



Sewanee Elementary School and its students, teachers and staff raised \$1,300 for Operation Noel, the Christmas outreach program organized by the Sewanee Volunteer Fire Department. Front row (from left), Gail Sherrill, Karen Vaughan, Katie Sherrill, Wayne Caldwell and "Stripes" the SES mascot; back row, Ronnie Hoosier and Doug Cameron.

## Sewanee's New Year's Resolutions

By Sadie Shackelford,  
Messenger Intern

Many people believe the New Year provides them with the chance to make improvements to their lives. It is a fresh start, a time to adjust daily habits, take on challenges and develop better attitudes. Across Sewanee earlier this week, the town's residents are beginning 2012 with a wide variety of New Year's resolutions.

Lelia Moss at Regions Bank said she is joining what she described as "90 percent of the population" with her goal to lose weight and drink more water.

St. Andrew's-Sewanee School's boys' basketball coach and teacher Rob Zeitler struggled to remember his resolutions while pumping gas at Sewanee Auto. Like any person who deals with teenagers on a daily basis, Zeitler said he resolves to be more patient and positive. Inside Sewanee Auto, owner Harold Thomas insisted that he would have contributed a resolution if only he had made one.

Across the street at the Blue Chair, Debbie Welch said she plans to get more creative, starting an organic garden and vowing to live more sustainably. At the corner table, Jessica Alton resolved to be more environmentally conscientious this year, planning to have a non-electricity day once a week, lighting her home by candlelight.

While playing bingo at Sewanee's Senior Citizen center, director Rachel Lynch said, "Let there be peace on earth, and let it begin with me." Lynch's 6-year-old daughter Mary Ming resolved to become a "fire engine."

Mary Ming's friend A.J. Wade said, while staring wishfully out the window at the windy 22 degree temperature, that he "would like to visit Florida at some point this year."

Also at the Senior Center, Chris Colane vowed to do more volunteer work, and Birdie McBee put a personal twist on the traditional New Year's resolution, choosing to not start hers until the spring. But she resolved to start exercising.

Ironically, at the Fowler Center people were flocking to the StairMasters and treadmills but most were unwilling to admit their easily assumed resolutions.

St. Andrew's-Sewanee School tennis coach and learning resources coordinator Kelley Black said she would like to get back into the weight room.

Sprinting up and down the gym's three basketball courts, the Sewanee Elementary School basketball teams were practicing before school began on Wednesday. For the most part, they failed to come up with personal resolutions, but after practical Tessa Shackelford declared she would like to prevent global warming, the others nodded their heads, agreeing that this challenging vow seemed like a reasonable goal.

Less than a week into the New Year, Sewanee residents proved to be thoughtful and dedicated to their resolutions. For some, it will be an intensive work-out regimen, for others it will be a simple change in attitude. However great the changes and commitments, let 2012 be as wonderful as the Sewanee residents making these resolutions.

Happy New Year!

## No Rate Increase for Water-Sewer in 2012

by Leslie Lytle, Messenger Staff Writer

At the Dec. 28 business meeting, the board of commissioners of the Sewanee Utility District of Franklin and Marion Counties approved the 2012 budget prepared by manager Ben Beavers. Unlike in years past, there will be no rate increase in 2012. In other business, the Board deferred a decision on whether to participate in a federal program for natural-gas-powered vehicles.

The \$1.4 million budget allocates \$354,500 for capital improvements, with the remaining amount designated for operating expenses, including \$280,000 in debt payment. The operations budget increased by only 0.5 percent compared to 2011. The capital improvements budget increased by \$70,000 (17 percent) to finance the pressure-boosting station, which will increase water pressure for Midway customers and make it possible for SUD to sell water to Monteagle next year when the Monteagle water plant shuts down for repairs.

SUD was able to avoid a rate increase because revenues for 2011 were up 11 percent compared to 2010, approximately half of the increase resulting from two water tap sales. As a result, SUD has one year's operating expenses (\$1 million) in cash reserves, although a substantial portion of this amount is earmarked for debt payment. The 2012 budget is based on the 2011 revenues, less the water tap sales, which will require SUD to withdraw \$15,000 from cash reserves to meet its expenses.

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## Mountain T.O.P. Serves Families on the Plateau

Mountain T.O.P. (Tennessee Outreach Project) is located just 30 miles from Sewanee in Altamont. It is an interdenominational, nonprofit ministry dedicated to alleviating rural poverty in seven counties in Tennessee. They run two camps, one in Altamont and one in Spencer, where volunteers join the group year-round in rehabilitating homes and running children's programs. Most of the intensive structural home repair and all of the children's programs help families living in Grundy County.

"The poverty statistics about Grundy remind us why a physical, social, emotional and spiritual presence is needed in Grundy County," said Samantha Tashman, a program manager at Mountain T.O.P. "The county is ranked 94 of 95 unhealthiest counties in the state of Tennessee. About 80 percent of the children are on free or reduced lunches. 4,700 residents use EBT cards. Unemployment is between 11 and 12 percent, while the state is at 9.2 percent."

Working from the principle that "housing keeps families intact," Tashman described some of the work that Mountain T.O.P. did in 2011.

"I watched those words manifest as a father was reunited with his two daughters because of a bedroom addition we helped provide. Or, how rebuilding a roof for one woman in Tracy City rekindled her self-esteem and pride in her home," she said. "These people and the opportunity we have to



Members of a Mountain T.O.P. team at a work site.

make a difference every single day is exactly why Mountain T.O.P. exists."

With hopes in reversing the statistics and alleviating poverty, Mountain T.O.P. is moving beyond home repair and children's programs by partnering with neighboring organizations. Last summer they sent children home with snack packs made by Morton Memorial United Methodist Church in Monteagle and the First United Methodist Church of McMinnville. They aided the Grundy County Food Bank by constructing a wall in its facility. The food bank distributes food to hundreds of families every month and is hoping to increase its efforts in the months to come. Mountain T.O.P. is helping facilitate Vision Grundy, which has been established to create a more cohesive plateau interconnectedness.

"Together, we can meet the wide spectrum of needs of families in Grundy County," Tashman said.

Mountain T.O.P. is in the midst of a campaign to raise \$50,000 for its programs. For more information on how to make a gift or volunteer, email Tashman at <sam@mountain-top.org> or go to <www.mountain-top.org>.

