

## Community Updates on Recycling, Deer Cull

by Leslie Lytle,  
Messenger Staff Writer

At the Jan. 9 meeting of the Sewanee Community Council, John Vineyard, director of physical plant services (PPS) at the University, announced that the glass recycling drop-off location will be moved from the Convenience Center to the PPS yard in late January. The trucks of the current glass-recycling vendor cannot navigate the Convenience Center lot, Vineyard said, making it necessary for PPS to move the glass to the PPS yard for pickup. The hours for dropping off glass at the PPS yard will be 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. weekdays.

Domain manager Nate Wilson reported to the group about the December deer cull and the reasons for cancelling the post-cull drive that had been scheduled for Jan. 7 and Jan. 14.

Wilson said that 150 deer were harvested, fewer than last year, but this was largely due to hunting season being eight days shorter. Plans to extend the season on the Domain with a post-cull drive were cancelled as a result of miscommunication with the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency (TWRA). Tennessee Annotated Code makes allowances for out-of-season deer harvest for economic deprivation, but not for deer population management goals. Wilson had been working with the TWRA biological division in planning the post-cull drive, but the TWRA law enforcement division objected, citing the code. Wilson recently had a "very positive" meeting with the law enforcement division and hopes the post-cull drive can be held next year.

On the suggestion of Vice-Chancellor John McCardell, the Council passed a resolution expressing "disappointment" that the post-cull drive did not take place. Council member Drew Sampson volunteered to represent the Council in meetings with TWRA.

Council member David Coe expressed displeasure with the cull in general, pointing out that it did not succeed in decreasing the doe-buck ratio of the deer population. Wilson responded that when the cull was established in 2000, the goal was only to decrease the total deer population. The procedure was improving, Wilson said, with an incentive in 2011 for harvesting does and a disincentive for harvesting bucks.

Chief financial officer Jerry Forster updated the Council on plans to establish guidelines for use of the Angel Park. The Sewanee Business Alliance has taken on this task and will present the guidelines to the Council for review.

Theresa Shackelford will now serve as the secretary of the Council.

Council member Phil White announced that there will be an organizational meeting for the proposed Dog Park at 2 p.m., Jan. 22, at the Sewanee Community Center. Kay Rhodes is serving as treasurer for the project; Sarah Doyi is serving as publicity manager. White thanked Wilson and Vineyard for their help in securing a location for the park.

Council member Coe reported that he had received complaints from his neighbors about the new lights at the airport.



Gary Hammond and Astrid Schween

## Cello and Piano Concert at Guerry Auditorium

Noted cellist Astrid Schween and pianist Gary Hammond will present a concert at 7:30 p.m., Friday, Jan. 20, as part of the 2011-12 Performing Arts Series. The performance, which was originally scheduled for November, will take place in Guerry Auditorium.

Astrid Schween, solo artist and former cellist of the Lark Quartet, has a busy international concert career, including performances with the Schween-Hammond Duo and piano trio Mirepoix. She has performed at Carnegie Hall and London's Wigmore Hall, and as been a guest with the Orpheus Chamber Orchestra. She has received critical acclaim for her performances at festivals including Moscow's Beethoven Festival and Sweden's prestigious Siljan Festival. With the Lark Quartet, she won numerous international prizes including the gold medal at the Shostakovich Competition in St. Petersburg and the Naumburg Chamber Music Award in New York.

Schween received her training at the Juilliard School. She is cello professor at the University of Massachusetts as well as a senior faculty member of the Interlochen Center for the Arts in Michigan, where she is a Valade Fellow. Arabesque Recordings will release her newest solo CD this year.

Pianist Gary Hammond is a graduate of the University of Washington and the Juilliard School. He is on the faculties of Hunter College, City University of New York; CUNY; New Jersey City University and Sewanee. He has served as Artist-in-Residence at Emory University, the Académies Internationales du Grand Nancy, France; Musiques en Mer, Croatia-Italy; Musikdagar, Sweden; the Colorado College Music Festival, Colorado Springs and the Oregon Coast Music Festival.

Tickets are \$25 for adults; \$20 for seniors; \$10 for students. For more information or to purchase tickets, call 598-1770 or go to <www.sewanee.edu/performingarts>.

## MLK Events on Monday

The Sewanee community is celebrating the birthday of Martin Luther King Jr. on Monday, Jan 16, with a number of events.

The School of Theology will hold a Eucharist service in honor King at noon in the Chapel of the Apostles. The Rev. Nikki Mathis, assistant dean for community life, will preach.

The committee for diversity and reconciliation at the School of Theology will presents a service "Honoring the Witness of The Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. at 3:30 p.m., in All Saints' Chapel. This simple service will include prayers and music; King's "Letter from Birmingham Jail" will be read in its entirety by a variety of student leaders, faculty and administrators from the college and the seminary.

The Cumberland Center for Justice and Peace's annual Martin Luther King Jr. Birthday Celebration will be at 6 p.m., in the Bishop's Common Hearth Room. The multi-cultural, multi-generational event kicks off with a potluck buffet, followed by music, song, dance and recitations honoring the life of King.

Juliette Larkins-Tatum is the featured speaker. She will talk about her experiences as a child and teenager living in Franklin County during 1960s battle to desegregate the public schools. In the late 1960s, eight local families brought a law suit against the Franklin County Board of Education to end the practice of county-wide segregation, in violation of the 1954 U.S.



Martin Luther King Jr.

Supreme Court decision Brown vs. Board of Education. Larkins-Tatum's mother, Emma Hill, was among those bringing suit. Hill was also a founding member of the Franklin County NAACP.

Student talent will highlight the performance segment of the program, featuring interpretive dancers and the gospel choir Sewanee Praise. Danielle McIntyre, president of the African American Alliance, will emcee the festivities. The evening will culminate in a group sing-along.

Currently in its 27th year, the high-energy, inspirational commemoration of King is sponsored by the University's African-American Alliance, Sewanee Peace Coalition, Office of Multi-Cultural Affairs and Outreach Office; by the Cumberland Center for Justice and Peace; and by the Franklin County NAACP.

## Sewanee Hosts Diocese of Tennessee Convention

### Events at SAS, Otey and University

The Episcopal Diocese of Tennessee will hold its annual convention at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School on Friday and Saturday, Jan. 20-21.

The 180th Annual Convention of the Diocese of Tennessee is being jointly sponsored by Christ Church Tracy City, St. James' Church Sewanee, Church of the Holy Comforter Monteagle, Christ Church Alto, Otey Memorial Parish Sewanee, Trinity Church Winchester, Church of the Epiphany Sherwood, St. Agnes' Church Cowan, University of the South and St. Mary's Sewanee. Parishes from across middle Tennessee will be represented by lay delegates and clergy. Approximately 200 participants are expected.

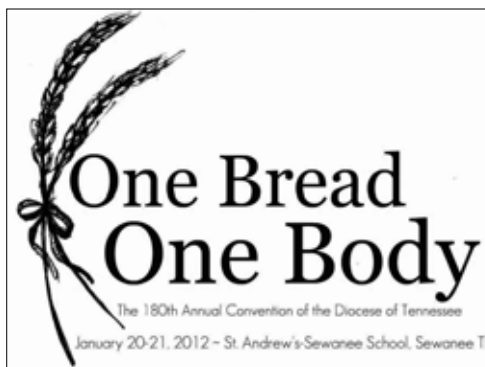
Among the business handled during the convention are budget hearings, general and canonical resolution, and elections for members of the Bishop and Council, the Standing Committee, the Dandridge Trust Board and the Cathedral Chapter.

