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Light Up the Village Today

The community is invited to the annual Light Up the Village holiday tree lighting. Music will begin in Angel Park in downtown Sewanee around 4:40 p.m., today (Friday), Dec. 1. The Sewanee Chorale will lead everyone in the Christmas caroling.

The tree lighting at Angel Park will be at 5 p.m. Cookies and hot beverages will be available afterward, and Santa and friends will be posing for photos.

University Avenue will be closed, from Regions Bank to State Highway 41 A for the event.

Please bring unwrapped toys and monetary donations for Operation Noel. Donations of money and nonperishable food will also be collected for the Community Action Com-

post-tree-lighting activities will move inside to the Blue Chair Bakery and

This event is sponsored by the Sewanee Business Alliance.

58th Annual Festival of Lessons and **Carols**

The 58th annual Festival of Lessons and Carols at the University of the South will be celebrated at three services, two on Dec.2 (5 and 8 p.m.), and one on Dec. 3 (5 p.m.).

At once solemn and joyful, the Festival of Lessons and Carols evokes the meaning of the Advent season through the radiant music of the University Choir and selected readings by members of the University and Sewanee community. The service annually since 1918 at King's College Chapel in Cambridge, England. It features the University Choir under the direction of University organist and choirmaster Geoffrey Ward.

As part of the University mission and the program of education and formation of All Saints' Chapel, the Festival Service of Lessons and Carols offers students, faculty and staff the and Advent expectation.

As part of the University's outreach to others, the public is also welcome to attend; tickets were available by reservation in November. All available spaces were reserved quickly, but it still may be possible to attend a service without a reserved seat. The University expects that some people with tickets will decide not to attend, and will distribute those tickets in advance of each service.

There will be a signup sheet in Convocation Hall beginning at noon, Saturday and Sunday. People who wish to attend a service may add their names to the list for a service that day.

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22nd Annual Holiday Studio Tour

Tennessee Craft-South invites the public to the 22nd annual Holiday Studio Tour on the Mountain Saturday, Dec. 2, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. CST and Sunday, Dec. 3, 11 a.m-4 p.m. CST. Tennessee Craft-South is the regional branch of Tennessee Craft, the statewide organization which supports and promotes all handmade crafts in Tennessee.

More than 25 local and regional artists will show their work in Sewanee and Monteagle locations, ranging from textiles, sculpture, jewelry, pottery, and glass to paintings, metal work and wood work.

Other Sewanee locations displayand Locals Gallery. Light refreshments There is a group exhibition of artists' work in the St. Andrew's-Sewanee Art Gallery, located in the center of the Simmonds Building at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School.

Holiday Studio Tour this year: the the Tennessee Craft–South website Monteagle Inn, Mooney's, Shenani- http://tennesseecraft.org/members/ In case of inclement weather, the gans, Locals, the Sewanee Inn and the chapters/south/>.



ing work are the American Legion Hall Blue Chair. Studio Tour brochures are available at each of these local busiwill be available at most locations. nesses and at all participating studios. A map can be found on page 5.

Bright yellow signs mark the tour route, and maps are available at all locations on the tour as well as at all sponsors' locations, in the Se-There are six sponsors for the wanee Mountain Messenger, and on

Monteagle Council Tackles Yard Problem; Approves **Deannexation and Speed Limit Change**

by Leslie Lytle, Messenger Staff Writer

At the Nov. 27 meeting, the Monteagle Town Council discussed the possible outcome of issuing citations to owners of three wrecker services for failure to erect a fence screening "junked" conveyances from view. The council also approved deannexation of a portion of Deep Woods, and raising the speed limit to 30 miles per hour on North Central Ave.

Codes Enforcement Officer Earl Geary said the three wrecker service owners in violation of the fencing ordinance passed in August were ordered to appear in court on Dec. 14.

A concerned resident presenting photographs of one lot said, "It's a mess and never been dealt with. It's been an eyesore for years."

Police Chief Virgil McNeese expected difficulty enforcing the ordinance. The judge is appointed, not elected. He can impose a \$50 a day fine, but if they don't pay the fine, it turns into a civil matter." McNeese said the district attorney advised the city to put a lien on the property, clean it up and hold the property is based on one that has been sung until the city was reimbursed for fines and cleanup expenses.

Geary pointed out that following that course of action it was likely "you won't get your money until the property sells."

The resident presenting the photographs said that in the past when there were complaints, the owner of the lot moved wrecked vehicles from one location to another. Numerous residents spoke out objecting to the junked vehicle lots.

McNeese said the hearing would be held at 6 p.m. at the Monteagle City Hall. "If you want to testify, I'll advise the judge why you are there."

Preliminary to approving on a second reading deannexation of the portion of Deep Woods remaining in the Monteagle city limits, Mayor David Sampley asked for comments from residents.

"Why was Deep Woods ever annexed in the first place?" asked a resident who opportunity to experience one of the oldest traditions of Anglican music of Anglican music of Anglican music of Anglican music or which is a separate of the oldest traditions of Anglican music or which is a separate of the oldest traditions of Anglican music or which is a separate of the oldest traditions of Anglican music or which is a separate of the oldest traditions of Anglican music or which is a separate of the oldest traditions of Anglican music or which is a separate of the oldest traditions of Anglican music or which is a separate of the oldest traditions of Anglican music or which is a separate of the oldest traditions of Anglican music or which is a separate of the oldest traditions of Anglican music or which is a separate of the oldest traditions of Anglican music or which is a separate of the oldest traditions of Anglican music or which is a separate of the oldest traditions of the oldest tradition of the oldest traditions of the oldest traditi a lot of grief trying to figure out who my utility service providers are," she said. Her lot is located in Marion County, but her utility service comes from Franklin County. "Is there any benefit to being part of Monteagle?"

"No," answered Ćity Recorder Debby Taylor. She explained the annexation occurred more than 20 years ago under Mayor Charles Rollins. "It had something to do with water service," Taylor said.

The council approved the deannexation unanimously.

Citing an August decision to lower the speed limit on side streets to 20 miles per hour on a trial basis, a resident asked the council to restore the speed limit to 30 miles per hour on North Central Ave. "There is very little pedestrian traffic," she said. "It's hilly and you have to ride your brakes."

Alderman Kenneth Gipson agreed. "It will be hard to get up the hill in the winter."

Another resident said he and his daughter no longer traveled North Central due to the speeding. "I'm not complaining about 20 or 30 miles an hour, but many motorists drive 50 miles an hour."

"Police officers have been writing tickets," McNeese said. "In my opinion 31 miles per hour is too fast on a residential street."

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Sewanee Elementary students in grades Pre-K through second grade were joined by their families for a Thanksgiving luncheon on November 16. The meal, prepared by cafeteria manager Chasity Williams and her staff, is an annual tradition at SES. Students in grades third through fifth grade were joined by their families on Nov. 17. Parent Holly Vinson (far left) enjoys lunch with her son Bo Vinson and his friend Cy Hoosier at the SES Thanksgiving feast. Photo by Sewanee Elementary School

SUD Approves Rate Increase, Employee Retirement Plan; Seeks **Commissioner**

by Leslie Lytle, Messenger Staff Writer

At the Nov. 28 meeting of the Board of Commissioners of the Sewanee Utility District of Franklin and Marion Counties, the board approved the 2018 budget, which includes a 1 percent rate increase, and approved making the Tennessee Consolidated Retirement System (TCRS) retirement plan available to SUD employees. The board is seeking a district resident to serve as a SUD commissioner. Commissioners received a monthly \$50 stipend.

The more than \$1.51 million budget prepared by SUD manager Ben Beavers allocates \$270,000 to replacing aging cast iron waterlines on South Carolina and Florida avenues. SUD plans to fund the project by drawing on cash reserves rather than taking out a loan. Expenses will exceed projected revenues by \$155,649.

"Personally, I'm debt adverse," Beavers said. "I'd like to think we can sell more water. We can if the Cooley's Rift project builds out, but we can't count on that."

The Operations and Maintenance portion of the budget, \$1.02 million, increased by \$40,600. Beavers said the greatest portion of the increase was due to rising health care premiums. The state offered a less costly plan, according

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James Hoyt won the 1650-yard freestyle with a time of 17.20.18 in the Igloo swim meet on Nov. 17. For more sports news go to page 15. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

P.O. Box 296 Sewanee, TN 37375

WHAT WE SHOULD WORRY Jesus to judge others, and no doubt this Their vitality, focus, and sense of wor-**ABOUT**

To the Editor:

That slavery became an issue in the Civil War is undeniable. It is also true that most of those who fought for the Confederacy were not slave owners and many deploring slavery, were there for their state which they regarded as sovereign. Constitutionalists have pointed out that the Constitution was unclear on the question of state

Gen. Robert E. Lee owned no in due course to free the slaves be-Confederate Flag.

Gen. Edmund Kirby-Smith came find even a clue that the General ever claimed he fought for slavery.

There is no question but were it not for Sewanee's founders, especially Leonidas Polk, we would not be on this Hope Institute and the joy of choreo-Mountain today.

Sewanee's divine William Porcher DuBose, founder of the University's of Canon Gideon's HIV and vo-tech seminary, is regarded as the Episcopal education efforts, and then she con-Church's greatest theologian and a ducted the 21 singers of Sewanee saint. As a young man, he was a Con-Praise. With Director Kash Wright federate soldier and later chaplain.

Sewanee Angel Park

5:00 PM

Santa Claus is coming.

Don't forget your cameras... and bring unwrapped toys,

food and money gifts for him to give to needy families!

oin other Sewanee families

and our firemen to light the

village Christmas tree.

Chorale and gather

food (canned and non-

perishable), presents

and financial gifts

for the CAC and

Operation Noel.

Even Santa Claus

is coming to

the Sewanee

Angel Park

downtown!

sing carols with the Sewanee

would include those of the past. Today, we support equality and justice for every American and those who deserve to become citizens. That is what should concern us today, also the widespread sexual abuse of women and children. John Bratton, Sewanee

HEARTFELT GRATITUDE FOR THE COMMUNITY **SUPPORT**

To the Editor:

The Friends of Canon Gideon slaves, and before the war pledged want to express heartfelt gratitude to the growing community who support queathed to his wife. Lee said he was Hope Institute in Uganda. Our project fighting for his "country" Virginia. this fall, successfully accomplished, After the war he opposed Confeder- was to hire a business-practices inate monuments and display of the structor and arrange three \$500 enterprise-start-up microloans for selected graduates. The jambalaya dinner was to Sewanee and rendered great service enlived by Bazzania's gospel songs. as a mathematics professor and to this Our four speakers—Špike Hosch, community, as did his descendants; Amy Patterson, Joey Adams, and Remostly medical doctors who were in- becca Salustri—did a marvelous job valuable to the University community of explaining the need for microloans and freely gave medical care to the to create new businesses for youth in Mountain poor. I challenge anyone to rural Uganda. Intern Rebecca, C'17, explained her summer work on eye diseases at the Carter Center in Kampala.

Sewanee senior Joey Adams described her two-month internship at graphing and teaching a dance to be performed at the 25th anniversary on the keyboard and a fine drummer, It is a dangerous thing according to their gospel songs lifted our hearts.

ship filled St. Mark's Hall and became the heart of the event.

Specifically I need to thank Betty Carpenter, Gary Sturgis, and Dorothy Gates for the dinner, Leah Rhys for passing her team's lovely snacks and desserts, Marilyn Phelps for collecting gift certificates, Rob Lamborn for underwriting the food costs, the Otey Vestry for use of the kitchen and parish hall, Frieda Hawkins for advertising and invitations, and Lucy Carroll and Aidan Smith of the Global Local Outreach group at St. Andrew's-Sewanee for a significant contribution and washing the dishes! Thanks from my heart to all who worked, who came, who contributed.

Sally Hubbard, Coordinator of Friends of Canon Gideon Foundation-USA

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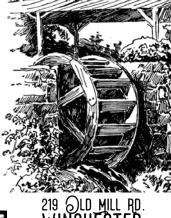
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If you know of others in our Mountain family who are serving our country, please give their names to American Legion and Auxiliary member Louise Irwin, 598-5864.

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Upcoming Meetings

Curbside Recycling

Residential curbside recycling pickup in Sewanee is on the first and third Friday of each month. Today (Friday), Dec. 1, will be a pickup day. Recyclable materials must be separated by type and placed in blue bags by the side of the road no later than 7:30 a.m. Please do not put out general household trash on this day. Blue bags may be picked up in the University Lease and Community Relations Office, 400 University Ave. (the Blue House) or at the Physical Plant Services office on Georgia Ave.

Coffee with the Coach on Monday

Coffee with the Coach, an opportunity to learn more about Sewanee'ssports teams, continues at 9 a.m. on Monday, Dec. 4, with University of the South football coach Travis Rundle. Gather at the Blue Chair Tavern for free coffee and conversation.

Town Hall on Opiod Abuse

Grundy Safe Communities Coalition will host a town hall on preventing abuse of prescription opioids on Monday, Dec. 4, from $6-7:3\hat{0}$ p.m., at Coalmont Elementary School. The event will feature a panel discussion followed by comments from the community members present. This project is funded under a grant contract with the State of Tennessee Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services. For more information visit https://www.facebook.com/grundysafe or email Emily Senefeld at <gscc.vista@gmail.com>.

Franklin County Commissioners

The Franklin County Commissioners will meet at 7 p.m., Monday, Dec. 4, at the Franklin County Courthouse in Winchester.

Village Update Meeting

Meet with Frank Gladu, special assistant to the Vice Chancellor, to discuss the Village development updates. Meet 10–11 a.m., or 5:30–6:30 p.m., Tuesday, Dec. 5, at the Blue Chair Tavern. Coffee will be served and everyone in the community is welcome.

Alzheimer's Support Group

The Alzheimer's Support Group through the Alzheimer's Association meets at 6 p.m., Tuesday, Dec. 5, at the Willows of Winchester Health and Rehab Center's conference room, located at 32 Memorial Drive, Winchester. The support group is for caregivers and families caring for anyone with memory impairment.

EQB Club

Members of the EQB Club will meet at 11:30 a.m., Wednesday, Dec. 6, at St. Mary's Sewanee. Lunch will be served at noon. Mike Forster will present the lead on "Three Questions that Predict Future Quality of Life" at 12:30 p.m.

