# The Sewanee Mountain

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Friday, November 18, 2016

**Tree Lighting** 

**Kicks** 

on Dec. 2

The University will join with the community for two holiday tree light-

ings on Friday, Dec. 2. Students and

community members will gather at 4

p.m. in the University Quad for music

and snacks. The campus tree lighting

A Sewanee fire engine will carry

The tree lighting at Angel Park will

Santa Claus and friends to downtown

be at 5:30 p.m. Cookies and hot bever-

ages will be available afterward, and

Santa and the Grinch will be posing

joe David McBee, road commis-

sioner for the first district of Franklin

County, reports that the county has

given permission for University Ave.

to be closed, 4–7 p.m., Friday, from

Regions Bank to State Highway 41A

Christmas caroling. Please bring

unwrapped toys for Operation Noel.

Gifts of money and nonperishable

food will be collected for the Com-

day, Nov. 30. All are welcome to come

help with this festive activity.

In case of inclement weather, the

munity Action Committee.

The Sewanee Chorale will lead

downtown Sewanee at 5 p.m.

around 5:15 p.m.

for the event.

# **Operation Noel**

# Providing Abundant Holidays for All

In just a few weeks, it will be Christmas. While many are already planning ahead about gifts to buy and food to eat, there are those not so fortunate. In our area, there are children who may not get presents and families that may not have an abundant holiday meal.

Each year the Sewanee Volunteer Fire Department (SVFD), in conjunction with FROST (the department's Fund Raising Operational Support Team), organizes the purchasing and distribution of food and toys for these families. All items will be delivered the morning of Dec. 23 by the SVFD and FROST.

But this important program cannot happen without help from the community. Please consider making a donation of money, nonperishable food items or new toys to Operation Noel this year and give back to your community this Christmas season.

Families eligible for Operation Noel must live in the following communities: Sewanee, Midway, Jump Off and Sherwood Road to the top of Sherwood Mountain (but not into Sherwood).

Every family needs to fill out a new application, even if they have received from Operation Noel before. An application ensures that organizers have all the pertinent information so they can provide for everyone in need. The application is on page 8 of this week's issue of the Messenger. The deadline for returning applications is Monday, Dec. 12.

If you would like to make a donation of money, nonperishable food items or new toys, please take items to Fire Chief David Green's office at the fire hall behind duPont Library, or Print Services next door to University Book and Supply Store. For more information call 598-3400 and leave a message.



Photo from the Clifftops-Laurel Lake fire sight. The fire is still smoldering in places. The new leaf fall is an obvious concern increasing the chance of reburn. Photo by Leslie Lytle

# Forest Fire Update, Multi-County Burn Ban

by Leslie Lytle, Messenger Staff Writer

As of Nov. 16, the Tennessee Deof Forestry reported 16 active fires burning in the Franklin-Grundy-Marion region of the Cumberland District of Tennessee: two in Franklin County, 11 in Grundy County, and three in Marion County.

firefighters battled an 80-acre blaze Franklin, Grundy and Marion among of unknown origins in the gorge between Clifftops and Laurel Lake and a smaller fire attributed to arson in the Marion region are currently con-Haven of Rest-Lankford Town Road vicinity of Tracy City. Two new fires broke out Sunday, a field fire in the Broadview-Belvidere area of Franklin County and a fire in the gulch on the Grundy County-Sequatchie County line. Tuesday, new fires broke out of reburn. We're monitoring all sites." in the Gizzard Creek, Clouse Hill, and Gruetli-Laager areas of Grundy ers have responded to more than 40 County and the Cades Cove and blazes in the past month, impacting Prentice Cooper State Forest areas more than 3,000 acres, with 893 of Marion County.

Statewide, 67 active forest fires partment of Agriculture Division are burning, impacting 15,914 acres, with more than 20 new fires since last Friday. On Nov. 10 the Tennessee Emergency Management Agency declared a Level 3 State of Emergency. On Nov. 15, Governor Bill Haslam banned all fires including campfires Last weekend forestry service and trash burning in 51 counties, the counties named.

"All fires in the Franklin-Grundytained," said Steve Rymer, Service Technician heading up Grundy County Forest Service. But Rymer cautions, "Fires from two weeks ago are still smoking. With dry leaves dropping from the trees, there's the possibility

Franklin-Grundy-Marion firefight-

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Anja Dombrowski, Catherine Money, Eli Wilson and Maple Landis-Browne dancing the Gingerbread Children's dance during "The Nutcracker" performance in Sewanee last weekend. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

# Electric Arcadia an Elastic Labor Off Holidays of Love

by Kevin Cummings Messenger Staff Writer

On Saturday, Nov. 19, at 7 p.m., the American Legion Hall in Sewanee will house "An Evening of Folk, Soul and Rock 'n' Roll," presented by Electric Arcadia, an artist-driven venture designed to encourage collaboration and creativity.

The concert is a melding of varied talents, said Linda Heck, musician and founder of Electric Arcadia.

"The concept of Electric Arcadia is emergent and elastic, and could grow into a non-profit musical making space with room for demonstrations and performances," she said. "... I thought that (Sewanee) students especially might be interested in such a musical making space, where people can come together to learn about, experience and create electric, experimental or any kind of music. I love all kinds of music, and most especially the blurring together of genres — or obliterating the idea of genre entirely."

Proceeds from the show will help produce an EP by "Wet Bar," which consists of Heck on guitar, Thomas Macfie on vocals and guitar, St. Andrew's-Sewanee student Alex ipscomb on bass, seminarian Tom Adamson on cello, and Lahna Deering

on vocals and percussions. The group's members will also perform solo sets in addition to other ollaborations. Macfie, a poet and journalist when he's not making music, said Wet Bar carries a spirit of experimentation, mutual support and therapy.

"I've always been I think secretly interested in writing more Americana influenced music, some way to explore myself as a Southerner. But I really needed Linda's help," he said. "... And as others became involved, the project really manifested, really became a free and open space for mutual creativity and help. I feel truly blessed by these four people; there is a real familial feel, a real sense of love."

People who listen to the EP may hear the influences of groups such as Silver Jews and Uncle Tupelo, Macfie

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# **Local Farm Supplies Turkey** for Thanksgiving **Feast** by Leslie Lytle, Messenger Staff Writer

The turkey served Nov. 17 at the Sewanee Dining Thanksgiving dinner wasn't quite as fresh as what folks used to get when grandpa lobbed the head off the turkey Thanksgiving morning in the back yard, but it was darn close. Arriving at the Sewanee Dining loading dock early on the morning of Nov. 15, Fountain Springs Farm delivered 30 fresh—not frozen—pasture raised turkeys slaughtered and processed on the Morrison, Tenn., family farm just the day before.

"We put a deposit on the chicks in March so we'd be sure to have enough locally raised turkey for the meal," Sewanee Dining Director Rick Wright said. Wright anticipated needing 600-1,000 pounds of turkey for the annual event, held the week before

Thanksgiving.
"The turkeys weighed 13-20 pounds each. The toms typically weigh more than the hens," explained Fountain Springs farmer Eric Earle.

Raised in a poly-netting fenced pasture with an outbuilding for shade, the turkeys take 18-20 weeks to grow to maturity. "We supplement the turkeys' diet with non-GMO grain,"

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Is it popcorn?

# SES "Turkey Protection"

The Sewanee Elementary School post-tree-lighting activities will move first-grade students have once again inside to the Blue Chair Bakery and created disguises for their turkey friends to help them survive the up-Decorating of the Christmas tree coming holiday and avoid being the at Angel Park will be at 9 a.m., Wednes-main course for dinner.

Turkeys are "hiding" throughout this issue of the Messenger and might This event is co-sponsored by the just try to sneak in next week. See University and the Sewanee Business them all in color at <www.sewanee messenger.com>.

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Alliance.



Antique quilt

# Senior Center Christmas Bazzar

This antique quilt (ca 1910) was made by Lena Ann Green, born in Bern, Switzerland on May 30, 1881, and married to George Washington Green Sr. on June 25, 1906. It was donated to the Sewanee Senior Center by her grand-daughter, Barbara Finney Swygart.

This quilt is part of the Senior Citizen Center's Christmas Bazaar. The quilt, \$250 in cash and a new sewing machine will be given away at 1 p.m., Dec. 13. Tickets are \$2 each and are available at the Senior Center. The Christmas Bazaar will be Dec. 5–10, Monday–Friday, 9 a.m.–2 p.m., and Saturday, 9 a.m.–1 p.m.









# Thanksgiving Holiday Closings

Thanksgiving Day is Thursday, Nov. 24. All federal, state and county offices will be closed, including the banks and post offices. Other closings include the offices of the University and St. Andrew's-Sewanee School, the Messenger and the Sewanee Senior Center.

The University Archives and du-Pont Library will be closed Thursday, Nov. 24 and Friday, Nov. 25. Hours for duPont are 10 a.m.–2 p.m., Saturday, Nov. 26, 1–5 p.m., Sunday, Nov. 27, and back to regular hours on Monday, Nov. 28.

# Convenience Center Hours

Franklin County Convenience Centers holiday hours are:

closed Thursday and Friday, Nov. 24–25, and open Saturday, Nov. 26 for Thanksgiving weekend;

closed Saturday, Dec. 24 for Christmas, and closed Saturday, Dec. 31 for New Years' Eve.

# University Deer Hunt

The 2016 University deer hunt continues through Jan. 13, 2017. The archery only season runs through Dec. 21, and the regular season begins on Dec. 22.

Hunting is allowed on most weekends from sunrise to 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. until sunset. Hunting is allowed weekdays from sunrise to 8:30 a.m. in all zones and 3:30 p.m. to sunset in zones 3, 4 and 6.

There is no hunting Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Eve or Christmas Day. There will be a limited firearms hunt that will start the day after Christmas.

For more information and a map, go to <a href="http://www.sewanee.edu/offices/oess/the-domain/ecosystem-management/hunting/">http://www.sewanee.edu/offices/oess/the-domain/ecosystem-management/hunting/</a>>.



Is it Legos?

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# Messenger Break Ahead

It is hard to imagine, but Thanksgiving is soon, and Christmas is just around the corner.

The Messenger will publish its Thanksgiving issue on Wednesday, Nov 23

Deadlines for the Thanksgiving week issue, which will come out on Wednesday, Nov. 23 are: display advertising at 5 p.m., Friday, Nov. 18 (via email); news/calendar, noon, Saturday, Nov. 19 (via email) and classified ads, noon, Monday, Nov. 21.