The opening Eucharist will be celebrated in the St. Andrew's Chapel at 1 p.m., Friday. Business sessions will be held in the McCrory Hall for the Performing Arts on the SAS campus. The Rt. Rev. Geralyn Wolf, Bishop of the Diocese Rhode Island, will be the guest speaker.

On Friday afternoon, Otey Parish will host a wine reception, 5:30-7 p.m., for convention attendees to unwind after a long work day. At 7 p.m., St. Mary's Sewanee will host a barbeque dinner and dance at Cravens Hall. The dinner is open to all members of the parishes in the diocese, regardless of whether they are delegates or not. For ticket information, contact the office of the Diocese of Tennessee at (615) 251-3322.

On Saturday, Jan. 21, the convention's Holy Eucharist will be at All Saints' Chapel at 9 a.m. Representatives of all the churches in the diocese will process with their banners and all clergy will vest. The pageantry of the service will be wonderful to experience. This worship service is open to the public. Delegates and convention officials will return to McCrory on Saturday for meetings that continue through Saturday afternoon.

SAS sophomore Emily Blount designed the artwork for the Convention and its theme, "One Bread, One Body."



## Fog Happens

### Safety Tips for Driving on these Gray Days

The arrival of winter means the arrival of the Mountain's infamous dense fog. And with fog comes greater concerns about traffic safety.

Sewanee Police Chief Robert White reminds folks of the following safety recommendations for driving in the fog.

"People need to really slow down, turn on their headlights and use extreme caution," White said. Traffic accidents increase in the fog, he said, whether it is because of deer in the roadways that are hard to see or vehicle collisions.

Tennessee state law requires that car headlights be turned on for rain, fog or precipitation. "When in doubt," White said, "turn those headlights on."

Other safety tips for driving in the fog include:

When visibility is limited, turn off any music, roll down your car window and listen for traffic you cannot see.

Stay on the roadway by following the white stripe adjacent to the right shoulder of the road. This is easier to see than the middle stripes in dense fog and oncoming headlights are not in your eyes.

Remember that other drivers have a limited sight distance and fog can leave roadways slick. Use your turn signals, and when you use your brakes, don't stomp on them.

If an accident occurs, pull as far off the road as possible and turn on your flashing emergency lights. If there is no safe place to stand, stay inside your car.

Before getting in to drive, make sure your car is defrosted and the interior windows defogged.

When in doubt, turn on your car lights, but make sure your high beams are not on. High beams direct light up into the fog, making it difficult for you to see. Low beams direct light down onto the road and help other drivers to see you.

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## Letters

### COLLEGE COURSES IN TRACY CITY

#### To the Editor:

Congratulations to the first class of graduates of the Tennessee Technology Center of McMinnville's new campus on the Mountain!

Yes, several local adults completed the Center's Certified Nursing Assistant program that has been held in Tracy City at the Adult Education building. This is just the beginning of what we hope to be a growing relationship with Tennessee Technology Center.

A single parent in my parenting group commented this week that the only way she could further her education was by attending school locally. She knows she must think of her future and her ability to provide for her child, but, without a support system, she doesn't believe she can

financially or emotionally afford to be "away at school" when her young son might need her. Attending classes close by would give her the security of mind she needs to take that next step.

So many students drop out of college when their commute hits a "bump in the road." With more than 30 percent of first-year college students needing to take remedial courses, this complication often means they drop out before they really get started.

Wouldn't it be great if we could offer more classes on the Mountain? This would allow our folks to get a good foothold in school, creating the confidence needed to continue.

For more ideas like these, join with VISION Grundy (the next meeting is at 6 p.m., Tuesday, Jan. 17).

Emily Partin  
Director, Grundy County Family Resource Center ■

### MR. JONES OFFERS THANKS

#### To the Editor:

I would like to express my thanks to the Sewanee community for these past years. After almost 17 years at Sewanee Elementary School and more than 42 total years of teaching, I have retired from the classroom.

It has been very rewarding to be part of your child's life as their teacher. I have appreciated the opportunity to work with the most dedicated faculty and staff I have ever encountered while at SES. These people have always put children first in all that they do. It has been my pleasure to be a part of this school and the Sewanee family during this time. I know that with the leadership of Mr. Maxon and the continued support of the community your children's success is assured. Great teachers, great community. I thank you all.

Larry N. Jones  
Decherd ■

## Recycling Reminders

A few friendly reminders about curbside recycling in Sewanee.

Remember to separate recyclables (plastic, paper, aluminum and cardboard food containers) before putting them in the blue recycling bags.

Please do not put any glass in the curbside recycling as it cannot be picked up. Cardboard boxes also cannot be picked up. Cardboard and glass recycling can be recycled at the convenience center.

Curbside recycling is on the before 7 a.m. on the first and third Fridays of each month. The next recycling day is Jan. 20. Bags of items to be recycled must be taken to the end of the driveway.

If you need more blue bags, they may be picked up in the University Lease Office, at the Physical Plant Services office or at the PPS warehouse.



## Correction

### Oops!

The solution to last week's puzzle about the 1996-97 two-year-old class at the Sewanee Children's Center got dropped off page 11!

From left, front row: Will Evans, Kira Tharp, Addison Willis and Sadie Shackelford; middle row: Josephine Frith, Sophie Register, Kellen Mayfield and Tate Gieselmann; back row: Brooks Kern, teachers Linda Marshall and Regina Roark Childress and Allie Bradford.

Thanks to John Shackelford for providing this photo.

### Letters to the Editor Policy

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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 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 e-mail to <news\_messgr@bellsouth.net>.—LW



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## Sewanee Police Report

The Sewanee Police Department recently issued its report on its activities for the month of December 2011, with totals for the entire calendar year.

Last month, the SPD patrolled 3,971 miles, investigated three vehicle accidents and issued six moving violations. It also issued 135 non-moving traffic violations and five warnings.

It made two arrests for drug law violations and 11 arrests for liquor law violations.

SPD offered mutual aid to Franklin County eight times last month.

SPD physically checked buildings on 638 occasions and assisted with locking or unlocking buildings 37 times.

For the year 2011, SPD made 51 arrests for drug law violations, 115 arrests for liquor law violations, filed 82 theft reports and made eight DUI arrests.

SPD provided student escorts 676 times during the year. They issues 50 moving violations, 2,142 non-moving violations and 173 warnings.

Officers patrolled 69,962 miles during the year and investigated 35 vehicle accidents. They provided assistance to motorists 202 times.

SPD physically checked buildings on 5,311 occasions and locked or unlocked buildings 524 times. They provided mutual aid to Franklin County authorities on 76 occasions and to other jurisdictions 26 times.

Animal control made 28 reports this year.

There were 175 fire dispatches in 2011 and 216 EMS dispatches.

## Serving Where Called

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

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

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## Upcoming Meetings

### American Legion Meeting

American Legion Post 51 will hold its regular monthly meeting at 9 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 14, in the Legion Hall on University Avenue in Sewanee.

### Politics, Coffee & Conversation at San Miguel

Come join folks interested in politics for Coffee and Conversation at 10 a.m., Saturday, Jan. 14, at the San Miguel Coffee Company on the square in Winchester. This is not an official Democratic Party meeting, just a time to get together and discuss the local, state, national or international issues of the day. All are welcome to attend.

### Franklin County School Board Meets

The Franklin County School Board will meet in regular session at 6:30 p.m., Monday, Jan. 9, at the Board of Education, 215 S. College St. in Winchester.

### Sewanee Book Club Gathers

Books to look at! Books to read! Members and guests are invited to present their choice of books at the next meeting of the Sewanee Book Club, 1:30 p.m., Monday, Jan. 16, at the home of Gail Watson. For more information, call Flournoy Rogers at 598-0733 or email her at <fsrogers@wildblue.net>.