Garden Club to Tour All Saints' Chapel

At 1:30 p.m. on Wednesday, Dec. 6, the Sewanee Garden Club will host a tour of All Saints' Chapel which will be still dressed in all its floral regalia from the recent Lessons and Carols service. The tour will be led by the decoration's gifted designer, Ken Taylor of Taylor's Mercantile.

Guests and visitors are welcome. Refreshments will be offered later at the home of Sandy Rice. For more information, please contact Flournoy Rogers at 598-0733 or <semmesrogers@gmail.com>.

DivorceCare

On Wednesday, Dec. 6, from 6–7:30 p.m., DivorceCare, a nationwide nondenominational support group for separated and divorced individuals will meet just off Main Street in Monteagle. Please go to <www.divorcecare.org> and type in your zip code for further information on the Monteagle location and how to register. This is a video and $discussion\ group\ that\ features\ practical\ information\ on\ different\ issues.$ Each week is self contained so it is not necessary to attend in sequence. This is a safe place for hope and healing. The only cost is a \$15 workbook. Contact Daniel or Becky Lehmann at <eaglesrest1517@gmail.com> or call (615) 294-4748.

Area Rotary Club Meetings

The Grundy County Rotary Club meets at 11:30 a.m., Tuesdays at Dutch Maid Bakery in Tracy City. The Monteagle Sewanee Rotary Club will meet at 8 a.m., Thursday, Dec. 7, at the Sewanee Inn. The program will feature Sarah Hess from Vista.

MCCSN Christmas Meeting

The Multi-County Cancer Support Network (MCCSN) will have its quarterly support meeting at 6:30 p.m., Thursday, Dec. 7, at 501 W. Broad St., Decherd. This event will be the grand re-opening in our new location. This meeting is open to all survivors, supporters and the community. Guests are asked to bring a finger food or dessert. There will be music, food and fellowship. For more information call (931) 393-4443.

Franklin County School Board

The Franklin County School Board will meet for a regular meeting at 5:30 p.m., Monday, Dec. 11, at the Franklin County Board of Education Building, 215 S. College St., Winchester.

Sewanee Civic Association, Dec. 13

The next meeting of the Sewanee Civic Association will be on Wednesday, Dec. 13, in St. Mark's Hall, Otey Parish. Social time begins at 5:30 p.m. with a free dinner at 6 p.m.. There will be a 6:30 p.m. performance by the Sewanee Chorale. Any adult who resides in the area and shares concerns of the community is invited.

SWC Lunch Reservations Due Today

The Sewanee Woman's Club will have their next meeting on Monday, Dec. 11 at the DuBose Conference Center in Monteagle. Reservations are due today (Friday), Dec. 1. To make a reservation call Janet Miller Schmidt, (504) 858-5221 or email Marianna Handler at <mariannah@earthlink.net>

Sarah Strickland, violinist and suzuki instructor, will present the program "Music and the Holidays." Come and get into the spirit of the season.

Lunch is available for \$14. The meu is green salad, roast beef au jus, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, and caramel sauce with fresh berries. A vegetarian meal is available if requested with the reservation.

The Sewanee Woman's Club hosts luncheon meetings on the second Monday of each month, September through May, except January. There is an optional social time at 11:30 a.m. Programs begin at 12:30 p.m. Club business matters are handled briefly at 1 p.m. Every effort is made to keep to this schedule to accommodate professional women's lunch hours. Child care is available; please request this when making your lunch reservation.

Society Meeting Sale Starts Dec. 5

The semi-annual meeting of memciety will be at noon, Wednesday, Dec. day, Dec. 5, at the Hospitality Shop. 6, at Tea on the Mountain, located at

Christmas luncheon. The cost of the For more information or questions luncheon in \$22. Reservations must call (931) 598-0136 during hours be made by today (Friday), Dec. 1, at of operation. the Heritage Center, 465 Railroad Ave., Tracy City, by telephone (931) 592-6008, or by email history@ blomand.net>.

Downtown History Collection

Members of the Sewanee Trust for Historic Preservation (STHP) are collecting information about the history of downtown Sewanee. Interviews taped and transcribed of long-time community members; written accounts that capture earlier decades; personal photographs of buildings, people, views of the streetscape: all of these are resources invaluable to the efforts to capture how the community looked 50 and even 100 years ago. And who has these resources? We bet you do. Please join us at 10 a.m. at the monthly village update meeting at the Tavern on Tuesday, Dec. 5, where you can ask questions of the STHP, hear more, make suggestions, share information, and set up times for interviews or scanning. By being preserved, your memories can live on and enrich us all into the future.

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All clothing and Christmas items bers of Grundy County Historical So- will be 50 percent off beginning Tues-

Hours are 9:30 a.m.-1 pm. on 298 Colyar St., Tracy City. The public Tuesdays and Thursdays, and 9:30 is welcome. Membership applications a.m.-noon on Saturdays. The Shop will be available at the meeting for per- will close for the Christmas break at sons interested in becoming members. noon, Saturday, Dec. 16, reopening The meeting will consist of a at 9:30 a.m., Tuesday, Jan. 16, 2018.

Messenger **Break Ahead**

There will be three more issues in December: Fridays, Dec. 8, Dec. 15 and Dec. 22.

The staff will take a two-week break and return to the office on Monday, Jan. 8, with the first issue of 2018 on Friday, Jan. 12.

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

Lifelong Learning Meets Dec. 7

Please plan to attend the Thursday, Dec. 7 session of Sewanee Seminars for Lifelong Learning. The talk will be held in Lower Cravens, adjacent to the Tennessee Williams Theater parking lot, on Kentucky Ave., in Sewanee. There is ample parking, but be sure to park so that your license plate is clearly visible, to avoid getting a parking ticket.

Daniel Carter, teaching assistant professor in environmental studies at the University of the South, will present the program on "Thinking Like a Region in Rural Appalachia: Opportunities and Challenges of Community Development." He will provide an overview of the institutions and organizations engaged in rural community development on the South Cumberland Plateau and the benefits of thinking regionally.

Carter earned his B.S. at Middle Tennessee State University, and his M.P.A. at American University. He earned his PhD in political science from the University of Tennessee, after serving as a county government consultant for 10 years with the University of Tennessee Institute for Public Service. In addition to teaching at Sewanee, he operates a cattle and sheep farm in Sequatchie Valley and serves on two nonprofit boards engaged in community development in the region. Carter will be teaching a new course next semester at the University of the South on "Community Development and Place in Rural Appalachia" as a part of Sewanee's newly created minor in Appalachian Studies.
The session will begin promptly at

noon and last one hour. You are encouraged to bring your lunch. Coffee, water and homemade cookies will be provided. Annual membership dues are \$12 or \$2 per session. For more information, please call Debbie Kandul at (931) 924-3542.

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All Saints' Chapel

The Catechumenate concludes for the semester Wednesday, Dec. 6, at 6:30 p.m. in the Bairnwick Women's Center. A catered meal will be provided. This week we will review the Rite of Admission, which will take place next Sunday, during the 11 a.m. service. Catechumenate, from a Greek word meaning "learning and exploring," is a place where we explore what it means to be a human being and what it means to be a person of faith in our community. This is a great place to meet new people and build relationships. Food, prayer, questions, and conversation power this process. Email Lay Chaplain Kayla Deep at <kayla. deep@sewanee.edu> for directions or more information.

Celtic Communion

The Southeast Tennessee Episcopal Ministry (STEM) will be offering a weekly Celtic Communion Service on Wednesday evenings at 6 p.m., beginning on Dec. 6. The service will

Church in Monteagle, and is open to the entire community.

It was conceived as an outreach to those who may not be able to attend services on Sunday, or those who may be seeking an alternative form of worship that is more creation-centered and which gives a more balanced emphasis on the feminine and masculine in the

human and divine natures. The service will feature beautiful Celtic style worship music from Lindisfarne, and seasonal meditations in place of the typical sermon or homily.

Worship leaders will include the Rev. Stephen Eichler, the Rev. Matthew Farr, the Rev. Timothy Hannon, and the Rev. Amy Lamborn, among others.

Morton Memorial United Methodist Church

Morton Memorial United Methodist Church invites the community to attend A Mountain Christmas on Sunday, Dec. 10, at 5 p.m.

be held at Holy Comforter Episcopal of our beautiful mountain by perform- become aware, conscious, discerning, <www.tullahomauu.org>.

spirituals. The choir will be joined by Christ's birth and gift of life. The use

odist Church is located at 322 West are invited. Main St., in downtown Monteagle. Please join us for this exciting concert.

St. James

On Sunday, Dec. 3, the 9 a.m. service begins with the Liturgy of Lighting the Advent Candle followed by the celebration of the Holy Eucharist.

Nicholas" will be at St. James Midway Community Park. There will be hot chocolate and cookies. Also two very special guests will make an appearance—St. Nicholas and Mrs. Nicholas, who will also have candy canes to share.

St. Mary's Convent

Sister Madeleine Mary will be leading an Advent Quiet Day titled "Awake, Prepare, Behold" at St. Mary's Convent on Saturday, Dec. 2, from 9:30 a.m.–2:30 p.m. with lunch included.

ing Appalachian carols and southern and expectant as we await to receive three special guest musicians this year. of story, image, silence, and music will Morton Memorial United Meth- be the means for that endeavor. All

Tullahoma Sangha

Tullahoma Sangha, a Zen Buddhist meditation and study group, meets each Wednesday at 6 p.m. at Unitarian Universalist Church of Tullahoma. The service will consist of zazen (meditation), kinhin (walking meditation) On Sunday, Dec. 8, from 5–7 p.m., and a short lesson and discussion. The "The Celebration of the Feast of St. church is located at 3536 New Manchester Hwy., Tullahoma. For more information, or if you would like to be added to the email group, call (931) 455-8626.

Unitarian Universalist

The Unitarian Universalist Church speaker this week will be Doug Traversa on "Responding to Neo Nazis, the KKK, and White Supremacists." The service begins Sunday at 10 a.m., followed by refreshments and a discussion period. The church is located at 3536 New Manchester Hwy., Tul-The choir will celebrate music Cost is \$40. The theme is to learn to lahoma. Call (931) 455-8626, or go to

CAC Pantry Sunday

Pantry Sunday for the Community Action Committee (CAC) is Sunday, Dec. 3, for participating churches: St. James, Otey, Cumberland Presbyterian and All Saints' Chapel. Please bring your food offerings to Sunday services. The typical bag of groceries includes: rice, beans, pasta, macaroni and cheese, peanut butter, and cans of vegetables, fruit and soup. The cost for a complete bag is less than \$15.

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



Joan Worstell Carter

Joan Worstell Carter, age 94 of Sewanee, died on Nov. 16, 2017, at her home. She was born on June 30, 1923, in New York City, to Russell and Ida Worstell. In 1945, she graduated from the College of William & Mary in Williamsburg, Va. She and her husband, the Rev. Jack Carter, retired to Sewanee in 1987. She was preceded in death by her parents; and husband.

She is survived by her children, Stephen Dobler Carter of Sewanee, Christine Dryden Carter-Husk of Belmont, Mass., Janet Voorhees Carter Posner of Charlottesville, Va., Andrew Nolting Carter of Hanford, Calif., Virginia Worstell Carter of Towson, Md., and Thomas Landon Carter of Cary, N.C.,

Memorial services will be held at a later date at Otey Memorial Parish Church. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Otey, P. O. Box 267, Sewanee, TN 37375. Condolences may be sent through the Carters' daughter, Christine Carter-Husk, 142 Goden Street, Belmont, MA 02478.

Maryon Virginia Moise Collins

Maryon Virginia "Ginny" Moise Collins, age 92 of Sewanee, died on Nov. 28, 2017, at Sheltering Arms Assisted Living, Palmer, Tenn. She was born on Dec. 12, 1925, in Carlinville, Ill., to Lionel Moise and Maryon Mounts Moise. She was a a member of the original Broadway cast of the musical "Carousel," an active member and founder of several community theatrical venues including Theatre Under the Stars in Atlanta, the Sewanee Variety Show (1955–56), Charismatic Renewal and Windsong Ministries. She was preceded in death by her parents; and husband, the Rev. David B. Collins.

She is survived by her children, Melissa (Curt) Williams of Monteagle, Christopher Collins of Atlanta, Matthew (Deena Seay) Collins of Tucker, Ga., and Geoffrey (Debbie) Collins of Santa Rosa, Calif.; two grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be at 1 p.m., Saturday, Dec. 2, at Otey Memorial Parish Church with the Rev. Robert Lamborn officiating. Interment in the University Cemetery will follow, and then a reception at the Sewanee Inn.

Robert "Bob" Larry Keele

Robert "Bob" Larry Keele, died on Nov. 25, 2017. He was born in Manchester, Tenn., on May 16, 1934. He graduated from The University of the South in 1956. After completing his M.A. and Ph.D. at Emory University in 1960, he returned to his alma mater to begin a teaching career in the political science department that would last for 42 years. He also served as a faculty trustee for six years, and was the Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences of the University of the South from 1991–99. He was a longtime member of Otey Memorial Parish Church. He was preceded in death by his parents; his stepmother, Anne Majors Keele; sisters, Ama Hodges and Polly Klipfel; and son,

He is survived by his wife of 52 years, Karen; daughter, Laura (Peter) Quinn of Bainbridge Island, Wash.; and four grandchildren.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. on Saturday, Dec. 9, at All Saints' Chapel, followed by a reception in Convocation Hall. In lieu of flowers, the family has invited memorial contributions to the Robert Keele Endowed Scholarship Fund of the University of the South, 735 University Ave., Sewanee, TN 37383, or Otey Memorial Parish, P.O. Box 267, Sewanee TN 37375. For complete obituary go to <www.cumberlandfuneralhome.net>.

