



Second Lieutenant Zachary S. Green, center, with his family. From left, his sister, Jessica, brother, Sam, and parents, Janet and Steve Green. Photo by Jose Betancourt

## Green Commissioned as Second Lieutenant in Air Force

Zachary S. Green of Sewanee accepted a commission as a second lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force at a recent ceremony at the Franklin County High School. Green, a 2007 FCHS graduate who had completed the school's Air Force JROTC program, was formally promoted to a second lieutenant in the Air Force on Dec. 15. The ceremony was on Jan. 6 at a school assembly.

Col. Martin Peavyhouse performed the swearing in.

Peavyhouse said Green had been a dedicated student and worked hard in high school, participating in football as well as ROTC.

In December, Green graduated from Tennessee Tech and is scheduled to become active duty in December 2012. Until then, Green has accepted a job with General Electric in Georgia.

At the ceremony, Green said his plans are to go into the intelligence career field. He thanked his family and friend Cadet Daniel Anderson for having an impact on his life and guiding him in his accomplishments.

## New Fund Begins on Plateau

A "charitable fund created by the plateau community for the plateau community" is the way founders of the Community Fund of the South Cumberland Plateau (CFSCP) describe this new initiative.

According to co-chairs Scott Parrish and Howell Adams, the fund began when local citizens recognized the many needs of their communities on the South Cumberland plateau, from Beersheba Springs to Sewanee and from Pelham to Palmer.

"Our mission," said Adams, "is to encourage giving to strengthen community and improve lives in the South Cumberland Plateau area, both today and for generations to come. Every gift to the Community Fund will make a difference on the Cumberland Plateau."

CFSCP will provide a funding mechanism for supporting community initiatives by linking projects in the area with people who have resources and are interested in the region. The CFSCP will make grants to meet immediate needs and will also create an endowment to ensure a solid future, Adams said. The CFSCP is launching a comprehensive effort to raise \$250,000 in 2012, and plans to award \$100,000 in local grants this fall.

The fund's steering committee includes co-chairs Parrish (of Monteagle) and Adams (Beersheba Springs), Bill Davis (Monteagle), John Greeter (Manchester), Oliver Jervis (Monteagle), Bonnie McCardell (Sewanee), Jack Murrarh (Monteagle), Emily Partin (Tracy City), Leah Rhys (Monteagle), Barry Rollins (Tracy City) and Tom Watson (Sewanee). Dale Mullarkey is the fund administrator.

Steering committee members are giving informational presentations about the CFSCP to community groups.

According to McCardell, "the need for a broad-based community fund first originated at an early 'Vision' meeting, suggested by Oliver Jervis, so it was most appropriate to come back to this group and share with them the exciting progress that has been made in the last few months." Part-time Beersheba resident Joan Almon helped by assembling a group at Dutch Maid Bakery to pursue the concept.

Grants ranging from \$1,000 to \$15,000 will be awarded in five areas of interest: economic development (entrepreneurial incubation programs, job training and career development initiatives), basic needs (increasing access to health care, food, clothing and shelter and prevention programs), family, youth and elder support (nutrition programs, transportation and innovative early childhood initiatives), community and recreational improvements (farmers' markets, community gardens, affordable housing and support of recreation

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## Hanson Elected to SUD Board

by Leslie Lytle  
Messenger Staff Writer

Art Hanson was elected to the board of commissioners of the Sewanee Utility District of Franklin and Marion Counties. The vote count and announcement were part of the Jan. 24 annual meeting of SUD. Hanson will fill the seat being vacated by board president Doug Cameron, who is term-limited after eight years of service. Hanson will be sworn in on Feb. 28.

Reporting on finances for 2011, SUD manager Ben Beavers said revenue was up 8 percent over 2010, and although expenses were up 2 percent, SUD finished the year 4 percent under budget. All SUD's bonds that qualified for early payoff had been retired, Beavers added.

In discussing whether SUD will take advantage of the federal program to fund converting SUD vehicles to operate on natural gas rather than gasoline, Beavers pointed out that the nearest location where SUD vehicles could refuel would be a filling station proposed for Tullahoma. Beavers said all of SUD's work trucks were in "passable" shape and estimated to be serviceable for two more years. The 2012 budget includes funds for a work truck, if needed.

The budget also includes funds for an intern to conduct a Build-out Study to determine the demands on SUD's resources during the next 20-50 years if homes were constructed on all the available lots. SUD commissioner Ken Smith will draft a proposal for the study and present it to the board. Smith estimates the cost at \$3,000.

The next meeting of the SUD board will be at 5 p.m., Tuesday, Feb. 28, when officers for 2012 will be elected.



## Sign-Ups for Little League

The 2012 Little League season is approaching, and sign-ups will be held at 3 p.m., today (Friday), Jan. 27, and at 10 a.m., Saturday, Jan. 28, at the baseball field on Ball Park Road in Sewanee.

Please bring copies of the player's birth certificate and proof of residency (such as a utility bill or bank statement).

Two forms are required to sign up each player: a registration form and a medical release form. Both will be available at the ball field but are also available online if parents want to print them and fill them out before registration time.

They can be found at <www.littleleague.org/assets/forms\_pubs/player\_registrationform.pdf> and <www.littleleague.org/assets/forms\_pubs/asap/medical\_release\_form.pdf>.

Volunteers are always needed to help with the season. For more information call Shellie Green at (931) 636-6228.

## Forum Affirms SES, Reviews County Budget

by K.G. Beavers, Messenger Staff Writer

Sewanee Elementary School will not be closed, according to officials who attended an open forum on Jan. 24 at SES. The meeting was an opportunity for community members and Franklin County leaders to address the education and budget issues facing the county, including evaluations, closing schools and the overall county economy.

Panel members included County Mayor Richard Stewart; Sewanee's representatives to the County Commission, Johnny Hughes and Sherwood Ebey; school board members Chris Guess, Lance Williams and Chris McDonough; and Director of Schools Rebecca Sharber. Supervisor of Elementary Education Nancy Graham and Chief Technology Supervisor Alan Clark were also in attendance.

Approximately 80 concerned citizens and educators took part in the forum.

There is a budget deficit in Franklin County. Funding for schools

represents 73 percent of the county's overall budget. Most of the money to fund schools comes from sales tax, Hughes reported.

"Of all county operations, education is the most important," Hughes said. "The county commission should not be looking at cutting jobs or departments. We should raise revenue in some way."

County Mayor Stewart said, "Funding education is the number one priority. The county commission opposed a wheel tax to raise revenue, which would have brought in approximately \$1.4 million. The next thing we have to look at is raising property taxes," he said, noting that he expects the state appraisals for property to go down. "Our kids are worth raising taxes for," Stewart said.

"The county commission will make this work. The county is faced with building a new jail, in addition to a new judicial center. We have schools in need of repair. No one wants to close schools to balance the budget," Stewart said. All panel members agreed that "now is the time for long-term planning."