### Democratic Party of Franklin County

The Franklin County Democratic Party will meet at 6:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Jan. 17 in the conference room at the back of the Franklin County Annex Building, 839 Dinah Shore Blvd., Winchester. For more information call Raymond Council at 967-7077.

### Franklin County Commissioners Meet

The Franklin County Board of Commissioners will meet in regular session at 7 p.m., Tuesday, Jan. 17, in the second floor circuit courtroom of the Franklin County Courthouse in Winchester.

### Alzheimer's Association Meetings

The Alzheimer's Association hosts two Franklin County Caregiver Support Groups that will meet in January. The first meeting will be at 2 p.m., Tuesday, Jan. 17, at the Golden Living Center Mountain View, 1360 ByPass Rd., Winchester. For more information about this meeting, call Shelia Gambill at 967-7082. The second meeting will be at 3 p.m., Thursday, Jan. 19, at Willow's at Winchester, located at 32 Memorial Dr.

### EQB Luncheon & Program

The Ecce Quam Bonum (EQB) Club will have its first luncheon and program of the second semester at 11:30 a.m., Wednesday, Jan. 18, at the Sewanee Inn. Immediately following the lunch, at 12:30 p.m., Tom Bentley will present a program entitled "A Bobby Burns Celebration" in commemoration of the Scottish poet's birthday. He will be assisted by Chuck Lawson, an engineer, teacher and the past president of the Highland Rim Scottish Society. The club welcomes visitors for both lunch and the program. The luncheon cost is \$12, but those who want to attend only the program are welcome to do so.

### VISION Grundy Gathers Tuesday

VISION Grundy will meet at 6 p.m., Tuesday, Jan. 17, at Tracy City Elementary School. For more information contact Emily Partin at (931)592-4372.

### Monteagle Rotary Club Meets Wednesday

Tabatha Curtis, program coordinator of the Franklin County Prevention Coalition, will offer the program at the next meeting of the Rotary Club of Monteagle Wednesday, Jan. 18, at the Smoke House in Monteagle. Coffee begins at 6:50 a.m.; breakfast and the meeting begin at 7 a.m. and end by 8 a.m. To learn more, go to <monteaglerotary.org>.

### Rotary Club of Monteagle-Sewanee Meets Thursday

Bruce Baird will share stories from his Appalachian Trail hike at the next meeting of the Rotary Club of Monteagle-Sewanee, noon, Thursday, Jan. 19, at the EQB building on the University campus. Lunch will be available for \$10. John Goodson has agreed to serve as vice president of the Monteagle Rotary Club and lead this new satellite group meeting in Sewanee.

### Peace Fellowship Gathers on Thursday

The Episcopal Peace Fellowship meets at 12:30 p.m. on Thursdays for prayer, study and work directed toward reconciliation and peace. The fellowship meets in the Quintard Room in Otey parish hall.

### Bratton Addresses STHP at duPont

The Sewanee Trust for Historic Preservation will meet at 4:30 p.m., Thursday, Jan. 19, in the Torian Room of duPont Library for a program by John Bratton about his life on the Mountain.

In 1938, Ivy Gass Bratton and her son John moved into the house on South Carolina Avenue which Mrs. Bratton's two brothers, both graduates of the Sewanee Military Academy and the College, had built for her. John Bratton lives there still.

In 1954, Bratton left Sewanee for a career in shipping in Charleston, South Carolina, but in 1970 he returned as Alumni Secretary for the University, the beginning of 40 years of friendship and leadership in our community..

## Business Alliance Seeks New Members

The Sewanee Business Alliance is seeking new members. For a \$50 annual membership fee, you can be a part of a growing group of business people and owners who are focused on promoting and growing the business community. The group meets at 8:30 a.m., Tuesdays, at Locals in the Sewanee village.

Guests are always welcome at these meetings, but a paid membership will assure you participation and a vote on decisions and projects.

For more information, go to <www.sewanee.biz>.



DREMC five-year employee Robert Ladner (left) with Patrick Hannah, Decherd/Sewanee district manager, at a recent Duck River Electric Membership Corporation dinner to recognize service to the cooperative. The 25 employees honored in 2011 have a combined total of 385 years of service to DREMC. Not pictured are Bryan Burton (five years) and Tommy Campbell (10 years).

## New Bank Opens in Village

Southern Community Bank will have its official grand opening ceremony at 10:30 a.m., Thursday, Jan. 19, with a ribbon cutting, refreshments and door prizes.

Tracy Temples has been named branch manager of the Sewanee office, according to Bill Yoder, President and CEO of Southern Community Bank.

"I am very excited that Tracy has accepted this position with the bank and I know that he will be a wonderful asset to the Sewanee community as well as Southern Community Bank," Yoder said.

Temples brings seven years of commercial lending experience to Southern Community Bank. A native of Cowan, he graduated from Franklin County High School and earned a degree in finance at the University of Tennessee at Knoxville. He also completed the Southeastern School of Banking as an Honors Graduate at Vanderbilt and attended the three-year Graduate School of Banking at Louisiana State University.

"I am thrilled to continue working in the Franklin County area as a member of the Southern Community Bank team," Temples said. "I invite all my friends to visit me in Sewanee and see why Southern Community Bank is unlike all the rest."

"I look forward to developing new relationships with friends and customers in Sewanee and Monteagle, as well as surrounding counties," he said.

There ribbon cutting is sponsored by the Franklin County Chamber and the Monteagle Mountain Chamber.

Southern Community Bank is located at 91 University Ave., Suite 3.

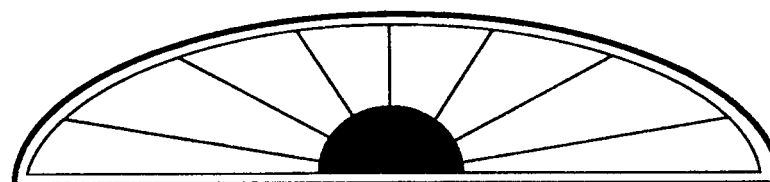
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## Obituaries

### Robert M. Delcamp

Robert M. Delcamp, age 92 of Cincinnati, Ohio, died Jan. 7, 2012. He was professor of organic chemistry at University of Cincinnati for more than 40 years.

He is survived by his wife, Dorothy Hackworth Delcamp; sons, Robert G. (Susan Rupert) Delcamp of Cowan, William R. (Dulcy) Delcamp of Columbus, Ohio and Tavner J. Delcamp of San Diego, Ca., and one granddaughter.

Funeral services were held Jan. 12 in the funeral home chapel. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the Robert M. Delcamp Scholarship in Chemical Engineering at the University of Cincinnati. For complete obituary visit <www.springgrove.org>.

### Mark Byron McDonough

Mark Byron McDonough, age 42 of Leominster, Mass., died Jan. 2, 2011. He was born in Boston on Feb. 9, 1969, the son of James and Margaret (Donahue) McDonough. He was a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints in Marlborough.

He is survived by his guardian, Gene Buchman and family of Framingham, Mass., with whom he lived for many years; his foster brother, Patrick O'Connor; brothers, Christopher M. (Kelly) McDonough of Sewanee, Michael P. (Lynn) McDonough and James F. McDonough, both of Massachusetts; sister, Sheila M. McDonough, also of Massachusetts, and two nephews.

Funeral Services were held Jan. 13 in the funeral home chapel. Interment followed in St. Joseph's Cemetery, West Roxbury, Mass.