## 2012 Deer Cull Successful, Post-Cull Drive Cancelled

The annual Sewanee deer cull was completed on Dec. 31, with results deemed "very beneficial to the Domain, reducing the size of the herd and helping the long-term health of the forest," according to Domain manager Nate Wilson.

This year, 150 deer were taken during the pre-cull and cull hunting periods. Though this number is below the goal of 230, Wilson said that the higher proportion of does taken offsets the reduced numbers.

"This is down from the 172 animals harvested last year, but the number of does harvested actually increased to 120, representing 80% of the harvest," Wilson said. Last year, does only represented 68% of the harvest.

"We had obviously hoped for more, but the doe numbers tell us that the hunter-incentive programs we have been working on are giving desired results," Wilson said. "The warm fall this year led to a lower harvest during the pre-cull, which kept the numbers down. Deer move less in the woods when the weather is warm."

The pre-cull and cull this year occurred with no safety concerns or hunting accidents, Wilson said. Twenty-seven community hunters participated in this year's pre-cull and cull.

The post-cull drive, a proposed additional two days of hunting planned for Jan. 7 and Jan. 14, has been cancelled due to permitting problems with the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency.

Since December of 2000, Sewanee has conducted a deer cull in an effort to reduce the population of the animals. The deer population is badly out of balance, according to studies by University biologists. The long-term goal of the University's deer management plan is to achieve a sustainable deer population by reducing the doe-buck ratio from 7:1 to 3:1 and reducing the overall population to at least one-fifth of the current population.



The Sewanee Elementary School boys' and girls' basketball teams scrimmaged Broadview during halftime at the Dec. 16 Sewanee-Oglethorpe game in the Fowler Center. SES's Mary B Smith, right, is shown here, facing down her opponent. Photo by Buck Butler.

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# Letter

## FRANKLIN CO. HUMANE SOCIETY OFFERS THANKS To the Editor:

On behalf of the Franklin County Humane Society, I would like to thank everyone who made our Fall 2011 Party for Paws such a marvelous success.

Special gratitude is due to the caterers and restaurants that donated the delicious food: Lorena's, Julia's Fine Foods, Blue Chair, Shenanigans, IvyWild, Natural Bridge Events, Edgeworth Inn and Modern Dave's. Many thanks to our volunteer bartenders, Mollie Roberts and Lizzie and Rick Duncan, Ken Taylor for providing table centerpieces, Lorena's for supplying serving staff, the Sewanee Mountain Messenger and the Herald-Chronicle for publicizing the event, Academic Technology Services for media support, and the University of the South for allowing us to use the Sewanee Inn.

We would also like to thank all the businesses, artists, artisans and friends who donated items for our auction. We are very grateful for the many donors and friends who attended our Party for Paws and who are so faithful in their support of our efforts on behalf of the homeless animals of Franklin County and our subsidized spay program. We could not do our work without your continued generous support and we treasure every one of you.

Pat Thompson, President, Franklin County Humane Society ■



**Name the Seniors:** This photo is from the 1996-97 two-year-old class at the Sewanee Children's Center. Six of these youngsters are now seniors at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School, having lived in Sewanee most of their lives. Can you find them? See page 7 for a hint; see page 11 for the solution.

## Correction

Jenny Gore, an aide at Sewanee Elementary School, should have been credited as the author/lyricist for the "Mr. Jones Song" in the Dec. 16 article about Larry Jones' retirement party. "It's kind of a tradition around here that when somebody moves on, Jenny writes the musical tribute," noted a careful reader and SES staff member.

Our apologies, Jenny!



## SES & PTO Host Forum on Education

The Sewanee Elementary Parent Teacher Organization is hosting an open forum on the education and budget issues facing our county and state. The open forum will be 6-7 p.m., Tuesday, Jan. 24, in the SES cafeteria.

Topics include the waiver from No Child Left Behind, evaluations, TCAP scores and the Franklin County school board budget. Guest speakers will be on hand to address these issues. For more information, contact the SESPTO Secretary at <sesptoenews@gmail.com>.

## University Job Opportunities

### Exempt Positions

Director of Field Education and Lecturer in Contextual Education; Assistant Director of Marketing and Admissions (Sewanee Summer Music Festival); Director of Research; Dean of the School of Theology; Assistant Dean for Student Organizations

### Non-Exempt Positions

Fowler Center Attendant.

Descriptions of these positions are available at <www.sewanee.edu/per sonnel/jobs>. Apply at <https://www.sewanee.edu/site/j9UB9e/applica tion>.

For more information, contact Christy Owens, human resources coordinator, at 598-1381 or by email at <ctowens@sewanee.edu>.



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## Two Running for SUD Seat

The Sewanee Utility District of Franklin and Marion Counties (SUD) is an independent government agency. It is governed by a five-person board of commissioners who are elected by the ratepayers. The current commissioners are Ken Smith, Randall Henley, Karen Singer, Cliff Huffman and Doug Cameron. Cameron will have served two terms and is ineligible for re-election.

Early voting has begun, and voting will continue until Jan. 24, when the ballots will be tallied in conjunction with the SUD annual meeting.

SUD customers can vote at the utility office on Sherwood Road, weekdays, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

### Art Hanson

I am running for a position on the board of commissioners of the Sewanee Utility District. I have worked at the University for more than 17 years and lived in the Midway area for the past five years. I am currently a volunteer firefighter with the Sewanee Volunteer Fire Department and serve on the national board of directors for the Athletic Equipment Managers Association. Prior to moving to Sewanee, I was with the Foster Falls Volunteer Fire Department, where I also served on the board of directors as a firemen's representative and the board director.

My family, Maggie, Alex and Jacob, enjoy this community and plan on staying in the Midway area for many years. I grew up with my father as a county commissioner for Maury County, Tenn., and understand the importance of serving one's community. I believe that the Sewanee Utility District has made a major difference in the life of this community and can continue by helping to lead in the growth of this area. Now is the best time to make sure our services are competitive with other utility districts so that we continue to add customers, provide services at an efficient cost and protect our natural environment.

### Tom McCawley

I am new to Sewanee, having moved here in August with family. My wife, Ann, is an attorney and my daughter, Annie, is a junior at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School. I also have a son, Stuart, who is a student at North Carolina State University.

I have had a 30-plus year career as a mechanical engineer, working the last 20 years as a consultant specializing in piping systems for industrial applications. I have engineering degrees from Tennessee Tech and Virginia Tech, and am a licensed professional engineer in Tennessee and five other states. I also volunteer with national committees that develop design standards for pressure piping systems.