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January 27, 2018 Presesnter: Gordon Peerman Commuter: \$60, (Single), lunch included

EIGHT-DAY CENTERING PRAYER

RETREAT

January 28 – February 4, 2018 Presenter: Gordon Peerman St. Mary's Hall: \$725 (Single), The Anna House: \$925 (Single)

Weekday Services Dec. 1–8

7 a.m. Morning Prayer, St. Mary's Convent (not

Mon)

7:30 a.m. Morning Prayer, Otey 8:30 a.m. Morning Prayer, St. Augustine's

8:30 a.m. Morning Prayer, Christ the King (Tues)

11 a.m. Centering Prayer, Trinity, Winchester (Tues)

11:30 a.m. Prayer/Healing, Morton Memorial (1st/3rd Thur) Noon Bible Study, Gospel of Mark, Adult Ed Rm, Otey

3:30 p.m. Centering Prayer, St. Mary's Sewanee (Tues) 4 p.m. Evening Prayer, St. Augustine's

4:30 p.m. Evening Prayer, Otey

5 p.m. Evening Prayer, St. Mary's Convent (not Mon)

7 p.m. Centering Prayer, Otey sanctuary (Mon)

Saturday, Dec. 2

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

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

5 p.m. Mass, Good Shepherd, Decherd

Sunday, Dec. 3 · CAC Pantry Sunday

All Saints' Chapel

8 a.m. Holy Eucharist 11 a.m. Holy Eucharist

6:30 p.m. Growing in Grace

Bible Baptist Church, Monteagle

10 a.m. Worship Service

5:30 p.m. Evening Service

Chapman Chapel Church of the Nazarene, Pelham

9:30 a.m. Sunday School

10:45 a.m. Morning Worship

6 p.m. Evening Worship Christ Church, Monteagle

10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist

10:45 a.m. Sunday School

Christ Episcopal Church, Alto

9 a.m. Sunday School

10 a.m. Holy Eucharist

Christ Episcopal Church, Tracy City

10 a.m. Adult Bible Study

11 a.m. Holy Eucharist (child care provided) Christ the King Anglican, Decherd

9 a.m. Holy Eucharist

10:40 a.m. Sunday School

Cowan Fellowship Church

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

Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Monteagle

9 a.m. Fellowship

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

9 a.m. Worship Service

10 a.m. Sunday School

Decherd United Methodist Church 9:45 a.m. Sunday School

10:50 a.m. Worship Service

Epiphany Mission Church, Sherwood

10 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II Good Shepherd Catholic Church, Decherd

10:30 a.m. Mass

Grace Fellowship Church

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

10 a.m. Sunday School

11 a.m. Worship Service

5 p.m. Worship Service

Midway Baptist Church

9:45 a.m. Sunday School 10:45 a.m. Morning Service

6 p.m. Evening Service

Midway Church of Christ

10 a.m. Bible Study

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

Ministry Baptist Church, Old Co-op Bldg., Pelham 10 a.m. Sunday School

10:45 a.m. Breakfast

11 a.m. Worship Service Monteagle First Baptist Church

10 a.m. Sunday School

11 a.m. Worship Service

6 p.m. Evening Worship Morton Memorial United Methodist, Monteagle

9:45 a.m. Sunday School

11 a.m. Worship Service

New Beginnings Church, Monteagle

10:30 a.m. Worship Service

Otey Memorial Parish Church 8:50 a.m. Holy Eucharist

11 a.m. Holy Eucharist

Pelham United Methodist Church

9:45 a.m. Sunday School

11 a.m. Worship Service

St. Agnes Episcopal Church, Cowan

11 a.m. Sunday Service (Rite 1)

St. James Episcopal Church

9 a.m. Holy Eucharist (Rite II)

St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church, Alto

8 a.m. Mass Sewanee Church of God

10 a.m. Sunday School

11 a.m. Morning Service

6 p.m. Evening Service

Sisters of St. Mary's Convent 8 a.m. Holy Eucharist

Tracy City First Baptist Church

9:45 a.m. Sunday School

10:45 a.m. Morning Worship

5:30 p.m. Youth Group 6 p.m. Evening Worship

Trinity Episcopal Church, Winchester

9:30 a.m. Christian Formation 10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II

Valley Home Community Church, Pelham

10 a.m. Sunday School, Worship Service Wednesday, Dec. 6

6 a.m. Morning Prayer, Cowan Fellowship

10 a.m. Bible Study, Sewanee Cumb Presb Church

Noon Holy Eucharist, Christ Church, Monteagle 5 p.m. KA's, Bible study/meal, Monteagle First Baptist

5:15 p.m. Holy Eucharist, All Saints'

5:30 p.m. Evening Worship, Bible Baptist, Monteagle

5:45 p.m. Youth Bible study/meal, Monteagle First Baptist

6 p.m. Bible study, Monteagle First Baptist 6 p.m. Celtic Communion, Holy Comforter, Monteagle

6 p.m. Prayer and study, Midway Baptist 6 p.m. Evening Prayer, Trinity Épiscopal, Winchester

6:30 p.m. Community Harvest Church, Coalmont 6:30 p.m. Prayer Service, Harrison Chapel, Midway

6:30 p.m. Youth Group, Tracy City First Baptist

7 p.m. Adult Formation, Epiphany, Sherwood

7 p.m. Bible study, Chapman Chapel, Pelham 7 p.m. Evening Worship, Tracy City First Baptist ibles and out of pocket expenses.

The Operations and Maintenance budget also included a 1.6 percent reside in the district, but need not be the speed limit is reckless driving. cost of living raise for SUD employees based on the Consumer Price Index.

increase applies only to the monthly minimum charge and customer water use. The tap fee, water resource fee, and other fees applicable to new customers will not change. For water service only customers, the average monthly bill increase will be 30 cents. For water and sewer service customers, the average monthly bill increase will be 79 cents.

The state sponsored TCRS retirement plan approved by the board will result in a 42 percent decrease in administrative fees compared to the SUD employees met with representatives from the state and the brokerage firm administering the TCRS plan It wouldn't take someone long to do and "liked their answers," Beavers said.

"With some luck, the state plan will be implemented by the first of the year," said SUD Board President Charlie Smith.

SUD is seeking a commissioner to fill the seat of Karen Singer. Singer

Commissioners must attend monthly meetings lasting one to two

Need Health Care?

The Affordable Care Act (ACA) better known as Obamacare, is still available

to help qualified people obtain affordable health care coverage. The enrollment

period is limited and you must sign up by Dec. 15. If you already have coverage

through < healthcare.gov >, return to the website to update your information and

tions about signing up or want to talk through your options with an expert, call

1-800-318-2596, 1-844-644-5443, or visit http://localhelp.healthcare.gov>.

to Beavers, but with far higher deduct- hours and complete 12 hours of commissioner training during their first year of service. Commissioners must SUD customers.

needed "to keep up with inflation." The Beavers at (931) 598-5611 before Zeman opposing. Dec. 18.

Turning to an issue brought up at a recent commissioner training session, Smith said inadequate segregation of duties was a recurrent problem for utility service providers.

"Ít turns up on everyone's audit," Smith said. "The recommendation was to involve a third party in the financial process. It doesn't have to be a CPA. It could be a bookkeeper or any outside

"I think it's a great idea," Beavers for that purpose. They could audit receipts and the checking account.

Persons interested in the position should contact Beavers.

Commissioner Randall Henley asked if there was any news on the Midway pressure boosting project.

"There's been progress in securing has served two terms and by law is an easement," Beavers said. Once the tend a reception honoring Kathleen prohibited from serving another term. easement process is completed the project can move forward.

The board meets on Dec. 19.

Monteagle (from page 1)-

"I think five miles an hour over the speed limit should be reckless driving." By Tennessee state law, 30 mph over

The council approved increasing Persons interested in serving as a the speed limit to 30 mph on North Beavers said the rate increase was SUD commissioner should contact Central Ave., with Alderman Anna

> The board also approved retaining Randy Adams to demolish the large building in the Monteagle Annex previously used for a fire hall. Adams was the low bidder at \$17,200, with other bids ranging from \$23,000 to \$71,000.

Asked about demolition of the smaller building in the annex, Sampley said, "The smaller building was inspected by engineers and determined to be still usable. They said there was no reason to demolish it."

Both the fire department and utility current employee retirement plan. said. "I included \$2,000 in the budget department have expressed an interest in using the smaller building to store

The council meets next Jan. 29, 2018. The council will not meet in Dec.

O'Donohue Reception

The community is invited to at-O'Donohue for her many years as director of Folks at Home. This event will be 4-6 p.m., Wednesday, Dec. 6, at St. Mark's Hall, Otey Parish.

Angel Tree at **Blue Chair**

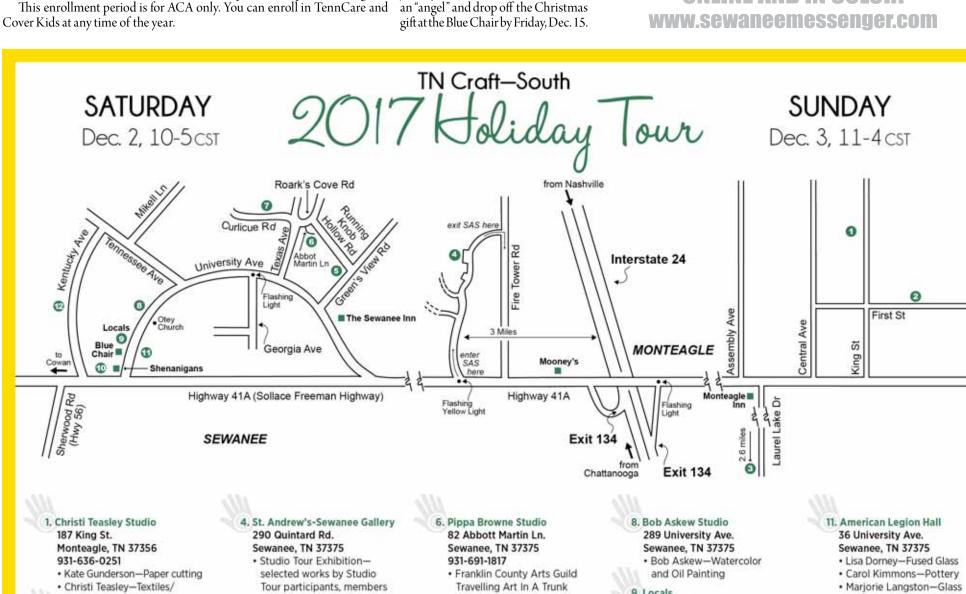
The Blue Chair Bakery is sponsoring an Angel Tree to benefit the women compare your options for 2018. Free in-person help is available if you have ques- and Children at the Blue Monarch recovery program. The tree is located just as you enter the cafe. Please choose



On Nov. 25, St. Andrews-Sewanee students, from left, Zoe Wallace, Aidan Smith, Lucy Carroll and Sophia Paterson presented Sally Hubbard, center, a check for \$1,500 from the SAS Global Local Outreach Club, which is advised by Burki Gladstone. The money will be used to support Canon Gideon Byamugisha's vocational school, located near Kampala, Uganda.

Aidan visited the school in 2016, and several University of the South students have interned there over the past three years. Sally runs the fundraising operations for the vocational school in the United States, and the money is needed because the school focuses their efforts on children from disadvantaged families in the Kampala area.

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Lessons and Carols (from page 1) -

Thirty minutes before each service (4:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m., Saturday and 4:30 p.m., Sunday), people from the signup list will be seated with tickets that were not picked up by those who reserved them.

Tickets will be distributed in the order in which people signed up.

Guests must be present in Convocation Hall 30 minutes before the service in order to receive a ticket.

While there are no guarantees, all walkups have been seated during the last four years in which the ticketing system has been used.

Gailor Auditorium will be open and will live-stream each service for anyone who cannot be seated in All Saints' Chapel, or who is sensitive to the incense used in the Chapel.

Guests with reservations should pick up their tickets in Convocation Hall on the day of the service between noon and 30 minutes prior to each service. Tickets not picked up by 4:30 p.m. (for Saturday and Sunday 5 p.m. services) or 7:30 p.m. (for the Saturday 8 p.m. service) will be released for walk-up guests.



Lessons and Carols from the 2015 service. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

Alice Ramsey, center, and student volunteers with F@H Autumn Action for Elders.

F@HAutumn Actions for

Lambda Chi Fraternity from the University of the South partnered with Folks at Home to participate in Autumn Actions for Elders, an event that helps to reduce falling risks in yards. Thirteen student volunteers came out on Nov. 11, to participate in the event by raking leaves and doing light yard work. The students were split into four groups and most of them completed three households each. Each student completed almost five hours of work and 11 homes leaving homeowners happy with their work. Alice Ramsey said "my group of four volunteers raked my entire yard and I loved watching them have fun while they did it. At one point they made a giant pile of leaves and jumped into it."

Folks at Home (F@H) is encouraged to see such willingness in students to serve in their community. We hope that our continued partnership with Lambda Chi Fraternity helps to develop a strong relationship with the University and more volunteer opportunities for students.

Elders 2017

County are: Almost Home Transitional Housing Program: To provide a safe transitional housing opportunity (duplex) to homeless in Franklin County.

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of Middle Tennessee (CFMT), a

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yond, announces \$2,072,235 in grants

to 346 local nonprofit organizations as

part of the 2017 annual grant-making

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non, Cheatham, Coffee, Cumberland,

Davidson, DeKalb, Dickson, Fentress, Franklin, Hickman, Houston, Humphreys, Jackson, Lincoln, Macon, Marshall, Montgomery, Overton, Pickett, Putnam, Robertson, Rutherford, Stewart, Sumner, Trousdale,

Warren, White, Williamson and Wil-

of the grants), Human Services-Children (13 percent), Animal Welfare (13 percent), and Education (13 percent).

The top four awards categories were Arts and Humanities (15 percent

Grant recipients from Franklin

The grants will benefit nonprofits

process.

son counties.

The Community Foundation

Franklin County Humane Society (Animal Harbor): To provide complete veterinary care for rescued pets while they're in Animal Harbor until

new homes are found for them. Good Samaritan Ministries of Franklin County: To provide food boxes for needy families in Franklin County, averaging 350 per month.

Waiting for a Star to Fall Farm: To provide medical care and rehabilitation for neglected, abandoned, abused and unwanted animals and to find them appropriate homes.

West Middle School: To offer a program that will help meet the basic needs of economically disadvantaged

Ziggy's Tree Wildlife Rehabilitation Center: To provide care for Tennessee's orphaned or injured native wildlife, with the goal of returning

For a complete list of 2017 grant recipients, go to http://t.cfmt.org/ CFMTgrantees>.

them to their natural habitats.