McDonough said there is a predictable deficit in the school board budget. "This is the county's problem, not just the school board's or county commission's. The school board cannot raise money. We all should be discussing how to raise money, not the other way around."

Chris Guess, who is the chairman of the school board agreed. "If there is not adequate funding, we have to look at the bad news. Nobody wants to see a school close, and that will not happen. We have to negotiate with our funding body to make the schools better. Children lose when others bump heads."

"What kind of county do we want to have? Cut bus lines? Close schools? All need to be involved in a long-term discussion," said McDonough.

"We are stewards of our schools," said school board member Williams. "It is not in the best interest of the students to close schools."

Hughes, who noted that he was the only alumnus of Sewanee Elementary on the panel, said "We need to be improving our schools, not making plans to close them."

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The dance group Ailey II will perform at 7:30 p.m., Monday, Jan. 30, in Guerry Auditorium as part of the Sewanee Performing Arts Series. Tickets are available at the event or by calling 598-1770.

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## Birth

### Grant Bennett Gosling

Grant Bennett Gosling was born on Dec. 5, 2011, to Lynn and Chris Gosling of Saranac Lake, N.Y. He weighed 6 lbs., 7 oz., and was 20.5 inches long.

Maternal grandparents are Liz and Ralph Bennett of Rainbow Lake, N.Y. Paternal grandparents are Rich and Kris Gosling of Sewanee and Hannah and Bob Anderson of Pittsfield, Mass.

## Letters

### GET BIG DOGS FIXED EARLY To the Editor:

Bigger is better, but bigger is worse. Is this a contradiction in terms? Not really. We're talking about big dogs.

The volunteers at Animal Alliance South Cumberland know that big dogs are just as wonderful pets as small dogs, but they're really horrible at math—specifically their multiplication tables. See, a large dog, one that's more than 40 pounds, will have many more puppies than a small dog each and every time they breed. Big boy dogs father large litters, and big girl dogs give birth to large litters, no matter the size of the father. They eat more, they cost more to get life-saving puppy shots ... the list is endless. Come on! Be a responsible dog owner, not just a dog lover.

But getting your dog fixed, and fixed early in life, is not only essential to the dog's health, it's also easy and cheap. AASC has a special grant that will help the owners of large companion dogs get the necessary sterilization surgeries at a very low cost.

To find out more about this program, call (931) 235-9006 for complete details. And remember, getting a dog fixed before he or she is five months old is recommended by vets everywhere. Don't litter! Get your big dogs fixed!

*Kathy Bouldin*

*Animal Alliance South Cumberland  
Tracy City*

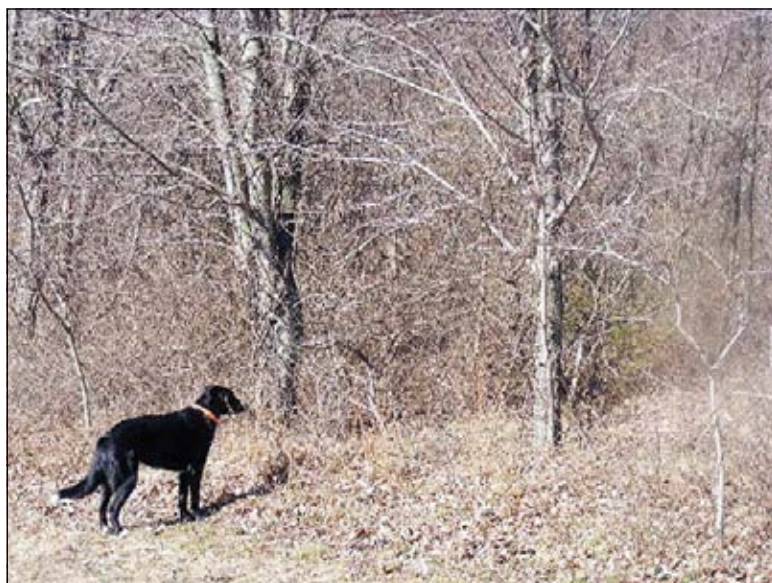
### SVFD NOEL THANK YOU

#### To the Editor:

This is to thank all the people and organizations who worked together to make Operation Noel 2011 a resounding success.

This year, Operation Noel assisted 51 families, in which there were 78 children, to have a more joyful Christmas.

To the Sewanee Fire Department, the volunteers of F.R.O.S.T., the Community Action Committee of Otey



*Rosa evaluates the site of the new Sewanee Dog Park, where the next steps planned are bush hogging and installation of a fence. People who want to help support the park may make contributions at Southern Community Bank in downtown Sewanee or attend an upcoming meeting (see page 3). Photo by Phil White*

Parish, the students of Sewanee Elementary School who contributed to the effort, and everyone who donated money, food, toys and other items, we thank you!

*David Green  
Sewanee Fire Chief*

### STEVENS FAMILY THANK YOU

#### To the Editor:

The family of Catherine Stevens wishes to thank everyone for the prayers, food, gifts and flowers during our time of loss.

*Emily Jackson  
Sewanee*

### UTILITY BOARD CHANGES

#### To the Editor:

Senate Bill 2170 (by Sen. Ken Yager) and House Bill 2225 (by Rep. Ryan Haynes), pending before the Tennessee state legislature, propose to have all utility boards in the state appointed by the county mayors. The comptroller is supporting this because he thinks that this will make the boards less susceptible to corruption.

Our small utility district has just under 1,350 customers. We know each other and our county mayors don't, especially the Marion County mayor. Who do you think is most likely to recognize corruption?

Please call or email our representatives and let them know we want democracy here on the Mountain rather than be appointed by someone who is not served by the utility district.

The phone and email contact information is:

Sen. Eric Stewart (615) 741-6694, <sen.eric.stewart@capitol.tn.gov>;

Sen. Ken Yager (615) 741-1449, <sen.ken.yager@capitol.tn.gov>; Rep. David Alexander (615) 741-8695 <rep.david.alexander@capitol.tn.gov>; and Rep. Ryan Haynes (615) 741-2264 <rep.ryan.haynes@capitol.tn.gov>.

*Doug Cameron  
President  
Sewanee Utility District*

### SES PTO THANK YOU

#### To the Editor:

On behalf of the SES PTO, I would like to thank all of the concerned citizens who attended the open forum on education and budget issues facing our county and state.

Special thanks goes to our panel that offered honest answers to some very tough questions. All involved felt better getting answers directly from those who have to make and enforce the decisions handed down from the state to the county level. Thank you to Rebecca Sharber, Chris McDonough, Chris Guess, Lance Williams, Johnny Hughes, Sherwood Ebey, Richard Stewart, Nancy Graham and Alan Clark.

Thank you to all the SES teachers who attended. It is because of you that all of our students excel in the classroom. You also teach the students to become better human beings. Children are encouraged to explore, be creative and think for themselves. These are elements that cannot be learned from a book or tested on for proficiency. It does not matter if these students are poor or rich or disadvantaged in some way. They all are given the same opportunity to learn and, most importantly, grow.

