and multimedia pieces prompt us to consider the assertion of identity and community in dance and music, but also the appropriation and commodification of those performances, and of the bodies of the performers.

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.

## Ralston Listening 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 5, 5-6 p.m., Caleb Thorn, Lakestreet Dive.

Sunday, April 7, 6-7 p.m., Caiti Berends, Mozart's Zaide.

Monday, April 8, 3-4 p.m., Domenico Carlo Maria Dragonetti; 6-7 p.m., Jackson Campbell, "Wildflowers" by Tom Petty; 7-8 p.m., "Lemonade" by Beyoncé, 8-9 p.m., Isabel Butler and Heidi Hayne, selections from Boy Named Banjo.

Tuesday, April 9, 6-7 p.m., Anna Wilson, selections from various jam bands; 7-8 p.m., Tristan Benedict, "Currents" by Tame Impala; 8-9 p.m., Ivana Porashka, French music.

Wednesday, April 10, 5-6 p.m., Annie Bowers, chamber music of Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky; 7-8 p.m., Meg Sheehy, cantatas of Johann Sebastian Bach; 8-9 p.m., Henry Fisher, selections from Steely Dan.

Thursday, April 11, 4-5 p.m., exploring Domenico Carlo Maria Dragonetti; 6-7 p.m., Brant Lewis, "Pet Sounds" by The Beach Boys.

Friday, April 12, 5-6 p.m., Caleb Thorn, selections from Rainbow Kitten Surprise.

Sunday, April 14, 6-7 p.m., Caiti Berends, "Lohengrin" by Richard Wagner.



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"Back Parking Lot" by Mary O'Neill

# April Festival of Arts Slated for IONA: Art Sanctuary

The Spring Festival of Artists and Authors at IONA: Art Sanctuary is scheduled to begin Tuesday, April 16 at 5 p.m. The festival will continue through Thursday, April 18. The theme for the week is immigration. All events are free and open to the public.

The festival will open on Tuesday, April 16 at 5 p.m., with a presentation from photographer and painter Mary O'Neill. Poet and reporter for the Sewanee Mountain Messenger Leslie Lytle will follow with a reading of fiction centered on immigration. Other readings will include those by Dan Paracka, Robin Gottfried and Adam Randolph, who will conclude each evening with a song.

On Wednesday, April 17, writer David Baker, who is working on his first book of short poems titled "Word Windows," will read from his work. Baker will be followed by poet Naomi Buck Pilagi, writer Patrick Dean and poet Adam Latham.

Thursday, April 18 will conclude the festival, beginning with environmental geographer and an assistant professor of environmental studies Russ Fielding. Fielding will read a section from his new book, "Wake of the Whales." Following that reading will be poet Ty MacMahon, essayist and frequent "Letter to the Editor" writer Faye Walter and teller of family stories Francis Walter. Walter will share a story of his "Ah Minnie," who never married and was the keeper of family lore.

IONA: Art Sanctuary, founded by artist Ed Carlos, exists to offer a place for writers and artists to share their creative work with each other and the community, and our emphasis is the source: creativity and spirituality. IONA is located at 630 Garnertown Rd., Sewanee.

## Sewanee Chorale Concert on April 12

From 8–9 p.m., Friday, April 12, in All Saints' Chapel, students, staff, faculty and local residents will combine to present a program of choral music, including a Broadway medley, an opera chorus, works of Fauré and Gilbert and Sullivan.

Guest musicians include Kellan Esperian, artist-in-residence; Barbara Carden, cello; and St. Andrew's-Sewanee student violinist Frederike Koltze.



"Swept Away, Drawn Into & Adrift in the Blue," paintings by Ed Carlos, will be on display at the Frame Gallery in Sewanee. The opening reception will be from 5:30–7 p.m., Friday, April 12.



## **ATTHEMOVIES**

#### **SEWANEE UNION THEATRE**

Friday-Sunday, April 5-7, 7:30 p.m. *Green Book* 

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Dr. Don Shirley is a world-class African-American pianist, who is about to embark on a concert tour in the Deep South in 1962. In need of a driver and protection, Shirley recruits Tony Lip, a tough-talking bouncer from an Italian-American neighborhood in the Bronx. Despite their differences, the two men soon develop an unexpected bond while confronting racism and danger in an era of segregation.

The Cinema Guild Wednesday night movie information and the next week films at the SUT were unavailable at press time.

#### **Sewanee Shorts Film Festival**

The Cinema Guild is hosting the Sewanee Shorts Film Festival. Students had the opportunity to submit any film projects they have worked on for classes, or just for fun, to Sewanee Cinema Guild. The best films will be showcased at the SUT on Saturday, April 13, at 2 p.m.

Movies are \$3 for students and \$4 for adults, unless otherwise noted. Cinema Guild movies are free. The SUT is located on South Carolina Avenue, behind Thompson Union. The SUT accepts credit/debit cards.

## 'The River and the Wall' at Sewanee Union Theatre

University student Emily Stone and Director of Sewanee Outing Program John Benson will premiere a new documentary, "The River and the Wall" on Tuesday, April 16 at 7:30 p.m.

The film, which recently premiered at the South by Southwest festival in Austin, Texas, follows five friends through the Texas borderlands, "The River and the Wall" explores themes of natural borders, language, wild-life corridors, animal migration, eminent domain, and border culture.