Sewanee Auto Announces New Crew Member

Aubrey Marie Thomas was born on Oct. 19, 2017, at Southern Tennessee Regional Health Services-Winchester, to Leslie Dawn Thomas, daughter of Christina and Harold Thomas of Sewanee Auto. Aubrey weighed 7 pounds, almost 1 ounce, and was 18 inches long, although she grew an inch in one week. Her aunt, Lauren Thomas, is also thrilled. It may be a little while until Aubrey can handle the counter after school but odds are good you could see pictures of her if you ask Christina.

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South Cumberland State Park Ranger Park Greer and volunteers have begun map ping the location of building foundations at the site of the CCC camp in Grundy Forest, dating from the 1930s. Volunteers are needed in December to help continue the preliminary site work, the first step in restoring portions of the village for all to enjoy.

Volunteers Needed to Help Rangers Restore the **Civilian Conservation** Corps Workers' Camp in **Grundy Forest**

The Friends of South Cumberland are looking for volunteers who would like to help reconstruct and restore an important part of local history. Thanks to the financial support of the South Cumberland Community Fund and other generous donors, SCSP rangers and Friends volunteers will be working this winter on the first phase of an ambitious plan to recreate portions of the village that housed nearly 200 members of Civilian Conservation Corps (CCC) Company 1475 at Grundy Forest, near Tracy City.

In the 1930s, the federal government created the CCC program to provide paying jobs for able-bodied young men needing work during the Great Depression. CCC Company 1475 called this workers' village home. The camp included a number of buildings which housed, fed, hospitalized and stored equipment and supplies for the workers of Company 1475 from the mid-1930s until the

The young men of Company 1475 undertook many projects, which improved the lives of people in this area. One CCC legacy is the chain of Grundy Lakes, now used for swimming, paddling and fishing. CCC personnel built some of the first hiking trails in what would later become South Cumberland State Park. They also erected fire towers, built roads and fought forest fires. They were also instrumental in helping contain a 1935 fire in downtown Tracy City — one of the biggest fires in Grundy County history.

The site of Company 1475's camp is located on what, until recently, was the CCC Campground in the Grundy Forest area of South Cumberland State Park. Phase One of the project will identify, clear and begin to repair some of the aging camp infrastructure—building foundations, cisterns, paths—and to construct a new SCSP camping area near Hanes Hole Falls, also in Grundy Forest, to replace the now-closed CCC Campground.

At present, two volunteer weekends are planned: Dec. 9 and 10, and Dec. 16 and 17. These weekends will primarily involve site clearing, moving construction materials to the site, and erection of support structures for subsequent Phase One work that will be scheduled after the holidays. All ages, abilities and levels of experience are welcome.

Early next year, volunteers will also have a unique and historic way to participate. On certain upcoming work-days, volunteers will be asked to wear CCC-era clothing in order to help re-enact the lives of the Civilian Conservation Corps workers to a visiting audience.

If you are interested in participating, either in the restoration work or as a CCC re-enactor, please volunteer online at <FriendsOfSouthCumberland. org/volunteer-opportunities>. If you have questions, please email Ranger Park Greer < charles.greer@tn.gov>. Make plans now to take part in preserving this unique and important element of our area's history.

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Food Forward at McClurg Dining Hall

Dec. 5, Sewanee Dining in the Mc- obesity rates. The Academy of Nutri-Clurg Dining Hall will be working tion and Dietetics says this type of diet with the Humane Society of the Unit- is appropriate for all stages of life, ed States to promote their program including childhood and adolescence Food Forward, by featuring delicious and for athletes, and acknowledges the

continued commitment to provide of death in the U.S.), lower overall canthe community, students, faculty and staff with healthy, sustainable, diverse and a lower body mass index. food while being a good steward to our planet. Forward Food is a program

According to the Environmental Defense Fund, "If every American that raises awareness about the environmental, public health and animal welfare impacts of industrialized meat production. Universities, hospitals and even the military have launched Forward Food programs as a way to increase awareness to the benefits serving delicious options that feature plants on the center of the plate.

Eating more plant-based meals can help us look and feel better, lighten our impact on the planet and help animals," said Kristie Middleton, managing director of Farm Animal of the United States.

Diets rich in vegetables, fruits, whole grains, legumes and nuts are consistently linked to lower blood

On Monday, Dec. 4 and Tuesday, cholesterol levels, blood pressure and and nutritious plant-based options at lunch and dinner on both days.

benefits of eating more plant-based meals, including a lower risk of death It is a part of Sewanee Dining's from heart disease (our leading cause cer rates, lower rates of Type 2 diabetes

skipped one meal of chicken per week and substituted vegetables and grains...the carbon dioxide savings would be the same as taking more than half a million cars off of U.S. roads."

If Americans ate beans instead of beef, the United States would imof eating more plant-based meals by mediately meet approximately 50 to 75 percent of its GHG reduction targets for the year 2020, according to a recent study by Dr. Helen Harwatt, Sustainability Research Specialist at Loma Linda University.

Please come join us for lunch and dinner and sample our new plant-Protection at The Humane Society centric recipes as we raise awareness at the same time.

Shop and dine locally!

Weekly Menu

The Sewanee Senior Center serves lunch at noon Monday through Friday. The suggested donation is \$4, regardless of your age. Please call 598-0771 by 9 a.m. to order lunch. Menus follow:

Dec. 4: Cabbage Patch soup, grilled cheese, dessert.

Dec. 5: Chicken salad, crackers, dessert.

Dec. 6: Meat loaf, mashed potatoes, green pea salad, roll, dessert.

Dec. 7: Barbecue ribs, potato salad, slaw, roll, dessert.

Dec. 8: Beef tips, noodles, green beans, corn on cob, roll,

Menus may vary. For information call the center at 598-0771.

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 5 Ball Park Road in Sewanee.

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Sewanee Village Implementation Update

November has been a busy month as we move forward with several aspects of implementing the downtown development plan. Two sessions of the monthly Village update meetings were held on Nov. 7 with the normal 10 a.m. session and an added 5:30 p.m. session to allow for greater participation. The Sewanee Mountain Messenger covered the evening session and reported it in their Nov. 17 edition. Two more sessions are planned for Dec. 5 at 10 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. at the Blue Chair. The second half hour at both sessions will be devoted to the Sewanee Trust for Historic Preservation (STHP). They will review their downtown project and ask for help in locating materials and identifying stories to document Sewanee's past. I hope that many will be able to attend.

Here are updates on the five projects being pursued for substantial completion by 2022:

The Road—The Tennessee Department of Transportation project that will narrow US 41-A along a half mile stretch between Kennerly Road and Kentucky Avenue. The project will include a pedestrian activated traffic signal at the intersection at University Avenue. A right of way meeting was held in November and hopes are to have a finished design by early 2018.

The Bookstore—The location has been identified between the Post Office and Tower Community Bank on University Avenue. Proposals from architects for the project are being evaluated with a selection expected in December with design commencing immediately afterword. Construction could begin as early as July 2018 with completion by August 2019.

Housing—Locations have been identified for apartments, multi-family and single-family units. Discussions are in progress with several developers as the Provost's Housing Study Group continues its work with recommendations due in March 2018. A survey of faculty, staff and alumni has been administered with results due in December. These results will be utilized to define what projects should be tackled first.

One project that continues to be evaluated is the property along Prince Lane between Bob Stewman Road and Bakers Lane. This 2-acre site is earmarked for single family homes and a cottage court. This site is low lying and presents several challenges. There will be some work done to thin out vegetation to better evaluate the area. All trees greater than 3 inches in diameter will remain and the work will be done with a low impact grinder to mulch the cuttings. The work is scheduled for the week of Dec. 4, weather permitting and should take a day or two to complete. As we all know, this is a challenging site and we want to explore all the possibilities to determine if the site can be developed.

The Grocery Store—The selected site is on the corner of Lake O'Donnell and US 41-A. On this site, we are planning a 3-story building with the food market occupying the first level and apartments on the upper two floors. The new market will be completed before the current Sewanee Market closes to make way for the Village Green.

The Village Green—Planned to go on the current site of the Sewanee Market, this area will be the location for events, festivals and informal

December will be an active month for the Village development project as the holidays approach. Please plan to attend both of the update sessions held on Dec. 5, at the Blue Chair Café and Tavern in the Village.

Merry Christmas!

Frank X. Gladu is a Special Assistant to the Vice Chancellor and project manager for the development of the Sewanee Village. He can be reached at <fxgladu@sewanee.edu> or (931) 598-3397. More information can be obtained at <www.sewanee.edu/village>.



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

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

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

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

Every family needs to fill out a new application, even if they have received from Operation Noel before. An application ensures organizers have all the pertinent information so they can provide for everyone in need. The application is found to the right. The deadline for returning applications is Monday, Dec. 11.

If you would like to make a donation of money, nonperishable food items or new unwrapped toys, please take items to the Fire Hall or the Police Department, both located behind duPont Library, or Print Services, located in the old Beta House. For more information call 598-3400 and

2017 Operation Noel Form

Please mail completed form to Tracie Sherrill by Monday, Dec. 11. 138 Lake O'Donnell Rd., Sewanee TN 37375 or email all information to tsherril@sewanee.edu.

FAMILY NAME:					
# of Family Members:					
Delivery Address:					
City:					
FOOD ONLY:YESNO					
FOOD AND TOYS: Please fill out information below for each child age 16 yrs & under to receive toys.					
CHILD'S NAME:					
Age: Gender: Male Female					
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Attach additional sheet if necessary.					

University Deer Hunt Continues

The 2017 University deer hunt continues through Jan. 12, 2018. The archery only season runs through Dec. 21, and the regular season begins on Dec. 22. The University deer hunt is a private hunt by invitation only. No hunting is allowed without explicit written permission.

Hunting is allowed in some zones most weekdays from sunrise to 8:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. until sunset. Hunting is allowed weekends from sunrise to 10 a.m. in all zones and 2 p.m. to sunset. There is no weekday afternoon hunting in any zones along Breakfield Road. There is no hunting at all Christmas Eve or Christmas Day. There will be a limited firearms hunt that will start the day after Christmas.

All trails will remain open at all times.

As in previous years, there may be a surplus of animals available for local families. If you are interested in picking up a field dressed deer for processing, please email <domain@sewanee.edu>.

For more information go to http://www.sewanee.edu/offices/oess/the- domain/ecosystem-management/hunting/>.

Summary of the November Lease **Committee Meeting**

proved: October minutes; request 121 Mikell Lane. to transfer Lease No. 864, located at Creek Drive, to Robert C. and Amy No. 660, located at 12147 Sewanee planning and zoning office at 967-Highway, to Thomas R. and Anney 0981. G. Jansen; request to paint the house house on Lease No. 325, located at 434 Monday. Alabama Avenue; request to replace

The following items were ap- the roof on Lease No. 734, located at

Leasehold information is available 370 Tennessee Avenue, to USouth online at <leases.sewanee.edu> or by 97, LLC; request to transfer Lease calling the lease office at 598-1998. No. 978, located at 426 Wiggins County regulations are available at <www.franklincotn.us/departments/</p> B. Lamborn; request to transfer Lease planning_zoning> or by calling the

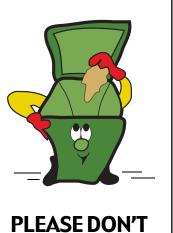
Agenda items are due by the fifth and restain the deck on Lease No. 626, of each month for Lease Committee located at 171 Maple Street; request meetings. If the fifth falls on a weekto add an addition to the back of the end, then items are due the following











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Cowan Holiday Events

The Cowan Christmas Market at Monterey Station will be Dec. 1 and Dec. 2. Browse and buy from more than 40 crafters and specialty vendors. The marketplace is open on Friday from 3:30 to 9 p.m. and Saturday from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. For more information go to <www.cowanparade.org>.

The 53rd annual Cowan Christmas Parade will be at 1 p.m., Saturday, Dec. 2. One of Tennessee's oldest parades brings you "A Gift that Keeps on Giving." Share in the fun of an exciting small town event with floats, bands, tin lizzies, tumbling teams and thousands of smiles. The parade goes down Cumberland Street and ends at Cowan Elementary School. For more information, including entry forms, log on to <www.cowanparade.org>.

Town of Tracy City Holiday Events

The Town of Tracy City and local businesses will be having open houses today (Friday), Dec. 1: all Citizen Tri-County Banks, 8:30 a.m.—noon; Shelter donation of \$10 plus a canned good. Insurance, 10 a.m.—noon; Bloomin' Creations, 1–3 p.m.; Heritage Center, 1–3 p.m.; Tracy City Hall, 1–3 p.m.; Tracy City Library, 1–3 p.m.; and Depot Emporium, 3–5 p.m.

Dutch-Maid Bakery will have its open house Friday, Dec.1 and Saturday, Dec. 2, 10 a.m.–3p.m.

Please drop by and enjoy refreshments and see the beautiful decorations at each local business throughout the town.

The "Once Upon A Christmas" events and parade will be held on Saturday, Dec. 9. From 1–2:30 p.m., there will be cookie decorating at the Dutch-Maid Bakery. Write your letters to Santa and join in the Christmas Coloring Contest at the Heritage Center, 2:30–4 p.m. The parade line up begins at 5 p.m. To register to enter the parade, call (931) 592-6213. The parade begins at 6 p.m. There will be a \$100 cash prize for the overall best decorated themed entry. Enjoy cookies and hot chocolate while visiting with Santa in the mini park after the parade.

On Friday, Dec. 15, at 6 p.m., prizes will be awarded in Tracy City's best decorated home and business contest. First and second place plaques will be awarded for the Best Decorated Home and Best Decorated Business in the Town of Tracy City (city limits). To enter your home or business please contact City Hall (931) 592-6213.

Hanukkah Party **Scheduled**

A Family Hanukkah party sponlighting, dreidels, a potluck supper, latkes and singing.

Children are welcome. Space is chestra library. limited, so for more information or to confirm early, email <w.william. melnyk@gmail.com> for reservation University Avenue. and location.