Water-related consulting projects include the analysis of underground steam and chilled water piping running in tunnels throughout the campus of the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill. I also investigated the failure of a buried water pipe at the headquarters of TIAA-CREF in Charlotte, N.C. This failure was discovered when the parking lot fell in.

Providing quality water to the Sewanee area at a reasonable price is a challenge. I would welcome the opportunity to serve on the Sewanee water board.

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**Michael Parmley**  
**Charles Schaerer**  
**Melissa Smartt**  
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## Upcoming Meetings

### Academy for Lifelong Learning Lunch Deadline

The deadline to order lunch for the January gathering of the Academy for Lifelong Learning is today, Friday, Jan. 6. The meeting will be at noon, Thursday, Jan. 12, at the Clifftops Lake Clubhouse. Sewanee Utility District general manager Ben Beavers will speak on "The Mountaintop Water Supply." If you plan to attend, please contact Anne Davis at (931) 924-4465 or Elaine Goleski at (931) 924-3227 today. If you would like a box lunch (\$10), please let Anne or Elaine know. Guests are welcome to bring their own lunch.

### Tims Ford Council Meeting and Program on Monday

The Tims Ford Council will meet at 6 p.m., Monday, Jan. 9, in the Franklin County Annex Building on Dinah Shore Boulevard, Winchester. This is the first quarterly general open meeting of the year. The speaker will be Charles Jobe, environmental coordinator from the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation, who will speak about the dangers of radon gas, how to tell if a home has a greater exposure than is deemed safe and what to do about it. The meeting is open to the public, especially those who are interested in finding out more about the Tims Ford Council and those who are interested in the topic of radon gas.

### Franklin County School Board Meets Monday

The Franklin County School Board will meet in regular session at 6:30 p.m., Monday, Jan. 9, at the Board of Education, 215 S. College St. in Winchester. Chris McDonough is Sewanee's representative on the board. School board meetings are open to the public.

### Community Council is Monday

The Sewanee Community Council will meet at 7 p.m., Monday, Jan. 9, in the Senior Center. The agenda includes approval of the November meeting's minutes, an introduction of the new Community Council secretary, an update on the Angel Park and the deer cull, and time for announcements. Community Council meetings are open to the public.

### Community Center Board Meeting on Tuesday

The Sewanee Community Center's board meets at 11:45 a.m. on the second Tuesday of the month; everyone is welcome to attend. The next meeting is Jan. 10. If you are interested in serving the community as a board member or adding your name to the membership rolls, please contact Rachel Petropoulos at <rpetro@gmail.com> or 598-0682.

### Daughters of the King Gather Tuesday

Daughters of the King will meet at 6 p.m., Tuesday, Jan. 10, in the parish hall of St. James Episcopal Church in Midway. All women are invited to attend to learn more about this group.

### Monteagle Rotary Club Meets Wednesday

The Rotary Club of Monteagle will meet on Wednesday, Jan. 11. Rotary meets every Wednesday at the Smoke House in Monteagle. Coffee begins at 6:50 a.m.; breakfast and the meeting begin at 7 a.m. and end by 8 a.m. To learn more, go to <monteaglerotary.org>.

### Lease Committee Meeting Agenda Deadline

Agenda items for the next meeting of the Lease Committee are due by 4:30 p.m., Wednesday, Jan. 11, in the Office of the Superintendent of Leases in Carnegie Hall. The next meeting of the Lease Committee will be Wednesday, Jan. 18.

### Satellite Rotary Club Meets at EQB Thursday

The Monteagle Rotary Satellite Club will meet at noon, Thursday, Jan. 12, at the EQB building on the University campus. Lunch will be available for \$10.

### Peace Fellowship Gathers on Thursday

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

## Births

### Chloe Marie Tiner

Chloe Marie Tiner was born on Dec. 26, 2011, at Southern Tennessee Medical Center, to Savannah Short Tiner and James Brandon Tiner of Winchester. She weighed 5 lbs., 11 oz., and was 17.5 inches long. Maternal grandparents are Anna and Tommy Myers and Melissa and Harold Short Jr. Paternal grandparents are Debra and Steve Tiner.



Zoe Stringer

## Stringer Wins Bonner Award

Zoe Stringer, an Earlham College first-year student and daughter of Mary Clark of Monteagle, has been selected as a Bonner Scholar.

The Bonner Scholars Program is a four-year developmental leadership program that is rooted in community service. Supported by the Bonner Foundation in Princeton, N.J., the Bonner Scholarship provides tuition and summer support for 15 Earlham students per class year who demonstrate a commitment to community service.

Earlham is a selective, liberal arts college in Richmond, Indiana. Engaging students with a changing world, Earlham is dedicated to the development of effective ways to integrate international perspectives in education.

## CPR Classes Available

Learn how to give the gift of life by taking cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) and first aid classes provided by the American Heart Association.

The one-evening class includes adult, child and infant CPR, infant choking, automatic external defibrillator training.

Classes begin at 7 p.m. on Tuesday and Thursday nights at the Decherd Police Department.

Preregistration is required. For more information call Al Bassett at (931) 636-5577.



Emily Partin (left), of the Grundy County Chamber of Commerce, with Cindy Milligan, director of the Southeast Tennessee Department of Tourism, in front of a replica of the James K. Shook School at the Grundy County Heritage Center.

## Grundy County Featured in New 'Pie in the Sky' Tourism Trail

### New Brochure Highlights Local Businesses for Visitors

The Grundy County Heritage Center has been selected as one of the sites to see in the new "Pie in the Sky" brochure, a self-guided driving tour that features local businesses and attractions on the South Cumberland Plateau. Emily Partin, newly appointed executive director of the Grundy County Chamber of Commerce and Tourism, recently hosted Cindy Milligan, tourism director of the Southeast Tennessee Tourism Association, at the Heritage Center.

The Cumberland Plateau, made up of Grundy, Marion and Franklin counties, has much to offer the day visitor or a family on vacation. "From fine dining to local eateries, day hikes to cultural events, there is something for everyone who visits," Partin said. "We're proud of our little piece of Tennessee! We're just a short drive from the city, but miles away from the crowd. Come once, and you'll want to come back!"

The Pie in the Sky Trail, and the 15 other trails that are part of the Discover Tennessee Trails and Byways, leverages regional assets and helps to stimulate rural development and local businesses on the Plateau in order to offer a strong product as a tourism destination. Last year, tourism in Tennessee generated \$14.1 billion in economic impact, underscoring the excitement around emphasizing tourism in counties such as Grundy.