Finally, thank you to PTO board member Lecia Post and Citizens State Bank in Monteagle for providing re-

freshments. Thank you to Ken Taylor of Taylor's Mercantile for the flowers. Our community is stronger because of volunteers such as you.

*Leanne McCullough  
SES PTO President*

### ALEXANDER'S STANCE ON REDISTRICTING

#### To the Editor:

I am sure the majority of the citizens of Franklin County are opposed to the redistricting that has just been done by the Tennessee State Legislature.

Our state representative David Alexander did not vote against the redistricting, even though he spoke out against it every chance he got to make us think he was against it. His actions speak louder than his words. He went to Nashville and failed to vote the wishes of the people in Franklin County. In fact, he did not vote on the issue at all.

When questioned about his decision not to vote, he said, "It would be political suicide to vote against it."

I see something wrong with this picture—when your constituents are against an issue and you have to vote the wishes of politicians in Nashville, that is a sad situation.

This is the same David Alexander, who as a candidate, ran numerous ads saying "Jobs, Jobs, Jobs." Where are the jobs?

Rep. Alexander has voted against public education and teachers at every opportunity. Next on the agenda is increasing class size and attacking the retirement system.

All is not lost. We have an election this year—the ballot box is the only way we can change the current situation.

This legislature has also made it nec-

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

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

essary to have a photo ID to vote. If you do not have a photo ID, call Raymond Council at 967-7077 for transportation to obtain a photo ID.

*Joe Yokley  
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## Upcoming Events

### Kirby-Smith UDC Meets Saturday

The Kirby-Smith Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy will hold its monthly meeting at the Franklin Pearson House in Cowan on Saturday, Jan. 28. Optional lunch will begin at 11 a.m.; the meeting will start at 11:30 a.m. For more information go to <www.kirbysmith327.com>.

### Friends of the Sewanee Dog Park Gather Tuesday

Friends of the Dog Park will meet at 6:30 p.m., Tuesday, Jan. 31, at the Community Center to discuss fund raising and plans for the park. As soon as enough money is raised for site preparation and fencing, construction can begin.

### Monteagle Rotary Club Gathers Wednesday

Ray L. Knowis from the Rotary Club of Tullahoma will speak at the next meeting of the Rotary Club of Monteagle Wednesday, Feb. 1, at the Smoke House in Monteagle. Coffee begins at 6:50 a.m.; breakfast and the meeting begin at 7 a.m. and end by 8 a.m. To learn more, go to <monteagle-rotary.org>. The Rotary Tree sale continues through February.

### Benefit-Cost Expert Offers Lecture Wednesday

W. Kip Viscusi, Vanderbilt's first University Distinguished Professor, will give a talk titled "Policy Challenges of the Heterogeneity of the Value of Statistical Life" at 4:30 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 1, in Gailor Auditorium. Viscusi's research focuses on individual and societal responses to risk and uncertainty; he is widely regarded as one of the world's leading authorities on benefit-cost analysis. The lecture is part of the Kennedy Lecture and Seminar series.

### Rotary Club of Monteagle-Sewanee Meets Thursday

Dixon Myers will present the program about the University's spring break outreach trips at the next meeting of the Rotary Club of Monteagle-Sewanee, noon, Thursday, Feb. 2, at the EQB building. Lunch will be available for \$10.

### Peace Fellowship Gathers Thursday

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

### King & Malcolm X Readings Thursday

A dramatic reading from the works of Martin Luther King Jr. and Malcolm X, "Martin and Malcolm: A Transition," will be at 7 p.m., Thursday, Feb. 2, in Guerry Auditorium. The Rev. Archie Smart of Athens, Tenn., and the Rev. James Cooper of Knoxville, Tenn., will do the readings. The African American Alliance, the Office of Student Activities, and the Office of Multi-Cultural Affairs are the sponsors of the event.

### Reservation Deadline for Lunch and Learn

The reservation deadline for the next gathering of the Academy for Lifelong Learning is Friday, Feb. 3. The Feb. 9 speaker for the Lunch and Learn series at St. Mary's Sewanee will be professor Gayle McKeen who will talk about "Visions of Constitutional Order."

Box lunches are \$10. For reservations, send an email to <st.marys-sewanee@bellsouth.net> or call Rachel Dan at 598-5342. Reservations are not required for the lecture, and guests may bring their own lunch.

### Grundy County Republicans Gather Feb. 4

The Grundy County Republican Party will meet at 10 a.m., Saturday, Feb. 4, at the Grundy County courthouse in Altamont. Republicans, independent conservatives and other interested folks are welcome at this gathering that features lively political discussion. For more information, call (931) 871-6040 or go to <grundygop.org>.



### HEARING HEALTH NEWS

by Debbie Gamache,  
M.S. CCC-A Audiologist

### ALL THE BETTER TO HEAR

According to a National Council on Aging survey of 2,300 people over the age of 50, untreated hearing loss can lead to depression, anxiety and social isolation. Hearing-impaired persons who did not use hearing aids were more likely to report worries, to have reduced social activity and to feel less secure. Benefits of using hearing aids included improved family relationships, a sense of independence, emotional stability and increased social activity. Hearing instruments do, indeed, increase the quality of life for all degrees of hearing loss, from mild to severe.

Hearing loss can impact our ability to communicate with our loved ones, to perform well in a work setting and to enjoy social activities. The first step involves scheduling a comprehensive hearing evaluation with an audiologist at THE HEARING CENTER LLC, located at 705B NW Atlantic St. in Tullahoma. Call our office today at 931-393-2051 or toll-free at 888-303-2051 to schedule an appointment. You can also visit our website at www.thehearingcenterllc.com.



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## Sewanee Police Report

A number of Sewanee residents reported prowlers and attempted break-ins during the weekend of Jan. 21-22, according to Sewanee Police Chief Robert White.

White reminded residents to keep the doors and windows of their residences locked.

"It is important that people report an event just as soon as they can after it occurs," White said.

"Reporting any mildly suspicious event will help us because it may be related to other incidents or help us prevent something else from happening," White said.

He said that community members with concerns should call 598-1111 and ask for an officer to respond.

"We are happy to come and check it out, no matter what time," White said.



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## Obituaries

### Kathleen Crownover Hackworth

Kathleen Crownover Hackworth, age 94 of Stevenson, Ala., died Jan. 20, 2012, at Cumberland Health and Rehabilitation. She was born April 20, 1917, in Gonce, Ala., to Albert Anderson and John Allen "Alyne" Setliffe Gonce. She was preceded in death by her parents; husbands James Matthew Crownover and Jack Rorex Hackworth; daughters Judy Porter and Alyne Crownover; brothers John, Albert and Ed Gonce; and sisters Elizabeth Ray and Gretchen Gonce.

She is survived by daughters Jenny (Jerry) Gore of Sherwood, Patsy "Pat" (Ken) Metcalf of Franklin, Ky.; stepdaughter Nellie Spring of Scottsboro, Ala.; six grandchildren, 12 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Jan. 22 in the funeral home chapel with Bro. Ray Winton officiating. Interment followed in Crownover Cemetery, Anderson, Tenn.