If your organization or church has a different schedule during these upcoming holidays than we normally post, please send the calendar updates to <news@sewaneemessenger.com> or call the office at 598-9949.

# University Job Opportunities

Exempt Positions: Director of Environmental Stewardship and Sustainability, ES&S; Director of Student Conduct, Dean of Students; International Student Services Coordinator, Global Education; Senior Associate University Registrar, Registrar's Office.

Non-Exempt Positions: in Sewanee Dining: Assistant Manager; Cashier; First Cook; Food Service Worker; Second Cook; Senior Cook.

To apply or learn more go to <www. jobs.sewanee.edu> or call 598-1381.



# Letters to the Editor Policy

Letters to the editor are welcome at the Sewanee Mountain Messenger and are a vital part of our community's conversation. Letters need to be no longer than 250 words and may be edited for space and clarity. We make exceptions from time to time, but these are our general guidelines.

Letters and/or their author 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 day-



time 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@sewaneemessenger.com>. — KB

# Serving Where Called

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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.

# MESSENGER DEADLINES & CONTACTS

PHONE: (931) 598-9949

# News, Sports & Calendar

Tuesday, 5 p.m. Kiki Beavers

news@sewaneemessenger.com Kevin Cummings sports@sewaneemessenger.com

# **Display Advertising**

Monday, 5 p.m. ads@sewaneemessenger.com

# Classified Advertising

Wednesday, noon April Minkler classifieds@sewaneemessenger.com

# **MESSENGER HOURS**

Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Thursday—Production Day
9 a.m. until pages are completed
(usually mid-afternoon)

<u>Friday—Circulation Day</u> Closed

# **Upcoming Meetings & Events**

## **Bake Sale Today**

There will be a benefit bake sale at Citizens Tri-County Bank and Mountain Valley Bank in Monteagle, today (Friday), Nov. 18, at 9 a.m. until all has sold. Proceeds will benefit the Women on Mission from First Baptist Church, Monteagle.

#### Little League Info Meeting Today

A community meeting regarding getting a Little League charter back for Sewanee Little League will be at 6 p.m., today (Friday), Nov. 18, at the Little League field on Ball Park Road. The Little League District Administrator will be there to answer any questions. All are welcome.

#### **United Daughters of the Confederacy**

The UDC Kirby-Smith Chapter 327, Sewanee will hold its monthly meeting at 10 a.m., Saturday, Nov. 19, at the Franklin-Pearson House in Cowan. For more information, call (931) 924-3000. Meetings are open to the public.

#### **Animal Harbor's Party for Paws Benefit**

The Party for Paws fundraiser for Animal Harbor will be on Saturday, Nov. 19, 6–8:30 p.m. at St. Mark's Hall, Otey Parish. Enjoy fabulous food catered by Natural Bridge Sewanee, a full bar, music, and both live and silent auctions full of treasures. Tickets are \$55 and can be purchased online at <www.animalharbor.org>, at the shelter (56 Nor-Nan Road), at the veterinarian clinics in Winchester, or by calling Susan Rupert at 967-8903.

#### **Black Anvil Open House**

Black Anvil Equestrian is having an open house 2–4 p.m., Sunday, Nov. 20. Black Anvil is located at 875 Riva Lake Rd., Winchester. Participants can register for door prizes, tour the barn, meet the trainer Cat Dye and

#### Coffee with the Coach

Coffee with the Coach, an opportunity to learn more about Sewanee's sports teams, will be at 9 a.m., Monday, Nov. 21 with women's basketball coach Dickie McCarthy. Gather at the Blue Chair Tavern for free coffee and conversation. All are welcome.

#### **Sewanee Book Club Meeting**

The Sewanee Book Club will meet at 1:30 p.m., Monday, Nov. 21 at the home of Flournoy Rogers. Marcia Mary Cook will review "Fifth Business" a novel by Canadian novelist Robertson Davies. For more information or directions contact Debbie Racka at 692-6088 or email < debbie 811123@ gmail.com>, or Flournoy Rogers at 598-0733 or email < semmesrogers@ gmail.com>.

# **SUD Meeting**

The Sewanee Utility District of Franklin and Marion Counties Board of Commissioners will have its regular meeting at 5 p.m., Monday, Nov.21, at the utility office on 150 Sherwood Road.

# **Area Rotary Club Meetings**

The Grundy County Rotary Club meets at 11:30 a.m. on Tuesdays at Dutch Maid Bakery in Tracy City. The Monteagle Sewanee Rotary Club meets at 8 a.m., Thursdays at the Sewanee Inn. The Monteagle Sewanee Rotary Club will not meet on Thursday, Nov. 24.

# **GAAC Holiday Feast**

The Grundy Area Arts Council will hold its annual holiday feast and meeting Monday, Dec. 5 at 5:30 p.m. at the Dutch Maid Bakery in Tracy City. Entertainment will be provided by dancers from the recent Sewanee production of "The Nutcracker." Dinner will be a Christmas buffet featuring a holiday ham. Come and hear about present and future projects advancing the arts in the area. Contact <grundyareaarts@gmail.com> to reserve your dinner seat. Dinner costs \$10 per person, and reservations should be made by Monday, Nov. 28.

# **Lessons** and **Carols Tickets**

The 57th annual Festival of Lessons and Carols at the University of the South will be celebrated at three services, two on Dec. 3 at 5 p.m. and 8 p.m. and one on Dec. 4 at 5 p.m.

At once solemn and joyful, the Festival of Lessons and Carols evokes the meaning of the Advent season through the radiant music of the University Choir and selected readand Sewanee community. The service email or phone. Orders are due on Friday, Dec. 2. is based on one that has been sung annually since 1918 at King's College Chapel in Cambridge, England. It features the University Choir under the direction of University organist and choirmaster Geoffrey Ward.

As part of the University mission and the program of education and formation of All Saints' Chapel, the Festival Service of Lessons and Carols offers students, faculty, and staff the opportunity to experience one of the oldest traditions of Anglican music

and Advent expectation.

The Chapel is pleased to welcome the public by offering any available places in the services for reservation; however, the number of places available to the public may be limited. Online reservations for the public opened Nov. 16.

For more information and waitlist ticket options go to <a href="http://sewanee">http://sewanee</a>. edu/student-life/spiritual-life/festivalservice-of-lessons-and-carols/>

# **Food with Friends**

There will be a Thanksgiving Feast at noon, Friday, Nov. 25, in St. Mark's Hall sponsored by the Community Action Committee and Food with Friends.

The meal is prepared by Chef Rick Wright and University Dining. Please join us to share good food and fellowship. Those who signed up to receive a turkey can pick them up after the lunch. All are invited to attend.



Is it Santa?

# Balsam Wreath Sale to Benefit CAC

The annual Balsam Wreath Sale has begun. A tradition for more than 20 years with sixth graders at Sewanee Elementary and then St. Andrew's-Sewanee participating, the profits from this sale now benefit the outreach work of the Community Action Committee, an organization that helps the greater Sewanee area.

The wreaths measure at least 22" and come with a big red bow and pine cones. The wreaths cost \$25 and will arrive between Dec. 7–14. The CAC will contact you when your wreath arrives to pickup at the CAC at Otey Parish. If requested, wreaths can be delivered.

To order wreaths, email <cacchristmaswreaths@gmail.com> or <cynthia dehondpotter@gmail.com> or call Cindy Potter at 598-5773. Order forms are also available at the CAC office at Otey. Be sure to include your name, number ings by members of the University of wreaths you want and contact information. Your order will be confirmed by



From the archives: The St. Andrew's-Sewanee sixth grders (now seniors in high school!) get ready to package the Balsam wreath orders.



November's Sparkle Award recipient is Allie Welch. age 4, of Winchester

Each month, Dr. Chris Mathews raws the name of one member of his "No cavity club" from a hat! For more information, call 598-0088.

# **Heart Healthy & Diabetic** Friendly Thursdays!

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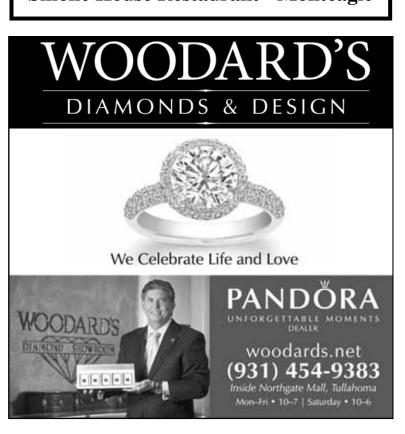


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# Christmas on the Mountain

Mid-Cumberland Mountain Ministries and Morton Memorial Methodist Church will sponsor Christmas on the Mountain, Sunday, Dec. 11.

The event will take place at Morton Memorial Methodist Church, 322 W. Main Street, Monteagle. The shopping will start at 1 p.m. and will be by appointment times.

Families with children 17-years old or younger, residing in their household, are eligible to participate.

Applications are available at the Morton Memorial office on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday, 9:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m. Applications will also be mailed to interested families by request. Call the church office (931) 924-2192 to have an application mailed, or pick up an application. Monday, Nov. 21 is the deadline for registration.

Participating families may purchase two gifts for each child in their household at greatly discounted prices. The purchases will be paid for in cash the day of the sale.

A postcard with designated shopping times will be mailed to each family prior to the event.

# Greening of the Chapel

On Friday, Dec. 2, members of the Sewanee community are invited to join in the Greening of All Saints' Chafrom your garden (dried hydrangea, nandina and other berries, unusual be used to decorate wreaths and garlands. Coffee and pastries are served throughout the morning, and a light lunch will be offered at noon. Ken Taylor, of Taylor's Mercantile, will direct the day's activities.

If your church is in our print circulation area and would like to be listed in the calendar, please send service times, church address and contact information to <news@ sewaneemessenger.com> or

# phone 598-9949.

## **Boyd Fults**

Boyd Fults, age 71, died on Nov. 12, 2016. He was born on July 30, 1945, in Whitwell, to Wesley and Parthenia McHone Fults. He was preceded in death by his parents; and brother Paul Fults.

