

Getting Ready for the Season at Taylor's

By K.G. Beavers, Messenger Staff Writer

In the Sewanee Village, one can always tell what season it is by looking to Taylor's Mercantile. During the spring and summer, the front yard of the business is abloom with color and houseplants and bedding plants. During the fall, the landscape changes inside and out to oranges, yellows and browns. There are all sorts of flowers, tablescapes and rugs to decorate a home.

And, it is the start of the holiday season when Ken Taylor decorates his store for his annual open house, which is Saturday, Nov. 3, and Sunday, Nov. 4.



Nutcrackers at the ready at Taylor's.

People come near and far for the open house, which is now in its 28th year.

"For years I was told that I could not start decorating for Christmas until after Thanksgiving. So during the Thanksgiving weekends we would spend countless hours decorating. Then somebody well-respected in the retail business told me I needed to start getting the holiday merchandise out early," said Taylor.

For many, the open house is the highlight of their holiday tradition. "People from all over come to the store. Some come to just purchase a few items and some to just get decorating ideas. For most, coming to Taylor's during the holiday season is the beginning of their holiday tradition," said Taylor.

"Some come for the Santas. Some come for flowers. Some come for holiday tableware. Then there are a few who without fail come and purchase their nutcrackers every year from us," said Taylor. "This is the highlight of their holiday."

This year, each retail business in the Village will take part in the open house. "It is neat that everyone wants to be involved," said Taylor.

Taylor's Mercantile began on January 1, 1984, when he and his mother, Evelyn, bought the old hardware store owned by Jeanette and Bill Hamilton. The building was previously Brooks General Merchandise. The original building

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The Sewanee Green Machine U10 soccer team (above) just completed an undefeated season. Coach Eric Hartman and his team went 7-0. Team members included Julian Bardi, Gus Croom, Mac Croom, Colin DeLorme, Harrison Hartman, Kalem Knight, Thomas Stapleton, Eli Wilson and McKeon Whitsett. Photo by Al Bardi

Fall Back!

Daylight Savings Time ends at 2 a.m., Sunday, Nov. 4. Don't forget to set your clock back one hour before you go to bed Saturday, Nov. 3.

Civic Association Meets Wednesday

The Sewanee Civic Association will meet at 6 p.m., Wednesday, Nov. 7, at the EQB House. Yearly dues of \$10 are payable at the door. Anyone who resides in the area and shares concerns of the community is invited to attend and become a member.

Emily Puckette will present the program on parks in Sewanee, and the efforts to refurbish Elliott Park. Register your interest in public playgrounds for the community's children by attending this meeting.

Social time with wine is at 6 p.m., and a buffet dinner begins at 6:30 p.m. The business meeting begins at 7 p.m., followed by the program. The program portion of the evening is free and open to the public. Dinner is \$12 per person.

Parking is available behind the EQB House in the lot off of Mitchell Avenue; everyone is encouraged to park there. For those who cannot manage stairs, the Sewanee police will allow parking on University Avenue.

MGTA Submits Plans For Monteagle Section

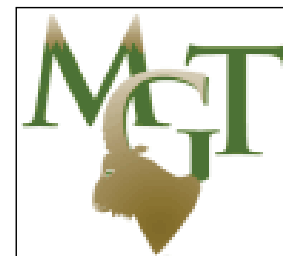
The town of Monteagle and the Mountain Goat Trail Alliance (MGTA) announced Oct. 30 the conclusion of right-of-way approvals for the Sewanee-Monteagle portion of the trail. MGTA has also submitted final design plans to the Tennessee Department of Transportation. After final design plan approval, construction bidding for the section can begin.

Monteagle mayor Marilyn Campbell-Nixon said, "I am pleased to sign the last right-of-way documents and help make the next part of the Mountain Goat Trail come to fruition. The residents of Monteagle, Sewanee and the rest of the plateau will benefit from this resource."

"It is truly exciting to be so close to construction of the next part of the Mountain Goat Trail," said Janice Thomas, MGTA board president. "The alliance especially wants to thank our former board members, Monteagle's Chamber of Commerce, former Mayor Rollins, Nate Wilson and our easement and financial donors and volunteers, without whom we would never have reached this point."

The planned section will link the existing two miles of the paved trail, which ends at Highway 156, to Monteagle at the Dollar General store, adding approximately three miles. The trail will largely follow the bed of the Mountain Goat Railroad, constructed in the 1850s and decommissioned in the 1980s.

The Mountain Goat Trail is a rail-to-trail community outdoor recreation project to convert the abandoned Mountain Goat railroad right-of-way into a multi-use recreational corridor connecting Grundy, Marion and Franklin counties. Donations to the MGTA are tax-deductible. For more information, go to the MGTA Facebook page at <facebook.com/mountaingoattrail> or email <info@mountaingoattrail.org>.



Election Night Watch Party

The Cumberland Center for Justice and Peace (CCJP) will celebrate its 25th anniversary with an election night watch party, beginning at 7 p.m., Tuesday, Nov. 6, at the home of Linda and Clayton Rogers, at 874 Lake O'Donnell Rd., Sewanee.

The public is invited to join in watching the election returns, with several televisions offering a selection of viewing options. Beverages

and light snacks will be served, and childcare will be available throughout the evening.

The charter granting CCJP official status was recognized by the state of Tennessee in 1987. The election night party is a long-standing tradition with CCJP.

For more information contact Leslie Lytle at <sllytle@blomand.net> or 598-9979.



Britni Nunley (center) surrounded by friends (from left) Edwin Ashcraft, Margarita Parris, Stella Parris and Michiah Posey at the "Pink Out" Nunley organized.

Pink Out Raises Funds for Breast Cancer Fight

Britni Nunley recently had the pleasure of presenting Sheril Miller with a check for \$820.75 during a St. Andrew's-Sewanee School (SAS) chapel meeting. She is a senior day student at SAS, the daughter of Nicole and Tommy Nunley of Tracy City.

Miller is the director of development of the Chattanooga affiliate of Susan G. Komen for the Cure, an organization dedicated to trying to end breast cancer.

Nunley raised the money by organizing a "Pink Out" for St. Andrew's-Sewanee's final regular home football game. She designed a T-shirt, had them printed, and sold them to classmates, teachers, friends, family and neighbors. For each \$10 shirt sold, \$5 went to Komen. Many of the football team members sported pink socks or gloves that day to support the project.

"I'm really proud of Britni," said the Rev. John Thomas, SAS head of school. "So often, even those of us with the best intentions wait to be asked to help a good cause. Britni showed tremendous initiative, organization and caring in putting together a wonderful way for this community to support a worthwhile organization."

Komen is working to end breast cancer through research, community health outreach, advocacy, and programs in more than 50 countries. Most of the money raised by Nunley will be used to provide support and advocacy for those fighting breast cancer in nearby communities.

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Letters

YOUTH SOCCER THANK-YOU To the Editor:

As Mountain Youth Soccer's 24th season draws to a close, we must take time to thank all of this year's volunteers. Thank you to the St. Andrew's-Sewanee and University of the South students for refereeing the games. Thank you to the community members, parents and University students for volunteering to coach 12 different teams. And thank you to the parents for bringing your child to practices and games. It is because of all of you that youth soccer continues to exist.

*Ty Burnette and the
Mountain Youth Soccer board* ■

PTO PARADE THANKS To the Editor:

Despite a cold night, more than 100 children and their parents enjoyed the PTO Reverse Parade on Oct. 29. Special thanks goes to the Sewanee Volunteer Fire Department. What would a parade be without the SVFD? The SVFD blocked off University Avenue, led the students through the parade, threw candy and made sure everyone got back to Sewanee Elementary. Another thanks goes to Lisa Hartman and the rest of the PTO board for leading the charge to candy. Volunteers such as these are what make our community great.

*Joan Hurst, president
Sewanee Elementary PTO* ■

CCJP's 25th BIRTHDAY To the Editor:

In 1987 the state of Tennessee authorized the charter of the Cumberland Center for Justice and Peace, granting the organization official status. Planning had been underway for several years under the direction of the Rev. Jack Gessell. The chartering document reads in part, "The Center is organized exclusively for educational and charitable purposes to bring a measure of justice and peace to the Cumberland Plateau and surrounding vicinity." Key issues that CCJP addressed in the early years included affordable housing, healthcare, salary equity, jobs, war resistance and conflict resolution.

The organization helped launch the Sewanee Community Council and Housing Sewanee (to build homes for the economically disadvantaged), and in 2002 founded the Sewanee Community Center.

CCJP will celebrate its 25th birthday with an election night watch party Tuesday, Nov. 6, beginning at 7 p.m., at the home of Linda and Clayton Rogers, at 874 Lake O'Donnell Rd. As is the case with all CCJP events, the public is invited. There will be several TV viewing rooms to watch the election returns, refreshments and plenty of excitement to go around. The election night party is a long-standing tradition with CCJP and a great way to become acquainted with the organization. Join us!

*Joe Pierce, chairman
Cumberland Center for
Justice and Peace* ■

MONTEAGLE PARADE THANKS To the Editor:

The Monteagle Mountain Chamber of Commerce would like to offer a special thanks to local businesses: McDonald's, Hardee's, Sonic and Wendy's, City of Monteagle, Appalachian Women's Guild, Priscilla Graham and S.H. Enterprises for their sponsorship of this year's Halloween Parade. We would also like to thank those people who volunteered their time to help make this event a success: the Grundy County High School Key Club; the parents and friends that braved the cold, damp day to bring your kids out and help with the lineup; and those that handed out candy to the kids. Thank you, everyone!

*Rhonda Pilkington,
Executive Director
Monteagle Chamber of Commerce* ■

SUPPORT FOR STEWART To the Editor:

"A Gallup survey of small businesses released on Feb. 15, 2012, shows that 71 percent of small businesses are holding back on hiring because there isn't enough demand to justify new hires. A similar study conducted by the National Federation of Independent

Businesses in May shows that declining sales is the largest reason why small businesses aren't hiring, much more so than business taxes or government regulations. When working families have more money in their pockets, they are going to become customers that purchase goods and services in our local communities from our local businesses. To me, the real "job creators" are working families—the mom who buys her daughter a new outfit before she starts school, and the family that hires a local construction company to do the home improvement projects they've been putting off. When the demand for goods and services increases beyond what small businesses are able to produce with their current employees, then, and only then, will they hire new employees. That's why fighting for working families is so important, and it's what I commit to doing if elected to Congress."