### Evelyn Byrd Patterson

Evelyn "Evie" Byrd Hawkins Patterson of Sewanee, died Jan. 21, 2012, at Emerald Hodgson Hospital in Sewanee.

Patterson was born Feb. 26, 1931, in New York City and was educated at Chapin School, Smith College (B.A. 1952), and Radcliffe College of Harvard University (A.M. 1955). She pursued doctoral research in Greek and Latin at Harvard with a concentration in early Greek art, and taught classics at Wheaton College in 1959–60. She married William Brown Patterson in 1959; they moved to Sewanee in 1980.

Patterson was the director of the slide library of the art department at the University from 1983 until she retired in 1998. She was active in the Altar Guild of Otey Memorial Parish Church, the Community Action Committee and the Hospitality Shop.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by her son, William Brown

Patterson of Ruston, La.; daughters, Evelyn Byrd Donatelli of New York City, N.Y., Lucy Patterson Murray of Augusta, Ga., and Emily Patterson Higgs of Sonora, Calif.; brother, Eliot Dexter Hawkins of New York City; sister, Alice Clarkson Van Tuyl of Middlebury, Vt.; and 10 grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

A service in celebration of her life will be held at noon, Saturday, Jan. 28, at Otey Memorial Church, with a reception immediately following at Brooks Hall, next door to the church. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Episcopal Relief & Development, 815 Second Ave., New York, NY 10017, or via <www.er-d.org>. For complete obituary visit <www.moorecortner.com>.

### Mary Ann Rollins

Mary Ann Rollins, age 87 of Cowan, died Jan. 15, 2012, at the Willows in Winchester. She was born Dec. 21, 1924, in Cowan to James Crockett Wilson and Icie Parham Wilson. She was preceded in death by her stepmother, Burva Moore Wilson; her husband, Carl W. Rollins of Knoxville; brothers, Mose Wilson, Oliver Wilson and Crock Wilson, all of Cowan; and sisters, Ruth Raines of Cookeville, Faye Davis of Cowan and Marie Willis of Tullahoma.

She is survived by her daughter, Peggy (Darrel) Nelson of Cowan, one granddaughter and one great-grandson.

Funeral services were held Jan. 17 in

the funeral home chapel with Bro. Tim Brown and L.Z. Johnson officiating. Interment followed in Cowan Montgomery Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to Cowan Montgomery Cemetery, c/o Doyle Coulson, P.O. Box 202, Cowan, TN 37318. For complete obituary visit <www.watsonnorth.com>.

### Sally Petty Sellars

Sally Petty Sellars, age 97 of Cowan, died Jan. 14, 2012, in Chattanooga. She was a resident of Cowan for 62 years. She was preceded in death by her parents, Ruth and John Petty; husband, Edward R. Sellars; sister, Irene Petty Jones; and brother, Lawson Petty.

She is survived by her daughter, Gaye Sellars (John) Slaten of Chattanooga; sister-in-law, Christine Petty of Winchester; two grandchildren, two great-grandchildren and several nieces, nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews.

Funeral services were held Jan. 21 in the funeral home chapel with grandson Christopher Slaten officiating. Interment followed in Cowan Montgomery Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be sent to Cowan-Montgomery Cemetery, c/o Doyle Poulson, P.O. Box 202, Cowan, TN 37318; or to Himesville Church of the Nazarene, 1614 Hwy. 82 S., Shelbyville, TN 37160; or to Cowan Church of Christ, 104 Willow St. S., Cowan, TN 37318. For complete obituary visit <www.watsonnorth.com>.

## Church News

### Fire on the Mountain

Fire on the Mountain, the Episcopal Youth Coalition, will meet 4:15–5:30 p.m., Sunday, Jan. 29, at Brooks Hall. Sponsored by St. James and Otey Parish, this is open to all area youth in grades 6–12. For more information contact Betty Carpenter at 598-5926.

### All Saints Chapel

Growing in Grace welcomes Rob McAlister (C'12) as the guest speaker at 6:30 p.m., Sunday, Jan. 29, in All Saints' Chapel. At this service, Eucharist is "in the round" and music is student led. Everyone is welcome to this informal worship service.

Catechumenate will be at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 1 in the Women's Center. The evening begins with dinner followed by a presentation on "The Sacraments." Contact Catherine Outten at <coutten@sewanee.edu> with any questions.

### Otey Parish

Sunday, Jan. 29, marks the second annual celebration of Bishop Otey Sunday, the patronal celebration at Otey Parish. Jim Dunkly will be the homilist at the 8:50 a.m. and 11 a.m. services. At 10 a.m., David Bowman will speak at Adult Forum about Otey's life as Bishop of Tennessee and a founder of the University. Following the 11 a.m. service, there will be a special coffee hour in the parish hall.

### Christ Church

Christ Church Monteaule will celebrate the Feast of the Presentation of Christ in the Temple early this year. On Sunday, Jan. 29, there will be a short play based on Chapter 2 of Gospel of St. Luke.

## CHURCH CALENDAR

### Friday, Jan. 27

7:30 am Morning Prayer, Otey  
12:00 pm Holy Eucharist, Chapel of the Apostles  
4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey

### Weekday Services, Jan. 30–Feb. 3

#### Monday–Friday

7:00 am Morning Prayer/HE, St. Mary's (not Wed)  
7:30 am Morning Prayer, Otey  
8:10 am Morning Prayer, Chapel of the Apostles  
8:30 am Morning Prayer, St. Augustine's  
4:00 am Evening Prayer, St. Augustine's  
4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey  
5:00 pm Evening Prayer, St. Mary's (not Wed)  
5:10 pm Evening Prayer, Chapel of the Apostles (not Thur)

#### Monday, Jan. 30

12:00 pm Holy Eucharist, Chapel of the Apostles

#### Tuesday, Jan. 31

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

#### Wednesday, Feb. 1

6:00 am Morning Prayer, Cowan Fellowship Church  
11:00 am Holy Eucharist, Chapel of the Apostles  
12:00 pm Holy Communion, Christ Church, Monteaule  
5:00 pm Rite III HE/Healing, St. James

#### Thursday, Feb. 2

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

### Sunday Services, Jan. 29

#### All Saints' Chapel

8:00 am Holy Eucharist  
11:00 am Holy Eucharist  
6:30 pm Growing in Grace, All Saints' Chapel

#### Christ Church Episcopal, Alto

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

#### Christ Church, Monteaule

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

#### Church of the Holy Comforter, Monteaule

9:00 am Holy Eucharist

#### Cowan Fellowship Church

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

#### Cumberland Presbyterian, Sewanee

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

#### Epiphany Episcopal Church, Sherwood

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

#### Grace Fellowship

10:30 am Sunday School/Worship Service

#### Harrison Chapel Methodist

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

#### Midway Baptist

10:00 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Morning Service  
6:00 pm Evening Service