He is survived by his wife of 51 years, Linda VanHoosier Fults; daughter, Vicky Fults; son, Dewayne (Kristi) Fults; sisters, Zella (Horace Ray) Slatton, Linda Jones and Barbara King; brothers Melvin (Faye), Hoyt (Amy) and David (Charlotte) Fults, four grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were Nov. 15 in the Layne Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Mack Hampton officiating, interment followed in Palmer Cemetery. For complete obituary go to <www.laynefuneralhome.com>.



# **Keele Memorial Service**

The memorial service for Rob Keele will be at 11 a.m., Saturday, Nov. 19, at Otey Parish Church. A reception will follow the service in St. Mark's Hall at Otey Parish.



# **MOORE-CORTNER FUNERAL HOME**

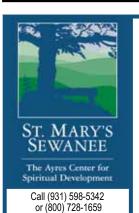
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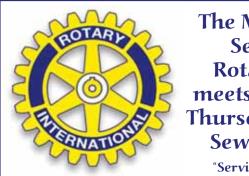
# **UPCOMING RETREATS ONE RIVER WISDOM RETREAT:**

# **EMBRACING ESAU**

December 2—December 4 The Rev. Dr. Gordon Peerman Rabbi Dr. Rami Shapiro, Ph.D St. Mary's Hall: \$450 (Single), The Anna House: \$550 (Single), Commuter: \$350 (Single)

#### THREE-DAY ADVENT CENTERING PRAYER RETREAT

December 9—December 11 The Rev. Tom Ward, presenter St. Mary's Hall: \$350 (Single), The Anna House: \$450 (Single)



The Monteagle Sewanee Rotary Club meets at 8 a.m., Thursdays, at the Sewanee Inn

"Service Above Self"

# **Church News**

# All Saints' Chapel

Growing in Grace continues Sunday, Nov. 20, at 6:30 p.m. in All Saints' Chapel. The speaker will be Curpel in preparation for the 57th Annual tis Johnson, a member of the class Festival of Lessons and Carols. Work of 2014 and an assistant director begins at 9 a.m. and all levels of expe- of Admission. This informal worship rience are welcomed and very much service is designed for students and needed. Please bring any treasures community members with studentled acoustic music, guest speakers, and Holy Communion. This Advent evergreen clippings, etc.) which can semester, Growing in Grace will focus music will be provided by the host on moments in our life where we find ourselves at a "Crossroads."

> Wednesday, Nov. 30, at 7 p.m. in the <www.cowanchurches.org>. Bairnwick Women's Center. Desserts and coffee will be provided. Catechumenate, from a Greek word meaning "learning and exploring," is a place where we explore what it means to be a human being and what it means to be a person of faith in our community. Email Lay Chaplain Rob McAlister <rvmcalis@sewanee.edu> for directions or more information.

Morning and Evening Prayer will be suspended while the University is on break, beginning Wed, Nov. 23. These services will resume Tuesday,

Nov. 29. Next Sunday, the Eucharist will be offered at 8 a.m. only at the High Altar. The 11 a.m. Eucharist will resume on Sunday, Dec. 4.

# Cowan Presbyterian

There will be a Cowan Community Thanksgiving Service at 6:30 p.m., Sunday, Nov. 20, at Cowan Cumberland Presbyterian Church. The speaker will be Rev. Lee Singley and special congregation. The service is sponsored by the Cowan Ministerial Association. The Catechumenate will resume For more information visit the website

#### **First Baptist Church**

First Baptist Church, Tracy City, will be hosting the Community Thanksgiving Service Tuesday, Nov. 22 at 7 p.m.

This is an annual gathering of First Baptist, First United Methodist and Christ Church Episcopal. Everyone is invited to worship with us this Thanksgiving season. There will be a time of fellowship following the service.

#### **Bake Sale and Gift Gallery**

The Women's Ministry of the Winchester Cumberland Presbyterian Church will host their Christmas Bake Sale and Gift Gallery on Saturday, Nov. 19 from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. There will be baked goods of all kinds, craft items, Christmas decorations, gifts and vendors with their gift items. All are invited to attend.

## **Otey Parish**

This Sunday, Nov. 20, there will be no Adult Forum or Lectionary Class and only one Godly Play class.

There will be no 8:50 a.m. service. There is a combined service at 11 a.m. due to the Annual Meeting at 9:30 a.m.

#### **Reynolds Plaque Dedication**

A dedication of a plaque honoring the late Rt. Reverend George Reynolds, ninth Bishop of Tennessee will be at All Saints' Chapel, Saturday, Nov. 19 at 3:30 p.m. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Contact Barbara Reynolds at (931) 526-3190 for information.

# Weekday Services, Nov. 18–25

7 a.m. Morning Prayer, St. Mary's (not 11/21) 7:30 a.m. Morning Prayer, St. Paul's Chapel, Otey

7:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist, St. Mary's (not 11/21) 8:30 a.m. Morning Prayer, Christ the King (11/22)

8:30 a.m. Morning Prayer, St. Augustine's (not 11/23–25) 10 a.m. Thanksgiving Day Eucharist, Otey (11/24)

4 p.m. Evening Prayer, St. Augustine's (not 11/23–25) 4:30 p.m. Evening Prayer, St. Paul's Chapel, Otey

5 p.m. Evening Prayer, St. Mary's (not 11/21) 7 p.m. Community Thanksgiving Service, First Baptist Church, Tracy City (11/22 only)

# Saturday, Nov. 19

7:30 a.m. Morning Prayer/HE, St. Mary's

10 a.m. Sabbath School, Monteagle 7th Day Adventist 11 a.m. Worship Service, Monteagle 7th Day Adventist

5 p.m. Mass, Good Shepherd, Decherd

# Sunday, Nov. 20

# All Saints' Chapel

8 a.m. Holy Eucharist

11 a.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

# Christ Church, Monteagle

10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist

10:45 a.m. Children's Sunday School

12:50 p.m. Christian Formation Class

Christ Episcopal Church, Alto

9 a.m. Holy Eucharist

10 a.m. Sunday School

# 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. Holy Eucharist

10:40 a.m. Sunday School

Church of the Holy Comforter, Monteagle

9 a.m. Holy Eucharist **Cowan Fellowship Church** 10 a.m. Sunday School

11 a.m. Worship Service Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Cowan

6:30 p.m. Community Thanksgiving Service Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Monteagle 9 a.m. Fellowship

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

Epiphany Mission Church, Sherwood
10 a.m. Holy Eucharist
10 a.m. Children's Sunday School

Good Shepherd Catholic Church, Decherd

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

9 a.m. Worship Service 10 a.m. Sunday School Midway Baptist Church 9:45 a.m. Sunday School

10:45 a.m. Morning Service 6 p.m. Evening Service

**Midway Church of Christ** 10 a.m. Bible Study

11 a.m. Morning Service 6 p.m. Evening Service

Ministry Baptist Church, Old Co-op Bldg., Pelham

10 a.m. Sunday School 10:45 a.m. Breakfast 11 a.m. Worship Service

Monteagle First Baptist Church

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

6 p.m. Evening Worship

Morton Memorial United Methodist, Monteagle

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

New Beginnings Church, Monteagle

9:30 a.m. Worship Service

11:15 a.m. Worship Service

Otey Memorial Parish Church · Annual Meeting

9:30 a.m. 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. Sunday Service (Rite 1)

St. James Episcopal Church

9 a.m. Holy Eucharist

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

Tracy City First Baptist Church
9:45 a.m. Sunday School

10:45 a.m. Morning Worship 5:30 p.m. Youth

6 p.m. Evening Worship Trinity Episcopal Church, Winchester 11 a.m. Holy Eucharist

6 p.m. Evening Worship Valley Home Community Church, Pelham

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

# Wednesday, Nov. 23

6 a.m. Morning Prayer, Cowan Fellowship 12 p.m. Holy Eucharist, Christ Church, Monteagle

5 p.m. KA's, Bible study, meal, Monteagle First

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 study, Midway Baptist 6 p.m. Youth (AWANA), Tracy City First Baptist

6 p.m. Prayer, Trinity Episcopal, Winchester 6:30 p.m. Community Harvest Church, Coalmont

6:30 p.m. Prayer Service, Harrison Chapel, Midway 7 p.m. Adult Formation, Epiphany, Sherwood

7 p.m. Evening Worship, Tracy City First Baptist

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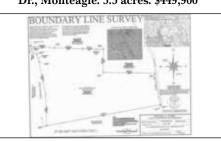
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	Hwy 41 Monteagle 5.3ac	1714856	\$47,500
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	9 Jackson Point Rd.	1734307	\$39,000
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# **Turkey** (from page 1)

Earle said. Fountain Springs blends their own feed to guarantee it's antibiotic acres still actively burning in Marion

Offering locally raised turkey is a first for Sewanee Dining, but a year ago in keeping with the commitment to devote 30 percent of the budget to locally raised products, Sewanee Dining began serving locally raised fried chicken

Fountain Springs also supplies Sewanee Dining with chicken. Eric and his wife Suzanne began farming full-time in 2007. One of the first on-farm poultry understand why we won't issue them processing facilities in the state, Fountain Springs began offering chicken on the wholesale market just six years ago when state regulations relaxed to allow on-farm processing.

Earle contributes much of their success to Laura Damron, coordinator for the Rooted Here Food Hub, the wholesale arm of the South Cumberland Farmers' Market (SCFM). Fountain Springs also sells directly to consumers through the SCFM website <www.sewanee.locallygrown.net>. Consumers who want a fresh turkey for next Thanksgiving need to preorder in June.

"I turned down 10-15 customers who wanted turkeys this year," Earle said. The University Thanksgiving meal also featured locally grown sweet pota-

Student clubs, department associates, families and other groups often reserve tables for the annual event, with more than 20 table reservations made for this year's feast. Open to University affiliates and community members alike, the Sewanee Dining Thanksgiving dinner is an opportunity for the wider community to give thanks together over a shared meal celebrating the bountiful harvest from food raised by neighboring farms.

And if that isn't enough to be thankful for, there's yet another blessing. "Any unused ingredients were donated to Otey Parish," Wright said, "to feed the community in a free meal the following day."



Fountain Springs Farm delivers turkeys to Sewanee Dining, left to right Jeanie Thompson, Food Services, Laura Damron, Food Hub coordinator, and Eric Earle, farmer. Photo by Leslie Lytle

# **Fire** (from page 1)

County, 231 acres in Grundy County and 16 acres in Franklin County.