Beginning at the Chattanooga Visitors Center, the Trail winds through 363 miles across East and Middle Tennessee. It highlights historic and notable businesses and landmarks in the 10 counties in the Southeast Tennessee region.

The trail encourages visitors to enjoy the 129 cultural gems along the Pie in the Sky Trail, which also includes three Tennessee state parks, several Civil War sites and county museums. This trail delivers some of the best of Tennessee, topped off with the one-of-a-kind taste of a Chattanooga original, the Moon Pie.

The "Pie in the Sky" driving trail brochure is available at the Grundy County Heritage Center, located at 465 Railroad Ave., in Tracy City. It is open 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., weekdays and by appointment. For more information call (931) 592-6008.

## Police Report

### Domestic Violence Arrest in Midway

Franklin County Sheriff's deputies were called to a residence in Midway on Dec. 17 after a gun was fired.

Deputy Samuel Davidson's report described an argument between a woman and her ex-boyfriend at the woman's residence, with two children present. The man allegedly threatened the woman and fired a pistol, but the bullet did not strike anyone.

Police arrested the man at the scene. He was charged with alleged domestic violence, alleged aggravated assault and alleged reckless endangerment; he was released on \$50,000 bond.



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# Obituaries

### Frances Elizabeth Knott Janey Cowan

Frances Elizabeth Knott Janey Cowan, age 81 of Hixson, Tenn., and formerly of Cowan, died Dec. 29, 2011, in Chattanooga. She was a daughter of Jim and Mary Ella Knott of Sewanee. She was preceded in death by her parents; her first husband, Ernest Howard Janey; second husband, Charles "Bim" Cowan; brother, Charles Knott of Monteagle; and grandsons Mark Janey and David Janey.

She is survived by daughters, Peggy Janey (Charles) Ridings of Hixson, Tenn., and Becky Janey Pappas of Atlanta, Ga.; sons, William (Joy) Janey of the Falls Mill Community, Tenn., and John (Elaine) Janey of Belvidere, Tenn.; sisters, Roxanna Rice of Columbus, Ohio, Margaret Knott Bahrs of Mississippi, and Johnnie (John) Caldwell of Flowery Branch, Ga.; eight grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held in the funeral home chapel with the Rev. Harry Green of McMinnville officiating. Interment followed in Eastern Star Cemetery in Sewanee. For complete obituary, visit <www.moorecortner.com>.

### Johnny Ray Hamby

Johnny Ray Hamby, age 61 of Tracy City, died Dec. 15, 2011, at St. Thomas Hospital in Nashville. He was born in Sewanee, a son of J.R. and Louise Tate Hamby of Monteagle. He was preceded in death by his parents; brother Jake Hamby; niece Kellie Jo King; and nephew Phillip David Hamby.

He is survived by his wife, Carol; sisters, Sue Hite, Dorraine (Harry) Parmley and Judy Condra, all of Monteagle and Edwina (Terry) Gilliam of Sewanee; brother David (Dianne) Hamby of Belvidere, and several nieces and nephews.

Memorial services were held on Dec. 18 in the funeral home chapel with Bro. Matthew Meeks and the Rev. Mike Rigsby officiating. For complete obituary, go to <www.fosterlayfuneralhome.net>.

### Alex Roger Haney

Alex Roger Haney, age 52 of Winchester, died Dec. 20, 2011, at Southern Tennessee Medical Center in Winchester. He was born Oct. 19, 1959, in Sewanee, the son of Joe D. and Bessie L. Haney. He was a carpenter. He was preceded in death by brother Joel Eugene Haney; and son Alex Eugene Garner.

He is survived by son Alex Roger Haney Jr.; daughter, Leann Haney; brother Jim (Ting) Haney; and sisters, Rita (Eddie) Frame, Blanche (Randy) Goff and Patty (Roger) Hopper, all of Winchester.

Funeral services were held Dec. 23 in the funeral home chapel. Interment followed in O'Dear Cemetery, Sewanee. For complete obituary, visit <www.moorecortner.com>.

### Roy Lee Pack Sr.

Roy Lee Pack Sr., age 64 of Sherwood, died Dec. 29, 2011.

He is survived by his mother, Mary Pack; daughters, Kayla and Leeann Pack; sons, Roy Jr. and Cody Pack; brothers, Bill, Jacky and Tim Pack; one granddaughter; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Dec. 31, at Emmanuel Apostolic Church in Sherwood with Bro. Franklin Hill officiating. Interment followed in Mountain View Cemetery. Arrangements were by Valley Funeral Home, Stevenson, Ala.

### Thomas Day Snowden Jr.

Thomas Day Snowden Jr., age 77, died Dec. 21, 2011, at Sheltering Arms Home in Palmer. He was born Oct. 13, 1934, to Thomas Day Snowden Sr. and Lily Lucille Berwick Snowden. He was a member of Christ Church, Monteagle. He was preceded in death by his parents.

He is survived by his wife, Dolores Snowden of Sewanee; children, Thomas Day Snowden III, Dorothy Hughetta Snowden, Stephanie D. Snowden and Lydia Rhys Snowden, and three grandchildren.

Memorial services were held Dec. 24, 2011, at Christ Church with Bp. William Millsaps officiating. Memorial donations may be made to Christ Church, P.O. Box 157, Monteagle, TN 37356. For complete obituary, visit <www.fosterlayfuneralhome.net>.

### Elisha Joseph "Joe" Tate

Elisha Joseph "Joe" Tate, age 69 of Winchester, died Jan. 1, 2012, at his home. Joe was a lifelong resident of Franklin County and the son of the late Annie Ruth Marlowe Tate and Elisha David Tate. In addition to his mother and father, he was preceded in death by his first wife, Shelia Gay Cutrell; a son, Troy Joseph Tate; Eleanor's son, T.C. Jackson; and brother Larry Richard Tate.

In high school, Tate earned letters in three sports at St. Andrew's School, where he graduated in 1960, and played football at Sewanee under coach Shirley Majors. He was the owner of Speedy Automotive in Winchester.

He is survived by his wife, Eleanor Crouch Tate of Winchester; Eleanor's children, Betty Cunningham of Winchester, Bryan Jackson of Asheville, N.C., and Bert (Christie) White of Midlothian, Va.; brother David (Anne) of New Iberia, La.; five grandchildren and two nephews.