#### Midway Church of Christ

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

#### Morton Memorial United Methodist, Monteaule

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

#### New Beginnings Church

10:30 am Worship Service

#### Otey Memorial Parish

8:50 am Holy Eucharist  
10:00 am Christian formation classes  
11:00 am Holy Eucharist

#### St. James Episcopal

9:00 am Children's Church School  
9:00 am Holy Eucharist  
10:15 am Godly Play

#### St. Mary's Convent

8:00 am Holy Eucharist  
5:00 pm Evening Prayer

#### Sewanee Church of God

10:00 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Morning Service  
6:00 pm Evening Service

#### Society of Friends

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**YOGA** Tuesdays, 9–10:15 am, & Thursdays, 3:30–4:45 pm, offered by Hadley Morris, RYT

**CENTERING PRAYER SUPPORT GROUP**  
Tuesdays, 4 to 5:30 pm

**VISIONS OF CONSTITUTIONAL ORDER**  
February 9, 12 to 1 pm; Gayle McKeen, presenter  
Academy for Lifelong Learning (same information as above)

**WRITING AS A SPIRITUAL PRACTICE**  
Feb 10–11; Anne Bright, presenter  
Residential Fee, \$120; Commuter Fee, \$80; Deposit, \$50

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Stagecoach Rd	1308657	\$165,000
Stagecoach Rd	1308659	\$185,000
Ravens Den Rd	1297607	\$ 80,000
Saddletree Lane	1207074	\$ 85,000
Jackson Point Rd	1111807	\$ 99,000
Jackson Point Rd	1111815	\$ 99,000
Jackson Point Rd	1099422	\$218,000
Jackson Point Rd	1101401	\$ 99,000
Lot 36 North Bluff	1064111	\$ 99,900
Saddletree Lane	836593	\$ 75,000
Raven's Den	1015362	\$ 99,000
Jackson Point Rd	850565	\$ 80,000



## CFSCP *from page 1*

areas, state and local parks) and arts and preservation (programs in traditional folk art and music and preservation of historical landmarks).

Gifts to CFSCP will be made through the nonprofit Community Foundation of Greater Chattanooga, ensuring that all gifts are tax-deductible. The grant committee will review applications from qualified nonprofit organizations and make decisions about the first grant recipients.

Information on how to make a gift to the Community Fund and how to apply for grants will be announced soon.

CFSCP's steering committee identified the most critical needs based on community input and statistics about the region. As many as 89.9 percent of students in some plateau schools qualify for free or reduced meals based on income. Significant regional unemployment has created childhood poverty rates as high as 40 percent in Grundy County, which also ranks 94th of 95 counties in Tennessee in health-related issues. Schoolchildren show a high tendency to weight issues, with as many as 28 percent obese in some area schools and Head Start programs. Of the nine public schools on the plateau, five did not meet progress goals of No Child Left Behind.

Civic associations, churches and other groups are encouraged to contact the CFSCP to schedule an informational program. For more information about the fund, call (931) 383-9044 or email <info@cfscpg.org>. The mailing address is P.O. Box 128, Tracy City, TN 37387.

## Forum *from page 1*

Another problem facing the school system is the state-mandated teacher evaluation system. Director of Schools Sharber said that overall, she supports the evaluation system because the instructional model is sound.

"Where we have a mistake is in the implementation process," she said. "All school directors are hoping that this is a pilot program, and no decisions affecting the performance of teachers should be made." Sharber agreed that there should be some common sense changes to the evaluation system, especially for teachers who are highly effective based on high achievement scores.

"As with all things coming from the state, this new transition is not timely and not well-communicated," said Sharber.

The school system is faced with tougher curriculum and new testing standards. Sharber reported that Franklin County's schools are doing better but there is room for improvement. "Students are owed the opportunity to do well. The best possible growth for students is teaching to the standards and great teachers engaging them," Sharber said.

"The evaluation system did not come out of nowhere. Tennessee is faced with some of the lowest test scores in the country. The state had to take some drastic measures to remedy that," said McDonough.

"The federal government gave Tennessee \$500 million in Race to the Top money, and it caused Tennessee to become a laboratory. A lot was thrown at teachers at one time.



The pre-kindergarten class at Sewanee Elementary School, taught by Beth Charlton, recently took a field trip to visit the new Southern Community Bank in the village.

There is new curriculum, standards, tests, cut scores and proficiency levels to achieve. Then in 2013-14, there will be new National Core Standards to teach if the waiver from No Child Left Behind is approved. There will be a new assessment in 2014-15, where 60 percent of students should reach the proficiency/advanced target on the tests. But proficiency rates will be based on a brand new test taken with computers and based on new standards. This new transition is not timely and not well-communicated," Sharber said.

All panel members agreed that the discussion on education and the budget should not stop after the forum. They encouraged citizens to attend school board and county commission meetings and take an active role in the process.

"We are elected officials and need to do what we can for our students," said Williams. Chris Guess said, "We have to do what is best for our students and vote that way."

## SES Friday School Planning

Plans are underway for the 36th Annual Friday School at Sewanee Elementary School.

Friday School is a much-anticipated break from the normal routine at school. Volunteer teachers offer classes to the same group of students for four Fridays. Classes have ranged from playing rugby, painting with watercolors and learning French to taking nature trail hikes.

Dates for the Friday School are March 23 and 30, and April 13 and 20. Grades K-2 meet from 12:30-1:15 p.m., and grades 3-5 meet from 1:30-2:30 p.m.

For more information or to volunteer to lead classes, contact Sarah Butler <sabutler@sewanee.edu>.

## SES Menus

Jan. 30-Feb. 3

### LUNCH

**MON:** Barbecue pork sandwich, chicken nuggets, tossed salad, corn, broccoli and cheese, chilled fruit.

**TUE:** Meatball sub, cheeseburger, baked beans, tossed salad, chilled fruit.

**WED:** Chicken soft taco, pepperoni hot pocket, mixed vegetables, green beans.

**THU:** Salisbury steak with gravy chicken sandwich, mashed potatoes, baked apples, tossed salad.

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

*Options available daily: turkey or ham sandwich, with or without cheese.*

### BREAKFAST

**MON:** Waffle.

**TUE:** French toast sticks.

**WED:** Chicken biscuit.

**THU:** Breakfast.

**FRI:** Cinnamon rolls.

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

*Menus subject to change.*

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**Penelope & Odysseus**  
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## Mauldin Honored for Excellence

Sewanee resident Alexis Mauldin was recently selected as the Veteran of Foreign Wars Citizenship Education Teacher of the Year for the state of Tennessee (grades 9-12). Mauldin is in her seventh year of teaching history at Coffee County Central High School in Manchester.

A native Texan and graduate of the University of Texas at Austin (B.A. in constitutional law and American political theory), she has more than 20 years experience teaching social studies. Most recently she has been teaching American history and world history at Central High.

A stickler for accuracy, Mauldin often teaches by using primary source documents which she makes available to her students.

Mauldin and her husband, Davis, built a home four years ago in Sewanee, adjacent to the Domain.