"I've only had one day off since Oct. 7," said Travis Lawyer, a dozer operator with the Franklin County Forestry Service. "People phone in and don't a burn permit to burn leaves. It's so dry the root systems are burning off and trees are falling."

Each county forestry station is staffed with an initial attack crew of five to six firefighters, who assist in the neighboring counties as needed. Franklin and Grundy counties recently received backup support from north and west Tennessee forestry service firefighters.

In the past month, more than 6,000 acres have burned in Bledsoe, counties south and east of Sewanee, contributing to the smoke lingering in the air from local fires. Active fires in Bledsoe and Hamilton counties impacting more than 3,200 acres remain uncontained.

ment of Environment and Conservation (TDEC) issued a Code Orange air quality alert for the Chattanooga disease, older adults and children. As of Nov. 16, the Air Quality Index map showed Sewanee and the surrounding ill health effects."

The Tenn. Forestry Service has established Incident Management Posts in Kimball, Cookeville and Knoxville to coordinate firefighting efforts. On Nov. 10, three 20-person federal hand crews from Florida reported for service at the Kimball post.

A late October fire in the Raven's Point area of South Cumberland State park destroyed a bridge and stair case on the new reroute part of the trail. The fire is still smoldering, and the trail is closed along the reroute area until further notice, said Park Ranger George Shinn.

'There is no end in sight," said Rymer stressing the severity of the situation. Long range forecasts show no significant precipitation in Tennessee through the remainder of 2016.

As of Nov. 1, the Sewanee Util-Hamilton, Monroe and Sequatchie ity District reported only 23 inches of rainfall for the year, less than the great drought of 2007, when the area received 25 inches for the same time period.

Rymer estimated 70 percent of the fires were arson, 30 percent were debris On Nov. 11, the Tennessee Depart-fires, and a few were caused by equipment sparks.

"Most of the fire investigators in the state are working the area," Rymer metropolitan area. A Code Orange said. "They are taking the issue more Alert means "unhealthy for sensitive seriously than in the past." Officials groups," persons with heart and lung recently brought charges against an arsonist responsible for Sequatchie County fires.

Violation of a burn ban is considplateau region in the Orange Alert or ered reckless burning and is punish-Red Alert category, a Red Alert mean- able as a Class A misdemeanor, which ing "everyone may begin experiencing carries a fine of \$2,500 and/or up to 11 months 29 days in jail.

# **Arcadia** (from page 1)

said, adding that he's also heavily influenced by musician friends around the country. Wet Bar recorded the music for "Promise" in Sewanee and Memphis, where Deering lives and performs with her regular band, Deerng and Down.

Deering, who is making her second trek to Sewanee, describes her sound as "sexy music."

"It's more for a joke, but not really," she said. "It's kind of a groove. It's gonna be a magical evening, I know it. I'm just looking forward to seeing all the beautiful people there."

Deering praised Heck's efforts to increase musical opportunities. If Electric Arcadia does expand to include a music-making space, Heck said the program could include "episodic rock camps," similar to Youth Empowerment Through Arts and Humanities, Inc., which hosts rock band camps in Nashville and Murfreesboro.

"I'm most interested in combining or juxtaposing existing energies, and have been networking here and in Memphis, Nashville and Murfreesboro," Heck said. "'Rock On the Rock' is one hypothetical program sharing the art of rock, and would give folks tools to collaborate, play and explore, whether they consider themselves musicians or not —whether for stress relief and just plain fun, or as a way for people to connect, maybe even as a team-building exercise."

Macfie, who grew up in Sewanee, said he would like to see Heck's vision come to fruition.

 $\hbox{``It's a tough place to grow up in and'}\\$ be interested in rock and roll—there's just no one to play with—but an allages space could unite that energy, stoke people's creative passions. I believe that would have so many social and therapeutic benefits to the community," Macfie said. "It's helped me; I would love to share that ministry."

Admission is \$5 at the door and advance tickets can be purchased at <Eventbrite.com> by searching "Electo bring their own beverages.

On Nov. 14 Governor Haslam issued a proclamation declaring a regional burn ban that includes Franklin, Marion and Grundy counties. This ban supersedes the burn ban issued by the Sewanee Police Department on Oct. 26 and includes all outdoor fires, including those in Turkish fire pits, chimenea and all other similar exterior fire enclosures. Charcoal grills remain permitted.

More on the Burn Ban

Tim Phelps, spokesman for the Tennessee Division of Forestry Administration wants everyone to know about the arson tip hotline: 1-800-762-3017. Tips tric Arcadia." Concert goers are asked leading to an arrest are worth \$2,500, up from the previous \$1,500 offered.



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The sheep come on stage with their Shepherd during "The Nutcracker" performance in Sewanee last weekend.

Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

# Community Chest Spotlight: South Cumberland Farmers' Market

The 2016–17 Sewanee Community Chest (SCC) Fund Drive is underway. Sponsored by the Sewanee Civic Association, the SCC raises money yearly for local charitable organizations serving the area. This year's goal is \$116,850 for 26 organizations that have requested basic needs funding for quality of life, community aid, children's programs, and those who are beyond Sewanee but still serve the entire community.

For the next few weeks, the Sewanee Mountain Messenger will focus on some of the organizations supported by the Community Chest. This week we shine the spotlight on the South Cumberland Farmers' Market (SCFM).

The South Cumberland Farmers' Market is an organization of farmers and agricultural producers who work together to facilitate and expand the sales of local products; provide education and support to farmers and consumers; and lay the groundwork for a just, equitable and sustainable local food economy. The vision of the SCFM is to create a vibrant local food economy that provides prosperity to farmers and rural communities and increases access to fresh, healthy, local food for everyone.

More than 60 farm/producer families are registered growers who benefit economically by selling through the SCFM. The SCFM serves an average of 50 customer families a week who have access to reasonably priced, fresh locally grown food by purchasing through the market. It's not uncommon for small farmers and producers who get their start at the market to expand their business to wholesale customers. The Bread Peddler, whose baked goods are now available at the Piggly Wiggly and elsewhere, and Brown's Hollar Creations, which is now the primary source for eggs purchased by University Food Services, are two examples.

The SCFM is requesting \$1,000 to aid in increasing the market manager's salary to a level comparable to minimum wage. The market manager is the only paid employee. Volunteers contribute nearly 100 hours a month to facilitate the operation of the market. In 2016, the market manager typically worked 15-20 hours a week with average earnings of less than \$3.50 per hour.

Since 1908, the goal of the SCC has been to help citizens by funding the

Since 1908, the goal of the SCC has been to help citizens by funding the community. Through SCC funding, local organizations can help those caught in the cycle of poverty, improve quality of life through outreach and community initiatives, and provide support for children with a variety of programs. The SCC is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, and donations are tax-deductible. Send your donation to Sewanee Community Chest, P.O. Box 99, Sewanee, TN 37375. For more information, or to make a donation through PayPal, contact <sewaneecommunitychest@gmail.com> or go to <www.sewaneecivic. wordpress.com>.

# Fiery Gizzard Trail Work Crews Needed

With Phase One of the trail completed and Phase Two nearly there, volunteers are needed. Join us every Saturday and Sunday this fall, 9 a.m.—3 p.m.There are jobs for everyone, and many do not involve moving rocks. This exciting reroute will cut through some rugged and beautiful terrain, so be prepared with sturdy footwear and plenty of water/snacks. If you have a favorite tool or pair of gloves, feel free to bring them. Meet at the Grundy Forest parking lot, 131 Fiery Gizzard Rd., Tracy City, TN 37387. Email Ranger Jason Reynolds at < jason.reynolds@tn.gov> for more information.



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# Rotarians Recognized at Meeting

On Nov. 10, the Monteagle-Sewanee Rotary Club awarded the Paul Harris Fellowship Award to eight of the members. This prestigious award is given to Rotarians who have attained \$1,000 or more in donations to support the work of Rotary International.

Speaking at the meeting, Rotary District Governor J. Fred Heitman explained the wide variety of projects supported by Rotary International that includes schools, water projects, microloans, medical care and hunger relief around the world. The awards were presented by Monteagle-Sewanee Rotary Club Foundation Chair Dan Hatfield, District Foundation Chair Beth Stubbs and District Governor J. Fred Heitman to Barry Rollins, Tracy Temples, Mike Roark, Woody Deutsch, Henry Blizzard, John Solomon, Haynes Roberts, and Scott Anderson. The awards were followed by a presentation by Lee Ann Backlund, Vice President for Admissions for the University of the South.



Rotary members, from left, Woody Deutsch, Haynes Roberts, Fred Heitman, Henry Blizzard, Tracy Temples, Barry Rollins and Mike Roark at the Monteagle Sewanee Rotary Club meeting. Not pictured: John Solomon and Scott Anderson.



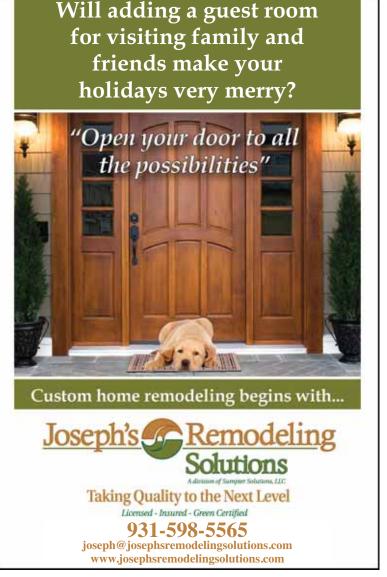
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Sergeant Major Larry Williams US Army, Retired addresses the students and faculty at South Middle School about who is considered a veteran during their program of observation for Veterans Day. Included in the program were drama students, who presented a series of dramatic readings based on letters written home by veterans and patriotic music performed by the SMS band.





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Robert Benson

# Benson to Speak at Friends of the Library Meeting

Friends of the Library of Sewanee: The University of the South invites the community to attend a talk by Robert Benson, professor emeritus of English. Benson will discuss his book, "Wedding the Wild Particular." The Friends meeting will be in the Torian Room of Jessie Ball duPont Library on Wednesday, Nov. 30 at 4:30 p.m. A reception will follow the talk.

Benson, a native of New Orleans, was educated at Vanderbilt University and the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. He taught at the University of Southern Mississippi, Southeastern Louisiana University, the University of Dallas, and the University of Georgia before moving to Sewanee, where he taught medieval English literature at the University of the South. He retired in 2009 and divides his time between Sewanee and Gulf Shores, Ala.