The screening will be held in the Sewanee Union Theatre and is sponsored by the Sewanee Outing Program, the Sportsman's House, the Department of Earth and Environmental Systems, the International and Global Studies Department, the Greenhouse, the Spanish Department, and the Office of Environmental Stewardship and Sustainability.

The community is invited to learn more about life along this 1,200-mile landscape. The run time of the film is 109 minutes.



#### **Patient of the Month**



"I got the shingles January 9, 2019. I went to my regular doctor on January 10, 2019. She gave me a pill for seven days, it didn't help a lot. My friend told me that a chiropractor will help the shingles. I went to Shull Chiropractic Clinic, PLLC on February 8, 2019. Dr. Shull told me the nerves had settled on my right side from the shingles and the hard work I had done for 31 years in a factory. I started taking chiropractic care and therapy from Dr. Shull. I have been going everyday since February 8. The care helped me so much and relieved my aches and pain. I recommend Shull Chiropractic Clinic, PLLC to anyone. He relieved my aches and pains and the staff was so friendly to me. My life in general has improved due to Shull Chiropractic Clinic. Anyone who gets the shingles should see Dr. Shull because he can help." ~ Felicia Sons



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Barton Perkins: "Perkins' The Wave'

# 'Cheerful Nightmares' at Carlos Gallery

Art Building at the University of the South is pleased to present Cheerful Nightmares, an exhibition of paintings by Art Honors candidate, Barton Perkins.

ise by building on the idea of false work. Beneath the surface, we perhappiness. False happiness is the ceive darker tales, some taken from act "of putting on or inducing, a robust and cheerful front in the face of depression and despair," said Perkins, and explains that he conveys this feeling to the viewer through the use of traditionally 'innocent' and 'cheerful' materials such as glitter and crayons. Both these materials imply happiness or innocence. They are prolifically scattered throughout the paintings, bleeding through color spaces and across collaged objects and surfaces. But, despite the happy feelings the works evoke, there are darker undertones covered up by the glitter and other 'cheerful materials'. These darker undertones are bright colors, which are occluded but not hidden from the viewer.

works are primarily found objects. Convocation Hall.

The Carlos Gallery in the Nabit They are interwoven into pieces, covered in glitter, coated in resin, and plastered with anachronistic photographs. With these alterations, and their incorporation into the work, the materials build a The exhibition, "Cheerful narrative in each piece, echoing Nightmares," has a peculiar premechoes the physical tensions of the history and others from the artist's personal life. Each piece is built from a blueprint of sorts. These blueprints are drawn from masterworks of art by artists such as Van Gogh or Monet. Perkins said that "the original masterwork is deconstructed, taken apart, down to its most basic concepts and outline. Then it is rebuilt from the ground up, recreated as a piece that tells a story of false happiness. By doing this, each piece is as unsettling as it is timeless.

The opening reception will be Wednesday, April 10 at 5 p.m.

The Carlos Gallery is at 105 Kennerly Rd. Hours are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., beneath layers of resin, glitter, and Monday through Friday, and 1 to 5 p.m., Saturday and Sunday

Perkins will deliver an artist talk The materials utilized in these on Friday, April 26 at 10 a.m. in p.m. and April 14 at 2:30 p.m.

## Perpetual Motion to **Perform**

Perpetual Motion is a studentrun performing dance company whose goal is to include all levels of dance experience. This year's performances will feature 20 plus pieces of original student choreography, in styles from Afro-Caribbean and Irish to swing and ballet, and will include almost 100

Performances are April 11, April 12 and April 13 at 7 p.m., in Guerry Auditorium.

## Grafitti Gallery '19

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 project will span six weeks.

The SAS Art Department was inspired by the vibrant culture springing up globally around tape art and murals through projects such as the city-wide Tape Over Berlin in Germany and the enormous tape mural on the exterior of The Brooks Museum in Mem-

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.

## **'Beauty and** the Beast' **Coming to** South Jackson

South Jackson is proud to present "Beauty and the Beast," a tale that tells the story of a cold-blooded prince who has been transformed into an unsightly creature as punishment for his selfish ways.

Tickets are \$20 for adults and \$17 for students at the door. You can save \$2 by buying tickets in

Stagings of the performance will be April 5 and 6 at 7 p.m.; April 7 at 2:30 p.m.; April 12 and 13 at 7

For more information, visit <southjackson.org>



"Red Lips" by Brianna Young.

## Senior Art Majors C'19 Present 'Reclamation'

The University Art Gallery presents "Reclamation," 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.

With her photographs, Ivey Dahlstrom explores the profoundly ordinary and the experience, look and feel of home. Violet Hoagland honors the possibility of resiliency and healing in her sculpture, creating abstracted human bodies from discarded objects and materials. Barton Perkins builds eerie multimedia collages packed with found objects, glitter, crayon and resin. Presenting a manically cheerful front, his collages are haunted by dark stories and the echoes of familiar images. Brianna Young plays games – her collages shuffle and combine playing cards, advertisements and body parts to explore questions about the body, from objectification and body image, to the mental and physical games

of hookup culture, to the physical games of athletes.

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.

## Hall in Concert

Hall will be in concert at 7:00 p.m., Smokehouse for 18 months. on Friday, April 5, at the Smoke-House in Monteagle.