Memorial services were held Jan. 5 in the funeral home chapel. In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial contributions to the Annie Ruth Tate Memorial Scholarship at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School or the Franklin County Humane Society/Animal Harbor. For complete obituary go to <www.watsonnorth.com>.



St. Andrew's-Sewanee School's Fellowship of Christian Athletes (pictured above) collected Christmas Angel gifts for Coalmont Elementary School and filled the entire list of gifts for more than 38 kids. The group also unloaded two tons of food and more than 500 turkeys at a soup kitchen in Chattanooga at Thanksgiving.

## CAC Pantry Sunday on Jan. 8

Pantry Sunday for the Community Action Committee (CAC) is Sunday, Jan. 8, for participating churches: St. James, Otey, Cumberland Presbyterian and All Saints' Chapel.

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. For more information contact the CAC at 598-5927.

## Christ Church Monteagle

The Rev. Vaughn Cooper, assistant rector at Holy Cross Anglican Church in Franklin, will be the guest preacher at Christ Church Monteagle at 10:30 a.m., Sunday, Jan. 8.

Cooper has long ties to the Mountain, having participated in many activities at the DuBose Conference Center. He is a graduate of Vanderbilt University and has brought to the ministry his many experiences in business as well as a disciplined development of pastoral skills.

# Church News

## All Saints' Chapel

Today, Friday, Jan. 6, is Epiphany, a principal feast in the life of the Episcopal Church. At 12:45 p.m., today, there will be a celebration of the Holy Eucharist in St. Augustine's Chapel (the small chapel between All Saints' Chapel and the offices of the chaplains). Tom Macfie, University chaplain, will be the celebrant and preacher for this liturgy.

## Otey Parish

At 10 a.m., Sunday, Jan. 8, Adult Forum welcomes St. Andrew's-Sewanee School 10th-grade student Marisa Wilson, who will offer "First Hand Experiences with Climate Change." She was a participant in the Climate Reality Project training program.

Otey Parish will host its annual Epiphany Pageant at 5 p.m., Sunday, Jan. 8. The cast will rehearse at 10 a.m. Sunday morning.

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

# CHURCH CALENDAR

### Friday, Jan. 6, Epiphany

12:00 pm Feast of the Epiphany, Christ Church, Monteagle  
12:45 pm Holy Eucharist, St. Augustine's Chapel

### Saturday, Jan. 7

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

### Weekday Services, Jan. 9–13

#### Monday–Friday

7:00 am Morning Prayer/HE, St. Mary's Convent (not Wed)  
7:30 am Morning Prayer, Otey  
4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey  
5:00 pm Evening Prayer, St. Mary's Convent (not Wed.)

### Wednesday, Jan. 11

6:00 am Morning Prayer, Cowan Fellowship Church  
5:00 pm Rite III HE/Anglican Rosary, St. James

### Thursday, Jan. 12

12:05pm Healing Service, Otey

### Sunday Services, Jan. 8, Epiphany Sunday All Saints' Chapel

8:00 am Holy Eucharist

### Christ Church Episcopal, Alto

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

### Christ Church, Monteagle

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

### Church of the Holy Comforter, Monteagle

9:00 am Holy Eucharist

### Cowan Fellowship Church

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

### Cumberland Presbyterian, 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, Monteagle

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

### New Life Church

10:00 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Worship Service  
6:00 pm Worship Service

### Otey Memorial Parish

8:50 am Holy Eucharist  
10:00 am Christian formation classes  
11:00 am Holy Eucharist  
5:00 pm Epiphany Pageant and Potluck

### St. James Episcopal

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

### St. Mary's Convent

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

### Sewanee Church of God

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

### Society of Friends

9:30 am Meeting, 598-5031

If your church is in our circulation area and would like to be listed in this calendar, please send service times, church address and contact information to <messgr@bellsouth.net> or phone 598-9949.

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### THIS WEEK AND UPCOMING

**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

### THE MOUNTAINTOP WATER SUPPLY

Field Trip to Clifftops Lake Clubhouse  
January 12, 12 to 1 pm; Ben Beavers, presenter  
Academy for Lifelong Learning Membership Fee, \$10 annually; Boxed Lunch, \$10 (optional). Call for lunch reservation.

### 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



## IBM Awards Grant to SAS

IBM has awarded St. Andrew's-Sewanee School (SAS) a \$10,000 Community Impact Grant. The grant was made thanks to the involvement of Robert French of Jacksonville, Fla., an IBM retiree and 1950 graduate of St. Andrew's School.

The grant will be used to purchase items for the SAS science labs. SAS science classes focus on hands-on investigations and explorations of scientific principles; students learn science by doing science. This is IBM's first grant to the school.

SAS offers courses in conceptual physics, chemistry, biology, advanced chemistry, advanced biology, physics, environmental studies and geology.

IBM Community Impact Grants are part of the IBM's 2011 Centennial Celebration of Service. They support IBM employees' involvement in local projects that link IBM's community agenda and local community priorities in partnership with a school or not-for-profit organization.

"We are impressed by St. Andrew's-Sewanee School's commitment to experiential learning in the sciences," said Dot Neale of IBM's corporate citizenship and corporate affairs department. "We welcome the opportunity to support young scientists and deepen the expertise of those who will help us build a smarter planet."

## CCJP News

### Receives \$2,000 Grant

The Cumberland Center for Justice and Peace (CCJP) has been awarded \$2,000 by RESIST, Inc., a national progressive foundation located in Somerville, Mass.

"We are very excited to receive this grant from RESIST," said CCJP director Leslie Lytle. CCJP received funding to educate and empower the community of Franklin County and the surrounding Cumberland Plateau region to take action for social, cultural and environmental change that promotes justice and peace locally, nationally and globally.

RESIST makes grants to grassroots groups engaged in activist organizing and educational work for social change. In fiscal year 2010, RESIST gave more than \$286,000 to 135 organizations across the country.

"Each year, RESIST funds groups like Cumberland Center for Justice and Peace because our mission is to support people who take a stand about the issues that matter today, whether it's to resist corporate globalization, promote a woman's right to choose or develop activist leaders," said RESIST board chair Miabi Chatterji.

"And we believe it's especially important to help grassroots organizations that might be too small or too local—or too radical—for mainstream foundations."