SSO Winter Holiday Concert

The Sewanee Symphony Orchessored by People of the Mountain, a tra's annual Winter Holiday Concert humanistic Jewish community, will will take place at 7:30 p.m., Friday, be at 6 p.m., Saturday, Dec. 16, in Cliff- Dec. 8, in Guerry Auditorium. Come tops. Festivities will include candle and join the orchestra for traditional holiday songs and carols, as well as favorites from the Boston Pop's Or-

> The concert is free and open to the public. Parking will be available on

ads@sewaneemessenger.com



Calling All Kids!

Kappa Omega and the Community Action Committee invite all children, aged toddler through fourth grade, to come to Otey Parish from 9 a.m. until noon on Saturday, Dec. 2, to make Christmas ornaments, decorate cookies and give their families time for holiday shopping. There is a suggested

Monteagle **Christmas Parade**

The Town of Monteagle will host ts annual Christmas Parade at 4:30 p.m., Saturday, Dec. 9. The theme this year is A Disney Christmas.

Awards will be given for the best representing the theme. The city will also give awards for the best decorated during Santa's visit at Harton Park skills. Prices are \$1 each or 10 for \$8. following the parade.

Annual **Christmas Meal** at Senior Center

The annual Christmas meal at the Sewanee Senior Center will be at noon, Tuesday, Dec. 19. The menu consists of stuffed pork loin, green bean casserole, corn casserole, mashed by Friday, Dec. 15. Call 598-0771 to reserve your meal.



Line up is at 3:30 p.m. at the old The holiday season is upon us and Laura Norris' class at Grundy County High School VFW. Walkers will meet at The Depot. would like to spread the cheer. Her class is working hard with the help of Donna Caldwell and Judy Rymer to produce unique handcrafted holiday cards and gift bags. decorated float and the float best The activity is both a learning experience for the students as well as a way to fund class outings. As part of the activity, students will gain socialization skills, create a product, and be part of the selling process. If you are interested in these unique cards and bags business and home. Tower Commu- you may contact Laura Norris at <Lnorris@grundyk12.com>. You will not get just nity Bank will provide refreshments a simple holiday gift, you will be helping some hard working students learn valuable

Annual Christmas Bazaar

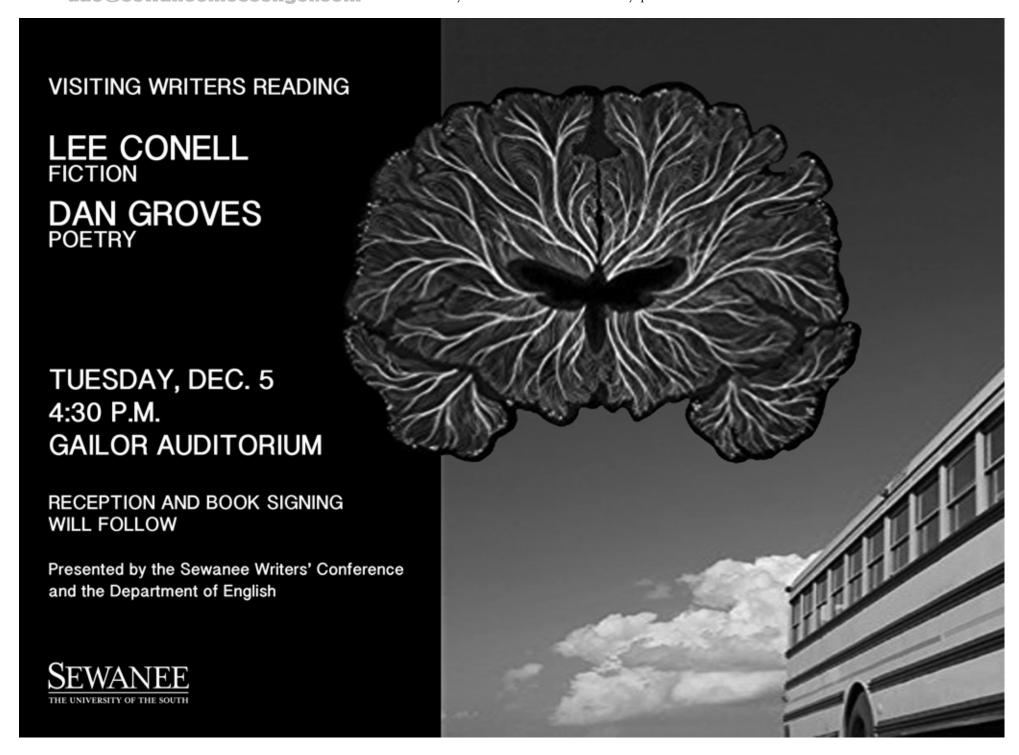
The annual Christmas Bazaar will be 9 a.m. – 2 p.m., Monday – Saturday, Dec. -9, at the Sewanee Senior Center.

Bake sale items will include cookies, cakes, pies and candies. There will also be crafts, canned goods (jams and jellies), handmade items and white elephant

Tickets to enter the daily door prize drawing and a drawing for a homemade quilt or \$250 cash are \$2 each. The drawing will be on Tuesday, Dec. 19, during the Center's Christmas lunch.

Donations for the bazaar are welcome and greatly appreciated. Please bring any white elephant items, needlework or other non-perishable items (no clothpotatoes, cranberry salad and dessert. ing please) any day before the bazaar begins. Baked items, home-canned foods, Cost is \$8. Reservations must be in preserves, jellies and jams should be brought the week of the bazaar.

The Center is open Mondays through Fridays. Please call 598-0771 with any questions.



"Peace on earth will come to stay, When we live Christmas every day." ~Helen Steiner Rice

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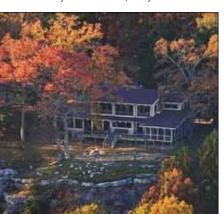
21 Mont Parnasse Blvd., Sewanee. 3.4 acres. \$299,500



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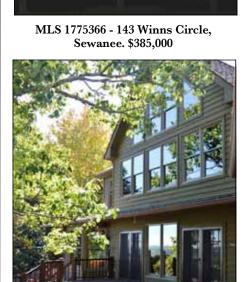
Springs Rd., Sewanee. \$799,000



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MLS 1867211-370 Tennessee Ave., Sewanee. \$385,000



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Monteagle. \$112,000

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MLS 1839878 - 290 University Ave., Sewanee, \$498,500

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

Sewanee Elementary School Principal Kim Tucker announced honor rolls and award recipients for the most recent six-week period.

First Honor Roll

Third grade—Miren Colbert, Arthur Glacet, Clara Guess, Theo Michaels, Nicholas Moore and Harper Thompson;

Fourth grade—Jack Cassell, Kira Dombrowski, Eliza Griffey, Caroline Neubauer, Amelia Pond, Ally Syler and Mia Val;

Fifth grade—Ann Wright Carlson, Louie Frazier, Ivy Moser, Emery Preslar, Will Turrell and Toby Van de Ven.

Second Honor Roll

Third grade—Patrick Crawford, Brady Hall, Theo Schrader and Trinity Sparacio;

Fourth grade—Zoey Bryd, Mollye Casey, Beau Cassell, Eli Mclean, Sarah Russell Roberson, Tyler Rundle, Eliot Sparacio, Annika Stefanut, Maddie Van de Ven and Samuel Weintraub;

Fifth grade—Karen Badgley, Sienna Barry, Christopher Moore, Elisabeth Perkins, Fiona Reynolds and Julia Sumpter.

BUG Club

(students who brought up grades without letting any go down)

Third grade—Noah Barnes, Arthur Glacet and Eli Kelleher;

Fourth grade—Evyn Burge, Zoey Byrd, Eliza Griffey, Korbin Helton, River Robinson, Ally Syler and Griff Wilson;

Fifth grade—Ann Wright Carl-

Citizenship Award

(selected by their teachers)

Pre-K—Hiyasa Patel; K—Alexandre Glacet and Eleanor Loose; First grade—Flynn Allen and Rashad Turrentine; Second grade— Julie Hill and Timaeus Stefanut; Third grade—Eli Kelleher; Fourth grade—Evyn Burge and William Schrader; **Fifth grade**—Austin Elliott and Toby Van de Ven.

Templeton Award

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

Pre-K-Ella Brain; K-Wyatt Burge and Adyson Kaluzny; First grade—Kaitlyn Cockburn and Porsche Haney; Second grade— Henry Harden and Jordan Meeks; Third grade—Autumn Thomas; Fourth grade—Kai Walker and Madeline Van de Ven; Fifth grade— Maya Mauzy and Carly Gipson.



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Dec. 4-8 LUNCH

Monday, Dec. 4: Macaroni and cheese or Cherry Blossom or Sriracha chicken, green peas, steamed carrots, side salad, chow mein noodles or brown rice, fruit, milk, fortune cookie.

Tuesday, Dec. 5: Chili or corn dog nuggets, French fries, vegetable juice, fresh veggies, dip, crackers, cinnamon roll.

Wednesday, Dec. 6: Chicken rings or Mexican pasta bake, side salad, steamed broccoli, shoepeg corn, garlic knot, fruit.

Thursday, **Dec.** 7: Pizza or fish, potato smiles, fresh veggie cup, green beans, fruit, hush puppies.

Friday, Dec. 8: Taco or chicken fajita, refried beans, buttered corn, lettuce/tomato cup, salsa, fruit, tortilla chips or shell.

BREAKFAST

Each day, students select one or two items.

Monday, Dec. 4: Pancake, waffle or French toast sticks, bacon,

Tuesday, Dec. 5: Biscuit, chicken patty, gravy, jelly. Wednesday, Dec. 6: Toast, peanut butter, Graham crackers or

Thursday, Dec. 7: Donut hole, yogurt or donut. Friday, Dec. 8: Biscuit, sausage, gravy, jelly.

Options available every breakfast: assorted cereal, assorted fruit and juice, milk varieties. Menus subject to change.

Tigers Don't Leave Tracks!



The Reusable Bag Project is continuing with many local businesses participating and making donations to the elementary school each time customers use a reusable bag. The next draw at the Piggly Wiggly will be Dec. 8, and the winning class will receive Klean Kanteen water bottles.



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> Wednesday, December 6 | 4-6 p.m. St. Marks Hall, Otey Parish



These students received the Citizenship Award for the second six weeks at SES. First row, left to right: Hiyasa Patel, Eleanor Loose, Alexandre Glacet, Rashad Turrentine and Julie Hill; back row, left to right: Eli Kelleher, William Schrader, Evyn Burge, Austin Elliott, and Toby Van de Ven. Not pictured: Flynn Allen and Timi Stefanut.



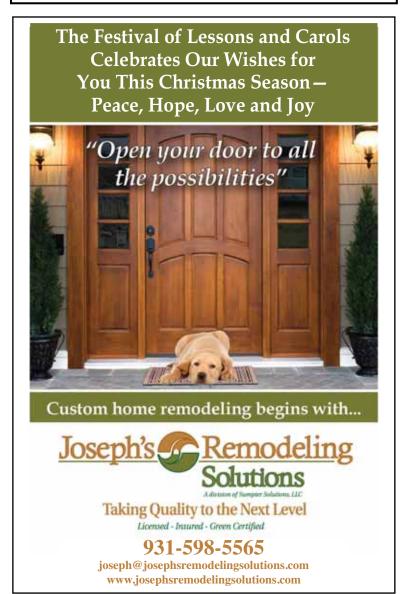
These students at Sewanee Elementary received the Templeton Award for kindness for the second six weeks. Front row, from left to right: Ella Brain, Wyatt Burge, Adyson Kaluzny, Porsche Haney and Henry Harden; back row, from left to right: Autumn Thomas, Madeline Van de Ven, Kai Walker, Maya Mauzy and Carly Gipson. Not pictured: Jordan Meeks and Kaitlyn Cockburn.



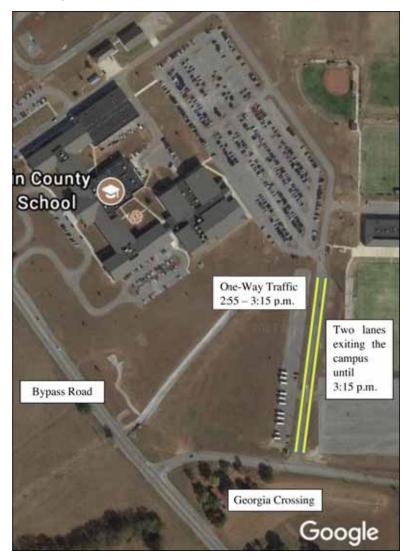
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Beginning Thursday, Dec. 14, the road adjacent to the Franklin County High School Football Stadium will be one-way, exiting toward Georgia Crossing, from 2:55–3:15 p.m. each school day. We are going to allow two lanes of traffice to exit the FCHS campus at the same time to help alleviate traffice congestions after school.

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Grundy County Receives Grant for Digital Initiative

The Grundy County Department of Education is pleased to announce it has received a \$250,000 grant from the Appalachian Regional Commission. These funds will support the implementation of the district's 1:1 Initiative called Growing, Creating & Innovating (GCI). This initiative will provide a laptop computer for every student in the school system in grades eighth-12th by the spring of 2019. The program also includes a transition to the Google for Education Suite. After the laptop deployment is complete all incoming eighth grade students in subsequent years will receive a laptop computer.

As part of GCI, students pay a small, yearly user charge and family members and students are required to attend an information session to learn about the new curriculum and their responsibilities regarding their computers. Students are not required to accept a laptop and may choose to be a day user instead at no charge. The computer deployment schedule is posted on the district website.

Google for Education is a free service that Google provides to schools. Students, teachers, administrators, and support staff can use Google Classroom, Google Drive, Google Calendar, Gmail and more education focused services.

The Grundy County School System's mission aspires to provide an enriching educational experience that supports all students' academic, social, and emotional development so that they are learners today who become leaders tomorrow. The Growing, Creating & Innovating Program supports the district mission with forward-thinking use and implementation of technology

The Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC) is a regional economic development agency that represents a partnership of federal, state, and local government. Established by an act of Congress in 1965, ARC is composed of the overnors of the 13 Appalachian states and a federal co-chair, who is appointed by the president. Local participation is provided through multi-county local development districts. The ARC awards annual grants through a competitive application and review process.