Based in Nashville, Hall headlines comedy clubs around the <greghall.com>. country. and has performed a

Comedian and musician Greg monthly musical residency at the

The show is free and familyfriendly.

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Ellie Jenkins serving.

## SAS MS Volleyball Update

On March 26, the St. Andrew's-Sewanee middle school girls' varsity volleyball team played Palmer Elementary and Swiss Memorial. The Mountain Lions won both matches with scores of 25-12 and 25-10 against Palmer, and 25-7 and 25-18 against Swiss. Lucy Cassell and Madison King led the team in serving, passing and setting. Madison served up 15 consecutive points against Palmer, including three aces. Ellie Jenkins had a seven serve streak along with one ace during the game against Palmer. Lucy had a powerful four hits. Sara Knight had a seven serve streak during our Palmer match.

During our Swiss game, Lucy had seven serves in a row, and Anja Dombrowski had eight serves in a row during the first game, the second she had five. All the girls had more good than errors in both games and have significantly improved their growing volleyball skills.

On March 28, the team played North Elementary and Coalmont Elementary. SAS won both matches. Against North, our scores were 25-18 and 25-14. Coalmont scores were 25-17 and 25-14. Lucy Cassell had an eight serve streak during our game against North. Sara Knight had a nine serve streak during our match against Coalmont; Lucy also had five hits in a row against Coalmont. Our girls had fantastic games against both teams; every girl got to participate in these games and put

On March 30, the SAS middle school girls' junior varsity team played a tournament at Palmer Elementary School. The Mountain Lions won five of the six 20-minute matches, with scores of: 43-12 vs. Swiss, 33-13 vs. Coalmont, 21-33 vs. Pelham, 37-25 vs. Tracy, 38-24 vs. Palmer, and 38-29 vs. Monteagle. Sara Knight, Kaitlyn King, Madison Rogers, Elisabeth Perkins, and Julia Sumpter demonstrated their expertise in serving, with Madison and Elisabeth delivering numerous aces. Anja Dombrowski, Audrey Ward, Cady Layne, and Kaitlyn had impressive passing with very few errors throughout the matches. Emma Wockasen, Fiona Reynolds, and Emily Bailey provided excellent support, with several key serves, passes and sets.

## TigerSharks Pre-Swim Registration Is Open

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Wednesday, April 10. Register at on some days. <a href="https://sewaneetigersharks.com">https://sewaneetigersharks.com</a>.

per week, Monday–Thursday.

11 or 12 for evaluation for place- for the group to happen. ment. If the student can't meet the in pre-swim.

3:15-4 p.m., Rookie I—Must be able to swim to the backstroke flags (15 feet) on their own and swim freestyle and backstroke. This class is for beginning swimmers; this is not a learn-to-swim class. Primary ages 4–7 years. Instructors are in the water. Rookie II—Can swim half a length of pool easily doing freestyle and backstroke. Will be learning breaststroke and butterfly. Primary ages 5–10 years. Instructors are in the water.

4-4:45 p.m., Junior I—Can swim a length of the pool easily. Teaching will focus on learning breaststroke and butterfly with conditioning to increase strength. Ages 5–10 years. Instructors are in the water on some days. Junior II: One or two seasons of the swim

light training. Primary ages 6–11 Registration ends at 11:59 p.m., years. Instructors are in the water

4:45–6 p.m., Pre-Senior—Have Sessions start Monday, April 15 three to four strokes mastered and and end Thursday, May 16 (five will work on establishing a trainweeks). There will be four lessons ing base. Primary ages 7–12 years. Students that have not swum and further stroke development. n either the TigerSharks or MAC Primary ages 13–18 years. There teams will need to come to the must be an enrollment of least 10 event. The fun starts on Saturdays pool from 3:15-4 p.m. either April in the Pre-senior and senior group at 9 a.m. at Pearl's in Sewanee. All

minimum requirements, they may and Seniors, \$175. Payment is due event is stroller and kid friendly. sign-up for summer swim lessons, the first day of classes. Please make Register at <parkrun.us/register>, but will not be able to participate checks payable to Max Obermiller. print the barcode and show up.

The following swim opportunities are being offered by Coach chanics for all 4 strokes with some

Senior—Focus will be on training

## SAS Boys' Middle **School Soccer Team Defeat RCA**

On March 28, the St. Andrew's-Sewanee School's middle school boys' soccer team defeated Riverside Christian School 2-0. Brody Metcalf scored both goals. The first goal came five minutes into the match off a through pass from captain Caleb Palmertree. Metcalf scored the second goal in the last three minutes of the game when he broke through RCA's defense and slotted home the goal. Other outstanding play was also seen from center midfield by Raulston Barnette and Robbie Johnston. SAS moves to 2-2-1 on

## 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. Registration begins April 1.

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

## **MGT** Parkrun

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## **SAS Varsity Tennis Update**

The varsity boys' tennis team opened its season on March 7 with a 4-3 victory in their scrimmage against Warren County High School. The team saw singles wins from Nathan King (No. 1), Finn Michler (No. 2), and Tim Nelson (No. 3). King and Michler then teamed up at No. 1 doubles to add one more win.