### Seeking Youth for Retreat

CCJP is accepting applications for delegates to the "Be the Change" youth retreat, 9:30 a.m.–4 p.m., Saturday, Feb. 4, at the Highlander Lodge in Monteagle. The deadline for submitting an application is Friday, Jan. 13.

Modeled after the Camp Anytown program sponsored by Community Nashville, the day-long retreat for high-school age youth will feature games and activities geared to promoting community and tolerance and ending bias, bigotry, bullying and racism. Area high school students who have attended Camp Anytown will serve as counselors, assisted by adult volunteers from CCJP.

For "Be the Change" retreat application materials and information, contact Leslie Lytle at 598-9979 or <sllytle@blomand.net>. Enrollment is limited to 30 delegates.

## Senior Center News

### Center's Weekly Activities

In addition to resuming regular weekly activities, a writing and storytelling group will begin at 10 a.m., beginning on Wednesday, Jan. 11. The group is new, and all are welcome to attend.

### Upcoming Events at the Center

The center will hold its quarterly board meeting at 12:30 p.m., Thursday, Jan. 19. Those who would like to have lunch at noon, before the meeting, are encouraged to make a reservation.

The monthly covered-dish luncheon will be at noon, Saturday, Jan. 21. The entertainment for the event will be announced in the coming weeks. Plan to come, bring a dish to share and join in the fun.

### Center Needs Helpers

The center is looking for volunteers to do prep work in the kitchen, wash dishes, drive meals to shut-ins or contribute in other ways. Please drop by or call the center.

### Volunteers of the Week

The Volunteers of the Week are Birdie McBee, chairwoman of the Christmas Bazaar, and all the other people who contributed their time, effort, crafts, baked goods and donations to this annual fund-raiser.

### 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. 9:** Chicken casserole, mashed potatoes, peas, roll, dessert.

**Jan. 10:** Meatloaf, macaroni and cheese, fried okra, cornbread, dessert.

**Jan. 11:** Spaghetti and meatballs, salad, garlic bread, dessert.

**Jan. 12:** Chicken noodle soup, grilled cheese sandwich, dessert.

**Jan. 13:** Hamburger, home fries, slaw, 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.

## New Tai Chi Classes in 2012

Tai Chi classes will continue in 2012, with new movements to learn for those who have completed the 12-week series. Beginners will meet on Tuesdays, and continuing participants will meet on Thursdays.

Kathleen O'Donohue will start a new series of the Arthritis Foundation Tai Chi Program on Tuesdays, beginning Jan. 10, from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. in the Sewanee Community Center, 39 Ball Park Road. A \$5 donation is suggested.

Beginning on Jan. 12, weekly on Thursdays from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m., continuing participants will begin learning the new moves of Tai Chi for Arthritis 2, a recreational exercise program designed for anyone seeking a joint-safe exercise routine particularly for those with mild to moderate arthritis. The 12-lesson program was developed by Dr. Paul Lam and is easy to learn.

O'Donohue, a trained and certified instructor by the Arthritis Foundation, leads each class.

All ages and abilities are welcome to attend, whether or not arthritis is a problem. Tai Chi uses gentle, slow, rhythmic movements to integrate body and mind, improve balance, flexibility, mobility and mental relaxation.

Tai Chi encompasses a wide range of styles and forms. The Sun style, one of the five widely recognized styles, was chosen as being particularly effective for people with arthritis. Its high stance makes it easier for beginners and older adults to learn, and its movements flow smoothly like water in a river. It also contains unique breathing (Qigong) exercises that facilitate healing, breathing and relaxation.

For more information call 598-0303 or email <katodpa@yahoo.com>.

## Book Signing at Coffee Co. Library

The fifth annual Author Signing will be hosted by the Coffee County Manchester Public Library and will be from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Saturday, Jan. 14.

Twenty Tennessee authors will be at the library to meet the public and autograph copies of their books. This event is free to the public, and refreshments will be provided by local businesses.

Among the writers who are scheduled to attend are: Meredith Leigh Burton, author of "Crimilia"; Dr. Barbara Ebel, anesthesiologist-turned-author who writes medical fiction and children's books featuring Chester the Chesapeake Bay Retriever; J.T. Ellison, author of "Where all the Dead Lie," the seventh in her Taylor Jackson series;

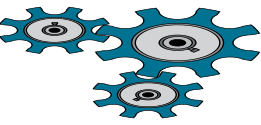
Ronda Friend, author of the children's series "Down on Friendly Acres"; Susan Gregg Gilmore, author of "The Improper Life of Bezellia Grove: A Novel"; Teresa Hall, author and illustrator of "God's Amazing Apples"; Cindal Cooley Jackson, author of "Legacy of Stone"; and Sheila Robertson, author of "Alzheimer's ... There is Hope."

For more information, please visit the library's website at <www.coffeecountylibrary.org> or call 931-723-5143.

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MLS 1298102 - 1521 Jackson Point Rd., Sewanee. \$149,900

MLS 1203016 - 94 Maxon Lane, Sewanee. \$399,000

MLS 1262738 - 925 Dogwood Dr., Clifftops. \$175,000

MLS 1254696 - 921 Poplar Place, Clifftops. \$590,000

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Sarvisberry Place	1207077	\$83,000	
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About 30 people gathered at Shenanigans in December to sing Christmas carols and enjoy hot chocolate and the fellowship of friends on a festive night.

## Dance Conservatory Open House

The Sewanee Dance Conservatory will host two open house events for registration for the winter/spring semester. The first will be 3:30–5 p.m., today, Friday, Jan. 6, in the dance studio at the Fowler Center. There will be another open house, 2–4 p.m., Sunday, Jan. 15. Classes will begin the week of Jan. 16, with a demonstration performance planned for April.

David Herriott of Huntsville is the Sewanee Dance Conservatory director. He was a principal soloist with Canada's Royal Winnipeg Ballet and with North Carolina Dance Theatre, touring internationally with both companies. He is now the artistic director of Alabama Youth Ballet Theatre in Huntsville and is teaching ballet and modern classes at the University.

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

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

## Student Dance Auditions for Interlochen

Dance students in grades 6–12 are invited to attend an open-call dance audition on Saturday, Jan. 21, at the Dance Theatre of Tennessee (2710 Old Lebanon Rd., Suite 15, Nashville).

Auditions will include ballet, pointe and modern technique. Participating students will be considered for admission to Interlochen's world-renowned summer arts program or fine arts boarding high school.

Registration starts at 1:30 p.m., and auditions will begin at 2 p.m.