Monteagle Elementary School would like to announce the 2017-2018 student council members: President, Garret Dees; Vice President, Kendal Winton; Secretary, Breezy Rollins; Treasurer, Luke Meeks; seventh grade, Ethan Myers and Ella Masters; sixth grade, Colton Meeks and Kathryn Lusk; and fifth grade, Logan Hammond and Amelia Thomas. MES Student Council would like to thank Mountain Graphics for donating our T-shirts.



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Dual **Enrollment** Program at FCHS

Franklin County High School (FCHS) is pleased to announce a partnership with Medical Response Institute(MRI). In Spring 2018, a dual enrollment program will be initiated allowing FCHS students to attend MRI and earn a certificate in medical assisting and phlebotomy. It is the goal of both parties involved to equip the students with the knowledge and experience to succeed and excel in the program and in the workforce.

In compliance with the recommendations from the TN Department of Education, MRI will modify their current medical assisting/phlebotomy course. For the safety of Franklin County High School (FCHS) students, the course will delay live sticks and clinical hours involving live sticks until after students graduate from FCHS. Prior to graduation, MRI students will be allowed to perform needle sticks and injections on a simulator. Students will begin their course at noon, Jan. 8, 2018, at MRI. Classes will meet Jan. 8 -March 16, from noon - 4 p.m. After students graduate from FCHS, they will return to MRI to complete the required minimum 25 live sticks, complete the 24 hours of clinical rotation, and take the qualifying tests by June 1, 2018.

School Calendar

Dec. 8, Last day of class, School of Theology

Dec. 13, Last day of class, University of the South

Dec. 15, Abbreviated Day, Grundy

Dec. 18-29, Christmas Break, Grundy County, Marion County

Dec. 20, Last day of finals, University of the South

Dec. 20, Abbreviated Day, Franklin County Dec. 20–Jan. 3, 2018, Christmas

Break, St. Andrew's-Sewanee Dec. 21-Jan. 3, 2018, Winter Break,

Franklin County Dec. 21-Jan. 14, 2018, Winter Break, University of the South

See the combined school calendar online at <themountainnow.com>.



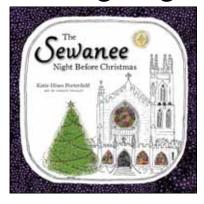


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'The Sewanee Night Before Christmas' Book Signing

Katie Porterfield, author of the children's book "Sewanee A to Z" (published in 2014), will be signing her new book, "The Sewanee Night Before Christmas," at The Lemon Fair on Saturday, Dec. 2, between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. "The Sewanee Night Before Christmas," illustrated by Monteagle's Christi Teasley, puts a Sewanee spin on the classic holiday poem, "'Twas the Night Before Christmas." Tigers replace reindeer and fly through the sky. Santa wears purple and fills stockings with items from familiar local



establishments. And beloved traditions and buildings appear throughout the book, making it a must-own for anyone who cherishes the magic of the Domain. The book is available online at <a tozchildrensbooks.com>, and at local retailers, including the Lemon Fair, Taylor's Mecantile, The Mountain Goat Market, and the University of the South Bookstore.

A writer based in Nashville, Katie Hines Porterfield graduated from the University of the South in 1998. In 2014, she wrote and published "Sewanee A to Z" to share the magic of the Mountain with her twin boys, Shep and Hines. Katie is also the author of "Find Your Heart in Lake Martin," an A to Z book about another place close to her heart. In addition to her B.A. in American Studies, she holds an M.A. in journalism from the University of Alabama. Katie and her husband Forrest own a house in Sewanee with fellow graduates and visit often. See her work and purchase books at <atozchildrensbooks.com>.

Christi Teasley lives in Monteagle, with her husband, Carlton Young. Christi attended St. Andrew's School, Sewanee Academy, and the merged St. Andrew's-Sewanee School from which she graduated in 1983. She received a B.F.A. in Textiles and an M.A. in Art Education from Rhode Island School of Design. She returned to the Mountain and taught visual art at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School from 1989-2016. Christi's studio practice includes drawing, painting, dyeing, printing and stitching.
"Many thanks to the Blue Chair, Shenanigans, and the Lemon Fair, whose

goodies and goods dance in children's heads and serve as stocking stuffers," said Porterfield. "I'm grateful for the late Gay Alvarez, Lemon Fair founder, who gave Sewanee angels a place to spread their wings and fly. The Lemon Fair angels led me to the talented Christi Teasley, who masterfully illustrated this little book. Thank you to Gerald Smith, recently retired Sewanee religion professor whose 47-year career exemplifies what makes this place special and unique. Finally, Christi and I couldn't have done this without the superb art direction/design of Laura Deleot, C'96, and Circa Design."

DanceWise: Intersections

Under the artistic direction of Courtney World, Theatre/Sewanee will produce the fifth annual performance of DanceWise. Performances are Dec. '–9 at 7:30 p.m., and a matinee performance Dec. 10, at 2:30 p.m. , at the Proctor Hill Theatre. Admission is free but seating is limited. For tickets go to Sewanee Writers' Conference in

This dance concert will feature performances by 12 Sewanee students, as well as choreographic premieres by Courtney World, assistant professor of dance, and student choreographers Alyssa Holley, Danielle Silfies and Robin

Student dancers will perform Fawning, choreographed by guest artist Banning Bouldin, artistic director of Nashville-based New Dialect, and World will perform the duet Shifting, with guest choreographer and performer Daniel Gwirtzman, artistic director of New York City-based Daniel Gwirtzman Dance Company.

There will be student performances by Annie Corley, Robin Kate Davis, Margaret Deane, Adelle Dennis, Paige Greenberg, Caroline Greenhalgh, Alyssa Holley, Juliana Morgan, Macy Ninness, Julia Peacock, Danielle Silfies and Meredith Stuber.

 $Costume\ design\ is\ by\ Kalynn\ Harrington.\ Lighting\ design\ is\ by\ production$ intern Cynna Bradford, Will Burton-Edwards, Liz Estes, Krystal Fowler and

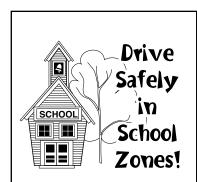


Visiting fiction writer Lee Conell and visiting poet Daniel Groves will read from their work on Tuesday, Dec. 5, at 4:30 p.m. in Gailor Auditorium on the campus of the University of the South. The event is free and open to the public. A reception and book signing will follow.

Lee Conell teaches at Vanderbilt University, where she earned her M.F.A. Her debut story collection, 'Subcortical," was published this fall by Johns Hopkins University Press. Her stories have appeared in the Chicago Tribune, Kenyon Review, Guernica, The Collagist, Glimmer Train, and elsewhere. Her story "The Lock Factory" won the Chicago Tribune's Nelson Algren Literary Arts Award in 2016 and was noted as a Distinguished Story in Best American Short Stories 2016. In addition to teaching at Vanderbilt, she serves on faculty for the Sewanee Young Writers' Conference and will be teaching this spring at Sewanee as a visiting professor. She is currently working on a novel.

Daniel Groves is the author of "The Lost Boys" (University of Georgia Press) and the co-editor of the forthcoming anthology Jiggery-Pokery Semicentennial (Waywiser Press). His poems have appeared in the Paris Review, Yale Review, and Poetry, among others. He graduated from the Writing Seminars at Johns Hopkins University and holds an M.F.A. from Ohio State University and a Ph.D. from the University of Cincinnati. He serves on staff for the Sewanee Writers' Conference and currently teaches poetry as a visiting professor at the University of the South.

This event is sponsored by the conjunction with the Department of English.





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CINEMA GUILD

Wednesday, Dec. 6, 7:30 p.m. Mulan (1998) free

G • 88 minutes

Disney's cross-cultural retelling of a popular Chinese folk tale about a peasant girl who disguises herself as a man and takes her ailing father's place in the emperor's army turns the traditional fairy tale ending on its head. Accompanied by her dragon, Mushu (Eddie Murphy), Mulan (Ming-Na Wen) uses her smarts to help ward off a Hun invasion. And this time, the princess rescues the prince.

RALSTON MUSIC LISTENING LIBRARY

Weekly film screenings with musical themes are available at 7 p.m. on Tuesdays in the Ralston Room on the second floor of duPont Library. All screenings are free and the community is welcome.

Tuesday, Dec. 5, 7 p.m., You See Me Laughin'

'You See Me Laughin'" is a personal journey into the lives and music of the last of the hill country bluesmen who've kept their music alive on the back porches and in the tiny juke joints of the Mississippi backwoods. Includes intimate performances by Junior Kimbrough, R.L. Burnside, T-Model Ford, Asie Payton and others.

SEWANEE UNION THEATRE

Thursday-Sunday, Dec. 7-10, 7:30 p.m.

Victoria and Adul

PG-13 • 112 minutes

Abdul Karim arrives from India to participate in Queen Victoria's golden jubilee. The young clerk is surprised to find favor with the queen herself. As Victoria questions the constrictions of her long-held position, the two forge an unlikely and devoted alliance that her household and inner circle try to destroy. As their friendship deepens, the queen begins to see a changing world through new eyes, joyfully reclaiming her humanity.

Movies are \$3 for students and \$4 for adults, unless otherwise noted. Cinema Guild (Wednesday) movies are free.





'Holiday' Artists Reception

The Franklin County Arts Guild is showing the "Holiday" community art show at the Artisan Depot, 201 Cumberland Street East, in Cowan. The show will run through Dec. 24. The community is invited to the gallery during regular hours to vote for their favorite Holiday art work for the middle school music classes and up-People's Choice Blue Ribbon Award.

The Holiday show will feature works depicting all holidays and how the artist best sees those holidays. All work in the exhibit is contributed by local community artists.

The Meet the Artists wine and cheese reception will be 5–7 p.m., Friday Dec. 1, at the Artisan Depot gallery.

Live Music at Shenanigans

nanigans in downtown Sewanee at and Alice Berninghausen collection is 8:30 p.m., today (Friday), Dec. 1. There on view at the University Art Gallery is a cover charge of \$5 starting at 8 p.m. through Dec. 15.

William Ralston Listening **Library Events**

There will be a Lessons and Carols Open House from 2-4 p.m., Saturday, Dec. 2 and Sunday Dec. 3

Caitlin Berends, C'20, hosts an opera viewing, Sunday, Dec. 3, at 5 p.m. Annie Bowers, C'20, plays chamber music selections, Wednesday, Dec.

The William Ralston Listening Library is located on the second floor of duPont Library. Keep up with the

Ralston Listening Library's weekly schedule on the webpage http://www.sewanee.edu/ralstonlisteningli- brary/> or https://www.facebook. com/theralstonroom/>.

SAS Winter Concert

The St. Andrew's-Sewanee School's per school vocal ensemble under the direction of Rebecca Van de Ven will present their winter concert of seasonal and secular music on Wednesday, Dec.6, at 7 p.m. in McCrory Hall for the Performing Arts. More than 80 students will be singing or performing on percussion, violin, keyboard, recorder, and piano. This is a free event.

University Art Gallery

"A Living Tradition: Chinese Ink The Hill Brothers will play at Sheand Color Paintings" from the John

Museum Gallery

"Creativity and Craftsmanship: Selections from the Permanent Collection" will be on display at the Museum Gallery of University Archives and Special Collections, through Dec. 15.

Carlos Gallery

The Carlos Gallery in the Nabit Art Building presents "Fired Up," an exhibition of soft sculptures by Sewanee alumna Natalie Baxter. The exhibit will be on display through Dec. 16.

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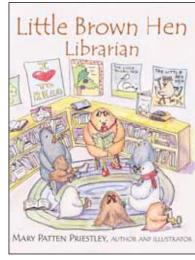




New Children's Book from Thurmond Library

"Little Brown Hen, Librarian" is about a smart, spunky little chicken who, with the help of her community, rose beyond her roots in poverty to become a grown-up who works daily to inspire little ones to succeed. The tale is based on the true story of Iris Winton Matthews, who grew up in Sewanee in the 1950s and 1960s.

In 1887, four sisters founded what would become Thurmond Memorial Library, Iris's refuge from her small house full of noisy siblings. There, the library books opened her eyes to a world of opportunities. When Iris was in elementary school, several local families sued the county to integrate the public schools, so she was among those who transferred to Sewanee Public School from the two-room choolhouse for African-American



"Little Brown Hen Librarian" was written and illustrated by Mary Priestley.

children. Later, Iris helped integrate a college in Pulaski. Today she works as a library youth services coordinator in Decatur, Ga.

able at local stores, including the Lemon Fair, Mooney's and Taylor's, as well as at Thurmond Library and on <amazon.com>. All proceeds go to support Thurmond Library.



The Gallery at Tenn Arts in Chattanooga's Southside is holding a Preview of the Art of Will Winton—his furniture, watercolors and epoxy paintings as a prelude to the 2018 shows. The events are this Friday, December 1, 5:30-8:30 p.m. with an artist session, and during the Main x 24 Festival on Saturday, Dec. 2. The gallery is located at 1800 Rossville Ave, Suite 108, just south of Main. Artwork by Will Winton.



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Studio Tour Exhibition Opens in SASArt Gallery

The St. Andrew's-Sewanee Gallery welcomes everyone to the 2017 TN-Craft Studio Tour Exhibition through Dec. 4. Featuring works by more than 25 regional artists, the exhibition offers a broad sampling of the works to be found in studios throughout the area during the upcoming Studio

This year's SAS Gallery exhibition was juried by Doug Ferris, whose private collection and passion for the arts are well known throughout the region. Ferris is former board member and longtime friend of SAS. Work by Arlyn Ende of Sewanee was named Best of Show. Works by G. Sanford McGee, Christi Teasley and Nancy Wallace were chosen for Awards of Merit.

The exhibition features works by TN-Craft South member artists, SAS faculty and staff. The SAS Gallery and all of the Holiday Studio Tour locations will be open to the public Saturday, Dec. 2, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday, Dec. 3, from 11 a.m. until 4 p.m. During these times there will be an associated student exhibition of artwork and food in the SAS Art Studio adjoining the SAS Gallery. The student art sale proceeds will be donated to an animal-focused nonprofit.