For more information about the riends of the Library go to <http:// libguides.sewanee.edu/FOL>. For more information on Friends of the Library contact Tim Garner at 598-1265 or <tegarner@sewanee.edu>.

# **Senior Center**

#### Volunteers Needed

The Center needs volunteers who can help in the kitchen to prepare lunch and to help clean up and wash dishes. Call the center at 598-0771 or 598-0915 to volunteer.

#### Menus

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.

Nov. 21: Chicken fried steak, gravy, mashed potatoes, veggie blend, roll, dessert.

Nov. 22: Cheeseburger, French fries, dessert.

Nov. 23: Chef salad, crackers, dessert.

Nov. 24: Center closed.

Nov. 25: Center closed.

#### Menus may vary.

Christmas Bazaar

The Sewanee Senior Citizens Center will be having its annual Christmas Bazaar and bake sale Dec. 5–10. Donations are now being accepted at the Center located at 5 Ball Park Road. Donations of clothing are not accepted.

#### **Daily 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.

#### **Center Participation**

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.

The Center is located at 39 Ball Park Rd. in Sewanee.

# Half-Price Sale at the **Hospitality Shop**

The Hospitality Shop is a project of the Emerald-Hodgson Hospital Auxiliary, staffed by volunteers.

It is located at 1096 University Ave., in a yellow house just past Mississippi Avenue, and is open Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:30 a.m. until 1 p.m., and on Saturdays from 9:30 a.m. until noon.

A half-price sale on most clothing in the women's department and men's departments will be in effect until the Shop closes for the Thanksgiving break.

The Shop will be closed for the Thanksgiving break starting at noon on Saturday, Nov. 19 through Monday, Nov. 28, reopening at 9:30 a.m. on Tues-

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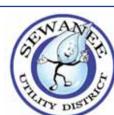
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For more information or to pick up a petition, go to the office at 150 Sherwood Road. www.sewaneeutility.org



These SES students received the Templeton Award for Kindness for the six weeks. Front row, from left: Mason Rudder, Mae Turrentine, Letty Brunton, Leo Bunch, Azzaellea McFarland and Eliza Jacobs; back row, from left: Griff Wilson, Kaitlyn King, Ellie Kelleher, Maya Mauzy and Emma Wockasen. Not pictured: Kara Guess



These students received the Citizenship Award at SES for the six weeks. Front row, from left: Gracie Hoosier, Jaxon Rudder, Rowan Osborne, Marin Owens, Tristan Prater and Theo Schrader; back row, from left: Evyn Burge, Zachary Anderson, Cameron Crawford and Elliott Benson. Not pictured: Abigail Williston and Will Turrell

# **Sewanee Elementary Announces** Honor Rolls, Award Recipients

Sewanee Elementary School principal Kim Tucker announced honor rolls and award recipients for the most recent six-week period during a recent school

#### **First Honor Roll**

Third Grade—Thomas Anderson, Mollye Casey, Beau Cassell, Jack Cassell, Kira Dombrowski, Eliza Griffy, Kiran Malde, Caroline Neubauer, Amelia Pond, Eliot Sparacio, Ally Syler and Mia Val;

Fourth Grade—Zachary Anderson, Juliah Calhoun, Loulie Frazier, Ivy Moser, Zayn Nimis-Ibrahim, Fiona Reynolds, Will Turrell and Toby VandeVen; Fifth Grade—Elliott Benson, Anja Dombrowski, Jackson Frazier, Nailah Hamilton, Cason Harmon, Ellie Jenkins, Reese Michaels and Eva Vaughan.

# **Second Honor Roll**

Third Grade—Zoey Byrd, Nick Evangelista, Cal Makins, Amelia McBride, Miles Mundkowsky, Sarah Russell Roberson, River Robinson, Madeline VandeVen, Sam Weintraub and Griff Wilson;

Fourth Grade—Karen Badgley, Sienna Barry, Ann Wright Carlson, Maggie DesJarlais, Parker Kovalski, Maya Mauzy, Christopher Moore, Robbie Philipp, Emery Preslar, Julia Sumpter, Saida Thomas, Emma Wockasen and Libbie Young;

Fifth Grade—Isaiah Gilliam, Sara Knight, Amelia Maxon-Hane and Melanie Val.

# **BUG Club**

**Third Grade**—Zoey Byrd, Eliza Griffy, Sarah Russell Roberson and Judah

Fourth Grade—Andrew Dykes, Loulie Frazier, Parker Kovalski, Christopher Moore, Emery Preslar, Ellie Roberts and Saida Thomas.

Fifth Grade—Jackson Frazier, Brianna Garner, Kaleb Jacobs, Ellie Jenkins and Melanie Val.

# Citizenship Award

(selected by their teachers)

**Pre-K**—Gracie Hoosier; **K**—Rowan Osborne and Jaxon Rudder; **First Grade**—Marin Owens and Tristan Prater; **Second Grade**—Theo Schrader; Third Grade—Evyn Burge and Abigail Williston; Fourth Grade—Zachary Anderson and Will Turrell; Fifth Grade—Elliott Benson and Cameron Crawford.

# **Templeton Award**

(selected by their peers as most exemplifying the character trait "Kindness")

Pre-K—Mason Rudder; K—Kara Guess and Mae Turrentine; First Grade—Letty Brunton and Leo Bunch; Second Grade—Azzaellea McFarland; **Third Grade**—Eliza Jacobs and Griff Wilson; **Fourth Grade**—Maya Mauzy and Emma Wockasen; Fifth Grade—Ellie Kelleher and Kaitlyn King.

# **Good Listener Award**

Attentiveness is one of the traits we focus on with our Sewanee ROARS positive behavior program. Our "Good Listeners" for the second grading period are the following:

Pre-K—Kyla Kilgore; K—Robert Earl Flowers and Harris Young; First Grade—Ayden Allen and Bo Vinson; Second Grade—Clara Guess; Third Grundy County **Grade**—Caroline Neubauer and Kai Walker; **Fourth Grade**—Loulie Frazier and Julia Sumpter; Fifth Grade—Reese Michaels and Eva Vaughan.

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# **Patterson Presents at the Royal Society of Medicine**

On Nov. 1, University of the South Professor of Politics Amy Patterson presented at the Royal Society of Medicine in London her recent research, which examined how health issues become political priorities in the global health arena. The Society, which was established by Royal Charter in 1905, is composed of more than a dozen medical specialty colleges. Patterson was invited to speak to the annual conference of the Royal College of Pathologists, who met on the theme "Pathology Is Global." The presentation drew on research she had conducted during summer 2016 about responses to Ebola in Liberia, and was entitled "The Politics of Public Health Emergencies: When Do They Become International Concerns?"

In her presentation, Patterson provided background on the International Health Regulations and the power they give the World Health Organization (WHO) to declare a public health emergency of international concern. She analyzed the relationship between the WHO and donor states that politically and financially support the WHO. This political dynamic plays a crucial role in the ways that WHO prioritizes diseases such as Zika in 2016, Ebola in 2014-2015 and H1N1 influenza in 2009.

Although she is not a medical specialist, Patterson said that she gained several important insights from the conference. First, she became more acutely aware of the logistical challenges of health-care provision in war-torn areas, such as northern Iraq. Second, Patterson learned more about the role of diaspora populations in providing health care in humanitarian crises. For example, Syrian health-care workers in Western Europe have dedicated time, energy, and resources to health-care centers in refugee camps in Jordan and Turkey. Finally, she learned how global cooperation through Interpol facilitates the grim but necessary process of disaster victim identification.

Monday-Friday, Nov. 21-25 **LUNCH** 

Monday, Nov. 21: Chicken and waffle, grilled cheese sandwich, French fries, vegetable soup, carrots, dip, fruit.

Tuesday, Nov. 22: Turkey sub, Philly steak and cheese, black-eyed peas, steamed broccoli, side salad, fruit, cookie.

Wednesday, Nov. 23-Friday, Nov. 25: No school.

# **BREAKFAST**

Each day, students select one or two items.

Monday, Nov. 21: Oatmeal bar or Aunt Jemima blueberry pancake.

Tuesday, Nov. 22: Biscuit, sausage, gravy, jelly. Wednesday, Nov. 23-Fri-

day, Nov. 25: No school. Options available every breakfast: assorted cereal, assorted fruit and juice, milk varieties. Menus

subject to change.

# **School** lolondor

Nov. 19–27, Thanksgiving Break, St. Andrew's-Sewanee

Nov. 21–25, Thanksgiving Break, Marion County Nov. 23–25, Thanksgiving Break,

Franklin County Nov. 23–25, Thanksgiving Break,

Grundy County Nov. 23–28, Thanksgiving Break, University of the South

Dec. 8, Early Dismissal @ 12:30, Professional Dev. 1–3 p.m., Grundy

County Dec. 14, Last Day of Classes, University of the South

Dec. 16–30, Christmas Break, Marion County Dec. 16-Jan. 3, Christmas

Break, St. Andrew's-Sewanee Dec. 17–Jan. 1, Christmas Break,

Dec. 20, Abbreviated Day (8-9:30), Franklin County

Dec. 21, Last Day of Final Examinations, University of the South Dec. 21–Jan. 2, Break, no school, Franklin County

# Carlson Receives the 2016 Freeman **Award for Merit**

The School of Theology awarded the 2016 Freeman Award for Merit to Jeremy L. Carlson, T'18, a M.Div. student from the Diocese of Alabama. The award was announced and presented by the Rt. Rev. J. Neil Alexander, dean of the School, during the annual DuBose Lectures and Alumni Gathering banquet.

At the beginning of each academic year, the School's faculty chooses the recipient of the Freeman Award from the members of the middler class. When asked about this year's selection, Alexander noted, "Jeremy has distinguished himself as a careful and thoughtful student and has taken his place as a devoted member of the seminary community. I look forward to his continuing contribution to our common life both academically and spiritually."

Carlson and his wife, Laura, are from Birmingham, Ala., and have two daughters, Alice and Ann Wright. Carlson, a graduate of the University of Alabama and the University of Alabama School of Law, worked as a teacher and as a lawyer before enrolling in the School of Theology.

After receiving the award, Carlson said, "I am so very thrilled to have received the 2016 Freeman Award and am deeply grateful to both the Freeman family for its generosity in creating the award and to the faculty for considering me worthy of it."