### Arturo Galán Sánchez

The Rt. Rev. Arturo Galán Sánchez, age 86, died Jan. 10, 2012, in Cullera, Spain. He had served for 14 years as Bishop of the Spanish Episcopal Church. Among his survivors is his daughter Ruth Sánchez-Imizcoz of Sewanee.

Funeral services will take place on Sunday, Jan. 15 at the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer in Madrid, Spain.

## Hughes Offers Art & Spirit Class

Barbara Hughes will offer her "Art and Spirituality" class for 10 weeks starting on Monday, Jan. 30. In this class, participants will use a different art medium each week to explore their spiritual journeys. No artistic skill or experience is required. Classes are held at Hughes' studio (45 Sherwood Rd.) and will be 7-9 p.m., Mondays.

The cost is \$185 for the 10 weeks which will include all art materials. Scholarships are available. For more info call Hughes at 598 0229 or email <bhughes@sewanee.edu>.



Tracy Sugg

## Christian Art Lecture Series

Sculptor Tracy Sugg of Wartrace will present a series of three lectures on "Symbols in Christian Art" at 5:30 p.m., Sundays, Jan. 15, Jan. 22 and Jan. 29 at the First United Methodist Church. The hour-long programs are open to the public.

Some of the questions addressed in the lectures will include why Mary's robe is usually blue and Christ's usually red; why a peacock is sometimes depicted at the Nativity; and what is a basilisk, and what does it have to do with Christ in the wilderness?

First United Methodist Church is located at 208 W. Lauderdale, Tulsa, Oklahoma. For more information call (931) 455-5434.

## Growing in Grace Sets Spring Speakers

Growing in Grace (GiG) returns to All Saints' Chapel at 6:30 p.m., Sunday, Jan. 22 when Michael Thompson, director of the Organic Prayer Project at St. Mary's Sewanee, will be the speaker.

The speakers for the rest of the Easter term have also been announced:

Jan. 29—Bill Engel, professor of English at Sewanee

Feb. 5—The Rev. Ben King, assistant professor of church history, School of Theology

Feb. 12—Kim Heitzenrater (C'89), director of career and leadership development, Sewanee

Feb. 19—Jack Nance, pastor, Hubbard's Cove Church of God, Sherwood

Feb. 26—Rachel Held Evans, author of "Evolving in Monkey Town"

March 4—The Rev. Annwn Myers, associate chaplain at All Saints' Chapel, offers an instructed Eucharist

March 11—Caroline Tanner (C'11), Vice-Chancellor Fellow, Sewanee

April 1—The Rev. Kammy Young, interim director of Contextual Education, School of Theology

April 15—Bro. Ron Fender, Chattanooga Community Kitchen

April 22—The Rev. Lauren Winner, author of "Still: Notes on a Mid-Faith Crisis" and "Girl Meets God," assistant professor of Christian spirituality at Duke Divinity School

April 29—Ian Morgan Cron, author of "Chasing Francis" and "Jesus, My Father, the CIA and Me"

This Eucharist is perfect for those seeking an intimate worship service with students, seminarians, and community members. All are welcome!

Email lay chaplain Catherine Outten at <coutten@sewanee.edu> with any questions.

## Church News

### Otey Parish

At 10 a.m., Sunday, Jan. 15, Adult Forum welcomes Michael Goldsmith, a senior in the School of Theology, who will present, "It Takes a Parish: Family ministry for the Whole Congregation."

The weekly service of healing at Otey parish has a new time and will begin at 12:05 p.m. each Thursday. This change was made so that people wanting to attend can come during their lunch hour. The service is open to all.

### St. James

St. James is offering a new class on Wednesday evenings entitled, "Those Characters in the Bible." The group meets 6-7 p.m., and will continue through Feb. 15. Each week, the group considers some of the most well-known characters of the Bible. The first lessons have included studies of Adam, Eve, Cain and Abel as well as Samuel, Daniel, Goliath and Job. For more information call 598-9613.

### Wings of Hope Ministry

The Wings of Hope Widows Ministry will host a luncheon at noon, Monday, Jan. 16, at the Red Roof Pavilion in Winchester's City Park (near the Bass Club).

Guests are encouraged to bring their favorite soup or side to accompany the other soups. Table service and drinks will be provided.

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For more information or for transportation assistance, call 962-2898.

### New Minister at Cumberland Presbyterian

The Sewanee Cumberland Presbyterian Church welcomes its new minister, the Rev. Steven Diamond of Manchester, on Sunday, Jan. 15.

Rev. Diamond will be starting a series of sermons entitled "Why Church?" The series will look at common misconceptions that people have about attending church.

Worship services begin at 9 a.m. and Sunday School begins at 10 a.m. Everyone is invited to come and hear this series and get to know the new minister.

Cumberland Presbyterian is located on Bob Stewman Road.

### Christ Church

On Sunday, January 15, at Christ Church Montecagle, Bp. William Millsaps will report on meetings he has been attending recently about military and VA chaplaincies and share some their history, including the ecumenical National Conference on Ministry to the Armed Forces.

The Armed Forces Chaplains Board is the official connection between the branches and gives an update to the participants each year and lets them know how many chaplains are needed.

"What always amazes me is that the chaplains have kept caring since 1775," Millsaps said. "George Washington established the chaplaincy long before the Declaration of Independence.

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## CHURCH CALENDAR

### Friday, Jan. 13

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

### Saturday, Jan. 14

8:00 am Morning Prayer/HE, St. Mary's Convent

### Weekday Services, Jan. 16-20

#### 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  
4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey  
5:10 pm Evening Prayer, Chapel of the Apostles  
5:00 pm Evening Prayer, St. Mary's (not Wed)

#### Monday, Jan. 16

12:00 pm Holy Eucharist, Chapel of the Apostles

#### Tuesday, Jan. 17

8:30 am Morning Prayer, St. Augustine's resumes  
12:00 pm Holy Eucharist, Chapel of the Apostles  
4:00 am Evening Prayer, St. Augustine's resumes

#### Wednesday, Jan. 18

6:00 am Morning Prayer, Cowan Fellowship Church  
11:00 am Holy Eucharist, Chapel of the Apostles

#### Thursday, Jan. 19

12:05pm Healing Service, Otey  
5:45 pm Eucharist, Chapel of the Apostles

### Sunday Services, Jan. 15

#### All Saints' Chapel

8:00 am Holy Eucharist

#### Christ Church Episcopal, Alto

11:00 am Holy Eucharist

11:00 am Children's Sunday School

#### Christ Church, Montecagle

10:45 am Children's Sunday School

12:50 pm Christian formation class

#### Church of the Holy Comforter, Montecagle

9:00 am Holy Eucharist

#### Cowan Fellowship Church

10:00 am Sunday School

11:00 am Worship Service

#### Cumberland Presbyterian, Sewanee

9:00 am Worship Service

10:00 am Sunday School  
**Epiphany Episcopal Church, Sherwood**

10:30 am Holy Eucharist

10:30 am Children's Sunday School

#### Grace Fellowship

10:30 am Sunday School/Worship Service

#### Harrison Chapel Methodist

10:00 am Sunday School

11:00 am Worship Service

#### Midway Baptist

10:00 am Sunday School

11:00 am Morning Service

6:00 pm Evening Service

#### Midway Church of Christ

10:00 am Bible Study

11:00 am Morning Service

6:00 pm Evening Service

#### Morton Memorial United Methodist, Montecagle

9:45 am Sunday School

11:00 am Worship Service

#### New Life Church

10:00 am Sunday School

11:00 am Worship Service

6:00 pm Worship Service

#### Otey Memorial Parish

8:50 am Holy Eucharist

10:00 am Christian formation classes

11:00 am Holy Eucharist

#### St. James Episcopal

9:00 am Children's Church School

9:00 am Holy Eucharist

10:15 am Godly Play

#### St. Mary's Convent

8:00 am Holy Eucharist

5:00 pm Evening Prayer

#### Sewanee Church of God

10:00 am Sunday School

11:00 am Morning Service

6:00 pm Evening Service

#### Society of Friends

9:30 am Meeting, 598-5031



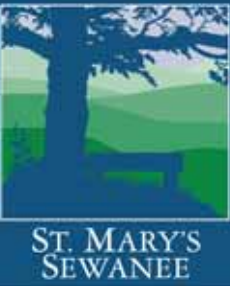
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**VISIONS OF CONSTITUTIONAL ORDER**  
February 9, 12 to 1 pm; Gayle McKeen, presenter  
Academy for Lifelong Learning (same information as above)  
**WRITING AS A SPIRITUAL PRACTICE**  
Feb 10-11; Anne Bright, presenter  
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Saddletree Lane	836593	\$ 75,000
Raven's Den	1015362	\$129,000
Jackson Point Rd	850565	\$ 80,000