The varsity girls' tennis team topped Warren County High School 6-1. The team saw singles wins from Anna Post (No. 1), Jenna Black (No. 2), Hannah Mullens (No. 3), and Sage Mangru (No. 4). Post/Black and Mullens/Mangru then teamed up at No. 1 and No. 2 doubles, respectively, to add two more wins. Newcomer Hannah Moss also contributed a win in an exhibition singles match at No. 6.

The varsity teams began their regular season March 28 on the road against Boyd Buchanan. The boys' team played hard, but the Boyd Buchanan team proved to be more consistent. The SAS boys fell 1-6 with the lone win coming from No. 1 singles player Nathan King in a gutsy 9-7 effort. The girls' team executed consistency and precise shot placement in their 5-2 victory. Contributing singles wins were No. 1 Tessa Shackelford (8-1), No. 2 Anna Post (8-4), No. 3 Jenna Black (8-5), and No. 5 Saje Mangru (8-5). Shackelford and Post teamed up to add one more win at No. 1 doubles (8-4).

On April 2, the varsity teams faced rival Webb Bell Buckle at home. The boys' team put forth a strong effort, but the Webb team proved too tough as the Mountain Lions fell 2-5. Nathan King and Finn Michler clinched a nail-biter at No. 1 doubles (9-8), and Tanner King secured a win at No. 3 singles due to default. The SAS girls dominated Webb Bell Buckle with a 7-0 victory. Tessa Shackelford, Anna Post, Jenna Black, Hannah Mullens, and Laura Crigger cruised through their singles matches at positions 1-5. Shackelford/Post and Black/Mullens added two more doubles wins, dropping only one game in the two matches. SAS added additional wins in exhibition matches from Saje Mangru (No. 6 singles) and Mangru/Crigger (No. 3 doubles). The boys' team is 1-2 and the girls' team is 3-0 for the season.

## TigerSharks Summer Season

all area youth ages 4-18, is prepar-skills, self-esteem, and provides a third year as the TigerShark head on individual progress, team unity, coach, accompanied by returning assistant coaches Nan Long and Alyssa Summers.

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 Makos, and they look to continue improving this summer.

Tigersharks is to provide a quality

The Sewanee TigerSharks, the health and safety through the local summer league swim team for development of quality swimming ng for an exciting summer season. strong community experience in John Noffsinger returns in his all swimmers through an emphasis peer mentorship, and family participation.

All experience levels, from the Last summer, the team enjoyed complete beginner to the experia robust roster of 84 swimmers and enced 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, Championships to the Manchester May 20, at 3:15 p.m. at the University of the South Natatorium, with regular practices beginning The mission of the Sewanee Tuesday, May 21. All interested parents and swimmers should visit amateur competitive swimming the Sewanee Tigersharks website experience for Sewanee and the sur- at <www.sewaneetigersharks.com> rounding areas. The team promotes or email the team representatives at good sportsmanship, individual <sewaneetigersharks@gmail.com>.

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Ellie Czura playing against Rhodes in Saturday's conference win. The Sewanee women's tennis program has won 40 straight regular season conference matches. On March 31, the 26th-ranked Sewanee women's team blanked the Warriors of Hendrix College 9-0, in a Southern Athletic Association match. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson







Senior Thomas Lynde attacks the goal in Sunday's close-fought overtime win over Birmingham-Southern. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

## Sewanee Men's Lacrosse Rallies to OT Win Over BSC

The Sewanee men's lacrosse team used a seven-goal fourth thanks to a Birmingham-Southern quarter to rally from a 9-6 halftime penalty, Hayden Hunt evened the deficit to defeat Birmingham- contest at 13 goals apiece with a Southern (BSC), 15-14, in overtime man-up goal. March 31, at historic Hardee-McGee Field at Harris Stadium.

lacrosse recognized its 10 seniors: Henry Burns, Grant Gilmore, Marr, Cal Pearce, Will Pratt, Ryan Stubits, Tal Wharton and Bryce Womack.

After Sewanee scored the first Will Pratt, Birmingham-Southern scored three straight to lead 3-1. The Tigers would tack on a second goal with five minutes left in the quarter, but they trailed 3-2 after 15 minutes of play.

Despite scoring four goals in the left, BSC turned the ball over. second quarter, the Tigers got the deficit as close as one goal with a Thomas Oliver goal with 10:48 left in the period. However, the visitors outscored the home team, 4-2, until the halftime horn sounded. BSC led 9-6 at the break.

After an offensive second stanza, the third one was a defensive one. BSC extended its lead with a goal at the 11:12 mark, but the Tigers recorded a man-up goal to make it a three-goal deficit once again, going into the fourth quarter.

BSC scored two of the first three goals of the fourth period to lead 12-8 with 9:22 left in regulation, but the Sewanee offense came to life. In the final nine minutes of the shots in 12 minutes between the fourth quarter, the Purple and Gold outscored the Panthers, 6-2. shots.

With three minutes remaining,

With 34 seconds remaining, BSC attempted to win the contest Prior to face off, Sewanee men's on a shot, but thanks to a Tal Wharton save, the Tigers successfully cleared the ball and Thomas Hayden Hunt, Thomas Lynde, Ian Lynde found Cal Pearce for the goal with 19 seconds left to give the Purple and Gold the 14-13 advantage.

