

Help Available for ACA Enrollment

Assistance is available for people who need help with enrolling in Affordable Care Act (ACA) health insurance plans. For folks who are uninsured, under-insured, or need assistance, this free program will be 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Saturday, Jan. 31, at Emerald-Hodgson Hospital in Sewanee, part of the Southern Tennessee Regional Health System. Open enrollment for ACA ends on Feb. 15.

In-person assistance will be provided by certified ACA navigators, and application counselors will be on-site. They will be able to answer questions about eligibility and enrollment procedures, assist consumers with the enrollment process and facilitate options for insurance premium reductions.

To enroll in ACA, you must bring the following information:

- Proof of identity;
- Social Security numbers and birth dates for individuals in your household;
- Pay stubs, W-2 forms;
- Policy numbers for any current insurance coverage; and
- A valid email address.

For more information contact Katie Goforth at (615) 417-7258 or email <Goforth.SCPHN@gmail.com>.

Folks at Home Caregiver Workshops Offered

Folks at Home is offering a series of three workshops for family caregivers that is titled "One Day @ a Time: Taking Care of Yourself While Caring for Others." The workshops will be facilitated by Kathleen Banchoff, a writer and hospice volunteer based in Providence, R.I.

The workshops will take place 3:30–5 p.m., on Sunday, Jan. 25, Sunday, Feb. 15, and Sunday, March 1, in Claiborne Parish House at Otey Memorial Parish.

Topics will include "Communication Dilemmas: Making Others Understand," "Story-Telling: Entertaining Ways to Ask for Help" and "Spirituality of Caregiving: Finding the Smile." Each session is a stand-alone workshop and will include "tips and tools" handouts.

Participants may attend any or all of the three workshops.

The cost of each workshop is a food donation to Community Action Committee or a donation of 1.5 hours to the Folks at Home timebank program.

Folks at Home (F@H) is a non-profit organization dedicated to helping members continue a comfortable lifestyle in the greater Sewanee community with services they need.

For questions or to reserve a place, contact Folks at Home at 598-0303 or by email, <folksathomesewanee@gmail.com>.



The University Art Gallery presents "Beyond Classification," a group exhibition of contemporary photography and video by women artists from Egypt. "The Journey, 6" by Marwa Adel, 2012, (above) is among the works in the show, which is curated by Nagla Samir of the American University in Cairo and Greg Pond of Sewanee; it is on view through April 12. A reception and conversation about the work will be at 4 p.m., Friday, Jan. 23, in Convocation Hall. For more information go to <www.sewanee.edu/gallery>.

Low Country Boil Dinner & Fund-Raiser Saturday

The fifth annual Low Country Boil will be 4–7 p.m., Saturday, Jan. 17, in the Tennessee National Guard Armory, 107 Armory Rd., Monteagle. This event is a fund-raiser for Friends of South Cumberland Park, the Monteagle Food Bank and the Monteagle Mountain Chamber of Commerce.

Enjoy a delicious meal and music by Bazzania! The menu is Cajun-spiced shrimp, potatoes, sausages and corn; gumbo; dirty rice; bread pudding with rum sauce; and tea. For those with seafood allergies, there will be a boil without shrimp.

Tickets are \$15 for adults (\$18 at the door) and \$7 for children 12 and under.

Advance tickets are available at Regions Bank, Sewanee; Citizens Tri-County Bank, Monteagle; Monteagle Sewanee Realtors, Monteagle; Citizens State Bank, Monteagle; Mountain Valley Bank, Monteagle; Citizens State Bank, Altamont; Dutch Maid Bakery, Tracy City; Monteagle City Hall; Monteagle Mountain Chamber of Commerce and online at <www.monteaglechamber.com>.

There are a limited number of tickets available, so early purchase is encouraged. For more information call (931) 924-5353 or email <mmtncchamber@blomand.net>.



Anna Post, a seventh-grade student at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School, drives the ball to the basket at the Jan. 13 basketball game against Monteagle Elementary School. Monteagle won the game, 49-38. Photo by Paul Klekotta

Martin Luther King Celebration on Monday

All Saints' Chapel and the School of Theology Committee for Diversity and Reconciliation are co-sponsoring the annual All Saints' Chapel MLK Service recognizing the life of Martin Luther King Jr., at 4:45 p.m., Monday, Jan. 19, in All Saints' Chapel. Students and faculty of the School of Theology, University faculty and staff, and members of the community will read selected excerpts from the life and works of King. This will mark the 30th year that the Sewanee community has gathered for this purpose.

University Carillonneur John Bordley will perform a short recital with works honoring King at 5:45 p.m., as people move from All Saints' to the Bishop's Common.

At 6:30 p.m., the community is

invited to share a potluck dinner and celebration in the Bishop's Commons Hearth Room. The keynote speaker will be Rev. Dr. Deborah Jackson, associate dean for community life at the School of Theology. Students will share poetry and dance, and everyone will join together in song. The Sewanee Praise Choir, under the direction of music professor Prakash Wright, will perform selections chosen for the occasion.

The African-American Alliance, the Cumberland Center for Justice and Peace, the School of Theology, and the Office of Multi-Cultural Affairs, are the co-sponsors of the service and dinner.

The events are free and all are welcome to attend.

Summer School will be Option for Elementary Students in Franklin Co.

by Kevin Cummings
Messenger Staff Writer

Parents of second- and third-graders in Franklin County will have the choice to send their kids to summer school if they perform in the bottom 10 percent in reading or math. Rebecca Sharber, director of schools in Franklin County, talked about the offering during the Jan. 12 school board meeting.

"The elementary summer school is new in the way we are planning for it. We have had elementary summer school in the past, but it has been several years since we have done so," said Sharber.

Using an effort called "Response to Instruction and Intervention," Sharber said, educators "have better been able to identify students who need more help than we can give during regular classroom instruction.

"We will have better defined the students who could best benefit from summer instruction under our new processes. We think this will help our elementary summer school be more helpful to students going into the next school year," she said.

Clark Memorial Elementary will be the site of the program, which begins June 1 and ends June 26. Students will attend from 8 a.m. to 11 a.m., Monday through Thursday.

Adam Tucker, District 5 Board of Education representative, said he supports the summer program, which will provide an additional month of intense instruction in small class sizes.

"Unfortunately, due largely to funding constraints, the program is limited to 20 second-grade students and 20

third-grade students," he said. "My hope is that the County Commission and the State General Assembly will recognize the value of such interventions and provide additional funding to expand this program and offer similar interventions to students in other grades in the future."

"Extended contract," a state program that funds outside-of-the-school-day help for students, will pay for four teachers and one administrator at summer school, Sharber said.

"The funds have dwindled over the years, but we do still receive some funding from the state for these activities," she added.

In other business at the meeting, Kevin Caroland, school board chairman, said that as of Jan. 9, there were 18 applicants for the position of director of schools. Sharber is retiring this summer. The final date for applications is Jan. 19, and the Tennessee School Board Association is tentatively scheduled to present five finalists for the position at the Feb. 9 Franklin County board meeting. Caroland said it might be better if TSBA can present the finalists a week sooner at the Feb. 2 school board work session. Board member Chris Guess said he would like to see all the applications, not just those of the finalists.

Sharber discussed the possibility of adding a Knox-Box Rapid Entry System at the 11 county schools. The locked boxes would contain a key to the school, and emergency responders would have access to the boxes to take action quicker during emergencies. Sharber said the cost would be about \$3,300. The issue was not on the agenda, and the board took no action.