These excerpts from Eric Stewart's recent column are why I'm voting for him. Eric Stewart gets it.

Leah Rhys, Monteagle ■

DIMES FOR DOGS & CATS To the Editor:

On behalf of Joseph's Remodeling Solutions, Alyssa and I want to thank the Sewanee community and the SBA for the wonderful fall evening of the Angel Festival. Together with Gail Castle and Pat Thompson of the Franklin County Humane Society and Josh Bailey of Joseph's Remodeling Solutions, we launched the Dimes for Dogs and Cats fund-raiser for the new Animal Harbor no-kill shelter building. Seventy-eight water bottles were given out; each 16-ounce water bottle holds \$92 worth of dimes and can be returned to Taylor's Mercantile. We raised \$28 through signatures of support, and four new Humane Society volunteers were signed up. What a great night!

Dimes for Dogs and Cats fund raising will continue in the Sewanee community through November. Please be sure to pick up an extra free bottle of water at your favorite Sewanee business location. Enjoy the water and then return the bottle filled with dimes to Taylor's as a tax-deductible contribution to Animal Harbor. Together we will do what Joseph's Remodeling Solutions and Animal Harbor do best: build homes for families, friends, and precious pets. Thank you for your support.


Joseph Sumpter, Cowan ■

ANIMAL HARBOR OFFERS THANKS To the Editor:

The Franklin County Humane Society would like to thank those who participated in or supported our

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recent fund-raising events for Animal Harbor. We thank Tractor Supply of Winchester for hosting our Halloween Pet Photos on Oct. 20–21. We are very grateful to Mandie Curty, who organized the event; Linda Curty, our professional photographer; Kristina McGrath and all the other volunteers who helped with this event. Many thanks to everyone in the community who donated at our roadblocks in Winchester and Cowan on Oct. 20, and to the volunteers who conducted this event. We deeply appreciate all your support. The animals we help would thank you too, if they could talk!

*Patricia Thompson, president
The Franklin County Humane
Society* ■

SENIOR OLYMPICS To the Editor:

Let's start thinking about Senior Olympics! In a little more than six months, the "season of competition" begins, and we need some lead time to prepare: perhaps lose a few pounds, learn some technique in a new sport (have you heard about pickle ball?) and just get off the couch and work on physical conditioning. It's all good, folks—mentally, physically, emotionally, and it's fun!

Information about which sports, (archery to track and everything in between), how to enter, where and when competition occurs, cost (minimal), can be found online at <www.tennesseeseniolympics.com>. Or, better yet, come to Sewanee Senior Center Sunday, Nov. 4, at 4 p.m., and we can talk about all the above and possibly forming a Senior Sports Club.

If you can't make the meeting and would like to discuss anything mentioned, call me at 598-9517, and I'll be happy to assist.

John Wendling, Sewanee ■

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Meetings & Activities

Sewanee Woman's Club Reservations Due Today

The Sewanee Woman's Club will meet on Monday, Nov. 12, at the DuBose Conference Center in Monteagle. Carolyn Fitz will present "Rembrandt's Palette: How Chemistry Is Used as a Tool to Unravel the Mystery of Which Paints Rembrandt Used in the Painting 'The Jewish Bride.'" Reservations for lunch (garden salad, puffed pastry tarts, seasonal vegetable, Dutch apple pie) are due today, Nov. 2; call Caroline Shoemaker at 598-0982 or email Marianna Handler at <mariannah@earthlink.net>.

Adult Children of Alcoholics Organizational Meeting

Persons interested in participating in an Adult Children of Alcoholics (ACOA) meeting will gather at 6 p.m., Saturday, Nov. 3, at the Sewanee Community Center. Based on the number of people and their schedules, a regular meeting time and place will be set. ACOA is an anonymous 12-step program for women and men who grew up in an alcoholic or otherwise dysfunctional home. For more information call (931) 308-5342.

CFSCP Announces Grants on Sunday

The Community Fund of the South Cumberland Plateau (CFSCP) will host a celebration at 3:30 p.m., Sunday, Nov. 4, at the Monteagle Inn. The inaugural CFSCP grant recipients will be announced, and donors who have made significant gifts to the fund will be honored.

Senior Olympics Planning Meeting

Folks interested in forming a Senior Sport Club or participating in the Senior Olympics will gather at 4 p.m., Sunday, Nov. 4, at the Sewanee Senior Center. All are welcome to attend.

Patterson will Speak at ECW Monday

The Episcopal Church Women will meet on Monday, Nov. 5, at St. James Episcopal Church in Midway. The Rev. W. Brown Patterson, professor, scholar, writer and clergyman, will be the speaker. Lunch begins at noon. Reservations for lunch should be made by 6 p.m., Saturday, Nov. 3, by contacting Peggy Lines at 598-5863 or <plines@sewanee.edu>.

"Dirty Energy in the Dirty South" Monday

Sewanee Green Action is sponsoring a panel discussion on non-renewable energy resources in the Southeast, "Dirty Energy in the Dirty South," at 5 p.m., Monday, Nov. 5, in Gailor Auditorium. Participants will include Eric Blevins (Mountaintop Removal Road Show) and Anna Haislip (Tennessee Against Fracking).

Highland Rim Birders Meet on Tuesday

The Highland Rim chapter of the Tennessee Ornithological Society will meet on Tuesday, Nov. 6, at Manchester Presbyterian Church. The business meeting will begin at 6 p.m., with light refreshments at 6:30 p.m. At 7 p.m., Dwain Adams, a long time bird carver, will showcase and speak about his craft. For information call Lisa Trail at (931) 728-6045.

Climate Action Energy Group Gathers Wednesday

The Sewanee Healthy Energy Campaign will hold its inaugural event at 7 p.m., Wednesday, Nov. 7, in Harris Commons, Spencer Hall. Dan Joranko from the statewide Healthy Energy Campaign will speak, as well as professor David Haskell and Jane Brown. For more information about this effort, go to <www.tnclimateaction.net>.

Area Rotary Club Meetings

The Grundy County Rotary Club meets at 11:30 a.m. on Tuesdays at the Dutch Maid Bakery in Tracy City.

The Monteagle/Sewanee Rotary Club meets at the Smoke House Restaurant on Wednesday mornings. Coffee begins at 6:50 a.m.; breakfast and the meeting begin at 7 a.m. and end by 8 a.m. On Nov. 7, Brenda Thornburgh will talk about her travels to India and her work on the polio eradication program.

The Monteagle/Sewanee Rotary Club hosts a noon Thursday meeting and program in McClurg Dining Hall, Room B, on the University campus. On Nov. 8, Thornburgh will discuss the Polio Eradication Program.

Franklin County School Board Meets

The Franklin County School Board will meet at 6:30 p.m., Thursday, Nov. 8, at the Board of Education office, 215 S. College St., Winchester. Chris McDonough is Sewanee's representative on the Board.

Academy for Life Long Learning Gathers on Thursday

The Academy for Life Long Learning will gather at noon on Thursday, Nov. 8, at St. Mary's Sewanee. John Bridger, executive director of the Chattanooga Regional Planning Authority, will present the program. Attendees are welcome to brown-bag or purchase lunch; reservations for lunch are due Monday, Nov. 5, and can be made by calling 598-5342 or emailing <reservations@stmaryssewanee.org>.

Veterans' Day Celebrations on Nov. 12

American Legion Post 51 will hold a Veterans' Day celebration at 6 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 12, in the Legion Hall on University Avenue in Sewanee.

The Sequatchie Valley Honor Guard will present a flag-folding ceremony and a 21-gun salute at 12:30 p.m., Monday, Nov. 12, at Western Sizzlin' in Jasper. All veterans will eat free off the buffet that day to thank them for their service.

Emeritus Association Gathers Nov. 15

The Sewanee Emeritus Association will hold its final meeting for the fall semester at 3:30 p.m., Thursday, Nov. 15, in the Hearth Room at the Sewanee Inn. Eric Hartman, dean of students, will talk about new forms of campus student housing.

Forster Returning to West Virginia

Sewanee Vice-Chancellor John McCardell announced on Oct. 26 that Jerry Forster, treasurer of the university and vice president for finance and administration, has taken a new position with the University of Charleston (West Virginia) as area president for the University of Charleston-Beckley. Forster has been with the University for more than 11 years, first as chief financial officer and then as vice president. He will conclude his service at Sewanee on Dec. 31.

Forster previously lived in West Virginia for many years. He is an alumnus of the University of Charleston and was vice president for administration and finance there before coming to Sewanee in 2001.

While at Sewanee, he worked to implement the 2001 campus master plan and spearheaded the development of the 2011 campus master plan; created strategies to ensure the financial health of the university; oversaw large administrative and operating areas; and provided the financial analysis that allowed Sewanee to take bold steps to reduce and freeze tuition, grounded in its financial strength.

"I have deep appreciation and respect for the work Jerry has done for the University and for the wide range of duties he has carried out," said McCardell. "I am grateful for his informed and forthright counsel to me during the two-plus years I have been at Sewanee."

Chuck Nabit, chair of the board of regents, said, "Jerry's work has been an enormous asset to the board. I appreciate his clarity, straightforward explanations, and grasp of both details and the big picture."

The University will begin a national search for Forster's successor, and is expected to announce interim arrangements very soon.

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Obituaries

Hazel Pack Coffelt

Hazel Pack Coffelt, age 75 of Sherwood, died Oct. 25, 2012, at Emerald-Hodgson Skilled Care in Sewanee. She was born July 20, 1937, in Sherwood to Frank and Esther Steele Pack. She was preceded in death by her husband, Herschel Leon Coffelt, Sr., four sisters and one brother.