# Senior Center News

### Quilt Winner

The winner of the beautiful "Follow the Leader" quilt was Marjorie Langston, a glass bead artist from Chattanooga. She bought the winning ticket on Nov. 19 at the SACA Christmas fair where she was a vendor.

### Volunteers of the Week

The Volunteers of the Week are the drivers: Carol and Drew Sampson, Glen Swygart, Karen and Bob Keele, and Bill Keller. We appreciate your dedication and service.

### Upcoming Events at the Center

The center will hold its quarterly board meeting at 12:30 p.m., Thursday, Jan. 19. The monthly covered-dish luncheon will be, Saturday, Jan. 21.

### Senior Menus

The Sewanee Senior Center serves lunch at noon Monday through Friday. The suggested donation is \$3 (\$0 or older) or \$5 (under \$0). Please call by 10:30 a.m. to order lunch.

- Jan. 16: Salmon patty, white beans, tomatoes, cornbread, dessert.
- Jan. 17: Beef brisket, mashed potatoes, broccoli/cheese, roll, dessert.
- Jan. 18: Pinto beans, fried okra, hominy, cornbread, dessert.
- Jan. 19: Chicken & dumplings, green beans, slaw, cornbread, dessert.
- Jan. 20: Chili, pimento cheese sandwich, crackers, 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 about any of the programs, call the center at 598-0771.



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# Smithsonian Coming to Cowan

Cowan will host "The Way We Worked," an interactive Smithsonian exhibit dedicated to how Americans worked in the early part of the 20th century.

From March 10 to April 21, the Cowan Railroad Museum and Cowan Center for the Arts will host the exhibit, which explores how everyday Americans worked on farms, factories, in homes and at desks to keep communities thriving. In addition to the main exhibit, each host site will be displaying a companion exhibit of community history about their community's workforce history.

This tour is part of the cultural project known as Museum on Main Street that brings exhibits from the Smithsonian to small-town museums and residents of rural America.

"We are thrilled to partner again with Museum on Main Street to bring another great tour to Tennessee communities," said Melissa Davis, director of the Tennessee Community History Program.

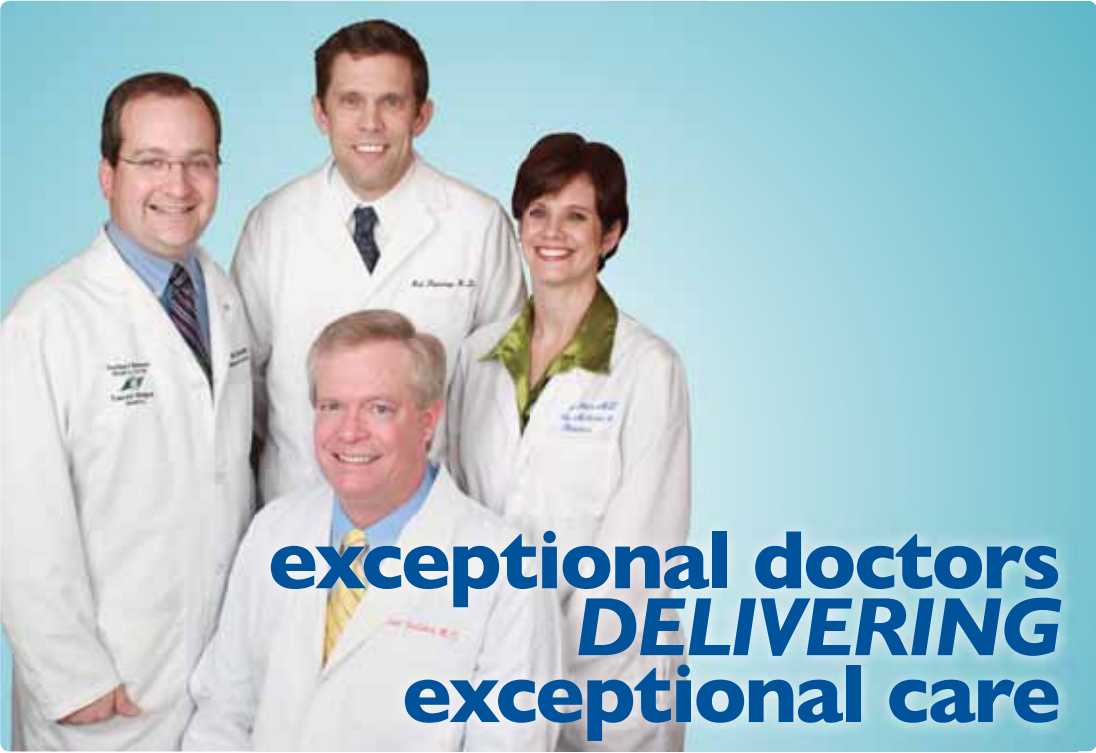
The traveling exhibit will also visit Dyersburg, Memphis, Lexington, Elkton and Jamestown.

For more information, go to <smithsonian.cowanrailroadmuseum.org>.

# Local Students Earn Places on SAS Honors Lists

The following students from Sewanee, Monteagle, Decherd and Sherwood have been named to the Honors Lists at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School for the most recent grading period. Overall, 113 students, including 54 boarding students and 59 day students, achieved academic distinction for the first semester and/or second quarter.

Student	Quarter	Semester
Elise Anderson	High Honors	High Honors
Emory Babcock	High Honors	High Honors
Taylor Ballard	Honors	Honors
Alyson Barry	Honors	Honors
Ashley Barry	Honors	---
Sarah Beavers	Honors	Honors
Emily Blount	High Honors	High Honors
Zachary Blount	High Honors	High Honors
Allison Bruce	High Honors	High Honors
Julia Cammack	Honors	---
J.R. Clay	Honors	Honors
Hunter Craighill	Honors	Honors
Katie Craighill	Honors	High Honors
Ethan Evans	High Honors	High Honors
Will Evans	High Honors	High Honors
Blythe Ford	High Honors	High Honors
Fields Ford	High Honors	High Honors
Camas Gazzola	Honors	Honors
Jessie Grammer	Honors	Honors
Emma Clare Holleman	Honors	Honors
Hannah Horton	Honors	Honors
Lucy Howick	Honors	---
Sam Howick	Honors	Honors
Georgie Huber	Honors	Honors
Jonathan Jones	Honors	Honors
Rebecca Lundberg	High Honors	High Honors
Russell Mays	Honors	Honors
Annie McCawley	Honors	Honors
Eliza McNair	High Honors	High Honors
Eva Miller	High Honors	High Honors
Shalon Mooney	High Honors	High Honors
Evan Morris	Honors	Honors
Sophie Register	Honors	Honors
Diana Rinck	Honors	Honors
Sadie Shackelford	High Honors	High Honors
Sam Stine	Honors	Honors
Justin Stubblefield	Honors	Honors
Kira Tharp	Honors	Honors
Emily Thomas	Honors	Honors
Christiana True	Honors	Honors
Aaron Willis	Honors	Honors
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Casey Willis	---	Honors
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# TINTINNABULATIONS

by John Bordley



## Why Bells Sound Like Bells

At least a year ago, I promised to address the subject of “the sound of a bell” in a future Tintinnabulations column. Until now, other topics have come up and usually they were time sensitive. Today I start on the announced topic.