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The Sewanee Chorale performed its Christmas concert in All Saints' Chapel. At the December event were (front row, from left): director Gary Sturgis, accompanist Kathy Sturgis, Sally Hubbard, Dorothy Gates, Gail Watson, Elizabeth Ferguson, Claudia Porter, Becky Wright, Geri Childress and Virginia Capel; (middle row, from left) Vivian Collins, Amy Patterson, Luwin Lewis, Christy Ormsby, Brenda Matthews, Ann Seiders, Ruth Wendling, Yolande Gottfried, Susan Holmes and Wanda Webb; (back row, from left): Tom Watson, Joi Johannson, Bob Hughes, Jack Furman, Waring McCrady, Aaron Welch, David Wead, Christian Doakes and Ed Hawkins. Not pictured: Liz and Noel Workman.

Letters

GOODSTEIN FAMILY THANKS

To the Editor:

Eban and I would like to thank everyone for the kindness shown us this past week with the loss of our father. The support and outpouring of love has touched us both very deeply, and we are grateful our parents chose this mountaintop so many years ago. They would both be so pleased we are watched over by such an embracing community of friends. Thank you all for the food, emails, visits and prayers.

Sarah Doyi
Sewanee ■

USE CARE AT MGT CROSSING

To the Editor:

I am nervous about the new crossover by Mooney's Store on Hwy. 41A. I am so grateful to be part of a community that can put together such a remarkable project as the Mountain Goat Trail. It is a true crowning jewel to our Mountain. The more accident-free we keep it, the more wonderful

and rich its history will become.

I did notice there are six traffic signs marking the MGT crossover on Jump Off Road, and only two marking the crossover at Highway 41. And the Jump Off crossover is in a straight-away, not an already dangerous curve. I am confident that the transportation officials have more in store for the Hwy. 41A crossover.

I don't know what is involved in getting a blinking light, but I wouldn't mind one there. I ask everyone to please put that new crossover in their minds when heading between Monteagle and Sewanee.

Some day not too long from now we will all get used to the crossover of the Mountain Goat Trail at Mooney's. And with the great influence of Woody's, and the Mountain becoming more and more of a weekend destination, my bet is that Mountain Goat Trail will be hopping and popping before you know it. And with folks who are less familiar with the lay of the land than we are.

Adam Randolph
Monteagle ■

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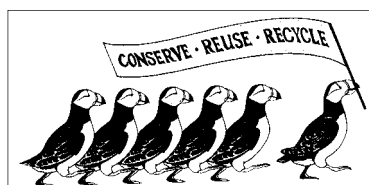
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Proposals Sought for New Sewanee Funding Project

The Sewanee Community Funding Project Committee invites individuals and groups to submit proposals for projects that enhance the community and improve the quality of life for area residents.

The anticipated \$10,000 in funds can be used for "practical, functional or educational purposes or somewhere in between," said Sarah Marhevsky, chair of the committee. Large-scale projects such as sidewalks and projects of smaller scope such as bulbs for planting by Sewanee Elementary School students both fit the criteria outlined in the guidelines. Application forms are available at the Sewanee post office and the Sewanee Community Center. Applications can be returned by postal mail or email to the address on the form. The deadline is March 1. Applicants needing help determining the cost of a project or proposing projects requiring University involvement with contractors should contact the project committee at sewaneeprojectfunding@gmail.com.

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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 daytime telephone number with your letter. You may mail it to us at Sewanee Mountain Messenger, P.O. Box 296, Sewanee, TN 37375, come by our office, 418 St. Mary's Ln., or send your email to news@sewaneemessenger.com.—LW

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Upcoming Meetings & Events

Closings on Martin Luther King Jr. Day

Martin Luther King Jr.'s birthday is observed on Monday, Jan. 19, as a holiday. Federal, state and local government offices will be closed. Franklin, Grundy and Marion county public schools will also be closed, as will banks and post offices. Classes will be held at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School and at the University.

Coffee With the Coach

Coffee with the Coach will meet at 9 a.m., Monday, Jan. 19, at the Blue Chair Tavern for free coffee and conversation with Marty Waters, Sewanee men's lacrosse coach. For more information call 598-0159.

Seminar on Long-Term Care for Veterans on Monday

Tallahoma Morning Pointe is having a seminar on "Veterans and Surviving Spouses Long-Term Care Benefits," at 10 a.m., Monday, Jan. 19. At the session, there will be information about who qualifies for the program, how to apply and the level of benefits offered. Morning Pointe, an assisted living and memory care facility, is located at 711 Kings Lane, Tullahoma. For more information or to reserve a place, call (931) 455-0860.

Sewanee Woman's Club Book Club Gathers Monday

The Book Club of the Sewanee Woman's Club will meet at 1:30 p.m., Monday, Jan. 19, in the home of Gail Watson. Members will bring their favorite or new book titles to share and discuss with fellow readers. For more information or directions please email Debbie Racka at <debbie811@comcast.net> or contact Flournoy Rogers at 598-0733 or by email, <semmesrogers@gmail.com>. Visitors are always welcome.

Cowan Railroad Museum Meeting Tuesday

The Cowan Railroad Museum will have its annual membership meeting and elections at 7 p.m., Tuesday, Jan. 20, at Cowan Center for the Arts, located at the corner of Hodges and Montgomery. Membership dues are \$10 and can be paid online, at the door or by sending a check to P.O. Box 53, Cowan, TN 37318. For more information go to <www.cowanrailroadmuseum.org>.

Naylor Presents Lead at EQB on Wednesday

EQB will meet for lunch at noon, Wednesday, Jan. 21, at St. Mary's Sewanee. Eric Naylor will present the lead at 12:30 p.m. on the topic "The Crown of Aragon and the County of Barcelona." All are welcome.

Area Rotary Club Meetings

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

The Monteagle Sewanee Club meets 8-9 a.m., Thursdays, at the Sewanee Inn. At the Jan. 22 meeting, Kevin Hiers will discuss "Environmental Stewardship on the Domain."

Community Council Cancels January Meeting

The Community Council meeting planned for Jan. 26 has been canceled. The group will meet again at 7 p.m., Monday, Feb. 23. Agenda items should be sent by email to Tabatha Whitsett at <tabatha.whitsett@sewanee.edu> or call 598-1182

University Job Opportunities

Exempt Positions: Assistant Dean of Students for Student Life; Assistant Director for Marketing and Communication; Construction Project Manager, Physical Plant Services; Energy Specialist, Physical Plant Services; Farm Manager, University Farm; IT Administrator, School of Theology.

Non-Exempt Positions: Assistant Cashier, Treasurer's Office; Cashier, Cook, Server and Utility Worker, Sewanee Dining; Golf Course Assistant; Police Investigator; Police Officer (full-time); Senior Electrician.

To apply online or learn more go to <http://hr.sewanee.edu/job_postings> or call 598-1381.

Births

Lewis "Lee" Robin Levine

Lewis "Lee" Robin Levine was born on Dec. 26, 2014, at St. Thomas Midtown Hospital in Nashville, to Gail Steiner and Roger Levine of Nashville. Lee weighed 8 pounds, 10 ounces, and was 20 inches long.

Levine is an associate professor of history at Sewanee. Maternal grandparents are Steven and Carol Steiner of Longmeadow, Mass. Paternal grandparents are Franklin "Sandy" Levine of Shrewsbury, Mass., and Janet Levine of Marco Island, Fla.

Kailynn Ray Throneberry

Kailynn Ray Throneberry was born on Jan. 8, 2015, at Park West Hospital in Knoxville to Justin and Kristin Throneberry of Wartburg, Tenn. She weighed 5 pounds, 14 ounces, and was 19-1/2 inches long.

Paternal grandparents are Junior and Karen Throneberry of Winchester.

Lights On!

Safety Tips for Driving on Foggy Days

Winter is here, and that means the arrival of the Mountain's infamous dense fog. And with fog comes greater concerns about traffic safety.