She is survived by her son, Ronald (Sharon) Coffelt of Sherwood; daughter, Karen Coffelt Kesey of Sherwood; sister-in-law, Marie Statom of Sewanee; stepchildren, Herschel L. Coffelt Jr. of Memphis, Gail Coffelt Epperson of Winchester and Sandra Coffelt Matthews of Stevenson, Ala.; and six step-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Oct. 28 in the funeral home chapel with Bro. Tom Gilman officiating. Interment followed in Mountain View Cemetery.

For complete obituary visit <www.moorecortner.com>.

Rodger Dean Nunley

Rodger Dean Nunley, age 60, died Oct. 26, 2012. He was a member of Grace Village Church and Sewanee Masonic Lodge #405. He was born March 26, 1952, to Ralph and Mildred Louise Caldwell Nunley, who preceded him in death, along with his brothers, Red Nunley and Ralph Ewing Nunley; and sister, Peggy Braden.

He is survived by his wife, Doris Meeks Nunley; sons, Evan (Trina) Nunley and Chase Nunley; daughter, Misty Nunley; and six grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Oct. 28 in the funeral home chapel with Bro. Jerry Stockwell and Bro. Kenny Barrett officiating. A Masonic service was held October 27. Interment followed in Coalmont Cemetery.

For complete obituary visit <www.laynefuneralhome.com>.

Ola Mae “Sissy” Morris Pack

Ola Mae “Sissy” Morris Pack, age 75 of Sherwood, died Oct. 25, 2012, at her home. She was born Sept. 19, 1937, in the Battle Creek community of South Pittsburg to Walter and Clara Stubblefield Morris. She was preceded in death by her parents and siblings Martha McBee and Jimmy “Pod” Morris.

She is survived by her husband, Bill Pack; son, Terry (Jan) Pack of Sherwood; siblings Polly (Warney) Guess of Sherwood, Louise (Dean) Wynn, Buddy (Nancy) Morris, Ann (Darrell) Neal, and Faye (Jerry) Guess, all of Stevenson, Ala.; Lee (Rubye) Morris of Ringgold, Ga., and Debbie Henley of Decherd; three grandchildren, two great-grandchildren, and a host of nieces, nephews and extended family.

Funeral services were held Oct. 27 in the funeral home chapel with Ray Winton and Wayne McAllister officiating. Interment followed in Mountain View Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the ALS Association Development Department, 27001 Agoura Rd., Suite 250, Calabasas Hills, CA 91301.

For complete obituary visit <www.rudderfuneralhomes.com>

Tommy Ray Rollins

Tommy Ray Rollins, age 56 of Sewanee, died Oct. 24, 2012, in Jefferson, Ind. He was born Jan. 28, 1956, in Sewanee. He was preceded in death by his parents, George and Alma Rollins; sister Thelma Fann; and brother Roy.

He is survived by sisters Nina (George) Layne and Sandra (Leonard) Cantrell of Monteagle, Barbara Ann (Larry) Dykes of Sewanee; brothers Vernon Eugene (Beverly) Rollins and Robert (Judy) Rollins, both of Sewanee, and Jimmy Rollins, of Kentucky, and several nieces and nephews.

A memorial service with interment of ashes will be at 2 p.m., Saturday, Nov. 3, at Anderson Cemetery in Midway.

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Christmas Boxes for Children

This holiday season, area residents are working to brighten the lives of millions of needy children around the world. Volunteers are preparing for the collection of 635 gift-filled shoeboxes—Franklin County’s target contribution to the world’s largest Christmas project of its kind, Operation Christmas Child. Franklin County is part of the Middle Tennessee Area team, which hopes to collect 38,000 shoe boxes in 2012.

On the Mountain, Penny Cowan is the contact person.

“I am more than happy to answer questions about Operation Christmas Child and how you can become involved,” she said. “It is a wonderful project and I like that it is completed before we all get so busy with the Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays. All ages can be involved and it works well as an individual, family, group or church project. To learn more or arrange a pickup of packed boxes, call Cowan at 598-0731.

In 2012 Operation Christmas Child expects to reach a milestone—collecting and delivering shoeboxes to more than 100 million children since 1993. During that time, Operation Christmas Child has collected more than 94 million shoebox gifts and hand-delivered them to children in more than 130 countries. This year, the group hopes to collect another 9 million gift-filled shoeboxes. For many children, the shoebox gift will be the first gift they have ever received. For more information go to <www.samaritanaspurse.org/occ>.

Church News

All Saints’ Chapel

Growing in Grace welcomes Lee Ann Afton Sunday at 6:30 in All Saints’ Chapel. Lee Ann grew up in Sewanee and is now the dean of admission and financial aid.

She works with high school students as they navigate the college process and introduces them to the Mountain. All are welcome to this informal Eucharist.

Catechumenate continues at 7 p.m., Wednesday, Nov. 7, in the Bairnwick Women’s Center. Chaplain Tom Macfie will present “The Ways We Talk about Jesus.” There will be dessert and coffee to bring into small group discussions on the topic.

Christ Church, Monteagle

Christ Church will celebrate All Saints’ Sunday on Nov. 4 with Fr. Paul Oxner at the organ and preaching by Deacon Stan Matthews.

A festive lunch will follow, and the children’s Sunday School will continue to pack shoeboxes for the “Christmas Child Project.”

On Sunday afternoons, the congregation is watching the movie “Betrayed.”

For more information about it, go to <betrayedthemovie.com>.

Fire on the Mountain

Fire on the Mountain EYC will meet from 4 p.m. to 5:15 p.m., Sunday, Nov. 4, in Brooks Hall at Otey Parish. Sponsored by St. James and Otey Parish, the group welcomes all youth in grades 6–12.

For more information call Betty Carpenter at 598-5926.

Otey Parish

Otey Parish will celebrate All Saint’s Day on Sunday, Nov. 4, with Holy Eucharist Rite II at 8:50 a.m. and 11 a.m.

During the Sunday School hour, there will be an intergenerational event, coloring crosses and making icons in remembrance and in honor of those who have been saints in our lives. Godly Play will meet as usual. There will also be an opportunity to make special All Saints’ Day sacred art. The Lectionary Class will examine Mark 12:28–34.

Nursery care is available from 8:30 a.m. until after coffee hour, which follows the second service.

Next Sunday, Nov. 11, Otey will have its annual parish meeting at 10 a.m.

CAC Pantry Sunday Nov. 4

Pantry Sunday for the Community Action Committee (CAC) is Sunday, Nov. 4 for participating churches: St. James, Otey, Cumberland Presbyterian and All Saints’ Chapel.

Please bring your food offerings to Sunday services.

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 35 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.

CHURCH CALENDAR

Weekday Services, Monday–Friday

7:00 am Morning Prayer/HE, St. Mary’s (not Wed)
7:30 am Morning Prayer, Otey
8:10 am Morning Prayer, Chapel of the Apostles
8:30 am Morning Prayer, St. Augustine’s
12:00 pm Holy Eucharist, Chapel of the Apostles (M-T-F)
12:05 pm Healing Service, Otey (Thu)
4:00 pm Evening Prayer, St. Augustine’s
4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey
5:00 pm Evening Prayer, St. Mary’s (not Wed)
5:40 pm Evening Prayer, Chapel of the Apostles (not Thu)

Saturday, Nov. 3

8:00 am Morning Prayer, St. Mary’s
5:00 pm Mass, Good Shepherd Catholic Church, Decherd

Sunday, Nov. 4 • Pantry Sunday

All Saints’ Chapel

8:00 am Holy Eucharist
11:00 am Holy Eucharist
6:30 pm Growing in Grace

Bible Baptist Church, Monteagle

10:00 am Morning Service
5:30 pm Evening Service

Christ Church Episcopal, Alto

11:00 am Holy Eucharist
11:00 am Children’s Sunday School

Christ Church, Monteagle

10:30 am Holy Communion
10:45 am Children’s Sunday School
12:50 pm Christian formation class

Church of the Holy Comforter, Monteagle

9:00 am Holy Eucharist

Cowan Fellowship Church

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

Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Sewanee

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

Decherd United Methodist Church

9:45 am Sunday School
10:50 am Worship

Epiphany Episcopal Church, Sherwood

10:30 am Holy Eucharist
10:30 am Children’s Sunday School

Good Shepherd Catholic Church, Decherd

10:30 am Mass

Grace Fellowship

10:30 am Sunday School/Worship Service

Harrison Chapel Methodist

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

Midway Baptist Church

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

Midway Church of Christ

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

Morton Memorial United Methodist, Monteagle

6:00 pm Evening Service
9:45 am Sunday School

New Beginnings Church, Jump Off

11:00 am Worship Service

Otey Memorial Parish

8:50 am Holy Eucharist
10:00 am Christian education

Pelham United Methodist Church

11:00 am Holy Eucharist
9:45 am Sunday School

St. James Episcopal

11:00 am Worship Service
9:00 am Children’s Church School
9:00 am Holy Eucharist

St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church, Alto

10:15 am Godly Play
8:00 am Mass

St. Mary’s Convent

8:00 am Holy Eucharist
5:00 pm Evensong

Sewanee Church of God

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

Society of Friends

6:00 pm Evening Service
9:30 am Meeting, 598-5031

Tracy City First Baptist Church

9:45 am Sunday School
10:45 am Morning Worship

5:30 pm Youth

6:00 pm Evening Worship

Wednesday, Nov. 7

6:00 am Morning Prayer, Cowan Fellowship
12:00 pm Holy Eucharist, Christ Church, Monteagle
5:30 pm Evening Worship, Bible Baptist, Monteagle
6:00 pm Youth (AWANA), Tracy City First Baptist
7:00 pm Adult Christian Formation, Epiphany Episcopal Church, Sherwood
7:00 pm Evening Worship, Tracy City First Baptist

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Monteagle Sewanee Realtors welcomes Heather Olson (above) as a new affiliate broker. She will specialize in the sale of Sewanee and Monteagle residential properties. Olson is a former art director and instructional assistant for special needs students. Her husband, Wayne Olson, is director of gift planning for the University. Their sons, Nathan and Mark, are students at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School. She can be reached at (804) 839-3659.

Taylor's from page 1

burned in 1918, and the building was completely rebuilt in 1921.