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# by Elizabeth Ellis



The Sewanee Union Theatre will be taking a break during Thanksgiving week. There will not be any movies shown at the SUT Nov. 24–26. The SUT will be back on Wednesday, Nov. 30 with Raiders of the Lost Ark. The movie Sully will be shown Dec. 1–4.

#### **Kubo and the Two Strings**

7:30 p.m., Friday, Nov. 18 through Sunday, Nov. 20 2016, Rated PG, 101 minutes

Take a trip to Japan in the gorgeously animated, family friendly animated feature about an extraordinary one-eyed boy named Kubo that must fight his demons from the past. When Kubo (Art Parkinson) learns from his mother that he has magical powers deep inside of him, he gets a little too carried away...and accidentally summons an ancient vengeful spirit bent on destruction due to age-old grudges. Having to clean up the mess he made, he finds help in a droll white monkey (Charlize Theron) and a large, anthropomorphic black beetle (not as gross as it sounds) voiced by—all right all right all right!—Matthew McConaughey. Aided by a traditional Japanese musical instrument called a shamisen with unusual powers, they will learn the true story of Kubo's late father, the greatest samurai warrior ever known. Supporting voice talent includes Ralph Fiennes, Rooney Mara and the unduplicated George Takei (Star Trek fans, anyone?). Original and spellbinding, this film is rated PG for scary images and some action but is wholly suitable for children and adults alike.

For more reviews and fun, visit http://theinsatiablecritic.blogspot.com!

Showtimes, unless otherwise noted, are at 7:30 p.m. Ticket prices are \$3 for children and students, and \$4 for adults. Wednesday night Cinema Guild movies are free of charge.

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# Organ Recital **Today**

Catherine Rodland, artist-in-residence at St. Olaf College, Northfield, Minn., will perform an organ recital at 7:30 p.m., today (Friday), Nov. 18, in All Saints' Chapel.

The Friday evening concert will include Bach's Concerto in A Minor, transcribed from Vivaldi, in addition to works of Buxtehude and Vierne.

At 10 a.m., Saturday, Nov. 19, Rodland will teach a master class featuring organists from the University of the South. The public is invited to listen and observe from the choir seats in All Saints' Chapel. Both events are free and open to the public.

# Sounds of Sewanee

Sounds of Sewanee will be 5 p.m., today (Friday), Nov. 18, at Guerry Auditorium. Sounds of Sewanee is a fundraiser to benefit the Blue Monarch, a local organization that supports women recovering from addiction and abuse.

In its second year, Sound of Sewanee, a musical talent show, welcomes the community for an evening of music, dance, and fun. Donations will be accepted at the door. The admission fee of \$3 is accepted in cash, by check or by Venmo. This is open to the community.



Is it me?

# **SSO Celebrates** the Season

In collaboration with the Sewanee Chorale (Ruth Cobb, music director), the Sewanee Symphony Orchestra (SSO) is bringing back the popular Celebrate the Season winter concert at 7:30 p.m., Friday, Dec. 9. Orchestral performances include "Around the World at Christmas Time," "A Christmas Festival" and "Festive Songs of Chanukah." The Sewanee Chorale will join the orchestra for seasonal favorites including "O Holy Night," "O Come all ye faithful" (with audience participation), "We wish you a Merry Christmas," "Twas the Night Before Christmas" and selections from Handel oratorios "Judas Maccabeus"

and "Messiah." All SSO performances are free and open to the public.

Sewanee COMMUNITY CHEST

# **Art Show**

The Community Art Show "Patriotism" has work by community members of all ages with their interpretations of what Patriotism means to them. The second show celebrates the art produced by area veterans in various media, styles and themes. Veterans serving from World War II up through the present are participating in this show. Both shows will run through Sunday, Nov.20.

The Artisan Depot is operated by the Franklin County Arts Guild and is located at 204 Cumberland St. East, Cowan. Gallery hours are noon-5 p.m. on Thursdays, Fridays and Sundays and 11 a.m.–5 p.m. on Saturdays.

For more information about upcoming community art shows, the gallery or the guild go to <www.fcaguild. wordpress.com> or <www.facebook. com/artisandepot> or contact Diana Lamb at (931) 308-4130.

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# **ANGELW**

by Virginia Craighill

Dear Angel,

What with the presidential election on the eighth and the wildfires burning all over the South, I'm beginning to feel a little nervous. Are these signs of the Apocalypse? Should I get Right with the Lord?

Hope It's Not Too Late

Dear Left Behind,

I'm not sure whether your Lord prefers you to get Right, Left or Center, but the drought, the election and the wildfires do seem to have vaguely biblical undertones. One would hope that God's apocalyptic symbolism would be more nuanced and creative, since, frankly, it's been done before. However, to quote Flannery O'Connor on why she used violence in her stories, the Divine One "may well be forced to take ever more violent means to get his vision across to this hostile audience." O'Connor continues, "you have to make your vision apparent by shock —to the hard of hearing you shout, and for the almost blind you draw large and startling figures." If only she'd added "orange" to "large and startling figures," we'd know who she meant.

But to think about it another way, maybe the message is coming from elsewhere. The smell of smoke from the forest fires might remind some of us who lived around here in the 70s and early 80s of a local dining establishment near Cowan called "The Red Devil." If you ever ate at The Red Devil, your clothes were forever saturated with the smell of the Pit (the barbecue pit, that is), and the smoke this week has that same sulfurous quality. Perhaps Satan is barbecuing up quite a few souls on his grill, not the souls who voted, no matter who they voted for, but the souls who didn't bother to vote, and the souls who kept other people from voting. If that's the case, we can expect the smoke to get a lot heavier.

Signed,

# **Arts Notes**

#### 'a hand's width'

The Carlos Gallery in the Nabit Art Building presents "a hand's width," a solo exhibition by artist Anderson Wrangle. The exhibition continues through Dec. 16. A closing reception and artist talk will be at 4:30 p.m., Thursday, Dec. 15. Gallery hours are from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday and 1-5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. The gallery is located at 105 Kennerly Road.

#### 'Communal Spirit'

"Communal Spirit: 3,000 Years of Mexican Artistry" incorporates diverse Pre-Columbian artifacts from both western and eastern Mexico, representing eight different indigenous civilizations. The 20th-century folk art presented features many of the same regions, inspiration and creative techniques. The exhibition continues through Dec. 16 at the University Archives.

#### 'Love Thy Neighbor'

The University Art Gallery presents Jessica Wohl's "Love Thy Neighbor," an exhibition of quilts and drawings that grapples with the fear, intolerance and polarization the artist sees dividing communities and cities across the country, and answers those divisions with objects that evoke empathy and comfort. The exhibition will be on view through Jan. 27.



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# **In-Town Gallery Presents** 'Unbolted' in December

Two artists, Coyee Langston and Barbara Murnan, have collaborated on a theme, "Unbolted," for the December front wall feature show. The show was inspired by a quotation of 13th Century Persian poet Rumi, "Sometimes you hear a voice through the door calling you...this turning toward what you deeply love saves you." These artists turned towards their own doors finding the inspiration for their new works. Each looked for ways to best express what lies within themselves. One creates in color with brushes on canvas and one in jewelry design with smithed copper, sterling and stone. Painter Coyee Langston's acrylic canvas collages pair nicely with the handmade jewelry of Barbara Murnan. Come meet the artists at the opening reception 5–8 p.m., Dec. 2.

In-Town Gallery, located at 26A major holidays. Hours are 11 a.m.-6 p.m., Sunday. For more information call (423) 267-9214, or visit <www. facebook.com/intowngallery>.

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In Franklin County, join Ranger Jason at 8 a.m. at the Carter State Natural Area, 6231 Sherwood Rd., Sewanee, for a strenuous beautiful four-mile hike. Learn about the life and times of our native wild turkey. Bring the whole family and bring canned goods and monetary donations for the Franklin County

In Grundy County, join Ranger Park at 9 a.m. CT for a hike at Grundy Lakes parking lot, 587 Lakes Road, Tracy City TN 37387, for a moderate 2-mile hike to learn the history of the area. Step back in time and walk among the ruins of a once-booming coal mine. Peer into the depths of the fiery coke ovens, and walk along the paths once used by mine workers and convict laborers. Canned goods and monetary donations for the Grundy County Food Bank will be welcome.

In Marion County join Ranger John at 10 a.m. CT at Denny Cove, the park's newest addition, just across the street from the Foster Falls Volunteer Fire Department, on US 41/TN 150, about 2 miles south of the entrance to Foster Falls, to hike 3 miles of the partially completed trail to the back of the cove, portions of which are still rather rough. Bring canned goods and monetary donations for the Marion County Community Ministries Food Bank.

In Sequatchie County, join Ranger Murray at 10 a.m. CT at Savage Gulf Ranger Station, 3157 SR 399 Palmer TN 37365, for a 4.2-mile hike on Frazier Avenue, on the North shore, is the Savage Day Loop. Learn about the history of the area and the plants and open every day year round, except for animals that call the southern Cumberland Plateau home. Along the trail we visit Rattlesnake Point, a beautiful overlook of Savage Gulf, Canned goods and p.m., Monday-Saturday, and 1-5 monetary donations for the Sequatchie County Food Bank will be welcome.





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SAS's Lakin Laurendine (center) and Madison King (right) compete in a recent middle school girls' basketball game against Monteagle.

# **Mountain Lions Split Pair** of Home Games

The St. Andrew's-Sewanee middle Jenna Black all played tremendous school girls' basketball team defeated Pelham Elementary before falling to North Elementary (Altamont) in two recent home games.

win on Nov. 8 against Pelham with led the Mountain Lions, 12–8, but the stellar play by Lakin Laurendine and Warriors stretched their lead by 12 in Madison King. Laurendine had 13 the third quarter. The Warriors stayed points and four blocked shots, and undefeated and SAS continued to play Sarah Grace Burns, Abi Cassell and a record of 3–3.

defense, out-rebounding Pelham in both halves.

The Mountain Lions fell to North Elementary two days later. The game The Mountain Lions secured a was close at halftime, as the Warriors King added six points and five assists. balanced and competitive games with

# SAS Snowflake **Invitational Recap**

The St. Andrew's-Sewanee middle school swimmers hosted the 13-team Snowflake Invitational at the Fowler Center on Nov. 12 and boasted a number of standout performances.