The Sewanee Police Department 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," said Marie Eldridge, Sewanee police chief. Traffic accidents increase in the fog, 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," she 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 at intersections.

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 are defogged.

When in doubt, turn on your car lights, but make sure your high beams are not on.



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IT'S ELECTION TIME IN SEWANEE!

Sewanee Utility District Board of Commissioners



Voting for the SUD commissioner election began Jan. 2 and will continue through Jan. 27 at the SUD office, 150 Sherwood Rd., Sewanee, during regular business hours, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.

Ronnie Hoosier is running for the Marion County seat uncontested.

Votes will be counted at the next business meeting of the board, scheduled for 5 p.m., Tuesday, Jan. 27.

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Obituaries

Kathleen Rose Schmidt Ernst

Kathleen Rose Schmidt Ernst, age 73 of Cowan, died on Jan. 9, 2015. She was born in Cheektowaga, N.Y. to Milton M. and Florence B. Schmidt. She was preceded in death by her parents; daughter Elizabeth A. Connary; and brother Donald Schmidt.

She is survived by her husband, Larry Ernst of Cowan, sons, Larry (Barbara) Ernst Jr. of Manchester and Peter J. Ernst of Morrison; daughter Jennifer D. Scott of Winchester; sisters, Diane (Russell) Depriest of Winchester and Linda Massee of Buffalo, N.Y.; brothers Jimmy (Nellie) Schmidt of Cartersville, Ga., and Milton (Debbie) Schmidt of Depew, N.Y.; and seven grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews.

Graveside services were on Jan. 13 in Cowan Montgomery Cemetery.

For complete obituary go to <www.moorecortner.com>.

Terry Lee Moore

Terry Lee Moore, age 68 of Pelham, died on Dec. 19, 2014, at his home. He was a U.S. Navy veteran. He was preceded in death by his parents, Burlin Lee and Dorothy Moore.

He is survived by sons, Jeff (Angela) Moore, and Jamie (Stacy) Moore of Belvidere; brothers, Michael (Cindy) Moore of Winchester and Roger Dale (Wilma) Moore of Louisville, Ky.; and six grandchildren, one great-grandchild, two nieces and one nephew.

Funeral services were on Dec. 22 at First Baptist Church, Cowan, with Bro. Benji Goins, Bro. Lee Cook and Bro. Jewell Frame officiating. Interment followed in Franklin Memorial Gardens.

For complete obituary go to <www.moorecortner.com>.

James Robert Shores

James Robert Shores, age 81 of Cowan, died on Jan. 11, 2015, at Southern Tennessee Regional Medical Center in Winchester. He was born in Manchester to Joseph and Alice Pebbles LaFevers Shores. He was a U.S. Army veteran.

He was preceded in death by his parents; infant son James Vaughn Shores; brothers Leonard Winnell, Elmer Brooks, Wilburn Tamer and J.C. Shores; and sisters Margaret Josephine Davis and Odie Helen Price.

He is survived by his wife, Betty; daughters, Glenda Shores (Denny) Harris, Faye Shores (Scott) Ralston of Winchester; sons Greg Shores of Belvidere and Garry Shores of Cowan; brother Howard Clayton Shores of Manchester; and six grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were on Jan. 15 at Cowan Cumberland Presbyterian Church with the Rev. Bobby Hancock officiating. Interment followed in Franklin Memorial Gardens.

For complete obituary go to <www.moorecortner.com>.

Death Notice

Jeane D. Phelan

Jeane D. Phelan, age 87 of Sewanee, died on Dec. 30, 2014, at the Bridge in Monteagle.

No further information is known at this time.

Trinity Wall Street Comes to Sewanee

The Beecken Center of the School of Theology in Sewanee will host the live and interactive broadcast of the Trinity Institute's 44th National Theological Conference, "Creating Common Good: A Practical Conference on Economic Equality," on Jan. 22-25. The conference includes a diverse group of scholars, faith leaders and economists who will offer strategies for developing a more



just economy and instill the confidence to take action for social change.

The conference will be broadcast in the School of Theology's Hargrove Auditorium and is open to all. "Trinity Church Wall Street has a long history of ethical leadership in the area of economic justice," said Courtney Cowart, director of the Beecken Center. "This year's Trinity Institute, however, is extraordinary for the wisdom that has been gathered in the keynote speakers and the practical work that the small groups will do on how each of us can make a difference."

Speakers and panelists include Cornel West, Archbishop of Canterbury Justin Welby, Barbara Ehrenreich, Rachel Held Evans and Robert Reich. West, author of "The Rich and the Rest of Us," will offer an opening keynote building the framework of the conference. Archbishop Welby will consider when inequality becomes sinful and talk about the common good. Ehrenreich, author of "Nickel and Dimed," is set to discuss the class divide in American society, delving into issues such as immigration, poverty, gender and mobility.

Trinity Institute is a continuing education program founded in 1967 as an outreach of Trinity Wall Street, an Episcopal parish in New York City. The institute's annual National Theological Conference equips clergy and laypersons for imaginative and catalytic leadership. Recent conferences include "Building an Ethical Economy: Theology and the Marketplace," "Reading Scripture Through Other Eyes" and "Radical Christian Life: Equipping Ourselves for Social Change." For more information about attending the conference in Sewanee go to <http://beeckencenter.sewanee.edu/events/trinity-institute-2015-live-web-broadcast>. For more information about the Trinity Institute go to <www.TI2015.org>.

Church News

All Saints' Chapel

Growing in Grace, All Saints' Chapel's contemporary worship service, resumes at 6:30 p. m., Sunday, Jan. 18. The speaker will be University lay chaplain Rob McAlister, C'12.

Catechumenate will meet at 7 p.m., Wednesday, Jan. 21, with coffee and dessert. The group meets in the Mary Sue Cushman room at the Bairnwick Women's Center. Catechumenate serves as a foundational piece for the Christian faith, as well as a forum for discussion.

For more information, please contact McAlister by email, <rob.mcalister@sewanee.edu>.

Otey Memorial Parish

At 10 a.m., Sunday, Jan. 18, Otey Memorial Parish will offer the Lectionary Class and children ages 3-11 can attend Godly Play. At Adult Forum, the Rev. Bart Segu will talk in St. Mark's Hall about peacekeeping between Muslims and Christians in Tanzania. Nursery care is available for children 6 weeks old to 4 years old from 8:30 a.m. until after the coffee hour following the 11 a.m. service.

Otey Parish will celebrate the feast day of the Confession of St. Peter with Holy Eucharist, Rite I, at 12:15 p.m., Monday, Jan. 19.