"When we purchased the building, the back half of the store was still filled with the hardware inventory," said Taylor. "In the front of the store, I had purchased an old Coca-Cola cooler and filled it with flowers. We went to the markets in Chattanooga with about \$1,000, and purchased merchandise to fill in the front part of the store.

"Obviously, I have purchased more items than that throughout the years," said Taylor.

The hardware part of the store lasted another 10 years at Taylor's. As big box stores replaced the smaller hardware stores, Taylor moved to offering what he liked best: unique gifts and flowers.

He did not always want to be a shop owner. As a graduate student, he was accepted to medical school at Vanderbilt. "I dropped out because I was not passionate about it. I have found that this store is my passion."

After purchasing the building, he and his mother both continued to work at the Sewanee hospital. "We took turns running the store." That hard work and dedication have paid off. "We have worked to grow our business into the exceptional, not just the ordinary," said Taylor.

In addition to the seasonal gifts, weddings and party decorating, Taylor is also known for his work in the annual greening of All Saints' Chapel during Lessons and Carols weekend. He started this in 1982. "Now, the greening has grown into a huge event, with 100-150 people helping to decorate All Saints'." He and his wife, Lynn, still wait until the last minute to decorate the lectern and pulpit with fresh flowers and greenery themselves. He continues to volunteer his time for this annual event because "it is the right thing to do for the community. The community makes Taylor's my favorite part of being in business. You get to share good news with people, such as their weddings or other special occasions," said Taylor.

"And, we always hear how we have made their day special," he said.

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A Brief History of St. Mary's Sewanee: The Ayres Center for Spiritual Development

For the last 25 years, St. Mary's Sewanee: The Ayres Center for Spiritual Development has offered a place of quiet and natural beauty for rest, renewal and reconnection. The sacred ground—230 acres—on which the Center rests was first hallowed by the Community of St. Mary, an Episcopal religious order of women. A group of sisters arrived on the Mountain in Sewanee in 1888 in the aftermath of the devastating yellow fever epidemic that plagued Memphis, beginning in 1885. The sisters, following a brief respite, formed a school for girls in response to the lack of any formal education serving the impoverished local mountain communities. Over time the school grew to include boarding students from all over the Southeast seeking an Episcopal school education. Eventually the school merged with two other schools on the Mountain to form St. Andrew's-Sewanee School, a still-thriving Episcopal day and boarding school serving 255 students in grades 6-12.

In 1988 the sisters sold the buildings that were serving as their convent to a nonprofit organization formed by Robert M. Ayres Jr., who was the University's vice-chancellor at the time. With the proceeds from the sale, the sisters built a new and smaller convent one-half mile down St. Mary's Lane, where the sisters continue to live out their monastic vows, enriching the Sewanee community, the church and the world. Inspired by the vision of Bob Ayres for a vibrant center of spirituality on the Mountain, St. Mary's Sewanee has prospered since 1988 and today serves nearly 5,000 guests each year.

In the past year St. Mary's Sewanee has provided spiritual hospitality to numerous parishes and episcopal organizations in the Diocese of Tennessee, including the deacon formation training, Fresh Start, a clergy silent retreat and a clergy colloquium.

In honor of its 25th anniversary, St. Mary's Sewanee will celebrate its history and look to the future with a number of special events including:

- Dedicating and opening its new 20-room lodging and meeting building;
- Welcoming nationally recognized speakers to lead spiritual retreats;
- A 25th anniversary celebration weekend March 8-9, 2013.

As part of the anniversary, St. Mary's Sewanee will thank the Sewanee community by giving 25 gifts back to the community. Two of these are approaching: Advent Quiet Day—December can be an overwhelming time. St. Mary's Sewanee is offering the opportunity to step away and be quiet and reflect on the season. Advent Quiet Day will be Thursday, Dec. 20, for the first 40 people who register. The Rev. Thomas Morris will lead this day that will include periods of reflection and prayer and then times of silence. The Advent Quiet Day is free of charge and will include a homemade lunch. To register contact Rachel Dan Goldin at 598-5342.

Complimentary New Year's Retreat—For many year's St. Mary's Sewanee has hosted a New Year's mindfulness retreat with the Rev. Gordon Peerman and Kathy Woods. For a contemplative alternative to the usual New Year's celebration, join in a community of like-minded people and set an intention of loving kindness, joy and compassion in 2013. St. Mary's Sewanee is offering one scholarship (a \$425 value) to any undergraduate or seminarian currently enrolled at the University. Those interested should send an email to <thomas.morris@stmaryssewanee.org>.



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Sewanee Elementary School fourth-graders Meredith Foster (left) and Allie Vaughn ready to march in the Oct. 29 SES-PTO Halloween parade.

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Exempt Positions—Assistant University Counselor/Staff Psychologist; Chief of Police; HR Generalist; Web Developer.

Non-Exempt Positions—Computer Systems Administrator; Cook, Server and Utility Workers for Sewanee Dining; Dining Coordinator; Faculty Technology Specialist; Office Program Specialist.

Descriptions of these positions are available on the website at <www.sewanee.edu/personnel/jobs>. Apply for these positions at: <<https://www.sewanee.edu/site/j9UB9e/application>>.

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Lot 36 North Bluff	1064111	\$ 75,000
Saddletree Lane	836593	\$ 75,000
Raven's Den	1015362	\$ 99,000



OUR SEWANEE

by Annie Armour

With the kickoff of this year's Community Chest drive, a synopsis of some of Sewanee's many civic organizations seems appropriate.

The Sewanee Civic League, a woman's organization, was the first official service organization in town. It first met in 1908 to improve municipal conditions and equipment. Through various subgroups it accomplished many projects, from underwriting the blueprints for the stone gates on the highway to circulating literature on tuberculosis, repairing the stone wall around the cemetery and raising money to extend the term of the public school. It put in Shoup Park (the place where the fourth of July craft fairs are held), cleaned up the principal views and contributed money for the improvement of the University's water supply. When the group disbanded in 1947, they gave their fund balance of \$633.17 to the University's \$5 million campaign for the endowment of the nurses' home. The University Gates Fund went to the newly organized Woman's Club.

The Sewanee Woman's Club, still in existence, also works in subgroups. The Garden Club designed, planted and maintains the Shakespeare garden on Tennessee Avenue. They also helped revitalize the Thurmond Memorial Library, funded a Girl Scout Troop, adopted a HELP week to get fraternities involved in the community, and sponsored lectures, drama, music and other activities.

The men began their civic connections with the Sewanee Town Meeting group in December 1920. It was formed to provide law and order in Sewanee: "We have one of the worst towns ... in regard to the violation of the law. We are here to organize and contribute money for the good of Sewanee ... stop bootlegging and get a public school we are not ashamed of."

This organization broadened into the Sewanee Civitan Club. This was nationally affiliated until 1942, when it reformed as the local Sewanee Civic Association, which still operates. Its primary purpose was to raise money that the town could not raise through taxes (because it was unincorporated) in order to make municipal improvements. In 1926 the Civitan Club raised funds to build and maintain a new public school and later to put an addition onto it; both school and addition are still used for classrooms and offices. The objectives in 1938 included completion of the Alto Road and of a state highway to the Marion County line, securing the sheriff's salary, obtaining pledges for a community center for African-Americans, and adding a four-year high school for Sewanee. Each year this group organizes the Sewanee Community Chest, which currently raises about \$90,000 for local organizations. Its 1954 proposed budget was \$4,630.

The Friends of Abbo's Alley keeps the ravine garden full of native plants and nice walking and resting places. The Hospitality Shop sponsors scholarships for nurse training and has raised money for hospital equipment.

Otey Parish and other churches have made possible the Community Action Committee and Thurmond library. Area church groups have helped prepare hot lunches for the public school before it had a cafeteria, tutoring programs, outreach to families in need and other civic activities.

Folks at Home and the Senior Citizen's Center reach out to the elderly with food, transportation and other services. The Sewanee Community Center provides space for classes, social activities and the weekly farmers' market. A subgroup of the Community Council is making possible a dog park.

The American Legion Hall reaches out to veterans and their families and supplies space for contradancing and other activities. The Franklin County Humane Society cares for orphaned animals and helps them have better lives. Blue Monarch gives shelter and training for women in need. The Sewanee Business Alliance provides free entertainment activities in the downtown area for the broader community. The Cumberland Center for Justice and Peace provides educational and activist opportunities for issues related to justice and peace. The South Cumberland Land Trust works to keep our environment free of destructive intrusions on our scenic land.

Sewanee offers many opportunities to become active in the community. The Civic Association provides some funding for most of these organizations, so you know that donations you make during this fundraising campaign will support groups that improve the lives of everyone in the Sewanee community.



Josh Mauzy and his daughter, Maya, design the pumpkin they carved at a Halloween event on campus Oct. 28. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

Area Teams Help Restore Power

As the massive Hurricane Sandy bore down on the Atlantic Seaboard, 60 lineworkers from Tennessee's electric cooperatives left the state to assist with power restoration once the storm subsides.

"Our crews are staged in the area to respond quickly once it is safe to do so," said David Callis, executive vice president, Tennessee Electric Cooperative Association. Emergency work plans were put into place on Oct. 26, and crews from Tennessee headed for Virginia and Maryland beginning early on Oct. 27. This cooperation is enabled through mutual aid agreements between electric cooperatives.

Assisting Community Electric Cooperative in Windsor, Va.: eight lineworkers from Sequachee Valley Electric Cooperative, South Pittsburg. Assisting Rappahannock Electric Cooperative in Fredericksburg, Va.: five lineworkers from Duck River Electric Membership Corporation, Shelbyville; Assisting Choptank Electric Cooperative in Denton, Md.: eight lineworkers from Fayetteville Public Utilities, Fayetteville.

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Senior Center News

Regular Activities

10:30 a.m., Monday & Thursday

Chair Exercises

10:30 a.m., Tuesday

Bingo with prizes

10 a.m., Wednesday

Writing Group

10 a.m., Friday

Game Day

All are welcome to participate.