## Space Heater Safety Tips

During these chilly nights, Tennessee's electric cooperatives remind folks to use space heaters carefully.

According to the National Fire Protection Association, half of all home-heating fires occur in December, January and February.

Here are a few tips for using space heaters: Be certain that space heaters at least three feet away from curtains, furniture and other household items. Select a heater that has been certified by a recognized testing group such as Underwriters Laboratories. Do not allow children or pets to play near space heaters. Learn more about space heater safety at <tnelectric.org>.



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## Senior Center News

### GoGo Gang's Plans

The GoGo Gang will travel to Tracy City on Saturday, Feb. 11, to have lunch at Tea on the Mountain and then visit the Grundy County Historical Society. If you would like to go, meet at the center at 11:30 a.m.

The GoGo Gang will travel to the South Jackson Civic Center in Tullahoma to see the musical "Guys and Dolls" on Friday, Feb. 24. Tickets are \$13 per person. Call the center if you would like to go; carpooling may be available.

### Valentine's Day Party and Luncheon Feb. 18

The center will host a Valentine's Party and covered-dish luncheon at noon on Saturday, Feb. 18.

### Deal Me In?

The center is discussing the possibility of having a day and time for people who like to play poker. Call if you are interested and watch for more information as the project develops.

### Volunteers of the Week

Volunteers of the week are the kitchen prep helpers: Connie Kelley, Chris Colane, Bambi Dunlap, Rachel Suarez, Caroline Shoemaker and Irene Hamer. Thank you! The center always needs more volunteers. Drop by or call for more information.

### Senior Menus

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

**Jan. 30:** White bean soup, cauliflower salad, cornbread, dessert.

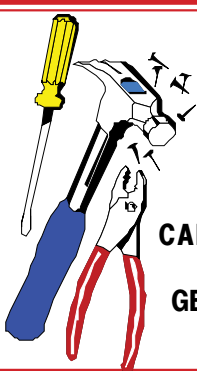
**Jan. 31:** Fried chicken, mashed potatoes, vegetable blend, roll, dessert.

**Feb. 1:** Cabbage rolls, stewed potatoes, field peas with snaps, cornbread, dessert.

**Feb. 2:** Steak and gravy, mashed potatoes, peas, roll, dessert.

**Feb. 3:** Tomato soup, BLT sandwich, dessert.

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



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118 minutes • PG • Admission \$3

In the wonderful “Shrek” movies, the character of Puss in Boots was never central to the stories, but was always entertaining. In this animated prequel, Puss (voiced by Antonio Banderas) joins with his nursery rhyme friends, including Humpty Dumpty (Zach Galifianakis), for adventure. Salma Hayek and Amy Sedaris add to the fun. One critic said, the movie “prances along on three basic truths. One, cats are funny. Two, vain Spanish cats in high-heeled musketeer boots are even funnier. Lastly, booted, vain Spanish cats voiced by a breathy Antonio Banderas are flat-out hilarious.” Rated PG for some adventure action and mild rude humor.

Sewanee Union Theatre Next Week

**Wednesday and Friday–Sunday, Feb. 1, Feb. 3–4, at 7:30 p.m.**

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## Faires to Play Local Venues

Jay Faires will be performing at two different venues in early February.

Jay Faires Band will perform from 9 p.m. to midnight, Saturday, Feb. 4, at the Belvidere Market. The band features Faires on guitar and vocals, Herschel VanDyke of Nashville on drums and Abe White of Nashville on bass.

Jay Faires Band plays a mix of original and classic blues and rock and will add a little country for extra fun.

Faires is a sophomore at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School; VanDyke is an SAS alumnus.

The Belvidere Market was established in 1876 as a county store. It now serves as a venue for good food and great live music. The market is located at 686 Belvidere Rd., Belvidere. For more information call 967-1727.

The following weekend, Faires will play a solo acoustic show at Miss Gracie's Restaurant in Cowan. He will play 5–7 p.m., Friday, Feb. 10. Faires will feature a mix of styles, including rock, blues, folk, bluegrass, and country, while diners enjoy Miss Gracie's homemade classic Southern fare. Miss



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Gracie's is located at 204 E. Cumberland St., Cowan. For more information call (931) 308-4745.

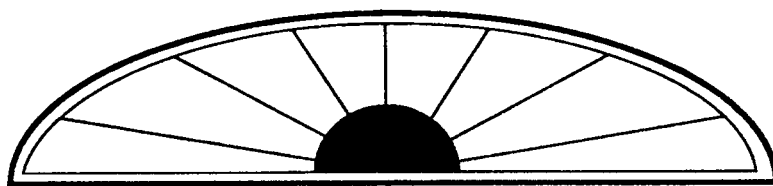
Faires has released 2 CDs: “Time,” and “Huntsville City Limit.” Learn more about Faires at [JayFairesMusic.com](http://JayFairesMusic.com).

## Grundy Co. Heritage Center Exploring Artisans' Guild

The Grundy County Historical Society is exploring the creation of an Artisans' Guild at the Heritage Center in Tracy City. There will be a meeting at 10 a.m., Saturday, Feb. 4, at the center for anyone interested in learning and thinking about how a guild might benefit artisans of the plateau.

This project, organized by the historical society's development/museum committee, is focusing on artisans whose skills are in the historic crafts that prevailed in the region, with the idea of enhancing the preservation of skills and processes through education, communication, promotion and market development.

For more information, contact Oliver Jervis at (931) 592-6008 or by email, [history@blomand.net](mailto:history@blomand.net). The Heritage Center is located at 465 Railroad Ave. in Tracy City and is open 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Mondays–Fridays.



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For more information, go to [naamyoga.com/what-is-naam-yoga.html](http://naamyoga.com/what-is-naam-yoga.html) or call Carlson at (865) 591-0012.

## Gallery Notes

**St. Andrew's-Sewanee Gallery**—“Drawings, Paintings and Sculpture” by Bill Nickels, through Feb. 10. 598-5651, ext. 3151. [sasweb.org/sasgallery/index.aspx](http://sasweb.org/sasgallery/index.aspx).

**Stirling's Coffee House**—Rachel Malde's photographs of Jamaica. Opening reception 4–5:30 p.m., Thursday, Feb. 2. 598-1885.

**University Art Gallery**—Bryan Lebouf's painted canvases, “Fight in Flight,” through Feb. 12. 598-1223. [gallery.sewanee.edu](http://gallery.sewanee.edu).

**Hunter Museum of American Art, Chattanooga**—“Good Design: Stories from Herman Miller,” through March 4. “Dorothea Lange's America,” through April 22. (423) 267-0968. [huntermuseum.org/exhibition/30/dorothea-langes-america/](http://huntermuseum.org/exhibition/30/dorothea-langes-america/).

**In-Town Gallery, Chattanooga**—“Conversations,” paintings by Janis Wilkey, through Feb. 29. (423) 267-9214. [intowngallery.com/?p=2107](http://intowngallery.com/?p=2107).