The dance program at Interlochen Center for the Arts offers a curriculum designed for the serious student who wishes to study both ballet and modern dance. All classes provide a positive, focused, professional atmosphere.

Interlochen Center for the Arts is a recipient of the National Medal of Arts and the only organization in the world that brings together a 2,500-student summer camp program; a 500-student fine arts boarding high school; opportunities for hundreds of adults to engage in fulfilling artistic and creative programs; two 24-hour listener-supported public radio stations (classical music and news); and more than 600 arts presentations annually.

For more information about the dance program, go to < www.interlochen.org/dance2012>.

**Puzzle Hint for page 2 photograph:** The six seniors among the children in the picture are Will Evans, Kellen Mayfield, Sophie Register, Sadie Shackelford, Kira Tharp and Addison Willis. See page 11 for the solution.

## River Gallery Show Opens

The River Gallery in Chattanooga is hosting an artists' reception 6:30–8 p.m. (EST), today, Friday, Jan. 6, to celebrate its new exhibit. The January show's artists "look to the past to reveal what lies within."

Painter James Conner views his work as a diary of his life and heritage, beginning with his growing up in rural Mississippi. Mixed media artist Sammie Nicely views his work as a way in which cultural and self-understanding can be attained.

The reception is free and open to the public. River Gallery is located at 400 East Second St., Chattanooga. For information call (423) 265-5033.



"Toad Stools," by Linda Thomas

## In-Town Gallery Begins the New Year with "Leap into Art"

With 2012 being a leap year, the artists of In-Town Gallery in Chattanooga are presenting a collection of artwork that represents that theme. The opening reception for "Leap into Art" is 5–8 p.m. (EST), today, Friday, Jan. 6.

In addition to Linda Thomas' intaglio etchings of rabbits, toads and frogs, Jennie Kirkpatrick has a watercolor of the leaping fountains in Coolidge Park. The scenic view from Lovers' Leap in Rock City is the subject of another painting, and Janis Wilkey portrays the leaping waters of Bald River Falls above Tellico Plains in oils on canvas. The brilliant colors on Paul Fontana's works and Helen Brooks' collages will leap out to catch the viewer's attention. Mary Clor has designed a unique piece of jewelry to reflect the theme, and a leaping lizard is portrayed in fabric by Linda White.

In-Town Gallery is located at 26A Frazier Ave., between the Walnut Street and Market Street bridges, adjacent to Coolidge Park. For more information, call (423) 267-9214, or visit <www.intowngallery.com>.



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## LIKETO WATCH

by Kiki Beavers



During my search for summer reading last year, my longtime friend, April Alvarez, discovered a book she thought I might like. She and her husband Stephen were on a *sojourn* to Paris, where Stephen was photographing the tunnels under the city. She found the book, "The English Patient" by Michael Ondaatje in the apartment where they were staying. She knew I was a huge fan of the movie. I ordered the book online and read it in three days. It is a beautiful book and a gorgeous movie.

I must admit I did not watch this movie when it was released in 1996. I did not even know about the movie until Academy Awards night, when the movie won nine Oscars, including Best Picture. It was then and there that I became fascinated by the movie. When it was released to VHS, I went to the movie rental store and watched it again and again. It is a story told through images: from the opening, with a curving montage of the endless sea of desert, to the discovery of holy places, to the bitter, heartbreaking end.

"The English Patient" is about love and betrayal, set in pre-World War II Africa. It is told in a series of flashbacks by a burned patient, whom everyone assumes is English. As the story unfolds, we see a group of people who belong to the Royal Geographical Society. They are archaeologists and cartographers, making maps of the desert. In their journey to chronicle ancient places, they discover the Cave of Swimmers. Because of these discoveries, the geographical society wants to go to places where there are no boundaries created by politicians.

"Where the real countries are. Not boundaries drawn on maps with the names of powerful men," one of the characters in the movie says.

During the journey through the desert, Count Almásy and Katharine Clifton fall in love. Katharine's husband, Geoffrey, is a British spy who is taking photographs and making aerial maps of the desert for the British army. As war breaks out, the geographical society has to disband. There are now logistical lines that cannot be crossed. This group didn't care about countries or nationalities because none of that mattered. "It was something finer than that." "All I desired was to walk upon such an earth that had no maps," Katharine says.

Almásy waits at the Cave of Swimmers for Geoffrey to fly in and take him from the desert. Geoffrey crashes the biplane, dying on impact. Katharine is in the plane and is too injured to travel. Almásy leaves her in the Cave of Swimmers with a promise to come back, that he would never leave her alone in the desert.

After a three-day walk to the nearest town, Almásy is detained by a group of British soldiers. Because of his name, they think he is a German spy but Almásy finally escapes. In his quest to get back, to keep his word, he hands over the maps and photographs of the desert to the German army in return for a plane. He is a man with no name and no country, in love with ghosts.

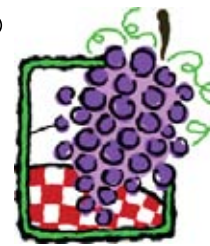
Images lend themselves to stories to be told. I do not know what Stephen thinks when he descends into a cave or ascends a mountain in hopes of re-discovering an ancient place. I like to think he wonders about the hundreds of different names for these places that have been lost in the whisperings of time. If he wonders about the place before it was won or lost in battle. Before it became a place on a map with borders and people now part of a country.

In his work, Stephen gets to see these things with new eyes. He takes photographs and tells the story through his lens. There is no war, no politics and no nationalities. No borders, no countries. No words, just the photographs chronicling a discovery. Stories unfold in my mind's eye because of the images.

"The English Patient" is being re-released on BluRay Jan. 31, just in time for this year's Oscars (on Feb. 26). I know Stephen has not watched this movie, but he and April are most certainly welcome to come over to my house. I would like to watch it again.

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## SUD from page 1

In discussing other highlights of the budget, Beavers said he deferred lift station rehabilitation to 2013. The rehab of the Mikell Lane area was recently completed. The lift station on Roark's Cove Road (known as the "Alto Road station") is next in line for rehab, but Beavers decided it was prudent to complete sewer inflow and infiltration (I&I) repair in the area first and to determine the rehab of the lift station pump on the flow rate following I&I repair. The 2012 budget includes \$135,000 for I&I repair. In a late November heavy rain event, the Alto Road lift station could not handle the excess water entering the sewer, and an overflow resulted.