Senior Menus

The Sewanee Senior Center serves lunch at noon Monday through Friday. The suggested donation is \$3 (50 or older) or \$5 (under 50). Please call by 10:30 a.m. to order lunch. This week's menus are:

Nov. 5: White bean chili, apple salad, cornbread muffin, dessert.

Nov. 6: Lena's chicken, rice, green beans, roll, dessert.

Nov. 7: Salmon patty, white-beans, greens, cornbread, dessert.

Nov. 8: Meatloaf, zucchini and tomatoes, mashed potatoes, roll, dessert.

Nov. 9: Taco salad, dessert.

Menus may vary.

The center is located at 5 Ball Park Rd. (behind the Sewanee Market). To reserve a meal or for more information, call the center at 598-0771.

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AT THE MOVIES

Sewanee Union Theatre This Week

Friday–Sunday, Nov. 2–Nov. 4, 7:30 p.m.

The Dark Knight Rises

Rated PG-13 • 165 minutes • \$3

Batman is back, apparently for the last time, in this final segment of director Christopher Nolan's trilogy about Bruce Wayne (Christian Bale) and his alter ego. This time, Batman battles Bane (a virtually unidentifiable Tom Hardy), who is threatening to destroy Gotham. It boasts an all-star cast including Anne Hathaway, Joseph Gordon-Levitt, Marion Cotillard, Morgan Freeman, Gary Oldman and Michael Caine as Alfred, Bruce's loyal butler. I'm not sure how "Dark Knight Rises" evaded an R rating, as it contains extremely graphic and relentless violence. Rated PG-13 for intense sequences of violence and action, some sensuality and language.—LW

Cinema Guild

Wednesday, Nov. 7, 7:30 p.m.

Frost/Nixon

Rated R • 122 minutes • Free

Just in time for election season, 2008's "Frost/Nixon" is a film adaptation of real-life events that took place in the post-Watergate days in which President Nixon (Frank Langella) is interviewed by British reporter David Frost (Michael Sheen), breaking Nixon's silence in the wake of the scandal. Directed by Ron Howard. Rated R for language. —CG

Sewanee Union Theatre Next Week

Thursday–Sunday, Nov. 8–Nov. 11, 7:30 p.m.

The Campaign

Rated PG-13 • 85 minutes • \$3

In this election satire directed by Jay Roach ("Meet the Parents," "Borat" and "Dinner for Schmucks"), a couple of CEOs are determined to get incumbent Congressman Cam Brady (Will Ferrell) booted out of office. They choose another candidate to run against him-- the only problem is that this new candidate, Marty Huggins (Zach Galifianakis) has essentially no political experience. Also starring Jason Sudeikis and Dylan McDermott. As one reviewer wrote, "It's loud and profane and relentlessly vulgar. It's also occasionally funny." Rated R for crude sexual content, language and brief nudity. —CG

Reviews by Laura Willis and Caroline Gwaltney, C'14



"Picasso at the Lapin Agile," a comedy by Steve Martin: Picasso (Michael Caskey) and Einstein (Dana Huffer) compete for the attentions of Susanne (Pagie Wilson) and Genevieve (Megan Quick). There are performances at 7:30 p.m., tonight, Nov. 2, and Saturday, Nov. 3, in the Tennessee Williams Center. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

"Quintessence: Shakespeare in Performance" Thursday

Sewanee's departments of English and theatre arts will present "Quintessence: Shakespeare in Performance," with Dan McCleary and Stephanie Shine of the Tennessee Shakespeare Company, at 7:30 p.m., Thursday, Nov. 8, in the Tennessee Williams Center.

The evening will explore Shakespeare's quest for the answer to Hamlet's second most famous question, "What is this quintessence of dust?" The evening is free and open to the public; reservations are encouraged by calling 598-3260.

Through performance of scenes and speeches from several plays, the actors will examine such important aspects of Shakespeare's work as the Elizabethan conception of the humors, the elements and the great chain of being.

The evening will include excerpts from "Henry IV, Part 1," "The Taming of the Shrew," "Hamlet," "Richard III," "As You Like It," "Macbeth," "Romeo and Juliet" and "Othello."

Dan McCleary returned to his native Memphis in 2008 to found the Tennessee Shakespeare Company, of which he is the producing artistic director. Stephanie Shine is the education director of the Tennessee Shakespeare Company and is also the artistic director of Shakespeare Walla Walla.

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Arts and Events

True Grits at Miss Gracie's

Come hear sisters Ruth Swallow and Sophie Swallow play an acoustic set as True Grits, 6–8 p.m., Saturday, Nov. 3, at Miss Gracie's Restaurant in Cowan.

Foothills Arts and Crafts Show

Foothills Crafts is having its Christmas Arts and Crafts Festival, 9 a.m.–5 p.m. Friday and Saturday, Nov. 9–10, at the Manchester-Coffee County Conference Center, 147 Hospitality Blvd. in Manchester.

Admission and parking are free.

Painting Workshop at SAS

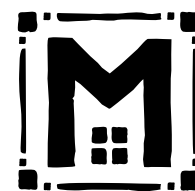
Gary Sanson will offer a painting workshop at the St. Andrew's-Sewanee Gallery on Saturday, Nov. 10. To register, contact Christi Teasley by email, <sasgallery@sasweb.org>, or phone (931) 588-9096, ext. 3151.

Organ Recital Nov. 15

Acclaimed organist Maxine Thévenot will play a recital in Sewanee's All Saints' Chapel at 7:30 p.m., Thursday, Nov. 15, as part of the University's 2012–13 Performing Arts Series.

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The Three Muses

I sing of dumps, of furtive roadside drops,
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Off cans of sugar drinks—those fluids vile,
The storied ruins of Troy, her levels deep.
I sing the cast away, both rich and mean.

Come muse possess my tongue. Whom shall you be?
There are but three to whom I kneel. You three
Contend. Which one shall guide my willing lips?

You, Waste, approach. Shall it be you to lead?
Who spills and drops and turns your back on all
That could be saved or used? All that is good
But only slightly tired you toss away.
You do not hear of Tupperware. No cans
You save, and glass is mixed with all the rest.
No Waste! Away from me! Touch not my tongue
With hands too clean. You hate what you deny.

Come, heedful Care, goddess who separates,
And waits with thought to cast away what once
Was new, but good enough to keep awhile.

Now comes white-robed Scientia, high-helmed
Athena's spawn, her pride, her youngest child.
Unlike both Waste and Care you claim to fix
Our glut. With many a prideful look you bring
Before our eyes with ease bright-eyed Success
Who will bring forth from what we loathe pure gold.
Yet not a thing you ask of us--no change.
We go as we have gone before, Goddess.
You say it will be yours to do, not ours.

O wise of numbers and of plans, you do
Know all except the key: The heart of man.
Scientia, you wish to play me false
As you have done before with those who wish
To gain with neither work nor change.
With ease comes bombs; with comfort struggles cease.
Security brings terror in its train.

Perhaps dear Care, your humble husbandry
Can temper proud Scientia and bind
Her wit handmaid to you, enthrall her mind
To you who tempers self for good of all.
If so, come Care into my heart to stay
And into myriads more, then all the dumps
Shall sing, as they will valued be to us
As gardens fair, to grow new goods

Klezmer Ensemble at St. Luke's Nov. 9

Isle of Klezbos, the boundary-busting, all-women's klezmer ensemble from New York, appears in Sewanee at 4 p.m., Friday, Nov. 9, in St. Luke's Chapel.

They will perform klezmer music and talk about the eastern-European and Jewish roots of this genre.

The group has toured from Vienna to Vancouver since 1998, and has been broadcast on CBS Sunday Morning, CNN WorldBeat, and PBS In the Life.

They have received enthusiastic praise, including this review from the Village Voice, "These women will make you shake your tushies!"

Each member of the group has been professionally successful on her own. Their résumés include degrees from Eastman, Julliard and Harvard.

Soprano Melissa Fogarty has sung with BargeMusic and had dramatic roles under the direction of Mark Morris.

Pam Fleming, trumpet and flugelhorn, has performed with Bonnie Raitt and Rufus Wainwright.

Debra Kreisberg is the reed specialist on clarinet and saxophone; she has backed Jay-Z and Beyoncé and heads the "cocktail pop" trio the Lascivious Biddies.

On accordion and piano, Shoko Nagai is a fixture on the downtown jazz scene, playing with John Zorn and other progressive jazz pioneers.

Isle of Klezbos' founder, Eve Sicular, who plays drums, has had a flourishing career as musician, band leader and composer. In the latter role, her music has been heard on HBO and Showtime, and she composed the award-winning musical "J. Edgar Klezmer: Songs from My Grandmother's FBI Files."

Admission is free, but seating is limited so arrive early.

This lecture-performance is sponsored by the departments of religion and music, women and gender studies, the Gay-Straight Alliance, and University lectures.



St. Andrew's-Sewanee School sophomores Eva Miller (left) and Diana Rinck won the recent high school entrepreneurial competition sponsored by the Babson Center for Global Commerce. Their successful proposal would link parents in college towns with bilingual babysitters who could help their children develop second-language skills.

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Workshop on Inner Self

Peggy Farmer is hosting a workshop 1–5 p.m. on Sunday, Nov. 11, that promises to activate one's inner coach, illuminate one's inner sage and allow the greatest parts of oneself to emerge unencumbered from past negative programming.

Farmer will guide participants through dialogue, processes, play, art and meditation. She is an internationally known speaker, wellness consultant and therapist.

The workshop, to be held at the Sewanee Community Center, costs \$55 per person. It includes a copy of her book, "Exploratory Surgery of the Soul, A Journey to Self Mastery."

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WED: Chicken sandwich, country-fried steak with roll, green beans, mashed potatoes.

THU: Taco salad, chicken soft taco, corn, western-blend veggies.

FRI: Pizza, sloppy joe, California-blend veggies, baked beans.

Options available every day: turkey or ham sandwich, with or without cheese; peanut butter and jelly. A variety of fruits and vegetables are served.

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MON: Pancakes.

TUE: Cinnamon roll.

WED: Chicken biscuit.

THU: French toast sticks.

FRI: Breakfast pizza.