However, the Panthers won goal of the game in 46 seconds by the face off and immediately went down to score the game-tying goal with 10 seconds left to force

> In the overtime period, Tal Wharton saved two key shots. After a save by Wharton with 1:32

> After a successful clear and a Sewanee timeout, Hayden Hunt netted the game-winning goal with 34 seconds left to seal the victory.

> Thomas Lynde recorded 10 points on his Senior Day with four goals and six assists. In the fourth quarter comeback, he scored six points, one goal and five assists, to help Sewanee recover from the halftime deficit.

> Hayden Hunt and Drew Mullen each recorded a hat trick with three goals each.

> Ryan Stubits has won 20-of-33 face offs and scooped up 13 ground

Tal Wharton (2-1) saved five Rhodes ipes. Bryce Womack stopped 14

# Sewanee Women's Lacrosse Routs Berry in SAA Victory

The Sewanee women's lacrosse team eclipsed the 10-win mark for the ninth time in the program's 12year history with a 19-1 dominating win over the Vikings of Berry College, March 31 at Puett Field to conclude a month-long, 11-game homestand.

Sewanee scored the first eight goals of the contest in a 10-minute span before the Vikings broke the

The Purple and Gold made it a 15-1 contest at intermission thanks to a 68 shooting percentage (15-of-22) from the field.

Twelve different Tigers scored a point in the win over the Vikings, led by Kelly Thomsen and Hattie Fogarty who notched five points each. Thomsen scored once and assisted on four goals, while Fogarty scored twice and assisted three times.

Preston Cooper scored four times for the Tigers in the win. Grace Zechman added four points with one goal and three assists. Thomsen also won seven draws, while Fogarty scooped up six ground balls. The quartet of Caroline Roncalli (3-0), Molly Morris, Brianna Young and Amanda Jenkins limited the defense to four shots and saving three. As a team, the Tigers shot 19-of-30 (63 percent) on the day.

#### **HOME GAMES**

Friday, April 5

4 p.m., SAS Middle School Tennis vs. Webb

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

Saturday, April 6

9 a.m., SAS Middle School JV Volleyball, JV Tournament 9 a.m., University Women's

Tennis vs. Berry College 10 a.m., SAS Varsity Tennis vs. Franklin County High School

1 p.m., University Men's Tennis vs. Berry College

noon/2 p.m., University Softball vs. Rhodes

Sunday, April 7 noon, University Softball vs.

Tuesday, April 9 4 p.m., SAS Varsity Tennis vs.

Collegedale Academy

**Thursday, April 11** 4 p.m., SAS Middle School Tennis vs. Westwood Middle School 5 p.m., SAS Varsity Boys' Soccer vs. Chattanooga Christian School

Friday, April 12 4:15 p.m., SAS Varsity Track and Field vs. Cascade, South Pittsburgh

Saturday, April 13 noon/3 p.m., University Baseball vs. Millsaps

noon, University Women's Lacrosse vs. Centre

2 p.m., SAS Varsity Boys' Soccer vs. Notre Dame High School

Sunday, April 14 noon, University Baseball vs. Millsaps

Monday, April 15 3 p.m., University Men's Tennis

4:15 p.m., SAS Varsity Girls' Tennis vs. Tullahoma High School Wednesday, April 17 3 p.m., University Men's Tennis

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Jake Woolard hit a home run in Sewanee's first game win over Rhodes College on Saturday. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

## Sewanee Baseball Falters in Rubber Match Versus Lynx

The Sewanee baseball team captured a Saturday doubleheader split with a 15-4 win over the Lynx of Rhodes College in game one. In game two, the visitors defeated the Tigers, 8-6, from Montgomery Field.

Sewanee scored early and often in the first game of the twinbill, as the team posted a run in each inning but the sixth.

Jack Galanek brought the first run across on a bases loaded free pass, while Jake Woolard notched an RBI single to make it a 2-0 affair after

one complete inning.

The Tigers tacked on a run in the second thanks to some help by the Lynx's defense. After Trey Akins flew out to center field, Riley Brandvold tagged to third, but because of a fielding error by the shortstop, Brandvold scored easily.

In the third, Woolard sent a fly ball over the right field wall to make

Sewanee put the game away in the fourth with a seven-run frame. Woolard and Chris McNulty each posted two-run base knocks to lead the offense in the frame.

In the second game of the series, the Lynx scored the first run of the contest in the top half of the opening inning, but the home team responded with a two-run bottom half to claim the lead. Chris McNulty recorded an RBI single, and he later scored thanks to a Rhodes throwing

After a scoreless second, the Lynx recorded a big inning of their own with a seven-run inning to make it an 8-2 contest.

Sewanee tacked on a run in the fourth with an RBI by Josh Roberts. The Tigers made it interesting in the seventh. Riley Brandvold led off the inning with a solo dinger to straightaway center field to make

Later in the inning, thanks to two wild pitches, McNulty cut the deficit to three runs, 8-5.

Jack Galanek made it an 8-6 contest with an RBI base hit, but the last two batters recorded outs to end the game.

The Sewanee baseball team was defeated by the Lynx of Rhodes College, 6-2, March 31 at Montgomery Field, in the rubber match of the three-game, Southern Athletic Association series.

Rhodes got the scoring going in the second inning with a two-run frame, led by Will Hertin's home run.

In the bottom half of the inning, Jake Woolard and Carter Huffman evened the score with back-to-back RBI singles.