Many SAS swimmers set personal records in the meet and several athletes beat their career records and set season best times. Notably, Libby Neubauer set a personal record in the 100 freestyle, 100 backstroke and 50 free (1:17.6, 1:29.76 and 33.55) and Hannah Warmbrod dropped an impressive 8.97 seconds

Zolon Knoll also set the bar high by breaking two school records. Knoll is now the SAS record holder for the 50 free with a time of 25.16 and the 100 fly with a time of 1:02.18. This broke the previous records of 25.67 in the 50 free set by Will Evans in 2008 and 1:02.44 in the 100 fly set by Ralph Long in 2001. CoachesJake Miller and Nan Long attribute Knoll's success to his dedicated approach to the sport and his hard work at practice.

"Zolon puts in a solid effort and has worked hard every day. We are excited to see him continue to grow as an athlete going forward," Miller said.

Overall the team finished fourth in the meet, with the boys finishing fourth and the girls eighth. The Mountain Lions will take the pool for their next meet on Dec. 1 at the Fowler Center.



Is it a medalist?

# SAS Swimmers **Open Season**

Both the middle and upper school swim teams at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School competed at the Fowler Center on Nov. 8 in a scrimmage versus Franklin County School.

Many Mountain Lion swimmers competed for the first time and performed admirably. Notably Myers Gorrell swam his first competitive event (50 freestyle) with an impressive tied or outscored North in the middle time of 35.36 seconds.

Other newcomers to the sport include: Beth Dougherty, Serena Zeng, Ester Yang, Hannah Warmbrod and Karolina Bolimowska, who competed in three events in her first meet.

Some standout performances from scored one point. returning swimmers included: junior Catherine Gray, who made a region qualifying cut in both the 200 free and the 100 backstroke with times of 2:22.76 and 1:10.38, respectively. Senior Sam Smith and eighth grader Zolon Knoll both made regional cuts in the 100 fly finishing with times of 1:04.76 and 1:03.65, respectively.

The team's coaches expressed excitement about the swimseason.

"The team learned a lot from Tuesday's scrimmage and will continue to grow individually and as a team," said coach Jake Miller.



SAS 10th-grader Hannah Rosman competes in the Tennessee State Mountain Biking Championships at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School the weekend of Nov. 12.

# **SAS Topped** by North The St. Andrew's-Sewanee middle

school boys' basketball team lost at home on Nov. 10 to North Elementary (Altamont) by a score of 34–24.

The game was actually much closer, but when SAS was down by a few points with three minutes left they took risks and fouled intentionally and the Warriors took advantage.

The SAS boys hustled and contested every shot. North took the early lead, but SAS got back in the game and and down the stretch; North scored only two points in the third quarter.

Nathan King led SAS with 10 points; followed by Cameron Harmon with six; Payton Zeitler with five; Cam Weaver with two; and Sean Willis

# **Varsity Drops Home Opener**

St. Andrew's-Sewanee School's varsity basketball team lost in the season home opener on Nov. 15 against Lookout Valley, 51–33. Dustin Stensby led SAS with 10 points; John Grammer had seven; Jaylon Tillman scored five; Emmanuel Thombs had four; Larson Heitzenrater scored three; Jonathan Rwalinda had two; and Aubrey Black posted two points.

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# Covenant **Downs** Sewanee

Behind a great shooting performance beyond the three-point line, host CovenantCollege opened the 2016-17 season with a 68-58 win over the Sewanee women's basketball team on Nov. 15 in Lookout Mountain, Ga.

The Lady Scots made 43.8 percent of their three-point attempts. Along with their seven threes, Covenant outrebounded Sewanee 49-24. That helped Covenant to a 25-12 advantage in second-chance points.

Covenant opened the second quarter on a 10-0 run. That allowed the Lady Scots to build their advantage to freestyle with a time of 20.41 (8.16 24–11 with 5:22 left in the half. From there, Sewanee rallied.

A jumper from Taylor sparked an 11-0 run by the purple and gold. During that stretch, Taylor scored eight points.

Covenant led 29–25 at the half.

Sewanee pulled to within six, 62-56, after a pair of Taylor free throws with 1:20 left in the game. However, Covenant held off the Tigers down the stretch.

As a team, the Tigers made 40 percent of their shot attempts. Individually, Bella Taylor led all players with 24 points, four rebounds and four assists.

Hannah McCormack added 14 points and four boards while Corey Caulder pitched in 10 points.

Emma Grimes paced Covenant with 17 points and five rebounds.



Is it a soccer player?

# **Local USA Swimmers** Compete in Area Meets

seven swimmers from the Sewanee seconds (15.13 drop). community competed in area swim

Mountain Aquatic Club (MAC) swimmers Sam Frazier, Loulie Frazier, Konrad Knoll, Maya Mauzy and Sarah in 47.43 seconds; and sixth in the 100 Russell Roberson, and Tullahoma Swim Club (TSC) swimmer Zolon Knoll, competed in TSC's annual (nine) finished 10th in the 50 freestyle Great Pumpkin Swim Meet in Tul- in 37.77 seconds (11.57 drop); seventh lahoma. Winchester Swim Team in the 50 backstroke in 41.74 seconds; (WST) swimmer Jackson Frazier also and fourth in the 50 breaststroke in competed in Baylor's Martha Bass 49.59 seconds. Invitational in Chattanooga.

dropped about nine seconds per swim, for a team improvement of 23 percent.

Several swimmers competed legally in new events as well. In the boys' eight and under category, Sam Frazier 25-yard freestyle with a time of 22.56 seconds (9.43 second drop); 22nd in the 25-yd. backstroke with a time competing with WST in the boys' of 28.35 (1.39 drop); and ninth in the 15-18 category, Jackson Frazier (11), 25-yd. breaststroke.

Knoll (six) finished seventh in the 25 drop); 12th in the 25 butterfly with 2:57.91 (23rd); and the 100 backstroke a time of 29.18; 16th in the 25 back- in 1:29.14 (41st). stroke with a time of 27.28 (5.97 drop); and 11th in the 25 breaststroke with a time of 39.37.

In the girls' eight and under category, Sarah Russell Roberson (eight) finished 21st in the 25 freestyle with butterfly in 38.93 (31st overall). a time of 22.76 seconds (6.77 drop); backstroke in 24.96 (4.74 drop); and and the 100 breaststroke.

During the weekend of Nov. 5-6, 18th in the 25 breaststroke in 31.71

In the girls' ages nine to 10 category, Loulie Frazier (nine) finished eighth in the 50 freestyle with a time of 37.41 (13.55 drop); 16th in the 50 backstroke freestyle in 1.25.51 seconds.

In the same category, Maya Mauzy

Swimming for TSC, Zolon Knoll At the Great Pumpkin Meet, all (13) dominated the ages 13-14 boys' MAC swimmers had significant time category at the Great Pumpkin meet, drops. On average, the swimmers taking first in all individual events and earning the 13-14 Boys' High Point

Knoll swam the 200-yd. individual medley in 2:27 seconds; the 50 freestyle in 25.92; the 100 butterfly (seven-years-old) finished 12th in the in 1:08.58; the 100 breaststroke in 1:19.28; and the 100 freestyle in 59.9.

At the Martha Bass Invitational, swam the 100 breaststroke, finishing Also in the same category, Konrad 24th overall with a time of 1:22.04; the 200-yd freestyle in a time of 2:40.37 (46th overall); the 200 breaststroke in

In the 11-12 boys' category, Frazier also swam the 200 individual medley, finishing 24th overall with a time of 2:53.96; the 100 breaststroke in 1:21.50 (eighth overall); and the 50

Frazier qualified for Southeastern 23rd in the 25 butterfly with a time Swimming's Short Course Yards of 32.61 (10.73 drop); 15th in the 25 Championships in the 50 breaststroke

# Sewanee Football Falls to Hendrix

Despite a season-high 320 yards of total offense, the Sewanee football team ended its 2016 season with a 62-14 loss on Nov. 12 against Hendrix College in Conway, Ark.

Overall, the Warriors compiled 609 yards, which included 480 yards through the air. Other keys for Hendrix were forcing three Tiger fumbles and sacking Sewanee quarterback Sam Hearn three times.

Hearn led Sewanee's offense with 146 passing yards. Running back Mikey Plancher added 85 rushing yards, while freshman Thomas Richardson averaged 5.8 yards per carry on five attempts. On defense, Tony Dykes led the Tigers with nine tackles. Hayden Reece also played well with eight stops including 0.5 tackles for a loss. Hendrix quarterback Sam Peters finished with 414 passing yards and a conference-record seven touchdowns.

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Sewanee freshman Michael Barry launches a shot against Emory & Henry.

# Wasps Sting Tigers by 26

Down 28 points at halftime, the Sewanee men's basketball team could not overcome its slow start, falling 83–57 at Emory & Henry College on Nov. 15 in Emory, Va.

The Tigers made only 22.2 percent of their attempts the opening 20 minutes. Comparably, the host Wasps hit 52.6 percent of their shots in the first half.

Sewanee never led in the game. Individually, senior Jorden Williams paced Sewanee with 21 points. Freshman Adrian Thomas added 12 points, while Brody Stone finished with five points and five rebounds.

Reserve Colin Molden led five Emory & Henry players in double figures

Sewanee will host its first home game of the season against Boyce today Friday). Tipoff is scheduled for 6 p.m. inside Juhan Gymnasium.







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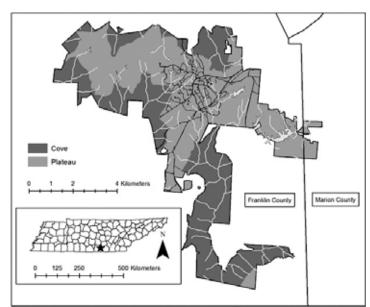


# **NATURENOTES**

Last week's Nature Note photo, Pickerel weed in Basin 3, was by Mary Priestley.

## **Bald Eagle Sighting**

**Annie Armour** reports "Chuck and I were just driving towards Tracy City when a Bald eagle crossed the road in front of us and sailed off into the woods with something big in its talons. I've never seen a bald eagle around here before so it was a real treat."