On a normal instrument, such as a piano or a violin or a flute, when a note is played (we will call this the “prime”) a series of overtones is produced. Figure 1 is a plot of these overtones, with amplitude (loudness) on the y-axis and pitch (frequency) on the x-axis. The units of frequency are Hz (Hertz, cycles per second). The note A above middle C on a piano has a frequency of 440 Hz or 0.440 kHz. This is the pitch that modern orchestras tune to. What should be striking about Figure 1 is that these frequencies are evenly spaced, i.e., the frequency of the prime (A) is 0.44 kHz, the first overtone is 0.88 kHz ( $2 \times 0.44$ ), and the other overtones follow as 1.32 kHz ( $3 \times 0.44$ ), 1.56 kHz ( $4 \times 0.44$ ), etc. Also striking is the pattern of the amplitudes; each overtone has a smaller amplitude than the one before it, in a smoothly decreasing manner.

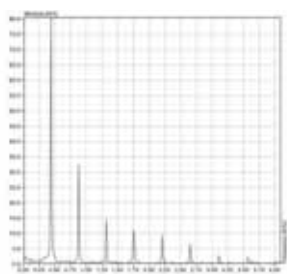


Figure 1.

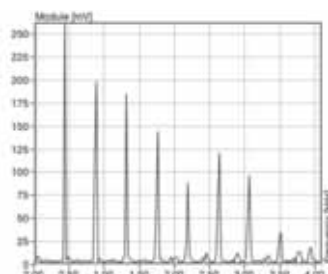


Figure 2.

Wind instruments show similar patterns in their overtone series, but each wind instrument has a characteristic pattern that might be considered as its fingerprint. Figure 2 shows the pattern for a trumpet. The overtones occur at the same regular frequencies, cf. Figure 1 for the piano. But notice that the pattern of the amplitudes is different. (Look at the relative heights of the peaks and do not be concerned about the values along the y axis.) The amplitudes do not fall off as quickly, and the overtones at 2.64 kHz and 3.08 kHz are actually more prominent than the overtone at 2.20 kHz. A trumpet sounds like a trumpet because of its unique pattern of amplitudes and frequencies.

You know that a muted trumpet sounds different from a trumpet played without a mute. Why? You know the answer! The overtone series that is produced is different, cf. Figure 3. The frequencies are the same as in Figure 2, but the amplitudes are vastly different.

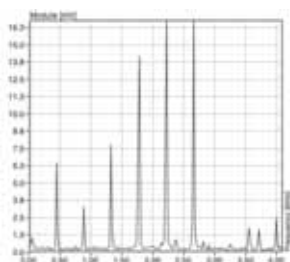


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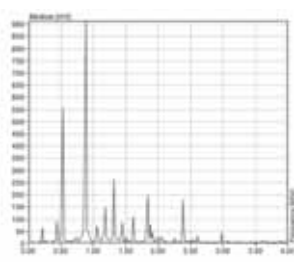


Figure 4.

Q: Why does a bell sound like a bell? A: Because of its unique overtone series. And boy is it unique! I will continue the discussion next time, but do notice the tiny amplitude of the prime (A440, 0.44 kHz), a new pitch at 0.22 kHz ( $1/2$  of 0.44), a huge amplitude at 0.52 kHz (which is not a multiple of 0.44), an even larger amplitude at 0.88 kHz ( $2 \times 0.44$  kHz), and then a cluster of peaks of varying frequencies almost all of which are louder than the prime!

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## Grand Opening Celebration, Thursday, January 19



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**TUE:** Cheeseburger, meatball sub, baked beans, green beans, tossed salad.

**WED:** Baked potato with chili and cheese, hot dog, tossed salad, Spanish rice, roasted black beans.

**THU:** Chicken sandwich, beefy nachos, broccoli, mashed potatoes, tossed salad.

**FRI:** Pizza, fish and hush puppies, steamed carrots, tossed salad, baked fries, chocolate chip cookie.

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## THE VILLAGE IDIOT

by Peter Trenchi



### Reso-Luminescence

We are now in the presence of the moment of anachronistic resolutions. Implicit expectations are that statements purporting moral fulfillment will be issued by faithful adherents. Invisible peer pressure induces us to create over-reaching impossibilities, believing, even at the moment of their announcement, in their complete impossibility. Have we become willing victims to a custom that destines us all to preemptive moral failure? Or, is the failure merely one of understanding the true meaning of resolution?

When examining moral failure, it is instructive to turn to masters in the field, political organizations. Political bodies tend to pass resolutions when the subject matter is something outside of their direct legislative authority. Historically, what is passed are unenforceable declarations of the mood of the moment. American examples include states declaring certain federal actions unconstitutional (notably 200+ years ago, yet the sentiment still has currency) and authorizing instances of undeclared warfare. From these examples, we may conclude that resolutions can be unactionable expressions of sentiment.

Open-ended sentimental ambiguity appears to be in line with the original meaning of a word whose Latin (*resolvo*) meaning is to again (*re*) loosen (*solvo*). Then, scientists (most likely material scientists, who were called alchemists at the time), to describe the re-loosening of aggregate material (which went into chemical solution) gave the term its sense of fixity, clarity and completion. This sense of solid certainty is now associated with the commonly understood use of the term, "resolution." With this usage came the addition of an implied completion or end point and *re* implies a return to this end point from whence the unresolvedness originated.

So, resolutions are fraught with expectations of action and accomplishment which pertain to a morally superior state of being. This does not comport with politics, nor with the looser definition of resolve. The science that brought us solutions now recognizes chaos and the indeterminate non-linear behavior of natural phenomena. When something is re-loosened now, the original state is considered to be only one of many possibilities. The frequency of the return state may have as much to do with our measures and expectations as with true similarity of conditions.

Politics involves the application of sentiment-based measures to resolve situations occurring within our culture. Many (if not all) of the proposed solutions are outside of the authority of the office sought. Social alchemists that they are, these clever politicians seek to redefine the authority of their office. Current considerations to achieve this include redrawing the boundaries of political districts and acting to reduce the autonomy of the judiciary.

What prevents me from announcing any personal resolution prior to its actual accomplishment is a feeling of disingenuousness were I to fail due to lack of resolve. Since it is personal, I have only myself to blame. Since science now recognizes the phenomenological ambiguity of chaos, and politics has always thrived on moral ambiguity and the blaming of others, there appears to be no sustainable rational basis for resolutions.

To loosen ourselves and hope to return to an original condition is to desire original sin. To charge headlong toward an unidentifiable endpoint is chaotic. To fish your resolutions, with thoughtful hindsight, from the flotsam of your trailing wake is the only path to resolvency.



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## Second Dance Open House

The Sewanee Dance Conservatory will host its second open house, 2–4 p.m., Sunday, Jan. 15, for the spring classes. Classes will begin the week of Jan. 16, with a demonstration performance planned for April.