The Lynx reclaimed the lead for good in the third thanks to a sacrifice fly before the visitors secured the victory with three more runs in the

Braxton Swanson, Jake Woolard, Carter Huffman and Jack Galanek each recorded a hit for Sewanee.

Woolard and Huffman each recorded an RBI in the contest. With an 0-for-4 day at the plate on Sunday, Riley Brandvold's hitting

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streak was snapped at 15 games. Trey Holland (3-2) tossed five innings in his start for the Tigers, al-



The Sewanee track and field teams were back in action after spring break at the Emory Classic in Atlanta over the weekend.

Clay McKnight ran to a new personal best time of 18:56.07 in the 5,000 meters, finishing in fifth overall. She is now ranked 23rd in the South/Southeast Region and seventh in the Southern Athletic Association.

Meredith Stuber earned a new personal mark in the long jump, clearing 4.85 meters. The mark is 34th in the region and 10th in the conference. Over the weekend, she also ran a 27.33-second mark in the 200 meters, missing her personal best by a hundredth of a second. She also recorded a 17.26-second time in the 100 hurdles.

Haven Watson missed her personal best mark in the 100 meters by 0.09 seconds with a 13.59-sec-

Kelsie Schiavone ran a 1:01.31 time in the 400 meters, finishing second among NCAA Division III runners.

Letherio Jones ran a personal best time of 51.05 seconds in the 400 meters for 23rd overall and seventh place among D-III competitors. With that run, he is currently 35th in the region and sixth in the conference.

Erbie Jennings ran a personal best in the 400 with a 53.02-second time. It is the 12th-fastest time in the SAA. He also sprinted to a 12.04-second mark in the 100.

Ash Midyett ran a 12th place finish of 1:59.30 in 800 meters.





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Jordan Brewer in tennis action against Rhodes on Saturday morning. The Sewanee men's tennis team, ranked No. 18 nationally, took down Hendrix, 9-0, in a Southern Athletic Association contest Sunday morning at the Guerry Indoor Courts. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

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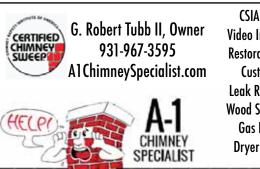


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### Eastern Tiger Swallowtail butterfly

The Eastern Tiger Swallowtail butterfly is back in town. **David** Rowe reports seeing one in his butterfly garden last weekend. They generally show up around the beginning of April in our area and have a second brood in September-October. They have overwintered as a chrysalis on a twig or other support. We are fortunate in that they prefer deciduous woodlands and woodland edges, even flying high among trees in yards, and we have a lot of those habitats. Also, the major foodplants of the caterpillars are wild black cherry and tulip poplar, common in our area. Since the caterpillars feed at night high in the treetops, they are not usually seen, but they are similar to the caterpillar of the black swallowtail, which may be found feeding on parsley, carrots, or dill. The adult butterfly is easy to identify—very large, with the "swallowtail" tips to the hindwings and yellow forewings with black "tiger" stripes. Females have two color forms, the one just described and a black form, more common in the south. These black form females may be confused with other "black" swallowtails—Spicebush, Pipevine, and Black. Check a butterfly field guide for distinguishing features.

Freddie Tucker reports he saw a hummingbird at his hummingbird feeder on March 30, while he was out doing yard work.



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#### Wednesday, April 10

Savage Gulf Day Loop Hike (\$10/adults; children free)—Join Ranger Mark Greenwood at 10:30 a.m. at Savage Gulf Ranger Station, 3157 S.R. 399, Palmer, on a 5-mile (round trip) hike around the Savage Gulf Day Loop. Attractions of note will include Rattlesnake Point (a beautiful overlook) and Savage Falls. Be sure to bring along water and a quick bite to eat in case you get hungry on the trail. Wear sturdy shoes in which to hike. (Note: the area around the falls and on overlooks can be treacherous in terms of keeping your footing. The potential to slip and fall exists, and extreme care is needed.) There will be stops at points of interest, including the falls for 20 minutes in the water (completely optional). Weather permitting.

#### Thursday, April 11

Savage Day Loop Trail Repair and Maintenance (free)—Join Ranger Mark Greenwood and the Division of Natural Areas' Murray Gheesling at 9 a.m. at Savage Gulf Ranger Station, 3157 S.R. 399, Palmer, for a day of trail repair and maintenance on the Savage Day Loop. Bring work clothes, study footwear, gloves, plenty of water and food for the trail. Work implements will be provided. Weather permitting.

#### Monday, April 15

Nature Hike to Horsepound Falls (\$10)—Join Ranger Dan Wescoat at 9 a.m. at Collins West trail head, on 55th Avenue off Hwy. 108 in Gruetli Laager for a 5-mile round trip, strenuous hike for the more experienced hiker, to Horsepound Falls. You will pass Suter Falls on the way to this most unique waterfall. There will be a 20-minute stop at the falls to take pictures and enjoy the beauty. The return trip will include a short detour to a beautiful overlook just past Collins West campsite. The trail goes over boulder fields and there are several slippery areas. Wear sturdy footwear, bring water, snacks, and your camera.

#### Wednesday, April 17

Defining Savage Gulf: You Can Help—Join Ranger Mark lenging incline. Greenwood at 9 a.m. at Savage Gulf Ranger Station, 3157 S.R. Park. Bring questions or comments there will do their best to answer them. There is no set agenda for this program. Your input is vital.