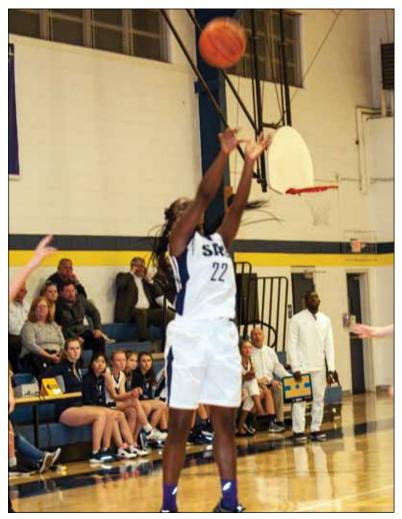
Follow the bright yellow signs across the mountain to see the unique variety of artists and artwork on the tour including works in pottery, jewelry, glass, wood, textiles, paintings, prints, sculpture, food offerings and

The SAS Gallery is located in the center of Simmonds Building on the St. Andrew's-Sewanee School campus at 290 Quintard Rd., Sewanee. Hours are Monday through Friday, 9 a.m.-3 p.m., and by appointment. Contact Gallery Director Julie Jones at <sasgallery@sasweb.org> for more



Ceramics by Claire Reishman.





St. Andrew's-Sewanee's Nneka Okolo launches a shot in the girls' varsity basketball home opener on Nov. 16. Webb School won 45-35. Photo by St. Andrew's-Sewanee

Reindeer Fun Run to Help Tullahoma Animal Shelter

Run will be held on Jackson Street in Tullahoma on Friday, Dec. 1. The unique, family-friendly run and walk will benefit the Tullahoma Animal

dress in their favorite Christmas costume or flair. And new for this year, vote on the city's Facebook page for their favorite costume. Register at DW Wilson Community Center or on the day of the race at Frazier McEwen Park starting at 5 p.m. Particiants are asked to gather at the park, and the race starts at 6:15 p.m.

"This is another family-fun fitness event to encourage wellness and to encourage our community to get moving," said Tullahoma Mayor Lane Curlee.

The cost for the event is a donation to the Tullahoma Animal Shelter. The minimum recommended amount is \$10 (for a single or a family), but anyone is welcome to join the fun run and walk. This money will go to help build a new animal shelter.

"The Reindeer Run is about giving runners the opportunity to run down the middle of Jackson Street while thousands of people cheer you on," said Kurt Glick, Tullahoma Parks and Recreation director. This event is for

The fourth annual Reindeer Fun entry level runners all the way to more experienced fitness levels. It is about dressing up and having fun at the Stan McNabb Christmas Parade."

Glick said his organization is delighted to partner with the Chamber Participants are encouraged to of Commerce and Stan McNabb

"The all-ages course is approxiparade spectators are encouraged to mately two miles, so it is a great opportunity for first time runners to try out a race event," Glick said. "This race is about helping the animal shelter and enjoying the Christmas themed night. We will not have an official timer, and we ask participants to step out of the road if they can't beat the parade."

> For more information, visit or call DW WilsonCommunity Center at (931) 455-1121.

Middle School Boys' Basketball Recap

The St. Andrew's-Sewanee middle school boys' basketball team traveled to perennial rival The Webb School on Nov. 16 and left with a narrow loss in a low-scoring game, 23-20.

Mac Croom scored seven for SAS, while Elijah Seavey and Ethan Hargis posted four points each. Gus Croom added three and Spears Askew contributed a bucket in the loss.

On Nov. 14, SAS defeated Coalmont 50-19. The Mountain Lions coasted to an easy win versus Coalmont, which was missing three of their top players.

SAS used the bench judiciously, resulting in balanced scoring: Seavey led the team with nine points; Cason Harmon and Hargis each had eight; Raulston Barnett and Mac Croom chipped in six each; Colin DeLorme and Isaiah Gilliam each notched their first 3-pointers of the season; and Gus Croom, Kyler Cantrell and Askew added a deuce apiece. Ryan Ostrowski scored on a free throw.

On Nov. 13, SAS escaped North in Altamont with a narrow two-point win. Mac Croom led a balanced SAS attack with 15 points; Ethan Hargis had 11; Elijah Seavey scored nine; Gus Croom had five, Kyler Cantrell posted four points; Rylan Thomas had three; and Cason Harmon chipped in with two.

SAS lost at Pelham on Nov. 9, 48-26. Chase Layne and Lyden King scored 18 and 16 points, respectively, to lead a quick and pressing Pelham

 $Mac\ Croom\ kept\ SAS\ in\ the\ game$ with 14 points, but the Tigers' fullcourt press made it difficult to earn

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SAS Tops Webb in Varsity Boys' Basketball

The St. Andrew's-Sewanee's boys' varsity basketball team defeated The Webb School 43-38 in the Mountain Lions' home opener on Nov. 16.

Blaise Zeitler came off the bench to spark the SAS's offense with 16 points. alen Tillman added 12 points; John Grammer scored six; Larson Heitzenrater had four; Jonathan Rwalinda chimed in with three; and Dustin Stensby scored two points.

Joe McDonough had a strong defensive game for SAS (1-1).



SAS's Larson Heitzenrater (No. 32) and Joe McDonough (No. 23) defend against The Webb School on Nov. 16. Photo by St. Andrew's-Sewanee

Thomas Earns SAA Basketball Player of the Week Honor

Sewanee sophomore forward Adrian Thomas was named the Southern Athletic Association's Men's Basketball Player of the Week, the SAA announced on Nov. 20.

In three games, the Chattanooga, Tenn., native scored 66 points, shot 70 percent (28-for-40) from the field and grabbed 15 rebounds.

Thomas recorded new career-bests in points and field goals made in the season opener against Emory & Henry on Nov. 15, scoring 31 points and making 12 shots from the field.

Adrian Thomas

On Nov. 18 against Washington & Lee, he scored 26 points and shot 75 percent (12-for-16) from the field. Thomas also grabbed nine rebounds and had three steals.



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Sewanee's Noel Whitlock set a new three-meter school diving record on Nov. 18 at the Igloo Invitational. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

Tiger Men Win Igloo Invite, Women Second

The Sewanee swimming and diving teams wrapped up the weekend of Nov. 17-18 with standout performances in the Igloo Invitational. The women finished second, while the men captured the crown in the Fowler Center pool.

Two new pool records were set on Nov. 18, both coming on the diving board. Noel Whitlock earned the school record in the three-meter dive, scoring a 447.90, surpassing's Abigail Nebb's 426.75 in 2011. She also recorded the pool record in the one-meter dive with a 430.42.

Sewanee's Kate del Balzo swam 2 minutes, 15.98 seconds in the preliminaries of the 200-yard fly before winning the final, swimming a time of 2:16.31. Abby Rapuano posted a 25.70 finish in the 50-yard freestyle, good for third

place out of 34 swimmers. In the 200-yard freestyle preliminaries, Meghan Mulhern clocked a 1:58.52 finish to win the prelim. The senior, advancing to the final, finished third out of 19 swimmers. However, in the 1,650-yard freestyle event, Mulhern touched

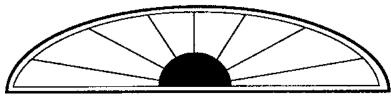
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Sewanee Women Lose Home Opener in OT

The Sewanee women's basketball 15 points in the period. program opened its home schedule on Nov. 28 with an 84-80 overtime loss to the Emory Eagles.

Following a slow start, the Tigers (2-3) fought back from a 16-point deficit to send the game into the extra the Eagles.

"After that first quarter, we told the girls to relax and stick to our

Emory (4-1) made six out of their 22-11 lead after 10 minutes of action.

Late in the first quarter, down 16 points, the Tigers answered by going our confidence level went up." on a 13-4 run in a 5:05 span to cut the

Not letting the Eagle's lead stretch 22-15 in the quarter and trailed 37-33 at intermission.

In the third stanza, the Eagles shot 8-of-15 in the frame, but the Tigers, thanks to three 3-pointers and six free throws to keep it close, trailed 57-50 heading into the fourth period.

Down 64-57 with less than six minutes left, Bella Taylor made the $next\,six\,points\,for\,the\,Tigers\,to\,cut\,the$ deficit to one, 64-63, with four and a half minutes to go.

The Tigers would tie the contest at 2:50 mark, on a Hannah McCormack free throw.

From there, there were three ties and three lead changes for the rest of regulation, and tied at 73 apiece, the teams played five more minutes.

The Tigers shot 9-of-14 in the final period of regulation, including a 6-of-7 performance from Taylor, who scored against Centre at 1 p.m. on Dec. 2.

Sewanee

Golf Ranked

10th

73.74 adjusted score average.

Feb. 16.

Ahead 80-77 with 50 seconds left in the overtime period, Lindsey Tse made a layup that iced the contest for

gameplan," said Sewanee Head Coach Tracey Braden. "Honestly, I think we first 11 shots from the field and sank felt intimidated. We made a few ad-8-of-9 free throws to sprint out to a justments on the full-court pressure we saw in the beginning. Once we started relaxing and executing shots,

Taylor led all scorers with 29 points, deficit to two points, 24-22, before a new season high for the junior. She Emory took a timeout with more is now 33 points away from becoming than seven minutes left in the second the 13th women's basketball player all-time to reach 1,000 career points.

Taylor shot 10-of-21 from the to more than six points the rest of the field, 9-of-10 from the charity stripe, half, the Tigers outscored the visitors, grabbed seven boards and had three steals and assists.

Hannah McCormack posted 16 points and recorded five of Sewanee's 12 steals. Allison Hitchcock drained shots from the charity stripe and beyond the arc, sinking three shots from downtown and going a perfect 5-of-5 from the free-throw line to finish with

Ashley Oldshue recorded a doubledouble for Emory, scoring 21 points and recording 11 boards.

Azzairia Jackson-Sherrod recorded 66 for the first time in the game at the 16 points, grabbed six boards and five assists for the Eagles.

"I just want to thank everybody who came out tonight and supported us," Braden said. "They were on their feet and loud all game long. You all were our sixth man tonight, and we deeply appreciate the support."

The Tigers play a home game



William Phillips

Football Tigers Garner Awards

The 2017 Southern Athletic Association recently announced the All-Conference postseason awards. Seven Sewanee football players were selected to the postseason award list, while William Phillips was named SAA Newcomer of the Year.

Named a member of the All-SAA Second Team Defense, Phillips was selected as one of the two safeties. He finished with 32 tackles, 22 solo tackles. He also posted five interceptions, tied for third in the SAA and second in return yards with 101.

The freshman made a huge statement in his first collegiate game in Sewanee's 45-20 victory over Kenyon. With the Lords driving inside the Sewanee five-yard-line, Wesley Porter punched the ball out at the two, and Phillips picked up the pigskin off the turf and ran the ball all the way back to the Sewanee endzone for a 98-yard touchdown, a new school record. He also recorded another fumble recovery in conference play against Hendrix.

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Methodist University. The host Tigers lost 64-60. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson





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Tiger Men Lose to Maryville

Maryville used a 42-21 run in the final 12:10 of the contest to upend the visiting Sewanee men's basketball team, 81-73, on Nov. 21.

Maryville (1-2) sprinted out to an 8-2 lead early in the contest, but Sewanee (1-3) went on a 17-0 run to

The Tigers shot 12-for-31 (38.7 percent) in the opening half, but more importantly, the defense held the Scots to 34.5 percent (10-for-29) from the field, 1-for-10 from downtown.

Leading 35-28 at the halfway point, the Tigers pushed the lead to double digits thanks to a Hunter Buescher three-pointer, 38-28.

With 12:10 left in the contest, Michael Barry drained a shot to push the lead to 13, 52-39, but it was all Maryville from that point on. The Scots outscored the Tigers 42-21, including an 18-6 run to tie the contest

Sewanee's Hunter Buescher led all scorers with 27 points. He recorded two steals and two assists, while making 11-of-13 from the charity stripe.

The Tigers' Adrian Thomas knocked down 15 points and grabbed seven boards.

Luke Smith made three 3-pointers en route to an 11-point night. The freshman also had five of the team's 14 assists.

For Maryville, Calvin Songster scored 24 points and Emier Bowman had a double-double, scoring 11 and snaring 18 boards.

Friday, Dec. 1

3:30 p.m., SAŚ JV Boys' vs. Silverdale Baptist Academy

4:30 p.m., SAS Varsity Girls' Basketball vs. Silverdale Baptist Academy 6:30 p.m., SAS Varsity Boys' Basketball vs. Silverdale Baptist Academy

Saturday, Dec. 2

1 p.m., University Women's Basketball vs. Centre

3 p.m., University Men's Basketballs vs. Centre

Tuesday, Dec. 5

5:30 p.m., SAS Varsity Girls' Basketball vs. Riverside Christian Acad-

7 p.m., University Men's Basketball vs. Covenant

7:30 p.m., SAS Varsity Boys' Basketball vs. Riverside Christian Academy

Thursday, Dec. 7 5:30 p.m., SAS Varsity Girls' Basketball vs. South Pittsburg High

7:30 p.m., SAS Varsity Boys' Basketball vs. South Pittsburg High

7:30 p.m., SAS Swimming vs. Manchester and Tullahoma

Football (from page 16)

On special teams, he returned 13 les, 47 solo and 3.5 for a loss. punts and scored a touchdown on a 66yard return against Hendrix in Week 5.

back) and John Cleveland (safety); one player on the Second Team Offense: John Gaither (offensive line); one as Honorable Mention Offense: James Hewell (tight end); and two as reception, a 17-yard completion in Honorable Mention Defense: Jo Jo Matlock (defensive line) and Wesley Porter (cornerback).

Of his 95 tackles, 8.5 were for a loss. He also forced two fumbles.

Cleveland recorded six of Seseven times. He finished with 76 tack- breakups.

Gaither was a key member of the offensive line this season. The Cleve-Joining Phillips on the list are: two land, Tenn., native helped the offensive Tigers on the All-SAA First Team line allow 424 yards per game, 219.5 Defense: Lee Menefee (defensive through the air, good for third in the

> Hewell caught 12 passes for 125 yards in his senior campaign as a tight end. Hewell had one touchdown Sewanee's 34-13 win at Birmingham-

Matlock recorded 30 tackles, 10 Menefee finished second in the for a loss, and 4.5 sacks. Against SAA with 95 tackles, 47 solo, and led Birmingham-Southern in Week 7, he the SAA with 10.6 tackles per game. found the quarterback twice, totaling 25 yards. He finished the game with four tackles for a loss, totaling 28 yards.