Class offerings this semester will be: Dance FUNDamentals for 3–5-year-olds and pre-ballet starting at age 6. There will be many levels of ballet, tap, jazz and musical theatre dance for older dancers. Kristin Hanson will teach tap classes and intermediate ballet with pointe. Elizabeth Layman will teach Ballet I and higher levels. Callie Holloway will teach the 3–6-year-olds, and Carrie Snyder will teach beginning jazz. Herriott will continue to work with these students to prepare them to instruct the classes.

Registration and placement levels may be made at the open house. For more information, contact Herriott at (706) 589-2507 or by email at <de-herriott@gmail>.



*This stray hen, probably an escapee from the Eco House, has been roaming lower Georgia Avenue for six months. A good flier, she has eluded many attempts at capture. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson*

## Singers Needed!

### Sewanee Chorale

The Sewanee Chorale will begin rehearsing on Monday evening at 7 p.m. in the "Pit" at Hamilton Hall located in the School of Theology. If you were ever interested in joining, now is the season to do so. There are no auditions required.

If you love to sing and would like to join, please come Monday evening. For more information or directions, contact chorale director Gary Sturgis at <gksturgis@yahoo.com> or call (931) 636-5294.

### Chattanooga Symphony and Opera Chorus

The Chattanooga Symphony and Opera Chorus is looking for additional singers for the performance of Carl Orff's "Carmina Burana," scheduled for March 15–16 at the Tivoli Theater in Chattanooga. Rehearsals are Monday evenings at 7:30 p.m. (EST) at First Baptist Church, Chattanooga.

Rehearsals start on January 16. This is a massive and powerful work, with verses written by unruly medieval monks. For more information, call Chris Asmussen at (931) 636-9669 or email Chorus director Darrin Hassevoort at <darrinjms@comcast.net>.

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## SES Hoops

### Girls' Team

The Sewanee Elementary School girls' basketball team took on the number two ranked Rock Creek team on Jan. 5. The long winter break had its effect on both teams, with sluggish scoring in the first half. Rock Creek led 7-4. The SES girl's team came out strong in the second half, out hustling the Rock Creek team. SES could not get much done under the boards, and Rock Creek took advantage of many offensive rebounds. Shelby Smart and Sophia Hartman came off of the bench to help out with rebounding for the SES team. SES lost the game, 17-10. Kate Butlers scored four points followed by Anna Post with three and Tessa Shackelford scored two points. Mary B. Smith, in her scoring debut, made one point from the charity stripe.

### Boys' Team

The SES boys' basketball team was looking for a win on Jan. 5. The team played well against Rock Creek, shutting down the outside offense. SES led 6-4 at the half. Rock Creek came out with both barrels blazing in the second, out rebounding and out shooting the SES team. Larson Heitzenrater and Tommy McCullough shut down the inside game, forcing Rock Creek to take outside shots. Aiden Smith and Rivers Jenkins also lent a hand with good defensive play. Rock Creek won, 13-10. Heitzenrater scored four points, and McCullough, Kobe Coker and Isaac Smith each scored two.



Sewanee's Anvil Nelson (#42) was the top scorer with 20 points in the men's recent win over Centre College. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

## SAS Wrestling Update

The St. Andrew's-Sewanee School wrestling team had matches at the Father Ryan duals and away at Boyd Buchanan. SAS lost to t Battle Ground Academy (42-21) and Pope John Paul II (57-12) and a defeated Boyd (42-36).

Highlights of the matches were captain Myles Kincaid winning all the matches; Jimmy Kuo and Robert Post grabbing two critical pins; newcomer Donte Oden pinning the Boyd wrestler at the 285 lb. class; and veteran Charlie Woodlief (182 lb.) pinned the Boyd opponent, winning the overall match for the SAS Lions.

The 31st annual Mountain Top Wrestling Tournament begins at 10 a.m., Saturday, Jan. 14, on the SAS campus.

## Home Games This Week

### Today, Jan. 13

3:30 pm GCHS JV Basketball

v Bledsoe County HS

6 pm GCHS V Basketball

v Bledsoe County HS

### Saturday, Jan. 14

6:30 am FCHS Wrestling

v Multiple Teams

8 am SAS V Wrestling

v Multiple Teams

### Tuesday, Jan. 17

4 pm FCHS Swimming

v Columbia

### Thursday, Jan. 19

3:30 pm SAS JV Girls' Basketball

v Richard Hardy Memorial School

4:30 pm SAS JV Boys' Basketball

v Richard Hardy Memorial School

4:30 pm SES Girls' Basketball

v Northlake @ Townsend

5:30 pm SES Boys' Basketball

v Northlake @ Townsend

6 pm SAS V Girls' Basketball

v Richard Hardy Memorial School

7:30 pm SAS V Boys' Basketball

v Richard Hardy Memorial School

### Friday, Jan. 20

6 pm SAS V Girls' Basketball

v Mt. Juliet Christian Academy

6 pm Women's Basketball

v Trinity University

7:30 pm SAS V Boys' Basketball

v Mt. Juliet Christian Academy

8 pm Men's Basketball

v Trinity University



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## OVERTIME

by John Shackelford



Yesterday was my daughter Tessa's tenth birthday party. Just a group of little girls giggling, screaming and skating with mom and dad taking pictures of cake, candles and big smiles. The Messenger ran one of those old photographs last week of a group of two-year-olds at the Sewanee Children's Center who are now preparing to graduate from high school and head off to college. One of those 18-year-olds also belongs to me and in that particular picture 90% of her appeared to be constructed largely of a toothless grin.

As I scanned the faces of the other children who are still here and those who have since moved on, I realized how I got to know most of them well and became friends with their parents up at the soccer field on Ball Park Road. There were fast kids and slow ones, aggressive kids and those who preferred to hunt for ants behind the goal, but every kid got an orange slice and every parent just wanted to chip in and be sure their kid got some exercise and some fun. On those Saturday mornings there weren't two sides of University Avenue and no one cared who wore a gown and who had rough hands. We were all invested in the same project; just making sure those soccer stars brought home a grin and maybe a new friend. It became easier for me to call one of those parents who were professors and check on a mutual student and ask how we might work together to get them on the right track. That ball field is a great meeting area where ideas and people come together.

This past week, while standing in the return line at Walmart, I struck up a friendly conversation with a woman who, like me, was at the service desk returning something. She was a bit envious of what I was returning: a box of the luxury little coffee pods that magically drop into a pricey machine and brew a single cup within seconds. She told me how she had wished for one of those machines for Christmas but the price was far too high for her family this year. This loquacious and kind lady worked three jobs including caring for senior citizens, cleaning houses on the side and car-hopping for tips at the Sonic. Her concerns made my worries about paying for two college educations seem trivial.

As I listen to our politicians continue to attack and tear one another down, I just want to hand them each an orange slice. Bring them out to a ball field on a Saturday morning in their jeans with a cheap cup of coffee in hand. I need them to take a breath and realize that ultimately we all want to go home with the same things; it is just a matter of how to get there. My good friend Max Obermiller taught me a great coaching trick in those early days when working with young kids. He would point with two fingers at his face and say, "I need your eyes right here." I learned that usually when you have a child's eyes you also have their ears.

We seem to have a lot of people talking and far too few listening these days. Our tone needs to be less about divisiveness and more about how ideas can come together. We need for coffee machines and college educations to be affordable for anyone working three jobs. We need to reunite and bridge those many avenues to make that happen. Prius or pickup, Target or Walmart, Greenlife or Kroger; all with common ground if we care to listen.

One season when the soccer league didn't have enough players for more than two teams, a few of the kids swapped jerseys so they could play against someone else at mid-season. The parent-coaches worked together to figure out a way to level the playing field so that everyone had a fair shot.