## WEATHER

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Smeagol

## Pets of the Week

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Smeagol is a 10-month-old gray/blue cat with stunning golden eyes. or so, for pictures and/or splashing Smeagol came in as a stray, but was super sweet and warmed up to the staff here rather quickly. Smeagol has a very funny habit of burrowing under his blankets and bedding. He is also very intuitive and responds well to new people, vying for the attention of anyone that walks in the door. Smeagol is very social with cats and loves his roommates in the cat suite. He is a bit indifferent about dogs, but may warm up to a laid back family dog. Smeagol is fully vaccinated, FIV/FeLV negative, neutered, and anticipating his adoption with a family that is ready for a snuggle buddy!

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## Sewanee Herbarium Spring 2019 Calendar of Events

Collins Gulf West—Sunday, April 7, 9 a.m., with Mary Priestley. This section of the South Cumberland State Park rivals Shakerag Hollow for diversity and abundance of spring wildflowers. Wear sturdy footwear, pack water and lunch, and bring cameras! Meet at the Collins West trailhead in Gruetli-Laager. 6 miles, moderate to strenuous with 600-foot elevation change. For directions to the Collins West trailhead, contact the South Cumberland State Park Visitors' Center (931-924-2980).

16th Annual Trails & Trilliums Festival, Friday-Sunday, April 12-14, DuBose Conference Center. The Herbarium Staff is involved in several events in this year's Festival, including a walk in Shakerag Hollow. See the Trails & Trilliums website, <a href="http://www.trailsandtrilliums.org">http://www.trailsandtrilliums.org</a> for the whole schedule. Numbers are limited and pre-registration is encouraged.

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 <a href="http://www.wildflowerpilgrimage.org">http://www.wildflowerpilgrimage.org</a> 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 chal-

Piney Point—Sunday, May 5, 1:30 p.m., with Yolande Gottfried. The community of plants that grows on the sandstone outcrops along 399, Palmer, for a chat about the 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. about Savage Gulf, and the folks 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> 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>. A map of meeting place locations is available at <a href="http://sewanee.edu/media/offices/herbarium/sewanee\_her-">http://sewanee.edu/media/offices/herbarium/sewanee\_her-</a> barium\_maps.pdf>.

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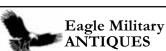
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## **BARDTOVERSE**

by Phoebe Bates

Whan that Aprille with his shoures soote, The droghte of March hath perced to the roote, And bathed every veyne in swich licóur Of which vertú engendred is the flour; Whan Zephirus eek with his swete breeth Inspired hath in every holt and heeth The tendre croppes, and the yonge sonne Hath in the Ram his halfe cours y-ronne, And smale foweles maken melodye, That slepen al the nyght with open ye, So priketh hem Natúre in hir corages, Thanne longen folk to goon on pilgrimages, And palmeres for to seken straunge strondes, To ferne halwes, kowthe in sondry londes; And specially, from every shires ende Of Engelond, to Caunterbury they wende, The hooly blisful martir for to seke, That hem hath holpen whan that they were seeke.

--Geoffrey Chaucer, Prologue to the Canterbury Tales

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# Community Calendar

#### Today, Friday, April 5

7 a.m. Curbside recycling

8:30 a.m. Deep Stretch Yoga, Darrylann, Comm Ctr. 8:30 a.m. Walk with Ease, F@H, Fowler Ctr.

9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m. 10 a.m. F@H Tai Ji Quan, Comm Ctr.

10 a.m. Game day, Senior Ctr. Noon Lease agenda items due, <pealsup@sewanee.edu>

4:30 p.m. Immigration lecture, Zamora, Cushman

Room, Women's Center 5 p.m. Ralston Room, Lakestreet Drive, until 6

7 p.m. Concert, comedian/musician Greg Hall, Smokehouse (free)

7:30 p.m. Movie, "Green Book," SUT

7:30 p.m. Performing Arts series Concert, Cash/ Leventhal, Guerry, tickets \$20

#### Saturday, April 6

8 a.m. FCDW Rummage Sale, 839 Dinah Shore Blvd., Winchester, until 2 p.m.

8 a.m. FC Hazardous Household Waste Event, Joyce Lane, Winchester, until 1 p.m.

9 a.m. MGT 5K Parkrun, Pearl's parking lot 9:30 a.m. Hospitality Shop open, until 1 p.m. 10 a.m. Memoir Writing, West, Senior Ctr., (\$15)

2 p.m. Barbecue dinner/fundraiser, Abundantly

Blessed, Harrison Chapel Church 7:30 p.m. Movie, "Green Book," SUT

#### Sunday, April 7

9 a.m. Herbarium Hike, Priestley, meet at Collins West Gulf trailhead, 2689 55th Ave., Gruetli-Laager

2 p.m. Knitting circle, Mooney's, until 4 p.m. 4 p.m. Bishop Reynolds Forum talk, Walker,

SAS McCrory Hall 4 p.m. Hatha Yoga, Helen, Comm Ctr.

6 p.m. Ralston Room, Mozart, until 7 p.m. 7:30 p.m. Movie, "Green Book," SUT

#### Monday, April 8

8:30 a.m. Walk with Ease, F@H, Fowler Ctr.