CHURCH CALENDAR

Weekday Services, Jan. 16-23

7:00 am Morning Prayer/HE, St. Mary's (not 1/19)
7:30 am Morning Prayer, Otey
8:10 am Morning Prayer, Chapel of Apostles
8:30 am Morning Prayer, St. Augustine's
11:00 am Holy Eucharist, Chapel of Apostles (Wed)
12:00 pm Holy Eucharist, Chapel of Apostles (M-Tu-F)
12:15 pm Confession of St. Peter HE Rite I, Otey (1/19)
12:30 pm Noon Prayer, St. Mary's (not 1/19)
4:00 pm Evening Prayer, St. Augustine's
4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey
4:45 pm MLK Service, All Saints' Chapel (1/19)
5:00 pm Evening Prayer, St. Mary's (not 1/19)
5:10 pm Evening Prayer, Chapel of Apostles (not 1/22)

Saturday, Jan. 17

8:00 am Morning Prayer, St. Mary's
10:00 am Sabbath School, Monteagle 7th Day Adventist
11:00 am Worship Service, Monteagle 7th Day Adventist
5:00 pm Mass, Good Shepherd Catholic, Decherd

Sunday, Jan. 18

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, Monteagle

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

Christ Church Episcopal, Alto

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

Christ Church Episcopal, Tracy City

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

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

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, Monteagle

9:45 am Sunday School
11:00 am Worship Service

New Beginnings Church, Jump Off

10:30 am Worship Service

Otey Memorial Parish

8:50 am Holy Eucharist

10:00 am Christian Education

11:00 am Holy Eucharist, vestry installation

Pelham United Methodist Church

9:45 am Sunday School

11:00 am Worship Service

St. Agnes' Episcopal, Cowan

11:00 am Holy Eucharist Rite I

St. James Episcopal

9:00 am Children's Church School
9:00 am Holy Eucharist

10:15 am Godly Play

St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church, Alto

8:00 am Mass

St. Mary's Convent

8:00 am Holy Eucharist
5:00 pm Evensong

Sewanee Church of God

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11:00 am Morning Service

6:00 pm Evening Service

Society of Friends

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Tracy City First Baptist Church

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

5:30 pm Youth

6:00 pm Evening Worship

Trinity Episcopal, Winchester

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

Wednesday, Jan. 21

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
6:30 pm Prayer Service, Harrison Chapel, Midway
7:00 pm Adult Christian Formation, Epiphany Episcopal, Sherwood
7:00 pm Evening Worship, Tracy City First Baptist

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Spurlock Named Acting Dean of Students

Terry Papillon, Sewanee's dean of the College, recommended and the University's Board of Regents approved the appointment of Becky Spurlock as acting dean of students, effective January 1. Spurlock will continue to work with residential life and the Wellness Center, while assuming many of the department's leadership responsibilities formerly held by Eric Hartman.

"Becky's work at Sewanee and her wealth of student affairs experience nationally make her a great fit. I appreciate her willingness to step in and serve in this role," said Papillon. In her nearly 20 years of experience, Spurlock's portfolio has included residence life, academic advising, career counseling, Greek life, student activities and unions, the first-year experience, conduct and Title IX functions at several universities, including Belmont University, Trinity University and St. Mary's University.

Spurlock's appointment comes with additional changes to staff responsibilities in Student Life.

Alex Bruce will now report directly to Dean Papillon. Bruce, who has worked at Sewanee since 2008, will continue his work on student success and support, while taking on the withdrawal and reinstatement processes and advising the Honor Council. For the Easter term, he will remain in his current office space.

Hagi Bradley has been named interim associate dean of students and adds managing the Sewanee Union Theatre and the care team to his responsibilities. Bradley's office is now in the Gallery Room of the Bishop's Common. Bradley joined the university in 2012.

Spurlock joined the Sewanee community in June 2014. Trained in narrative analysis and as a qualitative researcher, she is currently serving a term on the NASPA board of directors and is the director of NASPA Region III. NASPA is the leading voice for the student affairs profession worldwide.



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Senior Center News

Covered-Dish Luncheon Saturday

The Senior Center's monthly covered-dish luncheons resume on Saturday, Jan. 17. Bring something to share, and enjoy the music of Slandered Banshee.

Inclement Weather Policy

The Senior Center follows the schedule of the Franklin County School System when the weather is bad. If the Franklin County schools are closed due to snow or ice, the Senior Center will be closed, and no meals will be cooked, served or delivered on that day.

Senior Menus

The Sewanee Senior Center serves lunch at noon on weekdays. The suggested donation is \$3 (\$5 or older) or \$5 (under \$50). Please call by 9 a.m. to order lunch. If you make a reservation for lunch but do not come eat, please be prepared to pay for your meal. Menus may vary.

Jan. 19: Chili dog, chips, slaw, dessert.

Jan. 20: Pork loin, butternut squash casserole, broccoli, roll, dessert.

Jan. 21: Chicken, pinto beans, creamed corn, cornbread, dessert.

Jan. 22: Veggie lasagna, salad, garlic bread, dessert.

Jan. 23: Beef and noodles, salad, roll, dessert.

Daily Activity Schedule

The Senior Center has something fun to do each day of the week. Join them for any of these activities:

Mondays at 10:30 a.m.—11:15 a.m., chair exercise is offered to help promote flexibility, mobility and range of motion by moving most of the joints in the body from head to toe.

Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m., the group plays bingo with prizes.

Wednesdays at 10 a.m., the writing group gathers at 212 Sherwood Rd. Members read short passages from their own work or from that of another author. For more information call Connie Kelley, 598-0915.

Thursdays at 10:30 a.m., there is chair exercise.

Fridays at 10 a.m. is the time for games. Play Scrabble, join the "Guy's Table" for a game of Sequence or make up a foursome to play bridge. For more information call Eileen Degen, 598-5643, or Ruth Wendling, 598-9517.

Participation at the Center

The Sewanee Senior Center does not charge any membership fee. All persons 50 or older who take part in any of the activities are considered members. The center is located at S Ball Park Rd., behind the Sewanee Market. To reserve a meal or for more information, call 598-0771.

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Upcoming Lectures

"Do Honor Codes Still Work?" by Michael Kerwin

Michael Kerwin, associate professor of geography and environmental science at the University of Denver, will present a talk on academic integrity at 4:30 p.m., Tuesday, Jan. 20, in Gailor Auditorium. He will discuss "Fighting the Cheating Machine: Do Honor Codes Still Work?"

Kerwin is an executive board member of the International Center for Academic Integrity who speaks and writes often on the subject of honor in academia. The lecture is sponsored by the University Lectures Committee, the Honor Council and the dean of the College.

"Reconciliation as a Commitment to Faith" by Heidi Kim

At 7 p.m., Tuesday, Jan. 20, the School of Theology will host a talk by Heidi Kim in Hamilton Hall's Hargrove Auditorium. The title of her talk is "I Will with God's Help: Reconciliation as a Commitment to Faith."

Kim serves as the missionary for racial reconciliation for the Episcopal Church and is responsible for facilitating the establishment and growth of networks that confront structural issues of racism in society and the church. She believes that true reconciliation involves lovingly embracing the vast diversity of background, belief, and experience found in the body of Christ.

Kim is a graduate of Brown University, holds a master's degree in sociology from UCLA, and is currently completing an Ed.D. in educational leadership at Seattle University.

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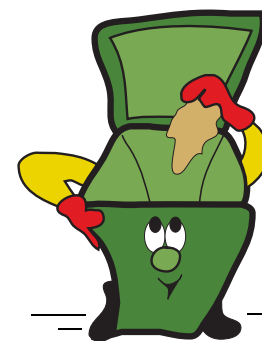
The Volunteer Income Tax Assistance Program (VITA) will file income taxes for low- to moderate-income residents for no charge, beginning in February.

VITA is a team of IRS-certified tax preparers who can prepare your tax return and provide information about special tax credits for which you may qualify, such as Earned Income Tax Credit, Child Tax Credit and Credit for the Elderly or the Disabled.

The Monteagle-Sewanee VITA site will be located this year at the Church of the Holy Comforter, 16 First St., Monteagle. No appointment will be necessary; times for the program will be posted soon.

VITA is an IRS-initiative designed to assist low-to-moderate income individuals, persons with disabilities and the elderly. For more information email <vitasewanee@gmail.com>.

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Local Students Make SAS Honors Lists

The following local students in Franklin, Grundy and Marion counties have been named to the honors lists at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School for the most recent grading period. Overall, 81 students, including 33 boarding and 48 day students, achieved academic distinction for the second quarter.