Options available every day: Scrambled eggs, sausage, biscuit, gravy, variety of fruit. Milk or juice served with all meals.

Menus subject to change.



South Middle School students Jordan Ashley (left) and Abbie Faxon test the engineering of their bridge, built from toothpicks and glue, by piling textbooks on it to see how much weight it can hold.

St. Andrew's- Sewanee Wants Your Blood

On Tuesday, Nov. 13, St. Andrew's-Sewanee School will be hosting a blood donation drive. Blood Assurance, a nonprofit organization, will be bringing two buses to the Wood-Alligood Gymnasium on campus and will be open from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. The drive is organized and sponsored by the SAS senior class.

Senior Josh Owens encourages Sewanee students and community members to donate. "In our area alone, someone is in need of blood every six seconds. Last year we were able to provide Blood Assurance with 60 units of blood. With your help, we are hoping to beat that this year."

In order to give blood, you must be in good general health. Sixteen-year-olds can now donate with parental consent. Donors must also weigh a minimum of 110 lbs. Walk-ins are welcome, but donors can avoid a wait by signing up for a time slot in advance. Appointment times are every 15 minutes between 9 a.m. and 2:30 p.m.

To set an appointment, email <eduncan@sasweb.org> and include your name, phone number and top three preferred appointment times.

Area Students Earn SAS Honors

The following students from Sewanee, Cowan, Decherd and Monteagle are among the 35 students at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School named to the High Honors List for the most recent grading period and the 63 students named to the Honors List.

Grades are averaged on a 4.33 scale to determine the Honor Roll. Students who earn a grade point average of 3.67 or above are named to the High Honors List for academic achievement. Students with average ranges between 2.67 and 3.65 and who have received no grade below C are named to the Honors List. Satisfactory completion of Afternoon Programs is required for students to be eligible for the Honor Roll.

High Honors

Joshua Alvarez
Emory Babcock
Sarah Beavers
Jackson Berkhouse
Emily Blount
Katie Craighill
Fields Ford
Sadie Graves
Rebecca Lundberg
Nick Mays
Eliza McNair
Shalon Mooney
Namkha Norbu
Grace Pyle
Ruth Swallow
Sophie Swallow
Patrick Toomey
Helen Wilson
Marisa Wilson

Honors

Alyson Barry
Ashley Barry
Alex Berner-Coe
Isabel Butler
Davis Emory
Georgie Huber
Edwin Keeble
Abby Mainzer
Russell Mays
Annie McCawley
Eva Miller
Tommy Oliver
Josh Owens
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Sam Stine
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Margaret Wilson
Emma Zeitler



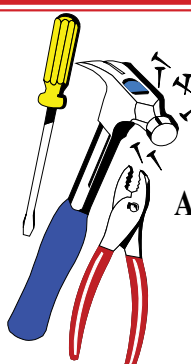
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SAS Most Improved Players: (seated from left) Tommy Oliver, Sadie Graves, Isabel Butler and (standing from left) Namkha Norbu, Michael Ross, Margarita Parris.



SAS Coaches' Award Recipients: (seated from left) Tyler Privette, Katelyn Howard, Stella Parris, Andrew Heitzenrater and (standing from left) Kendall Kinslow, Tinashe Zimbwa, Michael Ross, Alex Tinsley, Russell Mays, Robert Post, Joshua Owens, Mitchell Hazard, Edwin Ashcraft.



SAS Most Valuable Players: (seated from left) Tommy Oliver, Madison Culpepper, Katie Craighill and (standing from left) Kendall Kinslow, Jenna Burris, Samantha Stine.

SAS Fall Sports Awards

On Oct. 24, the St. Andrew's-Sewanee School upper school athletic teams, parents and coaches gathered in McCrory Hall for Performing Arts to recognize the accomplishments of fall athletes and teams. The players (pictured at left) received special recognition for contributions to their respective teams.

Sports Briefs

Women's Soccer

A double-overtime goal with five seconds left lifted No. 14-ranked Centre past the Sewanee women's soccer team on Oct. 27, 1-0.

Despite giving up the single goal, Olivia Glascoe finished with a career-high 20 saves.

The Sewanee women's soccer team closed out its regular season with a 5-1 loss at Trevecca Nazarene University on Oct. 30.

Bobbe Chaffin scored the lone goal for the Lady Tigers.

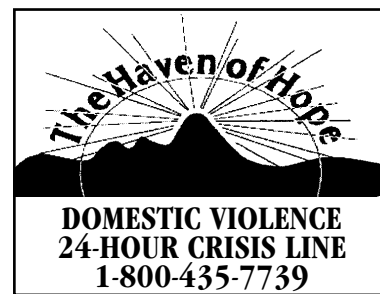
Men's Soccer

The Sewanee men's soccer team and Southern Athletic Association regular season champion Centre College played to a 1-1 draw on Oct. 27.

The Tigers got on the board first, when Will Noggle headed in a beautiful cross by Gervais Baker in the 67th minute. Centre evened the score a minute later.

Despite being outshot by eight attempts, Sewanee keeper Jacob Zalewski kept the Tigers close with a career-high 10 saves.

Weston Stitt and Ford Emerson led the attack with two shots.



Sewanee's field hockey team beat Hendrix College 3-1. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

Field Hockey Update

The Sewanee field hockey team earned a 3-1 victory over Hendrix on Oct. 27.

The Lady Tigers took command quickly, when Molly Kennedy converted a pass from Mallory Silver in the 16th minute.

A goal by Anne Book and an own-goal by Hendrix gave the Lady Tigers a 3-0 advantage with 6:32 left.

Both teams finished with 14 shots. Hendrix did manage to edge out the

Lady Tigers in penalty corners, 13-11.

Anna Morrow finished with five saves.

On Oct. 28, two second-half goals lifted Rhodes to a 2-0 victory over the Sewanee field hockey team.

Kennedy led the attack with a team-high five shots. Cameron Herndon also played well with four shots, while Tilden Davis and Boone finished with two.

Despite giving up two goals, Morrow stopped 11 out of 13 shots on goal.

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Volleyball Wins

The Sewanee volleyball team closed out its regular season in strong fashion, as the Lady Tigers rolled past Judson College, 3-0 (25-13, 25-11, 25-9), on Oct. 26.

With the win, Sewanee will head into next week's Southern Athletic Association tournament with a 14-10 record.

The Lady Tigers finished with a .300 attack percentage. Jamie Sue Wilson led all players with nine kills. Kayla Sewell, Maggie Stanford, Blair Johnson, Sarah Anne Hamilton, Caroline Montgomery and Lucy Riddle all finished with at least one kill.

Rachel Schuman had a match-high 17 assists, while Jamie Kosman and Sewell each finished with seven digs.



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Football Season Ends for SAS

The SAS Mountain Lions ended their best season in years with a tough 64-48 playoff loss to Aaron Academy on Oct. 27.

Alex Tinsley and Kendall Kinslow scored three touchdowns each, while Robert Post added one, but 48 proved to be too few points in this offensive shoot-out. Kinslow ran for 148 yards and passed for 190 yards, including two scores to Tinsley and one to Post.

Russell Mays had 10 tackles to lead the Mountain Lions defensively.

SAS finished the regular season as Middle Tennessee Athletic Conference co-champions.



The SAS Mountain Biking team. Photo courtesy of St. Andrew's-Sewanee

Basketball Season Opener

The St. Andrew's-Sewanee middle school girls' basketball team began the season with an away trip to play the Tracy City Eagles on Oct. 30. The young SAS team played a hard-fought game, but ultimately lost the contest, 32-15.

The Lady Mountain Lions were lead by Kate Butler, who had nine points on the night. Also contributing were Mariel Rinck, Lucy Hofmeyer-Lancaster and Maggie White, with two points each.

Cross Country Places Fifth

The St. Andrew's-Sewanee cross country team wrapped up its season Oct. 25 at the TSSAA Division II Class A East/Middle Regional Championships at the Steeplechase in Nashville. The Mountain Lions finished fifth in the region, only one spot and seven seconds from making it to the TSSAA State Championships.

Tommy Oliver led the Mountain Lions with 19:41, for 17th overall in the region. Johannes Leonhardt, Edwin Ashcraft, Mitchell Foster and Max Richards rounded out the top five for SAS. Annie McCawley was the top finisher for the Lady Mountain Lions with a 36th place (27:05).

Sewanee United Now 8-4

Sewanee United improved their season record to 8-4 this weekend with an exciting 1-0 win at Kimball.

Seth Walker, Kenneth Dykes, John Beavers, Lucy Carroll, Alexander Milford and Madeleine Wiedemann all shared time on the back line and played tough defense throughout the match. Larson Heitzenrater protected the goal during the first half with several nice saves.

Evan Fox scored the only goal of the match midway through the second half with a hard shot from outside the box. Aidan Smith finished the shutout in goal in the second half. Isaac Smith had several nice shots from the left forward position.



Evan Fox scored the lone goal in the Sewanee United soccer game on Oct. 26. The team heads to the AYSO soccer tournament on Nov. 3. Photo by Paul Klekotta

U-10 Boys Soccer

Nearly 20 boys age 9-10 sorted into two Mountain Youth Soccer teams this fall.

Unlike previous seasons, the U-10 boys only competed in the Franklin County Soccer program, which included six teams.

Coached by Marion Knoll and Eric Hartman, the two U-10 boys teams posted excellent season performances, collectively recording 12 wins, two losses and one tie.

Hartman's "Green Machine" team went undefeated with a 7-0 record. Their toughest contest all season was a one-goal victory over Knoll's soccer team.

Hartman's Green Machine walloped their final competitor (Garner) 6-1, with three goals by Harrison Hartman and strong performances by Mac and Gus Croom, Thomas Stapleton and McKeon Whitsett. Other team members include Colin DeLorme, Eli Wilson, Kalem Knight and Julian Bardi.

Equestrian Team Finishes Sixth

The Sewanee equestrian team wrapped up its fall season with a strong showing at the Maryville College IHSA Horse Show, Oct. 27-28.

After finishing sixth on Oct. 27, the Tigers rallied for a first-place finish on Oct. 28.