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## NATURENOTES

By Harry and Jean Yeatman

### “See-see-see” Ruby-Crowned Kinglet



Harry Yeatman describes a winter visitor in Sewanee: the Ruby-crowned Kinglet. A tiny olive-gray bird is hopping around shrubs and small trees in Sewanee this winter. The male has a small red head cap, that can be raised if this bird gets excited. The female lacks the red head spot, but both sexes have white wing bars and a white ring around each eye. Dr. A.A. Allen described the song as “See-see-see, just look at me, just look at me, just look at me, see-see-see.” This is a mellow, flute-like song. The nest is pensile and lined with feathers in coniferous trees in Canada and Alaska. This species does not go in flocks as does the Golden-crowned Kinglet. That species has black bars enclosing the yellow crown of the female and red and yellow crown of the male. That species lives south of the Ruby-crowned Kinglet and has a weak song that is difficult to hear.

## State Park Offerings

Saturday, Jan. 14

**Frosty Meadow Hike**—Meet at 8 a.m. at the Visitors’ Center for a brisk 1.5-mile walk through the meadow, to learn how the plants and critters cope with cold or freezing weather.

Sunday, Jan. 15

**Saddlehorn Overlook Hike**—Join the Ranger at 2 p.m. at Foster Falls parking lot for an easy two-mile hike out to Saddlehorn Overlook.

**Slide Show**—Meet at 3 p.m. at Savage Gulfranger station for an informative slideshow on the Savage Gulf/Stone Door area.

Friday, Jan. 20

**Winter Film Series**—Meet Ranger Brent at 6 p.m. at the Visitors’ Center for Part Three of Ken Burns’ documentary “National Parks: America’s Best Idea.” For more information on these or other programs call (931) 924-2980 or visit the website at <[www.friendsofscsra.org/activities.htm](http://www.friendsofscsra.org/activities.htm)>.

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Just in time for the festival, a rare Asian Hooded crane, normally seen only in Southeast Asia, China and Japan, has joined the Sandhill cranes wintering at the Hiwassee Refuge. The bird has drawn more than 2,000 birdwatchers from 37 states and seven countries for viewing.

The festival is a free event that highlights the crane spectacle with activities including workshops, films, children’s activities, special speakers and guides with spotting scopes to view the birds and other wildlife.

For more information go to <[tncranefestival.org](http://tncranefestival.org)>.

## Wet Cave Cleanup

The Sewanee Mountain Grotto, with the Southeastern Regional Association Karst Task Force (SKTF), will hold a cleanup on Saturday, Jan. 14. Beginning at 9:30 a.m., this will be a roadside cleanup in the upper Wet Cave watershed in Franklin County.

This is a site of historic dumping that is affecting Wet Cave and its environs. The area is just to the north of the University, near the intersection of Roark’s Cove Road and Junk Lane, heading toward Alto.

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Roxanne



Velvet

## Weather

DAY	DATE	HI	LO
Mon	Jan 02	54	28
Tue	Jan 03	36	15
Wed	Jan 04	27	17
Thu	Jan 05	47	19
Fri	Jan 06	53	25
Sat	Jan 07	59	38
Sun	Jan 08	59	51

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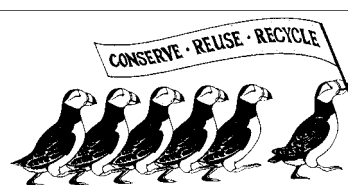
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# Community Calendar

### Today, Jan. 13

*Voting continues for SUD commissioners, through Jan. 24*

- 7:00 am AA, (open), Holy Comforter, Monteagle
- 8:30 am Vinyasa Flow Yoga with Rebecca, Comm Ctr
- 9:00 am CAC office open, until 11
- 12:00 pm Men's Bible study, Otey
- 5:15 pm Modern dance, adults, Community Center
- 7:00 pm AA, Christ Church, Tracy City

### Saturday, Jan. 14

- 7:30 pm AA (open), Otey parish hall
- 9:00 am American Legion meeting, Legion Hall
- 9:30 am Wet Cave Watershed cleanup
- 10:30 am Mountaintop Tumblers, beginners, Comm Ctr
- 10:30 am Mountaintop Tumblers, advanced, Comm Ctr

### Sunday, Jan. 15

- 2:00 pm Sewanee Dance Conservatory Open House, Fowler
- 4:00 pm Women's Bible study, Otey
- 4:00 pm Yoga with Helen, Community Center
- 6:30 pm AA (open), Holy Comforter, Monteagle

### Monday, Jan. 16

*Martin Luther King Jr. Day — Federal holiday*

- 9:00 am CAC office open, until 11
- 10:30 am Chair Exercise, Senior Center
- 1:30 pm Sewanee Book Club, Watson home
- 3:30 pm "Honoring the Witness of The Rev. Martin Luther King Jr.," All Saints' Chapel
- 5:00 pm Women's 12-step, Otey parish hall
- 6:00 pm Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration, Hearth Room, Bishop's Common
- 7:00 pm AA, Christ Church, Tracy City
- 7:00 pm Centering Prayer, Otey sanctuary
- 7:00pm Community Council, Senior Center

### Tuesday, Jan. 17

- 8:30 am Yin Yoga with Carolyn, Community Center
- 9:00 am Yoga with Hadley, St. Mary's Sewanee
- 9:00 am CAC office open, until 11
- 10:30 am Tai Chi with Kat (beginners), Community Center
- 10:30 am Bingo, Senior Center

- 4:00 pm Centering Prayer, St. Mary's
- 7:00 pm FC Commissioners meeting, Winchester
- 7:00 pm NA, Decherd United Methodist
- 7:30 pm AA (open), Otey parish hall
- 7:30 pm Al-Anon, Otey parish hall

### Wednesday, Jan. 18

*Lease Committee meets*

- 7:00 am Monteagle Rotary, Smoke House
- 9:00 am CAC Pantry Day, until 11
- 10:00 am Storytime, May Justus Library, Monteagle
- 11:30 am EQB lunch and program, Sewanee Inn
- 3:30 pm Otey children's choir rehearsal, Otey
- 5:30 pm Yoga with Helen, Community Center
- 6:00 pm Otey adult choir rehearsal, Otey
- 6:00 pm "Those Characters in the Bible," St. James
- 7:30 pm AA (open), Holy Comforter, Monteagle

### Thursday, Jan. 19

- 9:00 am CAC office open, until 11
- 10:30 am Ribbon cutting at Southern Community Bank
- 10:30 am Tai Chi with Kat (advanced), Community Center
- 12:00 pm AA (open), 924-3493 for location
- 12:00 pm Rotary Club of Monteagle-Sewanee, EQB
- 12:30 pm Episcopal Peace Fellowship, Otey Quintard room
- 3:30 pm Mountaintop Tumblers, beginners, Comm Ctr
- 3:30 pm Yoga with Hadley, St. Mary's Sewanee
- 4:30 pm Sewanee Trust for Historic Preservation, duPont
- 4:30 pm Mountaintop Tumblers, advanced, Comm Ctr
- 5:00 pm Weight Watchers, Otey parish, weigh-in 4:30
- 8:00 pm AA (closed), book study, St. James

### Friday, Jan. 20

*Curbside recycling by 7 a.m.*

*Diocese of Tennessee Convention, St. Andrew's-Sewanee School*

- 7:00 am AA, (open), Holy Comforter, Monteagle
- 8:30 am Vinyasa Flow Yoga with Rebecca, Community Ctr
- 9:00 am CAC office open, until 11
- 12:00 pm Men's Bible study, Otey
- 7:00 pm AA, Christ Church, Tracy City
- 7:30 pm Sewanee Performing Arts Series, Schween and Hammond, Guerry

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