Students who earn an average of 90 or above are named to the High Honors List for academic achievement. Students with average ranges between 83 and 89 and who have received no grade below 80 are named to the Honors List. Satisfactory completion of afternoon programs is required for students to be eligible for the Honor Roll.

High Honors

Lydia Angus
Andrew Bachman
Jackson Berkhouse
Allison Bruce
Carolyn Bruce
Ethan Evans
Fields Ford
Madison Gilliam
Levi Higgins
Noah McIndoo
Daniel McNair
Ashton Milford
Eva Miller
Nathan Olson
Genevieve Rogers
Jack Simons
Sarah Simons
Fritz Stine
Sophie Swallow
Kyra Wilson

Honors

Joshua Alvarez
Rachel Alvarez
Lauren Arnold
Erin Berner-Coe
Isabel Butler
Hannah Dempsey
Anna Fox
Sadie Graves
Jack Haight
David Jimenez
Sarah Johnson
Lexie Laurendine
Abby Mainzer
Sarah Mainzer
Jonathan Miller
Shalon Mooney
Vanessa Moss
Tommy Oliver
Sam Smith
Kia Whitman
Margaret Wilson



Sensei Michael Cimino-Hurt (center) congratulates Elijah Seavey (right) and Rhys Fricker on their recent promotions in Wado-Ryu Karate. Elijah was promoted to 3rd degree Brown Belt (3rd Kyu), and Rhys was promoted to Green Belt (6th Kyu). Both students have been working hard for their promotions and are to be congratulated for their persistence and focus. For information on karate classes, please contact Cimino-Hurt by email, <zanshin.mch@gmail.com>, or call (703) 801-4754.



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Bruce Inducted into Cum Laude Society at SAS

The Rev. John Thomas, head of school at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School, recently announced that senior student Allison Bruce of Monteagle was inducted into the Cum Laude Society.

The Cum Laude Society is a national academic honor society whose purpose is to recognize excellence in academic work. Membership also requires demonstration of good character, honor and integrity. The top 10 percent of the junior class and the top 20 percent of the senior class are eligible for induction each year.

Allison is the daughter of Kathryn and Alex Bruce of Monteagle. She is a high honors student. She also serves in leadership roles as a proctor and a member of the Honor Council.

A talented singer, Allison has been cast in principal roles in numerous theatre productions. She was also a valued member of the varsity volleyball and track and field teams. Allison was the recipient of the SMA Class of 1946 Junior Leadership award, presented to the individual whose ability to lead and to inspire others has contributed significantly to the life of the school.

Faculty member Michael Short and the Rev. Drew Bunting, chaplain, were also selected for the Cum Laude Society as faculty inductees.



Allison Bruce

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SES Menus

Jan. 19-23
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MON: No school—Martin Luther King Day

TUE: Hamburger, peanut butter and jelly sandwich, baked beans, fries, sandwich trimmings canned fruit mix, applesauce, hamburger bun, cheese slice (optional).

WED: Spaghetti, yogurt, cheese stick, Caesar salad, baked potato, green beans, fresh fruit, canned peaches, roll, graham crackers.

THU: Corn dog nuggets, hot ham and cheese sandwich, pinto beans, turnip greens, garden salad, canned pineapple, fresh fruit, macaroni and cheese.

FRI: Hot dog, chili (optional), ham or turkey chef salad, potato smiles, garden salad, carrots, dip, fruit juice, cookie, hot dog bun.

BREAKFAST

Each day, students select one or two items

MON: No school—Martin Luther King Day

TUE: Breakfast bar, breakfast pretzel super stick, ham slider.

WED: Mini muffins, cheese toast.

THU: Cheese stick, Dutch waffle, syrup.

FRI: Biscuit, sausage, gravy, jelly.

Options available every breakfast: Assorted cereal, assorted fruit and juice, milk varieties.

Menus subject to change.

Math Textbooks Up for Review

The Franklin County School District is offering the public an opportunity to review textbooks and materials being considered for use in K-12 math programs in the county.

The materials will be available for public review, 8 a.m. to p.m., Feb. 2-13, at the District Central Administrative building, 215 South College St., in Winchester. Please see the receptionist upon entering the building, and she will escort you to the viewing area.

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THE INSATIABLE CRITIC

by Elizabeth Ellis

The Sewanee Union Theater (SUT) is back in full swing in the New Year! On tap this week is American and Iranian drama, a shock rock musical, and a coming-of-age tale for adults. Read on to see what suits your particular viewer palate.

Sir Toby, The Critic's valiant sidekick: Every good critic needs a good rating system, and stars are so overused. There's nothing on the planet more critical than cats, so one or more movies each week is rated from one to five Tobys. The more Tobys it has, the better it is.



Sir Toby

The Judge

7:30 p.m. • Friday–Sunday, Jan. 16–18

2014 • Rated R • 141 Minutes

Robert Duvall and Robert Downey Jr. star in this mystery-drama about a small town judge (Duvall) who is accused of murder. The story in "The Judge" is far less interesting than watching a group of terrific actors work together in one film: Duvall and Downey are joined by Vera Farmiga, Billy Bob Thornton, Vincent D'Onofrio, Ken Howard and Grace Zabriskie. With such talent, "The Judge" should be better than it is, but the story gets bogged down in clichés and family melodrama. It is definitely worth watching, but prepare to be a bit disappointed. Rated R for language, including some sexual references. —LW

Close-Up

7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 20

1990, Rated R, 98 minutes

This classic Iranian film, written and directed by Abbas Kiarostami, blends reality and fantasy into a seamless tapestry, retelling a true story of identity theft and starring some of the people involved in the actual case. The plot begins with transient Ali Sabzian telling a passenger on a bus that he is the well-known film director Mohsen Makmalbaf. The harmless white lie becomes more convoluted when he gets to know this passenger and her family, and finds himself promising to cast the family's son in a major role and use their home as the setting for his next film. When the family eventually realizes him for the unemployed fraud that he is, Kiarostami interweaves actual footage from the real-life trial into the dramatic retelling, creating a multi-layered docudrama that has won critical acclaim worldwide. Rated R for violence, language, drug content and brief nudity.

The Rocky Horror Picture Show

7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 21

1975, Rated R, 100 minutes

"I'm just shivering with antici....PAtion!"

Long before cell phones, a newly engaged couple find themselves stranded when their car breaks down on a stormy night. Knocking on the door of the residence of one Dr. Frank-N-Furter, (Tim Curry) they find themselves doin' the time-warp into a world of sexual promiscuity, gender-bending antics and catchy dance tunes. Utterly bizarre and edgy for its time, it was a career-making performance for Curry, decked out in six-inch heels, garters and a perm that would make even Cher jealous. It was also one of Susan Sarandon's earliest roles as Janet Weiss, part of the unwitting couple that stumbles upon the mansion of insanity. It completely bombed during its initial limited run in theatres, but found a cult following of more open-minded audiences during midnight showings that take place even to this day. Rated R, it does not feature any gore or violence as the title may suggest, but it does feature plenty of half-naked people cavorting around and high levels of sexual innuendo.

Laggies

7:30 p.m., Thursday-Sunday, Jan. 22-25

2014, Rated R, 99 minutes

What defines being a grown-up? A successful job? Marriage? "Laggies" focuses on Megan (Keira Knightley), one woman in her late 20s finding herself quite solidly in a quarter-life crisis, with depressing job and love life prospects and no particular motivation to move forward. Worst of all, she is surrounded by "friends" who are too absorbed with their own successful lives. When her lackadaisical boyfriend suddenly pops the question, she panics and finds herself in the unlikely position of hiding from the real world in the house of her 16-year-old, wise-beyond-her-years friend Annika (Chloë Grace Moretz). Of course, Annika's dad Craig (Sam Rockwell) doesn't exactly approve of the situation, but eventually agrees. Imagine what happens next between Craig and Megan. What saves "Laggies" from straight-to-bargain-bin material is the excellent casting of the three main characters, whose true professionalism and ownership of the roles help them rise above the uninspired writing and lame gag jokes. Rated R for language, some sexual material and teen partying.