Elizabeth Corey (Novice Flat and Novice Over Fences) and Allan Palmer (Open Flat and Open Over Fences) earned victories in both their classes Sunday, which tied Middle Tennessee State University's Madeline Reich for High Point Rider of the Day.

Lauren Edwards swept both wins in the Novice Flat.

Also, the Tigers had a number of riders qualify for next spring's IHSA Zone 5, Region I Regional Championships. Those riders included Linnea Carver (Novice Over Fences), Corey (Novice Flat), Emily Guest (Novice Flat), Holly Higgins (Novice Flat), and Lillibet Motion (Intermediate Over Fences and Intermediate Flat).

Currently, the Tigers sit in second place, six points behind Vanderbilt University, in the region standings.

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Tiger Football Falls to Rhodes, 14-10

Despite a late fourth-quarter rally, the Sewanee football team fell just short against long-time rival Rhodes, 14-10, Oct. 27 at Harris Stadium.

After a Sewanee turnover, Rhodes struck first with a six-play, 74-yard drive with a three-yard touchdown run. After both teams struggled during the next two quarters, Sewanee finally got on the board when quarterback Cody Daniel scored from five yards out.

With the score tied 7-7, Sewanee quickly got the ball when Quentin Jones forced a fumble with 10:05 left.

On the ensuing drive, kicker Trey Knighton nailed a career-long 44-yard field goal to give the Tigers their first lead with 7:57 to play.

After Rhodes and Sewanee failed to score on the next two drives, the Lynx went back to work with 3:14 to play.

Nine plays later, Rhodes took back the lead, scoring a touchdown with 29 seconds remaining.

Despite having no timeouts and a limited amount of time, Sewanee quickly marched down the field. After back-to-back completions to Stephen Jackson, Daniel hit Devante Jones for a 23-yard gain to the Rhodes 12-yard line.

With only six seconds left, the game seemed to be over when Daniel fumbled the ball at the Rhodes' six. However, the Lynx were called for defensive holding on the play, which gave Sewanee one last chance with no time remaining.

Daniel fell just short of the end zone when Rhodes player Justin Tolver stopped him at the three-yard line.

Sewanee finished with 224 total yards. Daniel led the Tigers with 125 yards of total offense and one touchdown.

Defensively, Jones led the Tigers with 12 tackles, two tackles for a loss and one forced fumble.

Tigers at the SAA Championships

Led by five All-SAA finishers, the Sewanee men's and women's cross country teams had an outstanding showing at the inaugural SAA Cross Country Conference Championships at Choctaw Trails, on Oct. 27.

With the women exceeding 91 percent of the goal times, Ansely McDurmon (23:18.46) led the way with a fifth place finish. Cara Martin finished sixth in 23:26.69. Amy Lee finished eighth and Willow Smith finished 10th. Zoe Dubin wrapped up a strong Championship in 22nd-place.

McDurmon, Martin, Lee and Smith earned all-conference honors.

In the men's race, the Tigers finished sixth with 61 percent of their exceeded goal times. Hudson Robb finished in ninth and Clay Bond placed 16th. Ameil Emerson (33rd), Jason Grimes (37th) and Tyler Wilcox (39th) rounded out the top-five finishers for Sewanee.

With his efforts, Robb earned all-conference honors for the men.



Sewanee's men's and women's swim teams both beat the Rhodes teams on Friday in a dual meet. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

Sewanee Blows Away Rhodes In First Dual Meet

In their first dual meet of the season, the Sewanee swimming and diving teams cruised past Southern Athletic Association rival Rhodes on Oct. 26.

The Sewanee women's team won seven events on its way to a 130-102 victory. After a number of strong performances, the men's team followed suit with a 134-64 win over the Lynx.

In the diving events, Abigail Nebb and Charles Bocclair III swept the one-meter honors. Courtney Moore also scored for the men's team with a win on the three-meter board and as the runner-up in the one-meter.

After the Tigers won both relay events, Sara Neil (11:25.34) and Carolyn Rice (11:32.88) finished first and second in the women's 1000 free.

Evan Escobar (1:51.50) gave the men's team its first individual victory with a win in the 200 free. The Tigers continued to roll, as Brian

Glatt (22.74), Phillip Link (23.32) and Thomas Walters (23.61) swept the top three finishes in the quick 50 free.

In the next event, Neil (2:17.85) continued to dominate the pool. Neil outlasted classmate Haley Shepherd (2:20.70) in the women's 200 IM. Neil (2:12.02) won again when she edged out younger sister Erin Neil (2:15.44) in the women's 200 Fly.

Edward Dennis (2:05.71) added to the men's advantage with victory in the 200 IM.

From there, Sewanee kept rolling. Glatt (men's 100 free, 48.82), Rice (women's 200 back, 2:20.12), Dennis (men's 200 back, 2:05.38), and Astrid Escobar (women's 200 breast, 2:25.30) all closed the meet with first-place finishes.

Home Games This Week

Today, Nov. 2
4 pm Tigers/Lady Tigers Sewanee Invitational Swim Meet
Saturday, Nov. 3
10 am Tigers/Lady Tigers Sewanee Invitational Swim Meet
12 pm Tigers Football v Trinity (Texas)
Monday, Nov. 5
4 pm South MS JV Girls' Basketball v Coffee County
5 pm South MS JV Boys' Basketball v Coffee County
6 pm South MS V Girls' Basketball v Coffee County
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Tuesday, Nov. 6
6 pm SAS MS Girls' Basketball v North Elementary
7 pm SAS MS Boys' Basketball v North Elementary
Thursday, Nov. 8
4 pm South MS JV Girls' Basketball v Harris
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OVERTIME

by John Shackelford



Monday is the big day. It is the "I'm now over 50, and it is time for my first colonoscopy day." Which really makes Sunday the bigger day: the day everyone warns you about. The day you drink five gallons of Gatorade spiked with a couple gallons of laxative. I thought I would lounge around the house Sunday and watch the Red Zone on Direct TV all afternoon. (If you haven't seen this channel, it is actually pretty amazing for an NFL fan. The channel jumps around to cover each pro game in progress as soon as a team is about to score in every stadium in the country. It's like watching the evening highlights but in real time.) My friends—the ones older than me that have already been through this medicinal agony—told me, "Better change your plans. It is not the couch you will be sitting on. You'll need a portable TV this weekend."

Yikes.

I am starting to have serious regrets about my dietary habits these past few years. Did I really need that double pepperoni with extra cheese last week? I know that the menu clearly stated, "0 grams of fiber." That sounded good to me at the time. I mean, who goes to Crust restaurant looking for fiber? I can get that in the oatmeal my wife thinks I eat every morning as I supposedly lower the cholesterol my doctor keeps warning me about.

That same zero-fiber pizza has set up shop somewhere in my colon. It's as if all the pepperonis found a playground in which to invite their friends to hang out. "Hey guys, look—it's cheeseburger and fries from Wendy's. You guys should stay here for a couple of weeks. Shack doesn't care. He hasn't had a carrot or an apple in months to break up the party and keep the line moving."

My wife, Conchie, is a health nut. She eats her oatmeal as prescribed, then a salad for lunch, and maybe gets crazy with some black beans and brown rice for dinner. You could walk through her lower intestine in a white dinner jacket and still look ready for the prom. I am not sure what is going to happen in my case when the party of fatty objects in my bowels meets the unstoppable force of a firehose full of laced Gatorade. It is probably best if I don't think about it. (Many of you may be saying that it is really best if I don't write about it.) I've probably got a polyp colony down there that looks like south Florida. Fifty new undocumented voters waiting to be heard from.

It would have been smarter to take my wife's advice. Maybe she's right: 100 percent All Bran cereal with no sugar could be a tasty treat in the morning. How much could it hurt to try a salad once in awhile for lunch and hold back on the chili-cheese fries at Sonic.

I need to try a new mantra when I meditate: "Fiber good. Velveeta bad."

This is the way it always is with me. Wait until it is time to pay the piper and then start with my regrets. One of these days I am going to start thinking about my future instead of living for the moment. My diet is like watching the Red Zone football channel. It is full of food choices that are all about the highlights and nothing about the ground game that delivers the ball to the end zone. (Bad pun, I know.)

In January, I wrote about my New Year's resolution with Weight Watchers, and I did lose a few pounds. But some people (one dean of students at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School, in particular) have really been dedicated in their ability to stick with the program.

So now I am asking you to join me in a giant colon cleanse. It promises to be good for your health, bad for the local pizza economy, but will provide a spike in Sewanee Utility District income for the month. It is simply a way of giving back and supporting your local utility district. Just remember, one day soon someone with a camera on the end of a long tube will want to take a photographic tour of your lower bowels. We can all meditate together.



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NATURENOTES

By Harry and Jean Yeatman



Red-headed Woodpeckers, from "Birds of the South"

Cold Weather Compensation

Jean Yeatman reports that there are some good compensations for cold weather, and that last Sunday, Oct. 28, was one of them. "Our local birds came flying back to our feeders," she says. "The first to be spotted was a piebald male Cardinal. We had watched him in a flock of eight male cardinals all winter long, but hadn't seen him in the summer, and there he was on our walkway, eating the scattered bird seed.

"There were numerous Tufted Titmice and Chickadees after the black oil sunflower seed in the bird feeder, and a Downy Woodpecker on the suet," she continued. "But the most fun was watching a Red-headed Woodpecker taking seed, then flying to the trunk of a tree and trying to stuff the seed into a crevice to store it for the winter. He would try one spot, and that did not suit him, so off he flew to another tree until he found the perfect spot."

Late-Season Hummingbird Sighting

Freddie Tucker reports that on Monday, Oct. 27, **Gail Parsons** saw a hummingbird at the feeder at his home on Kennerly Road. He thinks it was a male, and it was probably the last one for the season.

FSC Announces Key Land Acquisition

At the Walk on the Wild Side event on Oct. 20, the Friends of South Cumberland (FSC) announced the recent acquisition of a key piece of land adjoining Greeter Falls.