Porter joined the interception wanee's 21 interceptions in 2017. Lead-brigade with the Tigers in 2017, catching the conference in the category, he ing the opposing quarterback's pass recorded the most the pick offs in a attempt five times and returning the season since 2008 when Chalankis interceptions for 65 yards. He finished Brown picked off the quarterback the season with 51 tackles and 11 pass

Sewanee Swimmers and **Divers Sweep SAA Honors**

The Sewanee swimming and diving teams swept the Southern Athletic Asociation (SAA) Player of the Week Awards, the conference office announced on Nov. 15. Lee Haber and Meghan Mulhern were selected as Swimmers of the Week, while Noel Whitlock and Jed Henrichsen were selected as Divers of the

Mulhern had a busy two days on Nov. 10 and 11. The Tiger standout swam the 1000 freestyle (11 minutes, 13.95 seconds) and a season-best time in the 500 freestyle (5:28.75) versus Centre on Nov. 10.

She then posted wins the next day in the 200 freestyle (2:03.98) and the 100 freestyle(58.27) on the road against Transylvania.

Swimming two dual meets in two days, Haber won both the 200 breaststroke (2:13.16) and 200 individual medley (2:00.26) against Centre. After posting season-best times against the Colonels in those events, he swam a 50 freestyle split (23.05) leg in the 200 freestyle relay.

A day later, at Transylvania, Haber showed his versatility and swam a winning time of 10:06.96 in the 1,000 freestyle. He also posted a time of 1:02.44 in the 100 breaststoke for a second place finish. Finally, he followed up the 100 breaststroke swim a few minutes later by swimming a 50.60 split on the winning 400 freestyle relay squad.

Already qualified for NCAA regionals, Whitlock was great in both the one and three-meter events. First, in the one-meter, Whitlock scored 383.01 points against Centre and then added a 248.85 performance against Transylvania.

The two-time SAA Diver of the Week winner compiled a score of 255.375 on the three-meter board against the Pioneers.

Henrichsen, a two-time SAA Diver of the Week, won both diving events on Nov. 10 against Centre. The sophomore totaled an 11-dive score of 331.66 against the Colonels. He then added scores of 203.62 and 195.75 on the one and three-meter boards against Transylvania.

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Igloo (from page 16)

ing an 18:16.18 mark.

Asbury (Ky.) won the women's event, posting a 902 score. The Tigers came in second place with 659 points.

The men's team won eight events en route to an 843 score and top honors out of seven teams.

In the 200-yard free relay, the quartet of Jacob Finco, Carl Failing, Robert Coles and James Hoyt won the event with a 1:28.40 time.

Lee Haber picked up two more wins with a 4:49.52 mark in the 500yard freestyle and 4:10.86 in the 400yard individual medley.

Failing also earned two wins in the 100-yard free and the 100-yard butterfly. After winning the 100-yard free preliminary with a 47.91-second time, the freshman swam a bit better in the a 47.79 time. In the butterfly, he took Dec. 2.

the wall first out of 14 swimmers, post- the final with a 52.63-second finish out of 12 finalists.

Hoyt also won an event on his own. The freshman swan a 17:20.18 in the 1,650-yard freestyle.

In the 50-yard freestyle, Finco advanced to the final with a 22.11 time in the prelims before winning the final out of 24 swimmers with a 22.21-second finish.

On the board, Jed Henrichsen captured a pool record of 405.53 points, surpassing 316.65 that was accomplished in 1999.

"We swam and dove exceptionally well this weekend. We swam some times that lead all individual times in the SAA, and the positive team spirit was truly exhilarating to watch," said head coach Max Obermiller

The Tigers will wrap up the calenfinal. He shed 0.12 seconds off his time dar year with a trip to the Transylvania in the final, winning the event with Invitational. The two-day meet begins



Sewanee's Meghan Mulhern won the 1,650 freestyle race in the Igloo Invitational on Nov. 17-18 with a time of 18 minutes, 16.18 seconds. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

Equestrian Program to Host Clinic

The Sewanee equestrian program will host a riding clinic and symposium the weekend of Feb. 3-4, featuring Daniel Stewart, former United States team coach, international clinician and author.

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Walking Stick

This past month, walking stick insects have often been seen clinging to walls near outdoor lights, or perhaps already dead on the ground. This is often our best chance to observe these distinctive creatures, for they are mainly nocturnal as adults, feeding on the leaves of trees and shrubs. They are somewhat related to grasshoppers, crickets, mantids, and cockroaches, and, like them, undergo incomplete metamorphosis, with three life stages—egg, nymph, and adult. Their life cycle has some particularly interesting features. In some species, the egg has a fatty body, as do the seeds of some of our spring wildflowers, that is attractive to ants. The ants take the egg underground and eat that part, leaving the egg intact and protected during the winter months. When it hatches, it can even resemble an ant! Even more unusual, these eggs do not even need to be fertilized by a male but can develop on their own, resulting in a copy of the mother. In fact, this is the most common means of reproduction as the males are sometimes rare. This strategy is called parthenogenesis, from the Greek word for virgin, parthenos.

As a group, walking sticks are most abundant in the tropics but are found on all continents except Antarctica. In North America they are more common (and larger) in the South, with one species reaching six inches. A species in Borneo was found to be 22 inches long, with the legs extended. Perhaps we can be glad that ours are not quite that big!

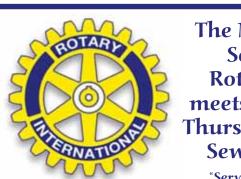
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Saturday, Dec. 9

Snakes in the Park—Join Ranger Jessie at 1 p.m. at the Visitors' Center, 11745 US 41, Monteagle, to meet her very misunderstood friend, Cornbread the Corn Snake. Learn about our native snakes and why they are very important to our environment. Come meet this beautiful creature and update your file on snakes.

Saturday, Dec. 16

Winter Waterfall Hike—Join Ranger Jessie at 12:30 p.m. at Grundy Forest trailhead, 131 Fiery Gizzard Rd., Tracy City, for a 3-mile "moderate" hike (good boots with ankle support are strongly recommended) on the famous Fiery Gizzard Trail. See several breath-taking waterfalls. Learn more about the native flora and fauna as well as how Fiery Gizzard got its name. Dogs are welcome; must be leashed at all times. Bring plenty of water. Dress for the weather!

Cold Weather/Wilderness Survival/Bushcraft—Join Ranger James Holland at 2 p.m. at Savage Gulf Ranger Station, 3177 State Rd. 3199, Palmer, to learn about some of the challenges of being outdoors in cold weather and how to prepare for them. Instruction will include proper clothing and equipment, preventing and treating cold weather injuries and emergency shelters.

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

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The dark night is ending and dawn has begun: Rise, hope of the ages, arise like the sun, All speech flow to music, all hearts beat as one!...

Blow, bugles of battle, the marches of peace; East, west, north, and south let the long quarrel cease; Sing the song of great joy that the angels began, Sing the glory of God and of good-will to man! Hark! joining in chorus The heavens bend o>er us The dark night is ending and day has begun; Rise, hope of the ages arise, like the sun, All speech flow to music, all hearts beat as one.

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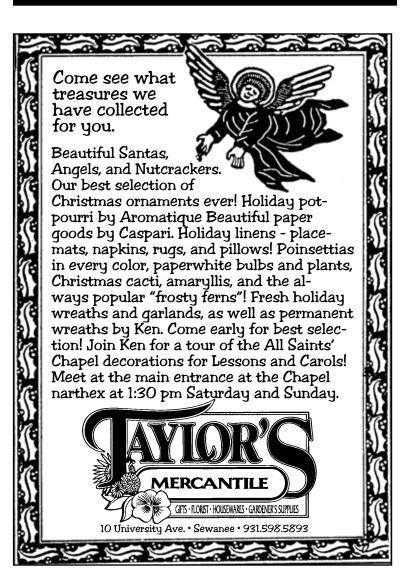
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Community Calendar

Today, Friday, Dec. 1

Sewanee Woman's Club lunch reservations due

7 a.m. Curbside recycling

8:30 a.m. Yin Yoga with Friends, Comm Ctr.

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

9 a.m. Greening of All Saints' Chapel

10 a.m. Game day, Senior Ctr.

Noon Spinal Spa with Kim, Fowler Ctr.

3:30 p.m. Cowan Christmas Mkt, Monterey Stn until 9 p.m. 5 p.m. Artist reception, Artisan Depot, Cowan, until 7 p.m.

5 p.m. Tree Lighting, Angel Park, Santa photos

7:30 p.m. Concert, "Major Minors," Trinity Episcopal, W'chester

7:30 p.m. Movie, "It," SUT

Saturday, Dec. 2

Lessons and Carols, All Saints' Chapel

9 a.m. Christmas Craft Bazaar, American Legion Post 74, Montgomery St., Tracy City, until 2 p.m.

9:30 a.m. Hospitality shop open, 1096 Univ Ave., until noon 10 a.m. Book signing, Porterfield/Teasley, Lemon Fair, until 1 p.m.

10 a.m. Cowan Christmas Mkt, Monterey Stn, until 4 p.m.

10 a.m. Holiday Studio Tour, various locations, until 5 p.m. 1 p.m. Cowan Christmas Parade, downtown Cowan

7:30 p.m. Movie, "It," SUT

Sunday, Dec. 3 · CAC Pantry Sunday

Lessons and Carols, All Saints' Chapel

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

4 p.m. Yoga with Helen, Community Ctr.

7:30 p.m. Movie, "It," SUT

Monday, Dec. 4

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

9 a.m. Coffee w/Coach Travis Rundle, Blue Chair Tavern

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

9 a.m. Senior Center Bazaar, 5 Ball Park Rd., until 2 p.m.

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

5:30 p.m. Yoga for Strength/Healing with Pippa, Comm Ctr 6 p.m. Grundy Safe Communities Town Hall, Preventing

PrescriptionOpioid Abuse, Coalmont Elementary 6 p.m. Karate, youth, Legion Hall; adults, 7 p.m.

7 p.m. FC Commissioners, Courthouse, Winchester

Tuesday, Dec. 5

Lease agenda items due, Lease Office

8:30 a.m. Yin Yoga with Friends, Comm Ctr.

9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m. 9 a.m. Pilates with Kim, beginner, Fowler Center

9 a.m. Senior Center Bazaar, 5 Ball Park Rd., until 2 p.m.

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

9:30 a.m. Hospitality Shop open, 1096 Univ Ave., until 1 p.m.

10 a.m. Village Plan mtg, Gladu/STHP, Blue Chair Tavern 10:30 a.m. Bingo, Senior Ctr.

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

Noon Pilates with Bruce, beginner mat, 91 University Ave.

Noon Pilates with Kim, intermediate, Fowler Center

4:30 p.m. Sewanee Writers Conf readings, Fiction, Conell;

Poetry, Groves, Gailor; reception, book signing 5 p.m. Pilates with Bruce, beginner mat, 91 University Ave.

5:30 p.m. Village Plan mtg, Gladu/STHP, Blue Chair Tavern

6 p.m. Alzheimer's Support, Willows of Winchester

6 p.m. Tracy Acoustic Jam, old water bldg, Tracy

6:30 p.m. Social dancing with Valerie, beginner, Comm Ctr

7 p.m. Ralston Screening, "You See Me Laughin'," du Pont

7:30 p.m. Social dancing with Valerie, continuing, Comm Ct

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Wednesday, Dec. 6

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

9 a.m. Senior Center Bazaar, 5 Ball Park Rd., until 2 p.m.

10 a.m. Art on Wednesdays, 301 Montgomery St., Cowan, until 12:30 p.m.

11:30 a.m. EQB, St. Mary's Sewanee; lunch, noon; lead, Mike Forster, 12:30 p.m.

Noon GC Historical Soc meeting, Tea on the Mtn, Tracy

1:30 p.m. Sewanee Garden Club All Saints' tour

3:30 p.m. Tutoring K–5, St. James, parents pickup at 5 p.m. 5:30 p.m. Yoga with Helen, Comm Ctr.

6 p.m. Divorce support group series, for location

<www.divorcecare.org> or call (615) 294-4748

6:30 p.m. Catechumenate, dinner, Women's Center 7:30 p.m. Movie, "Mulan," (CG, free), SUT

Thursday, Dec. 7

8 a.m. Monteagle Sewanee Rotary, Sewanee Inn

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

9 a.m. Nature Journaling, Woods Lab G-10, until 11 a.m.

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

9 a.m. Senior Center Bazaar, 5 Ball Park Rd., until 2 p.m.

9:30 a.m. Hospitality Shop open, 1096 Univ Ave., until 1 p.m.

11 a.m. Tai Chi with Kathleen, ongoing, Comm Ctr.

Sewanee Seminars for Lifelong Learning, Carter,

Lower Cravens Hall

Noon Pilates with Bruce, beginner mat, 91 Univ Ave.

Noon Pilates with Kim, intermediate, Fowler Ctr.

11 a.m. Holiday Studio Tour, various locations, until 4 p.m. 12:30 p.m. Episcopal Peace Fellowship, Brooks Hall, Otey

1:30 p.m. Folks@Home support group, 598-0303

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

5 p.m. Pilates with Bruce, beginner mat, 91 Univ Ave

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

6:30 p.m. MCCSN meeting, 501 W. Broad St., Decherd

7:30 p.m. Movie, "Victoria and Abdul," SUT

Friday, Dec. 8

8:30 a.m. Yin Yoga with Friends, Comm Ctr.

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

9 a.m. Senior Center Bazaar, 5 Ball Park Rd., until 2 p.m.

10 a.m. Game day, Senior Ctr.

Noon Spinal Spa with Kim, Fowler Ctr.

5 p.m. Feast of St. Nicholas, St. James/Midway

Community Park, until 7 p.m.

7:30 p.m. Holiday Concert, SSO, Guerry 7:30 p.m. Movie, "Victoria and Abdul," SUT

LOCAL 12-STEP MEETINGS

Friday

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

Saturđay 7:30 p.m. NA, open, Decherd United Methodist

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

Sunday

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

Monday

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

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

Tuesday

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

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

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

7 p.m. NA, open, Decherd United Methodist 7:30 p.m. AA, open, Holy Comforter, Monteagle

Thursday 7 p.m. Al-Anon, First United Methodist

Church, Winchester

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