Map of the University of the South lands with location within Tennessee. Plateau forest type is shown in dark gray, and cove forest type is shown in lighter gray. Streams and water bodies are shown in light gray. Paved roads and county lines overlay the map in black. From The Vascular Flora of the University of the South, Sewanee, Tennessee

#### Celebrate the Herbarium

On Nov. 4, as part of the Homecoming events, the Sewanee Herbarium held an open house celebrating several accomplishments of the Herbarium and honoring Director Emeritus George Ramseur. Next week's Nature Note will elaborate on Ramseur and the book he inspired, authored by Mary Priestley.

This week, the focus is on the flora of the Domain, which was published in the September issue of Castanea, the journal of the Southern Appalachian Botanical Society, and is available online at < castaneajournal.org/doi/full/10.2179/16-086>, thanks to the University. This flora is a list of the 1,118 different vascular plants found on the 13,000 acres of the Domain. It represents 20 years of work by many volunteers and students under the direction of current Herbarium Director Jon Evans and plant collections that began with the arrival of Harry and Jean Yeatman and even before that time. The significance of this flora shows in that it represents 39 percent of the number of vascular plants in the recently published flora of the state of Tennessee and 69 percent of the plant species in the southern Cumberland Plateau region. This makes the flora list and plant collection a great resource for scientific research and for management of the Domain. It is also the first publication to describe the plant communities of the Domain, 15 of them, ranging from sandstone outcrop and bluff to lawn and floodplain. A unique accomplishment in many ways.

—reported by Yolande Gottfried

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Painted Snake Coiled Forest snails (Anguispira picta) found at Buck Creek Cove in Franklin Co. (Photo Courtesy: Alan Cressler)

# Sherwood Forest Conservation Effort Protects Endangered Wildlife Habitat

The Conservation Fund and the Land Trust for Tennessee, in partnership with the State of Tennessee, announced the protection of 4,061 acres of forestland in the South Cumberland region. With funding from the Land and Water Conservation Fund (LWCF)—through both the U.S. Forest Service's Forest Legacy Program and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service's Cooperative Endangered Species Conservation Fund—more than eight miles of streams in the Crow Creek Valley and vital habitat for more than one-third of all the federally threatened painted snake coiled forest snails known to exist have been conserved.

Located an hour west of Chattanooga and adjacent to Franklin State Forest and Carter State Natural Area, the surface of the property will be managed by the State for public access and recreation, drinking water quality for the downstream community of Sherwood, wildlife habitat protection and sustainable forest management. The Tennessee Department of Agriculture's Division of Forestry will manage a portion of the newly protected land as part of Franklin State Forest, expanding future hunting access. The Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation will manage the rest as part of Carter State Natural Area and South Cumberland State Park.

"By providing protection of threatened species and preserving one of Tennessee's most scenic lands, Tennessee State Parks will preserve and protect this wild place forever," said Brock Hill, Deputy Commissioner for Parks and Conservation. "The South Cumberland State Park area is unique in many ways. We look forward to managing this land for public recreation and the benefit of all state park guests."

The Conservation Fund, with transactional support from The Land Trust for Tennessee, purchased 3,893 acres earlier this year from a private mining company, which retained the rights to mine limestone underneath the property for the next 50 years. This will allow the company to continue operations and maintain local mining jobs. In agreement with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, the company donated an additional 168 acres to mitigate for impacts to the painted snake coiled forest snail habitat.

This innovative conservation effort was made possible with funding from the LWCF—a bipartisan, federal program that uses a percentage of proceeds from offshore oil and gas royalties, not taxpayer dollars—which was provided through the merit-based Forest Legacy Program and was implemented in partnership with the Tennessee Department of Agriculture. LWCF funding has leveraged significant public and private funding from the Tennessee State Lands Acquisition Fund, the Open Space Institute's Resilient Landscapes Initiative and South Cumberland Landscape Fund and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service's Recovery Land Acquisition Grants program, provided through Section 6 of the Endangered Species Act. LWCF is annually funded by the U.S. Congress, including Tennessee's U.S. delegation representing Franklin and Marion counties: U.S. Senator Lamar Alexander, U.S. Senator Bob Corker and U.S. Representative Scott DesJarlais.

The painted snake coiled forest snail is only found in Franklin County, Tennessee, with the entire known population inhabiting privately owned land prior to this conservation effort. In addition to the snail, this project protects habitat supporting the federally endangered Morefield's leather flower as well as seven additional rare species of plants and animals. Identified as a "hot spot" for ecological resiliency, the land is also likely to support wildlife far into the future.

The Sherwood Forest project was supported through the Open Space Institutes' Resilient Landscapes Initiative and Southern Cumberland Land Protection Fund, which are made possible with funding from the Doris Duke Charitable Foundation, Lyndhurst Foundation, Benwood Foundation and Merck Family Fund. These initiatives seek to build capacity of land trusts working to respond to climate change.





Jocelyn



Lady Jinglehopper

# Pets of the Week

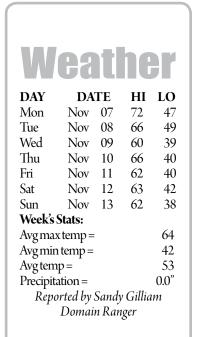
Animal Harbor offers these two delightful pets for adoption.

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Lady Jinglehopper is a 4-monthold orange and white Tabby kitty. She is very playful, but she also enjoys her lounging time as well. If a cuddle buddy is what you seek, look no further! Lady is negative for FeLV and FIV, house-trained, up-to-date on shots, and she will be spayed before she goes home.

Every Friday is Black Friday at Animal Harbor. On Fridays, adoption fees will be reduced 50 percent for black or mostly black pets more than 4 months old who have been at Animal Harbor for more than a month. Pets adopted from Animal Harbor qualify for a free post-adoption wellness exam by local veterinarians.

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The winged seeds, where they lie cold and low, Each like a corpse within its grave, until Thine azure sister of the Spring shall blow

Her clarion o'er the dreaming earth, and fill (Driving sweet buds like flocks to feed in air) With living hues and odours plain and hill:

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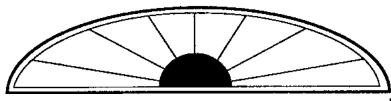


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#### Today, Friday, Nov. 18

7 a.m. Curbside recycling

9 a.m. Bake sale, Citizen's Tri-County Bank, Monteagle

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

10 a.m. Games day, Senior Ctr

12 p.m. Spinal Spa with Kim, Fowler Ctr

5 p.m. Sounds of Sewanee concert, Blue Monarch  $fund raiser, Guerry\, Hall$ 

6 p.m. Little League meeting, LL Field, Ball Park Road

7:30 p.m. Movie, "Kubo and the Two Strings," SUT

7:30 p.m. Performing Arts, organ recital, Rodland, All Saints'

#### Saturday, Nov. 19

Sunday, Nov. 20

Monday, Nov. 21

Tuesday, Nov. 22

St. Andrew's-Sewanee Thanksgiving Break, through Nov. 27

8:30 a.m. Yoga with Richard, Community Center

9:30 a.m. Hospitality Shop open, until noon 10 a.m. UDC Meeting, Cowan

3:30 p.m. Reynolds plaque dedication, All Saints'

4 p.m. Yoga with Helen, Community Ctr

MC Schools Thanksgiving Break, through Nov. 25

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

7:30 p.m. Movie, "Kubo and the Two Strings," SUT

9 a.m. Yoga with Sandra, St. Mary's Sewanee

1:30 p.m. Sewanee Book Club, more info 598-0733

5:30 p.m. Yoga for Healing with Lucy, Comm Center

6 p.m. Karate, youth, Legion Hall; adults, 7 p.m.

9 a.m. Pilates with Kim, beginners, Fowler Ctr

9:30 a.m. Crafting ladies, Morton Memorial, Monteagle

11:30 a.m. Grundy County Rotary, Dutch Maid, Tracy

12 p.m. Pilates with Kim, intermediate, Fowler Ctr

5:30 p.m. Yoga with Sandra, St. Mary's Sewanee

7 p.m. Centering Prayer, Otey sanctuary

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

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

10:30 a.m. Chair exercise with Ruth, Senior Ctr

6 p.m. Animal Harbor Party for Paws, St. Mark's Hall,

Otey, until 8:30 p.m.

7 p.m. Electric Arcadia fundraiser, Legion Hall, until 10 p.m.

3 p.m. Knitting circle, instruction, Mooney's, until 5 p.m.

9 a.m. Coffee with Coach Dickie McCarthy, Blue Chair

5 p.m. Sewanee Utility District board, 150 Sherwood Rd.

7:30 p.m. Movie, "Kubo and the Two Strings," SUT

# 10 a.m. Senior Center writing group, 212 Sherwood Rd.

Messenger on Break, through Nov. 27

FC Schools Thanksgiving Break, through Nov. 25

GC Schools Thanksgiving Break, through Nov. 27

Wednesday, Nov. 23

Nov. 28

10 a.m. Art Wednesdays, 104 Monterey St., Cowan 10 a.m. Pilates with Kim, intermediate, Fowler Ctr

9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m.; also 1–3 p.m.

10:30 a.m. Chair exercise with Ruth, Senior Ctr

University, School of Theology Thanksgiving Break, through

12 p.m. Pilates with Kim, beginners, Fowler Center

5:30 p.m. Yoga with Helen, Comm Ctr

# Thursday, Nov. 24 • Thanksgiving Day

## Friday, Nov. 25

8 a.m. Franklin Co. Hunger Hike, Carter State

9 a.m. Grundy Co. Hunger Hike, Grundy Lakes

10 a.m. Marion Co. Hunger Hike, Denny Cove

10 a.m. Sequatchie Co. Hunger Hike, Palmer

12 p.m. CAC Food with Friends, St. Mark's Hall, Otey

# **LOCAL 12-STEP MEETINGS**

# Friday

7 a.m. AA, open, Holy Comforter, Monteagle

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

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

Sunday

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

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

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

Tuesday

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

7:30 p.m. CoDA, open, Holy Comforter, Monteagle

10 a.m. AA, closed, Clifftops, (931) 924-3493

4:30 p.m. AA, "Tea-Totallers" women's group, Clifftops, (931) 924-3493

7 p.m. NA, open, Decherd United Methodist

7:30 p.m. AA, open, Holy Comforter, Monteagle Thursday

12 p.m. AA, (931) 924-3493 for location

# 5 p.m. Acoustic jam, water bldg next to old GCHS



The first graders at SES enjoyed "Arthur" Day in their classrooms. Photo by Sewanee Elementary