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# Area Sports Highlights

## SES Girls' Basketball

The Sewanee Elementary School Lady Tigers played a "Thriller in Townsend" against North Lake on Jan. 19. North Lake was looking for its first win of the season and came out ready to play basketball. SES secured the lead at the half, 10-7. SES had lots of steals, some rebounds, a few assists and one blocked shot. What the Lady Tigers could not find was the inside of the net.

North Lake crept back into striking distance of a win, tying the score 12-12. A monumental defensive effort from SES led to Mariel Rinck scoring a bucket. With a foul from the SES team, North Lake went to the free-throw line, hitting the front end of a one-and-one. SES kept its cool and went on to win, 14-13.

Kate Butler scored six points. Rinck scored five and Anna Post scored three points. SES is now 4-4 on the season.

## SAS Swim Team

The St. Andrew's-Sewanee men's swim team finished 13 out of 19 at the Excel High School Invitational on Jan. 14. Five boys scored a total of 54 points. The women's team placed 21 out of 25 teams with a total of 12 points. The combined team placed 16th with a total of 66 points. "We are a small team compared to many of the Nashville teams we competed against," said Coach Patti Boone. "But what our team lacks in quantity, they more than make up for in quality and determination."



Isabel Butler goes in for a layup in a recent SAS middle school basketball game

SAS sent 12 swimmers in 22 events to the regional meet today (Friday), Jan. 27, in Nashville.

## SAS Girls' Basketball

The Lady Mountain Lions of St. Andrew's-Sewanee School improved their season record to 12 wins and 4 losses on Jan. 23 by defeating South Pittsburg High School. The final score was 56-35. The SAS post play was dominant with Sadie Shackelford (20 points) and Jenna Burris (12 points) leading the team in scoring and collectively pulling down 28 rebounds. Monica Molina finished with 10 points.

## SAS Boys' Basketball

The St. Andrew's-Sewanee School boys' basketball team lost to regional opponent Mt. Juliet Christian Academy, 47-35, on Jan. 20. SAS got off to a slow start and trailed by 14 at halftime. Despite outscoring MJCA in the second half, the Mountain Lions were never able to get closer than six points to their opponent. Kendall Kinslow had 16 points to lead all scorers; Alex Tinsley added seven points; Jonathan Jones pulled down 13 rebounds and had four points, along with solid

defense in the post; Tinashe Zimbwa had six points; Eric Baynard had two points.

The team defeated Richard Hardy Memorial School on Jan. 19 by a score of 66-25. Kinslow led all scorers with 27 points; Tinsley had eight points; Casey Willis, seven points; Zimbwa and Jones each had six points; Baynard scored five points; James Beasley had three points; Hunter Craighill scored two points; and Josh Owens and Levi Higgins each had one point.

The SAS boys lost to Webb School of Bell Buckle by a score of 46-37 at a home game on Jan. 12. SAS was down by four at halftime and could not get any closer against their rivals. Kinslow led all scorers with 21 points; Jones added six points and 12 rebounds; Baynard had seven points and three assists; Beasley had three points; and Zimbwa had a great defensive game.

## Sewanee Swimming & Diving

The University's women's swimming and diving team stayed unbeaten after earning a pair of dual meet wins over Rhodes and Henderson State, Jan. 21-22. The Lady Tigers are now 3-0 in dual meet events. Sewanee earned a 48-47 win over rival Rhodes and a 50-45 win over Division II power Henderson State.

Led by 12 top-three finishes, including wins in six events, the Sewanee men's swimming and diving team earned a pair of victories over SCAC rival Rhodes and Henderson State this past weekend.

"This meet was somewhat of a landmark for us," said head coach Max Obermiller. "So far, this has been the best season for our women's program in my 18 years here. Our ladies continue to swim well because of the hard work they each put in daily."



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## OVERTIME

by John Shackelford



When I was in elementary school, my father used to take me to watch UNC-Asheville basketball games. The university was only a mile away from my house, and we began to know the players and their opponents fairly well. One of the Bulldogs' rivals at the time was Mars Hill College, a school just 20 minutes north of town.

Mars Hill featured a player who was a fierce competitor and had previously been a local star at what was, at the time, a predominately African-American high school in Asheville. After the North Carolina schools had been integrated, this would later become the sole city high school in town and also became my alma mater. His name was Rodney Johnson, and I cheered against him because he was so determined to beat my favorite team. My best friend at the time, Jay Robinson, was a Mars Hill fan, so we spent those games having fun cheering against each other.

After Johnson, a rugged defender, graduated from Mars Hill College, he became the physical education teacher at my middle school. In seventh grade, Coach Johnson taught us basketball skills with the same passion that he played with in college, and he taught us to love the game. He explained the pick and roll, how to shoot correctly and how to box out on rebounds. For a couple of years, all of us were very lucky to have had Coach Johnson as a teacher. One day he explained to us that he was leaving to take a high school basketball job on the other side of the Tar Heel state. He had a chance to be a head coach and begin the career he always wanted. We were all his friends, and we were lucky he had taken the time to take us to basketball camps and ball games in Chapel Hill and introduce us to the legendary Dean Smith. This was the 1970s in the South, and the march toward racial equality was still in its infant stages. For many of us, having a chief role model who was African-American was a new experience, but none of us really ever gave it a second thought.

As sad as we were, Coach promised us that he would return to Asheville and coach us again one day. A few years later, when we had grown into high school basketball players, the head coaching position at Asheville High opened up, and Coach Johnson did return as promised to help us begin an exciting time in our favorite sport. Our team was fairly mixed racially, and once again, during those years following integration when tensions sometimes ran high, none of us on the team ever gave any of it a second thought. We were all just friends and teammates no matter who lived on which side of town.

Coach made sure that players who lived in the projects were able to come to basketball camps along with the rest of us, even when they couldn't afford it. He made life fun for a great group of guys, because he cared to make our team and our athletic experience special. We grew up, moved on and were better for having known him and played for him.

One of my teammates and Coach's real protégé, Buzz Peterson, was good enough to play for Carolina and was the college roommate of Michael Jordan while at Chapel Hill. He was on the team in 1982, when they won the national championship in a memorable game behind a final shot that became the springboard of Jordan's stardom. Coach Johnson moved on to college coaching in Washington, D.C., and then finally into university administration, and guys like me gradually began to lose touch. After the death of my father last year, Coach reached out and gave me a call and gave us the chance to catch up. He told me about his successful and fulfilling career in student life at George Washington University and how he was truly happy as he neared retirement. He had a great home and family and loved both his job and his friends.

Last week a parent graciously stopped me to say thank you for coaching their child in youth basketball. I stopped and smiled, and thought, "This is nothing. Someone did give a second thought when it came to my athletic experience. All of this was once done for me and so much more."