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The Sewanee Folk Music Collective (SFMC) will resume again from 7 to 8:30 p.m. on Wednesday nights in St. Luke's Chapel, beginning on Jan. 21.

SFMC plays a mix of Celtic, Klezmer, French and Slavic music. Reading music is helpful, but not essential if you have a good ear.

Open to students, community members and most instruments and vocal types. Members participate according to their ability. To see what the group has done in the past, check out the links below.

For more info contact group leader James Carlson, SFMC director/ac-cordionist, at <jcarlson@sewanee.edu>. You can follow SFMC on FB at: <https://www.facebook.com/SewaneeFolkMusicCollective>. Watch videos on Youtube at: <https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL0BXgTTowiEVclt97bShYsWh466UPWSfA>.



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Community Poetry Night Opens with Eight Local Writers

Eight local writers are set to perform at the inaugural Community Poetry Night at the Blue Chair Café & Tavern, 7–9 p.m., Tuesday, Jan. 20. All in the community are invited to share a poem, short story or dramatic interpretation at a future event. Those interested in performing should email <kcumings.kevin@gmail.com>. Poetry Night will be on alternating Tuesdays from Trivia Night. Poetry events are scheduled in February for Feb. 3 and Feb. 17.

Readers for opening night, Jan. 20:

Ellen Boyette is a creative writing and literature student at the University. Much of her writing is inspired by her fascination with both the mundane and the obscene. Her Appalachian heritage has instilled in her a love of nature and Americana folk culture.

Aaron Bridgers-Carlos, an actor, writer and attorney, will read a poem by his father, Ed Carlos, an artist and writer who founded the "Autumn Assembly of Authors and Artists at IONA" in Sewanee.

Lynn Cimino-Hurt grew up in middle Tennessee, and the diverse geography of the area has served as a major point of reference and inspiration for her work and play. Much of her poetry explores relationships, contextualized by nature. She loves the language of natural history and science.

Bea Troxel is a senior environmental arts and humanities major from Nashville. Her mother imbued in her a love for chickens, awkward handshakes and the television show "The Wire." She feels everything and hopes to someday compete in a competitive eating contest.

Francis Walter is from Mobile, Ala., and has been a priest for 56 years. He likes to tell and write stories, among them is a "fowl" tale for Jan. 20, "Goldilocks and the Three Bears on Mobile Bay," and a true story of a friendship with a flying squirrel.

Sara Kachelman is from Florence, Ala. She is the editor-in-chief of the Mountain Goat, Sewanee's student literary journal, and the founder of the Sewanee Poet Society. She writes poetry, short fiction and plays.

Michael Cimino-Hurt has worked as a professional musician, a designer of electronics for major recording studios, a martial arts instructor and a history teacher. He has published two books, a novel and a biography, and short stories. His poetry explores the mystery of place and the structures of consciousness and, sometimes, also vegetables.

Nathaniel Nelson is a junior at the University and a recent transfer from Wheaton College in Illinois. He is originally from Signal Mountain, Tenn., and has been writing poetry for about three years.

Regional Authors at Manchester Book Signing

The Coffee County Manchester Public Library is hosting its eighth annual author signing, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., Saturday, Jan. 17.

Nineteen authors are scheduled to participate, including Weldon Payne, Michael R. Bradley, Honor Raconteur; R.D. Sherrill, Jason Tate, Heard Lowry, Teresa Hall and Tom Wood.

Authors will have their books available for sale.

The library is located at 1005 Hillboro Blvd., Manchester. For more information call (931) 723-5143.

Dream Groups at Stillpoint

Dream coach and spiritual director Marsha Carnahan is now accepting new clients and hosting Dream Groups in her office at Stillpoint.

Dream Groups will meet 1–3 p.m. on Wednesday, Jan. 21, and Wednesday, Feb. 18, at Stillpoint. The cost is \$12 per person; group size is limited to eight people.

Carnahan is a Haden Institute-certified dream coach, certified spiritual director, centering prayer facilitator and dream group leader. She enjoys art, gardening, the Native American flute, beekeeping, kayaking and running.

To register for dream group or for a private appointment contact her at (931) 626-7565 or <mcarnahan5@gmail.com>.



The Sewanee men's swim team returned to action this semester by beating Rhodes College in a Jan. 10 dual meet at Fowler Center. The Rhodes women's team defeated Sewanee. Last semester the Tigers had some of the top times and scores in the Southern Athletic Association. Brian Glatt, Charles Boclair III, Winston Westbrook, Frazier Devany, David Evans and Grace Cobbs have all won weekly conference awards. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

SAS Crests Riverside by 38

The St. Andrew's-Sewanee boys' varsity basketball team defeated Riverside Christian Academy, 84-46, on Jan. 8 at SAS.

The Mountain Lions led 35-32 at halftime, but outscored their opponent 49-14 in the second half.

James Beasley had a double-double with 18 points, 10 rebounds and six assists. Andrew Heitzenrater added 18

points and six rebounds; Blaise Zeitler had 14 points; Will Pratt chipped in 11 points and six rebounds; Levi Higgins posted eight points and six rebounds; Kenneth Thomas had seven points; Eric Baynard had four points and four steals; Burton Dorrough scored two points; and Aubrey Black had two points. SAS improved to 14-3 on the year.

Sewanee Women Squelch Welch

Led by a career-high 18 points from freshman Rebekah Faulkner, the Sewanee women's basketball team earned a 77-41 win over Welch College on Jan. 13 in Nashville.

The Tigers are now 9-4 overall after winning their last two games.

Along with Faulkner, Jamie Chauvin finished with 16 points, while Casey Hassett added 15. Additionally, senior Kayla Sewell pitched in 12 points, and Hannah McCormack added eight points. Savannah Rose scored with six points, and Haley Lyerly finished with two.

Sewanee returns to Southern Athletic Association play at rival Centre on Jan. 17.

Sewanee Goes Inside for a 61-44 Win

Led by a double-double from Keshonn Carter and three other players in double figures, the Sewanee men's basketball team posted a 61-44 victory over visiting Hiwassee on Jan. 13 inside Juhan Gymnasium.

The Tigers have now won three straight and seven of their last nine games. Sewanee (9-5 overall) also has a 6-1 record at home this season.

The Tigers opened the game on an 8-3 run. Hiwassee answered back, eventually tying the game at 14-14 with 13 minutes gone in the opening 20 minutes. The score would remain close throughout the first half.

Out of the locker room, Sewanee

came out strong. The Tigers scored 12 of the first 18 points to lead 39-27, with 14:43 to play.

Down 10 with 11:21 remaining, Hiwassee tried to rally. A three by Joel Bailey and a pair of free throws by Jordan Sexton cut the Hiwassee deficit to six, 42-36.

However, over the next minute, Jorden Williams took over for Sewanee. The Southern Athletic Association's leading scorer hit three straight 3-point shots, which pushed Sewanee's advantage to 12, 53-41, with 5:50 remaining.

From there, the Tigers did not look back. Late free throws by Brody Stone,

Williams and Taylor Howell sealed the win for Sewanee.

Like they have most of the season, defense and rebounding again led the Tigers. Sewanee limited Hiwassee to a 32.7 field-goal percentage, while outrebounding its opposition 42-25.

Along with Carter's 12-point, 10-rebound double-double, Seth Brown continued to play well with 14 points on six-of-eight shooting.