9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m. 9 a.m. Coffee with Coach, Blue Chair Tavern

9 a.m. Pilates, intermediate, Kim, Fowler Ctr.

9:30 a.m. Yoga, Darrylann, St. Mary's Sewanee

10:30 a.m. Chair Exercise, Ruth, Senior Ctr. Noon Sewanee Woman's Club, Smith, DuBose

3 p.m. Ralston Room, Dragonetti, until 4 p.m.

5 p.m. Pilates, Golfers, Kim, Fowler Ctr.

5 p.m. Tai Chi, beginners Kathleen, Legion Hall 5 p.m. Grace Talk/booksigning, Motley, Gailor 5:30 p.m. Yoga, Strength/Healing, Pippa, CommCtr. 6 p.m. Karate, youth, Legion Hall; adults, 7 p.m.

6 p.m. Ralston Room, Tom Petty, until 7 p.m. 7 p.m. Ralston Room, Beyoncé, until 8 p.m.

8 p.m. Ralston Room, Butler, until 9 p.m.

#### Tuesday, April 9

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 a.m. PEO Sisterhood Chp Z, (931) 962-0202

10:30 a.m. Bingo, Senior Ctr.

11:30 a.m.GC Rotary, Dutch Maid Bakery

Noon Pilates, intermediate, Kim, Fowler Ctr. 2 p.m. F@H Reading Group, School of Theology

p.m. Yoga, Darrylann, St. Mary's Sewanee

5:30 p.m. Daughters of the King, St. James

6 p.m. Ralston Room, Wilson, jams, until 7 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. Racial Healing Lecture/reception/book

signing, Spellers, S of T Hargrove Aud. 7 p.m. Ralston Room, Tame Impala, until 8 p.m.

8 p.m. Ralston Room, French music, until 9 p.m.

#### Wednesday, April 10

8:30 a.m. Walk with Ease, F@H, Fowler Ctr

9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m. 9 a.m. Pilates, intermediate, Kim, Fowler Ctr.

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;

lead, Herrick, 12:30 p.m.

5 p.m. Art reception, Perkins, Carlos Gallery

5 p.m. Pilates for Tennis, Kim, Fowler Ctr.

5 p.m. Ralston Room, Tchaikovsky, until 6 p.m.

5 p.m. Suicide Survivors of Sewanee, Brooks Hall, Otey

5 p.m. Tai Chi, beginners, Kathleen, Legion Hall 5:30 p.m. Hatha Yoga, Helen, Comm Ctr.

5:30 p.m. Soup/Lenten book study, St. Mark's, Otey, simple supper at 6 p.m.

7 p.m. Catechumenate, Women's Center

7 p.m. Ralston Room, Bach, until 8 p.m. 8 p.m. Ralston Room, Steely Dan, until 9 p.m.

#### Thursday, April 11

7 a.m. Qi Gong on the Bluff, Wall, St. Mary's

8 a.m. Monteagle-Sewanee Rotary, Sewanee Inn 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. 12:30 p.m. VITA Free TaxPrep, Betterfi, 9933 SR-56, Coalmont, until 2:30 p.m.
1 p.m. F@H Caregiver's Group, St. Mark's, Otey
1 p.m. Lenten book study, St. Mark's, Otey

2 p.m. Knitting circle, Mooney's, until 4 p.m.

4 p.m. Ralston Room, Dragonetti, until 5 p.m. 6 p.m. Karate, youth, Legion Hall; adults, 7 p.m. 6 p.m. Ralston Room, Beach Boys, until 7 p.m.

6:30 p.m. Reversing Diabetes Seminar, (session 1 of 6), Smoke House, (989)488-8771 or

<acheney1947@att.net> info/to register

7 p.m. Dance performance, Perpetual Motion,

#### Friday, April 12

Medieval Colloquium, through April 13, Gailor Trails and Trilliums, through April 14, DuBose

8:30 a.m. Deep Stretch Yoga, Darrylann, Comm Ctr. 8:30 a.m. Walk with Ease, F@H, Fowler Ctr.

9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m.

10 a.m. F@H Tai Ji Quan, Comm Ctr.

10 a.m. Game day, Senior Ctr.

5 p.m. Ralston Room, R.K. Surprise, until 6 p.m.

5:30 p.m. Wine and Wildflowers, Monteagle Inn

5:30 p.m. Art reception, Carlos, Frame Gallery, until 7 p.m.

5:45 p.m. Medieval Colloquium talk, Woods, Gailor

7 p.m. Dance performance, Perpetual Motion, Guerry

8 p.m. Spring Concert, Sewanee Chorale, All

## **Local 12-Step Meetings**

#### Friday

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

Saturday 7:30 p.m. NA, open, Decherd United Meth-

7:30 p.m. AA, open, Claiborne Parish House,

Sunday

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

Monday 5 p.m. Women's 12-step, Brooks Hall,

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

7 p.m. AA, open, First Baptist, Altamont

7:30 p.m. AA, open, Claiborne Parish House,

Wednesday 10 a.m. AA, closed, Clifftops, (931) 924-

7 p.m. NA, open, Decherd United Meth-

7:30 p.m. AA, open, Holy Comforter, Mon-

#### Thursday

7 p.m., Al-Anon, Morton Memorial, Mon-

7 p.m. Al-Anon, First UMC, Winchester

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