"We are so grateful to the Friends for protecting a building lot adjacent to the trail at Greeter Falls," said John Christof, park manager. "The beautiful forest along the trail will now remain natural for visitors to enjoy." State Naturalist Emeritus Mack Prichard praised the work of the FSC, citing land acquisition, funds to save the hemlocks and other initiatives as examples of things that would not happen without FSC.

A primary goal of the FSC is to purchase land adjacent to the 10 parks that comprise the South Cumberland State Park system. The FSC currently owns acreage worth more than \$400,000 that it is holding until the state is able to purchase the tracts from FSC.

The FSC has raised \$600,000 and leveraged several million dollars more through the Saving Great Spaces campaign, resulting in the acquisition and preservation of thousands of acres for the park.

Outreach to local schoolchildren in grades 3–5 is a priority, as well as adult programs such as the new Tennessee naturalist course. The Friends support the park rangers and have purchased vehicles and materials, built structures, provided seed money for the hemlock woolly adelgid fight and partnered with other organizations to protect the park. Each April the FSC holds "Trails and Trilliums" to raise awareness of the park's challenges and all it offers recreationally.

For more information about FSC or to join, go to <www.friendsfsc.org>.

Party For Paws on Nov. 17

The Franklin County Humane Society is hosting its fall 2012 Party for Paws benefit for Animal Harbor, 6–8:30 p.m., Saturday, Nov. 17, at Cravens Hall in Sewanee.

The evening will include food donated by local restaurants; beer, wine and spirits; a silent auction with a variety of items and services; and door prizes. This combination ensures a great time for a great cause.

Proceeds will be used by Animal Harbor to rescue, care for and find loving homes for companion animals abandoned in Franklin County.

Tickets are \$30 each or \$35 at the door, and are available by calling Animal Harbor at 962-4472, or contacting Sue Ridyard, <sridyard@sewanee.edu> or 598-9260; Pat Thompson, <pthompson313@gmail.com> or 598-1657; or Susan Rupert, <srupert@sewanee.edu> or 967-8903. For more information go to <http://animalharbor.com>.

State Park Offerings

Sunday, Nov. 4

Savage Slide Show—Meet Ranger George at 3 p.m. at Savage Gulf ranger station for an informative slide show on the Savage Gulf/Stone Door area.

Tuesday, Nov. 6

Election Day Hike—Clear your head from the political jumble by meeting the Ranger at 4 p.m. at Grundy Forest parking lot for an easy two-mile hike on the beautiful Fiery Gizzard Day loop.

The South Cumberland State Park Visitors' Center is located on Highway 41 South between Monteagle and Tracy City and is open 8 a.m.–4:30 p.m. seven days a week. For more information call (931) 924-2980.



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Call Animal Harbor at 962-4472 for information and check out their other pets at www.animalharbor.com. Enter their drawing on this site for a free spay or neuter for one of your pets.

Please help the Humane Society continue to save abandoned pets by sending your donations to the Franklin County Humane Society, P.O. Box 187, Winchester, TN 37398.



Weather

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Mon	Oct 22	77	53
Tue	Oct 23	76	53
Wed	Oct 24	76	51
Thu	Oct 25	76	54
Fri	Oct 26	73	56
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Sun	Oct 28	50	41

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(though that you would deny)
It's that you have no shape at all:
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Community Calendar

Friday, Nov. 2

Residential recycling pick-up, before 7:30 am

- 8:30 am Yoga with Rebecca, Community Center
- 9:00 am CAC office open, until 11 am
- 10:00 am DuBose Lecture, Long, Guerry Auditorium
- 10:00 am Games day, Senior Center
- 12:00 pm Sewanee Woman's Club reservations due
- 3:30 pm Modern Dance, 7–11, Community Ctr
- 4:30 pm Creative Dance, 5–6, Community Ctr
- 5:30 pm Adult Modern Dance, Community Ctr
- 6:30 pm Project Dance Company, 18+, Community Ctr
- 7:30 pm "Picasso at the Lapin Agile," TN Williams Center
- 7:30 pm "The Dark Knight Rises," SUT

Saturday, Nov. 3

Set clocks back one hour at bedtime.

- 9:00 am Sewanee Merchants' Open House, until 5 pm
- 9:00 am Tracy City Farmers' Market open, until noon
- 10:00 am Hospitality Shop open, until noon
- 10:00 am Silver Threads, St. Mary's Convent
- 10:30 am Mountaintop Tumblers, tiny tumblers, Comm Ctr
- 11:30 am Mountaintop Tumblers, intermediate/adv, Comm Ctr
- 5:00 pm St. Andrew's-Sewanee Parents' Council Auction, Langford Hall, SAS campus
- 6:00 pm ACOA planning meeting, Community Center
- 6:00 pm ECW reservations due
- 6:00 pm Music, True Grits (Swallow sisters), Miss Gracie's
- 7:30 pm "Picasso at the Lapin Agile," TN Williams Center
- 7:30 pm "The Dark Knight Rises," SUT

Sunday, Nov. 4

All Saints' Sunday

Daylight Savings' Time Ends

- 12:00 pm Sewanee Merchants' Open House, until 5 pm
- 3:30 pm Community Fund of the South Cumberland Plateau celebration, Monteagle Inn
- 4:00 pm Fire on the Mountain, Brooks Hall
- 4:00 pm Senior Olympics planning meeting, Senior Center
- 4:00 pm Yoga with Helen, Community Center
- 5:00 pm Women's Bible Study, Midway Baptist
- 7:30 pm "The Dark Knight Rises," SUT

Monday, Nov. 5

- 9:00 am CAC office open, until 3 pm
- 10:00 am Chair Exercise, Senior Center
- 12:00 pm ECW, Patterson, St. James Midway
- 5:00 pm "Dirty Energy in the Dirty South," Gailor Auditorium
- 5:30 pm Gentle Yoga with Hadley, St. Mary's Sewanee
- 5:30 pm Naam Yoga with Lucie, Community Center
- 7:00 pm Centering prayer, Otey sanctuary
- 7:00 pm Sewanee Chorale rehearsal, Hamilton Hall "Pit"

Tuesday, Nov. 6

Election Day; Polls open from 7 a.m.–7 p.m.

- 8:30 am Yoga with Carolyn, Community Center
- 9:00 am CAC office open, until 11 am
- 9:00 am Yoga with Hadley, St. Mary's Sewanee
- 9:30 am Hospitality Shop open, until 2 pm
- 10:30 am Bingo, Senior Center
- 11:30 am Grundy County Rotary, Dutch Maid, Tracy City
- 3:30 pm Centering prayer, St. Mary's Sewanee
- 7:00 pm CCJP election party, Rogers home

Wednesday, Nov. 7

- 7:00 am Monteagle/Sewanee Rotary, Smoke House
- 9:00 am CAC pantry day, until 11 am; 1–3 pm

- 5:30 pm Yoga with Hadley, Flow, St. Mary's Sewanee
- 5:30 pm Yoga with Helen, Community Center
- 6:00 pm Sewanee Civic Assn., EQB House
- 7:00 pm Bible study, Midway Baptist Church
- 7:00 pm Catechumenate, Women's Center
- 7:00 pm Healthy Energy Campaign launch, Spencer Hall
- 7:30 pm Cinema Guild, "Nixon/Frost," free, SUT

Thursday, Nov. 8

- 9:00 am CAC office open, until 11 am; 1–3 pm
- 9:00 am Nature journaling, Spencer Hall Room 171
- 9:30 am Hospitality Shop open, until 2 pm
- 10:30 am Chair exercise, Senior Center
- 10:30 am Tai Chi with Kat, Community Center
- 12:00 pm Academy of Lifelong Learning, Bridger, St. Mary's Sewanee
- 12:00 pm Monteagle/Sewanee Rotary, McClurg
- 12:30 pm Episcopal Peace Fellowship, Brooks Hall, Otey
- 1:00 pm Tracy City Farmers' Market open, until 5
- 1:30 pm Folks@Home support group, Brooks Hall, Otey
- 3:30 pm Mountaintop Tumblers, beginners, Comm Ctr
- 4:00 pm Gentle Yoga with Hadley, St. Mary's Sewanee
- 4:30 pm Mountaintop Tumblers, advanced, Comm Ctr
- 5:00 pm Weight Watchers, Otey parish hall, weigh-in 4:30
- 5:15 pm Buddhist sitting group, St. Augustine's Chapel
- 6:30 pm Acoustic jam, Miss Gracie's Restaurant, Cowan
- 6:30 pm Franklin Co. School Board, Bd of Ed office
- 7:30 pm "The Campaign," SUT
- 7:30 pm "Quintessence: Shakespeare in Performance," free, TN Williams Center

Friday, Nov. 9

- 8:30 am Yoga with Rebecca, Community Center
- 9:00 am CAC office open, until 11 am
- 10:00 am Games day, Senior Center
- 3:30 pm Modern Dance, 7–11, Community Ctr
- 4:00 pm "Isle of Klezbos," Klezmer music, St. Luke's Chapel
- 4:30 pm Creative Dance, 5–6, Community Ctr
- 5:30 pm Adult Modern Dance, Community Ctr
- 6:30 pm Project Dance Company, 18+, Community Ctr
- 7:30 pm "The Campaign," SUT
- 9:00 pm Music, Kimberly Nichole, Ayres Center

Local 12-Step Meetings

Friday

- 7:00 am AA, open, Holy Comforter, Monteagle
- 7:00 pm AA, open, Christ Church, Tracy City

Saturday

- 7:30 pm NA, open, Decherd United Methodist
- 7:30 pm AA, open, Brooks Hall, Otey

Sunday

- 6:30 pm AA, open, Holy Comforter, Monteagle

Monday

- 5:00 pm Women's 12-step, Brooks Hall, Otey
- 7:00 pm AA, open, Christ Church, Tracy City

Tuesday

- 7:00 pm AA, open, First Baptist, Altamont
- 7:30 pm AA, open, Brooks Hall, Otey
- 7:30 pm Al-Anon, Brooks Hall, Otey

Wednesday

- 7:00 pm NA, open, Decherd United Methodist
- 7:30 pm AA, open, Holy Comforter, Monteagle

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