Additionally, Williams added a game-high 15 points, while Stone pitched in 12 points and five boards.

Kaseem Davidson led Hiwassee with 14 points and five rebounds.



Larson Heitzenrater nabs a rebound for St. Andrew's-Sewanee School against Webb School on Jan. 9 in a 36-23 home loss. Photo by Paul Klekotta

Home Games This Week

Today, Jan. 16

6 pm FCHS Girls' Basketball
v Tullahoma

7 pm FCHS Boys' Basketball
v Tullahoma

Saturday, Jan. 17

8 am SAS V Boys' Wrestling Meet
v Multiple Teams

12:30 pm SAS V Coed Swimming
Snowball Invitational Meet

2 pm GCHS Girls' Basketball
v Huntland

3 pm GCHS Boys' Basketball
v Huntland

Monday, Jan. 19

4 pm SAS V Girls' Basketball
v Friendship Christian School

5:30 pm SAS V Boys' Basketball
v Friendship Christian School

Tuesday, Jan. 20

5:30 pm GCHS Girls' Basketball
v Notre Dame

6 pm SAS V Girls' Basketball
v Donelson Christian Academy

6:30 GCHS Boys' Basketball
v Notre Dame

7:30 pm SAS V Boys' Basketball
v Donelson Christian Academy

Friday, Jan. 23

4:30 pm SAS JV Boys' Basketball
v Mt. Juliet Christian Academy

6 pm SAS V Girls' Basketball
v Mt. Juliet Christian Academy

7:30 pm SAS V Boys' Basketball
v Mt. Juliet Christian Academy

SAS Hosts Wrestling & Swimming Saturday



SAS wrestler Abby Mainzer, a 2014 Mountain Top wrestling champion.

St. Andrew's-Sewanee School will host two athletic tournaments this winter, both on Saturday, Jan. 17.

The 34th annual Mountain Top Wrestling Invitational starts at 10 a.m. and goes all day in the Woods-Alligood Gymnasium on the SAS campus. This tournament welcomes more than 130 contestants. Abby Mainzer from SAS, the girls' state wrestling champion, also won at the Mountain Top last year. Teams participating are SAS, Franklin Road Academy, Coffee County, Cumberland County, McMinn County, Franklin County, Chattanooga Christian, Forrest, Sequatchie, Battle Ground Academy, Knox Webb, Boyd-Buchanan, Warren County, Sale Creek and Tyner.

The Snowball Invitational Swim Meet begins at 12:30 p.m. in the Fowler Center. This meet is limited to 180 swimmers and is one of the largest championships in the region. Last year, the SAS boys' swim team placed first, and the SAS girls' team placed fourth.

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NATURENOTES

Yolande Gottfried continues her travels away from the Mountain and reports:

“While Sewanee was in the deep freeze, we were enjoying most pleasant weather in Florida visiting the Venice Area Audubon Society Rookery, internationally known among bird-watchers and photographers. This is a small but deep man-made pond with a 25-foot by 50-foot island in the middle, where numerous birds roost, breed and nest in the winter months. This is a great example of human activity providing advantages to native wildlife. It also helps that the pond is patrolled by alligators, which deter predators such as raccoons.

“We observed a pair of great blue herons working on their large nest. There were a number of these birds, as well as the slightly smaller great egrets (white) and also anhingas, which have to spread their wings to dry after diving for food in the water, since, unlike most other diving birds, their feathers are not waterproofed.



Great Egret

“Some of the great egrets were engaged in courtship displays, fanning the long plumes they grow during the breeding season and elongating their necks. These long plumes, known as aigrettes, were much prized for ladies’ hats in the nineteenth-century, to the detriment on the great egret population. This is the bird that is the symbol of the National Audubon Society, which was founded to prevent birds from being killed for their feathers.

“Other birds we saw around the pond were little blue herons roosting and flocks of white ibises and glossy ibises grazing the grassy areas and pond edges. We even spotted a yellow-rumped warbler in the nearby bushes, rounding out our day’s bird count.”

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Lacy is a very sweet Collie/Shepherd mix who is around 2 years old. She has a lot of affection and fun to share with the new family she would love to have soon. Lacy is house-trained, heartworm-negative, up-to-date on shots and spayed.

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State Park Offerings

Sunday, Jan. 18

Stone Door Hike—Meet Ranger Katie at 8 a.m. at Stone Door ranger station with your walking sticks and hiking boots to get your heart rate up by hiking down and back up the steps of the Great Stone Door, or rest upon the cliffs of Savage Gulf for a panoramic view. Bring water.

Big Creek Rim/Laurel Trail Run—Join Ranger Aaron at 8 a.m. at Stone door parking lot for a moderate seven-mile trail run past Stone Door and other overlooks on the Big Creek Rim trail. Runners must be able to keep at least a 12-minute-per-mile pace. Wear trail shoes and bring plenty

of water. For more info call Stone Door ranger station, (931) 692-3887.

Friday, Jan. 23

Grundy Forest Day Loop—Meet Ranger Katie at 2 p.m. at Grundy Forest Pavilion for a two-mile loop hike through Grundy Forest, with its ancient hemlock trees, rock shelters and boundless waterfalls. Wear sturdy shoes and bring water.

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Tue	Dec 16	55	29
Wed	Dec 17	52	36
Thu	Dec 18	40	34
Fri	Dec 19	44	29
Sat	Dec 20	39	29
Sun	Dec 21	46	29

Week’s Stats:
Avg max temp = 46
Avg min temp = 31
Avg temp = 34
Precipitation = 0.35"

DAY	DATE	HI	LO
Mon	Dec 22	49	32
Tue	Dec 23	46	35
Wed	Dec 24	52	44
Thu	Dec 25	55	40
Fri	Dec 26	47	35
Sat	Dec 27	48	32
Sun	Dec 28	51	42

Week’s Stats:
Avg max temp = 50
Avg min temp = 37
Avg temp = 42
Precipitation = 2.44"

DAY	DATE	HI	LO
Mon	Dec 29	53	41
Tue	Dec 30	42	37
Wed	Dec 31	38	30
Thu	Jan 01	38	24
Fri	Jan 02	40	26
Sat	Jan 03	43	36
Sun	Jan 04	56	42

Week’s Stats:
Avg max temp = 44
Avg min temp = 34
Avg temp = 38
Precipitation = 3.13"

DAY	DATE	HI	LO
Mon	Jan 05	58	39
Tue	Jan 06	39	19
Wed	Jan 07	42	24
Thu	Jan 08	34	0
Fri	Jan 09	26	4
Sat	Jan 10	33	9
Sun	Jan 11	38	11

Week’s Stats:
Avg max temp = 39
Avg min temp = 15
Avg temp = 21
Precipitation = Trace

December Monthly Averages:
Avg max temp = 49
Avg min temp = 37
Avg temp = 40
Total Precipitation = 5.68"

December 56-Year Averages:
Avg max temp = 46
Avg min temp = 32
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Stealing my breath of life, I will confess
I love this cultured hell that tests my youth.
Her vigor flows like tides into my blood,
Giving me strength erect against her hate,
Her bigness sweeps my being like a flood.
Yet, as a rebel fronts a king in state,
I stand within her walls with not a shred
Of terror, malice, not a word of jeer.
Darkly I gaze into the days ahead,
And see her might and granite wonders there,
Beneath the touch of Time's unerring hand,
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—“America” by Claude McKay



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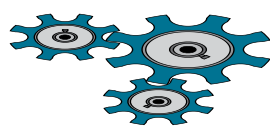