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## NATURENOTES

By Harry and Jean Yeatman

### Crocus in Bloom

**Sister Anna Kathleen** has spotted a blooming yellow crocus outside St. Joseph's Hall at St. Mary's Sewanee.

### Great Blue Herons and Sandhill Cranes

Recently **Dr. Louis Koella** told **Harry and Jean Yeatman** of a near collision with a flying Great Blue Heron. He was driving down the highway with his daughter, **Maggie**, when a large Great Blue with outstretched wings was about to smash into his car's windshield. He yelled, and the bird managed to avoid the crash by rising just over the windshield. This was a real lucky break for the heron, the windshield and the Koellas.

A tall Great Blue Heron is frequently seen on the pond by the road to Cowan. Although this bird is a year-round resident in Tennessee, it is an interesting subject to watch, according to Harry. It stands almost 4 feet high and has a 6-foot wingspan when it flies. Some people think it is a crane, but that tall bird flies with an outstretched neck and makes loud calls. A heron flies with its neck drawn in and usually stands motionless at the edge of ponds trying to catch fish, frogs and even water snakes. The Yeatmans watched one swallowing a large snake by the Tennessee River in Chattanooga. This meal required about 15 minutes to accomplish. During most of the year, it is solitary, but during late spring, which is breeding season, it congregates in large colonies and many nests of sticks and twigs are built in trees near the water.

**Susan Thomas** took the photograph below of Sandhill Cranes congregating recently in one of the pools of the Sand Switch on the Marion/Franklin county line.



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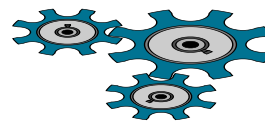
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Mon	Jan 09	53	49
Tue	Jan 10	55	50
Wed	Jan 11	54	47
Thu	Jan 12	56	46
Fri	Jan 13	46	18
Sat	Jan 14	37	18
Sun	Jan 15	44	19

#### Week's Stats:

Avg max temp =	49
Avg min temp =	35
Avg temp =	38
Precipitation =	2.31"

DAY	DATE	HI	LO
Mon	Jan 16	47	24
Tue	Jan 17	48	36
Wed	Jan 18	57	48
Thu	Jan 19	59	26
Fri	Jan 20	46	24
Sat	Jan 21	62	38
Sun	Jan 22	52	36

#### Week's Stats:

Avg max temp =	53
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Avg temp =	42
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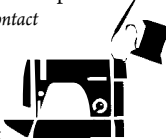
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# Community Calendar

## Today, Jan. 27

### SAS Board of Trustees meetings

- 7:00 am AA, (open), Holy Comforter, Monteagle
- 8:30 am Vinyasa flow yoga with Rebecca, Community Ctr
- 9:00 am CAC office open, until 11
- 12:00 pm Men's Bible study, Otey
- 3:30 pm Little League sign-up, baseball field, until 5:30
- 4:30 pm SAS Parents' Forum, St. Andrew's Chapel
- 4:30 pm Artist's talk, Jones, Nabit Art Building
- 7:00 pm AA, Christ Church, Tracy City
- 7:30 pm "Puss in Boots," SUT

## Saturday, Jan. 28

### SAS Board of Trustees meetings

- 10:00 pm Little League sign-up, baseball field, until 12
- 10:30 am Mountaintop Tumblers, beginners, Comm Ctr
- 11:30 am Mountaintop Tumblers, advanced, Comm Ctr
- 1:30 pm SAS Middle School wing dedication, Simmonds
- 7:30 pm AA (open), Otey parish hall
- 7:30 pm "Puss in Boots" SUT

## Sunday, Jan. 29

- 4:00 pm Women's Bible study, Otey
- 4:15 pm Fire on the Mountain, Brooks Hall
- 4:00 pm Yoga with Helen, Community Center
- 6:30 pm AA (open), Holy Comforter, Monteagle
- 7:30 pm "Puss in Boots," SUT

## Monday, Jan. 30

- 9:00 am CAC office open, until 11
- 10:30 am Chair exercise, Senior Center
- 5:00 pm Women's 12-step, Otey parish hall
- 6:30 pm Ukulele Jam, Community Center
- 7:00 pm AA, Christ Church, Tracy City
- 7:00 pm Centering Prayer, Otey sanctuary
- 7:00 pm Sewanee Chorale rehearsal, Hamilton Hall
- 7:30 pm Sewanee Performing Arts, Ailey II, dance, Guerry

## Tuesday, Jan. 31

- 9:00 am Yoga with Hadley, St. Mary's Sewanee
- 9:00 am CAC office open, until 11
- 10:30 am Tai Chi with Kat (beginners), Community Center
- 10:30 am Bingo, Senior Center
- 4:00 pm Centering Prayer, St. Mary's
- 5:30 pm Yoga with Hadley, Old Theater, SAS
- 5:45 pm Buddhist sitting group, St. Augustine's Chapel

- 6:30 pm Friends of the Dog Park, Community Center
- 7:00 pm NA, Decherd United Methodist
- 7:30 pm AA (open), Otey parish hall
- 7:30 pm Al-Anon, Otey parish hall

## Wednesday, Feb. 1

- 7:00 am Monteagle Rotary, Smoke House
- 9:00 am CAC Pantry Day, until 11
- 10:00 am Storytime, May Justus Library, Monteagle
- 10:20 am Storytelling group, Senior Center
- 3:00 pm Otey children's choir rehearsal, Otey
- 4:30 pm Peace Meditation, Torian room, duPont Library
- 4:30 pm Kennedy Lecture, Viscusi, Gailor
- 6:00 pm Otey adult choir rehearsal, Otey
- 5:30 pm Yoga with Helen, Community Center
- 6:00 pm "Those Characters in the Bible," St. James
- 6:30 pm Yoga with Hadley, Old Theater, SAS
- 6:30 pm Catechumenate, dinner, Women's Center
- 7:30 pm AA (open), Holy Comforter, Monteagle
- 7:30 pm "Moneyball," SUT

## Thursday, Feb. 2

- 9:00 am CAC office open, until 11
- 10:30 am Tai Chi with Kat (advanced), Community Center
- 12:00 pm AA (open), 924-3493 for location
- 12:00 pm Rotary Club of Monteagle-Sewanee, EQB
- 12:30 pm Episcopal Peace Fellowship, Otey, Quintard room
- 3:30 pm Mountaintop Tumblers, beginners, Comm Ctr
- 3:30 pm Yoga with Hadley, St. Mary's Sewanee
- 4:00 pm Stirling's Gallery reception, Malde
- 4:30 pm Mountaintop Tumblers, advanced, Comm Ctr
- 5:00 pm Weight Watchers, Otey parish hall, weigh-in 4:30
- 7:00 pm "Martin & Malcolm" dramatic reading, Guerry
- 8:00 pm AA (closed), book study, St. James

## Friday, Feb. 3

### Reservations due for Academy of Lifelong Learning lunch

- 7:00 am AA, (open), Holy Comforter, Monteagle
- 8:30 am Vinyasa flow yoga with Rebecca, Community Ctr
- 9:00 am CAC office open, until 11
- 12:00 pm Men's Bible study, Otey
- 7:00 pm AA, Christ Church, Tracy City
- 7:30 pm "Moneyball," SUT

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