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Community Calendar

Today, Jan. 16

Curbside recycling, before 7:30 am

- 8:30 am SBA meeting, Blue Chair Tavern
- 9:00 am CAC office open, until 11 am
- 10:00 am Game day, Senior Center
- 12:00 pm University Convocation, All Saints' Chapel
- 12:00 pm Contract/release stretching with Kim, Fowler
- 3:00 pm Book signing, Wright, University bookstore
- 3:30 pm Creative movement, 4–7, Comm Ctr
- 4:15 pm Creative movement, 8/up, Comm Ctr
- 4:30 pm Art talk, reception, McIntosh, Carlos Gallery
- 5:00 pm Art show, reception, "Water," Artisan Depot
- 7:00 pm Bible study, Mtn of God Tabernacle, Monteagle
- 7:00 pm Film, "Hobbit: Battle of 5 Armies," Alma Mater, Tracy
- 7:15 pm Kriya meditation with Dotty, Comm Ctr
- 7:30 pm Film, "The Judge," SUT

Saturday, Jan. 17

- 8:30 am Yoga with Richard, Comm Ctr, until 9:45
- 10:00 am Hospitality Shop open, until noon
- 12:00 pm Senior Center potluck lunch w/Slandered Banshee
- 4:00 pm Low Country Boil, National Guard Armory, until 7
- 7:00 pm Film, "Hobbit: Battle of 5 Armies," Alma Mater, Tracy
- 7:30 pm Film, "The Judge," SUT

Sunday, Jan. 18

- 2:00 pm Film, "The Judge," SUT
- 3:00 pm Film, "Hobbit: Battle of 5 Armies," Alma Mater, Tracy
- 3:00 pm Knitting circle/instruction, Mooney's, until 5
- 4:00 pm Yoga with Helen, Community Center
- 5:00 pm Women's Bible Study, Midway Baptist

Monday, Jan. 19

Federal and state holiday: Martin Luther King Jr.'s birthday

- 9:00 am CAC office open, until 11 am
- 9:00 am Coffee with Coach Marty Watters, Blue Chair Tavern
- 9:00 am Yoga with Sandra, St. Mary's Sewanee, until 10:30
- 10:00 am Pilates with Kim, intermediate, Fowler
- 10:30 am Chair exercise with Ruth, Senior Center
- 12:00 pm Pilates with Kim, beginners, Fowler
- 1:30 pm Sewanee Woman's Club book club, Watson home
- 4:45 pm MLK service, All Saints' Chapel
- 5:30 pm Yoga for healing with Lucie, Comm Ctr, until 6:45
- 5:30 pm Yoga with Sandra, St. Mary's Sewanee, until 7 pm
- 5:45 pm Carillon recital, Bordley, Shapard Tower
- 6:00 pm Karate, youth, American Legion Hall
- 6:30 pm MLK Jr. dinner and celebration, BC Hearth Room
- 7:00 pm Centering Prayer, Otey sanctuary
- 7:00 pm Karate, adult, American Legion Hall

Tuesday, Jan. 20

- 9:00 am CAC office open, until 11 am
- 9:00 am Pilates with Kim, beginners, Fowler
- 9:30 am Crafting Ladies, Morton Memorial, Monteagle
- 9:30 am Hospitality Shop open, until 2 pm
- 10:30 am Bingo, Sewanee Senior Center
- 11:00 am Tai Chi with Kathleen, beginners, Comm Ctr
- 11:30 am Grundy Co. Rotary, Dutch Maid, Tracy City
- 12:00 pm Pilates with Kim, inter/adv, Fowler
- 3:30 pm Centering Prayer support group, St. Mary's Sewanee
- 4:30 pm Honor code talk, Kerwin, Gailor Auditorium
- 5:00 pm Acoustic jam, old GCHS annex, until 6:30 pm
- 6:30 pm Prayer/Study, 7th Day Adventist, Monteagle
- 6:30 pm Weight Watchers, Morton Memorial, weigh-in 6 pm
- 7:00 pm Cowan RR Museum annual mtg, Center for Arts
- 7:00 pm Community Poetry Night, Blue Chair, until 9 pm
- 7:00 pm Reconciliation talk, Kim, SofT Hargrove Aud
- 7:30 pm Film, "Close Up," (free), SUT

Wednesday, Jan. 21

- 9:00 am CAC office open, until 11 am; and 1–3 pm
- 10:00 am Pilates with Kim, intermediate, Fowler

- 10:00 am Senior Center writing group, 212 Sherwood Rd.
- 12:00 pm EQB lunch/lead, Naylor, St. Mary's Sewanee
- 12:00 pm Pilates with Kim, beginners, Fowler
- 1:00 pm Dream Group, Stillpoint, until 3
- 5:30 pm Yoga with Helen, Community Center
- 7:00 pm Bible study, Midway Baptist Church
- 7:00 pm Catechumenate, Bairnwick Women's Center
- 7:00 pm Folk Music Collective, St. Luke's Chapel, until 8:30
- 7:30 pm Film, "Rocky Horror Picture Show," (free), SUT

Thursday, Jan. 22

Trinity Conference at Beecken Center, SoT, through Jan. 25

- 8:00 am GC Clothing Bank open, Old GCHS, until noon
- 8:00 am Monteagle Sewanee Rotary, Sewanee Inn
- 9:00 am CAC office open, until 11 am
- 9:00 am Pilates with Kim, beginners, Fowler
- 9:30 am Hospitality Shop open, until 2 pm
- 10:30 am Chair exercise with Ruth, Senior Center
- 10:30 am Tai Chi with Kathleen, advanced, Comm Ctr
- 12:00 pm Pilates with Kim, intermediate, Fowler
- 12:30 pm Episcopal Peace Fellowship, Otey parish house
- 1:30 pm Folks@Home Support Group, 598-0303
- 2:00 pm Knitting circle, Mooney's until 4 pm
- 6:00 pm Karate, youth, American Legion Hall
- 7:00 pm Karate, adult, American Legion Hall
- 7:30 pm Film, "Laggies," SUT

Friday, Jan. 23

Curbside recycling, before 7:30 am

- 9:00 am CAC office open, until 11 am
- 10:00 am Game day, Senior Center
- 12:00 pm Contract/release stretching with Kim, Fowler
- 3:30 pm Creative movement, 4–7, Comm Ctr
- 4:00 pm Art talk, reception, Samir/Srinivasan, Convo Hall
- 4:15 pm Creative movement, 8/up, Comm Ctr
- 5:30 pm World healing meditation, Comm Ctr
- 7:00 pm Bible study, Mtn of God Tabernacle, Monteagle
- 7:00 pm Film, "Hobbit: Battle of 5...", Alma Mater, Tracy
- 7:30 pm Film, "Laggies," SUT

LOCAL 12-STEP MEETINGS

Friday

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

Saturday

- 6:30 pm AA, women's group, (615) 454-7799 for location
- 7:30 pm NA, open, Decherd United Methodist
- 7:30 pm AA, open, Claiborne Parish House, Otey

Sunday

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

Monday

- 5:00 pm Women's 12-step, Claiborne Parish House, Otey
- 7:00 pm AA, open, Christ Church, Tracy City

Tuesday

- 7:00 pm AA, open, First Baptist, Altamont
- 7:30 pm AA, open, Claiborne Parish House, Otey

Wednesday

- 10:00 am AA, closed, Clifftops, (931) 924-3493
- 4:30 pm AA, "Tea-Totallers" women's group, Clifftops, (931) 924-3493
- 7:00 pm NA, open, Decherd United Methodist
- 7:30 pm AA, open, Holy Comforter, Monteagle

Thursday

- 12:00 pm AA, (931) 924-3493 for location
- 7:00 pm AA, open, St. James
- 7:30 pm Adult Children of Alcoholics, Dysfunctional Families, Claiborne Parish House, Otey

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