Beavers also noted that health insurance premiums increased less than 5 percent, and SUD's other insurance expenses (workers' compensation, property insurance and casualty insurance) decreased slightly. SUD personnel received a raise in the 2-3 percent range.

Board president Doug Cameron recommended the board postpone a vote on whether to apply for federal funding to modify SUD vehicles to operate on natural gas rather than gasoline. The program has not been funded yet and is tied to the controversial Tar Sands pipeline. Cameron expressed reservations regarding the natural gas modification program, pointing out that it was a government program designed to create customers for the natural gas industry and that most natural gas was extracted by fracking, an environmentally questionable mining practice.

The next SUD business meeting is scheduled for 5 p.m., Jan. 24.

## SES Menus

**Jan. 9-13  
LUNCH**

**MON:** Chicken nuggets, corn dog, green beans, tossed salad, chilled fruit.

**TUE:** Breakfast for lunch, pepperoni hot pocket, tossed salad, baked beans, mixed vegetables.

**WED:** Beef and bean burrito, taco salad, Spanish rice, pinto beans, tossed salad, fruit.

**THU:** Chicken nuggets, Frito chili pie, mashed potatoes, steamed carrots, tossed salad, chilled fruit.

**FRI:** Pizza, tomato soup and grilled cheese, tater tots, vegetable blend, tossed salad, chocolate pudding.

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

### BREAKFAST

**MON:** Pancakes.

**TUE:** Egg and cheese biscuit.

**WED:** Pancake pup.

**THU:** French toast sticks.

**FRI:** Cinnamon rolls.

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 Regular hours resume on Monday,  
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 1793 for pool hours.



Allyson Hale

## SAS Soccer Players Honored

St. Andrew's-Sewanee School senior Allyson Hale was recently named to the Tennessee High School Soccer Coaches Association East/Middle Division II-A All-State Team.

Hale has also been named Most Valuable Player in track, basketball and soccer. She is an honors student and is a recipient of the Edward E. Ford Foundation Scholarship, awarded to a day student who demonstrates the academic potential and motivation to capitalize on the SAS educational experience. Hale is also a Proctor, one of the highest leadership positions at SAS. She is the daughter of Reba Ridley. She hopes to attend Berry College in Georgia next year.

Junior captain goalkeeper Katie Craighill earned All-District honors "I am very proud of both of these young women for their strong spirits, positive attitudes and true dedication to team before self," said coach Andrea Fisher.

## Home Games This Week

**Today, Jan. 6**  
 5:30 pm GCHS Basketball  
 v Signal Mountain  
 6 pm FCHS V Girls' Basketball  
 v Tullahoma  
 7:30 pm FCHS V Boys' Basketball  
 v Tullahoma  
**Saturday, Jan. 7**  
 3 pm Men's Basketball  
 v Centre College  
**Monday, Jan. 9**  
 6 pm SAS MS Girls' Basketball  
 v Coalmont Elementary  
 7 pm SAS MS Boys' Basketball  
 v Coalmont Elementary  
**Tuesday, Jan. 10**  
 8 am SAS Middle & High School  
 Invitational Swim Meet  
 6 pm GCHS V Boys' Basketball  
 v Coffee County HS  
 6 pm SAS V Girls' Basketball  
 v University School of Nashville  
 7:30 pm SAS V Boys' Basketball  
 v University School of Nashville  
**Thursday, Jan. 12**  
 4:30 pm SAS JV Boys' Basketball  
 v Webb School  
 4:30 pm SES Girls' Basketball  
 v Decherd @ Cowan  
 5:30 pm SES Boys' Basketball  
 v Decherd @ Cowan  
 6 pm SAS V Girls' Basketball  
 v Webb School  
 7:30 pm SAS V Boys' Basketball  
 v Webb School  
**Friday, Jan. 13**  
 3:30 pm GCHS JV Basketball  
 v Bledsoe County HS  
 6 pm GCHS V Basketball  
 v Bledsoe County HS  
 6:30 pm SAS Middle & High School  
 Swim Meet v Multiple Teams



Madison Culpepper, a tenth-grade student at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School, in action against South Pittsburg High School. Photo by Bob Hoagland

## Youth Sports Highlights

### SES Girls' Basketball

The SES girls' basketball team took on Cowan Elementary at Franklin County High School, Thursday, Dec. 15. Cowan controlled the boards on both ends of the court. Cowan had the lead 8-1 at the end of the first half.

SES played a good second half, scoring four points to Cowan's two. Mariel Rinck had a couple of well-timed steals to help the SES offense. SES could not capitalize on Cowan's fouls, however, shooting 1 of 8 from the free-throw line. SES lost the game by a score of 10-5.

Anna Post scored four points and Kate Butler scored one point. SES is now 3-3 on the season.

### SAS Basketball

The SAS basketball teams traveled to Huntland on Dec. 13. The SAS boys' team was defeated by a score of 53-38. The Lady Lions defeated their hosts by a score of 44-37.

The Lady Lions came out from the beginning of the game taking the lead early and never letting it go. In fact, the SAS defense shut Huntland out in the second quarter, allowing them no points during that period.

Seniors Sadie Shackelford and Allyson Hale led their teammates to an impressive victory. Shackelford poured in 19 points, while Hale scored 16. Michaela Shackelford and Monica Molina each had six steals. Michaela Shackelford also had seven assists in the game.

SAS hosted South Pittsburg High School on Dec. 6. In the girls' game, 33 fouls were recorded in the "backyard brawl" for bragging rights.

The Lady Lions came out on top with a convincing 57-32 win. Molina led all scorers with 24 points. Sadie Shackelford had 20 rebounds. Michaela Shackelford scored 11 points, Hale had four points, Madison Culpepper scored four, and Katelyn Howard and Jenna Burris each scored two points.

The boys' team lost to South Pittsburg, 55-39. SAS led 25-17 at halftime, but the Pirates mounted a comeback in the second half.

SAS was led by Jonathan Jones with 18 points and 16 rebounds; Kendall Kinslow added 14 points and five rebounds; Tinashe Zimbwa had five points; Andrew Heitzenrater and Eric Baynard each had one point.

### SAS Wrestling

At the Franklin County Dual in mid-December, the SAS Mountain Lion wrestling squad suffered its first team defeat against Franklin County 33-45. Pins by Myles Kincaid, Tyler Privette, Robert Post and Leo Yoon and a decision won by Charlie Woodlief were not enough to overcome the Rebel matmen.

Next, the Lions set their sights on the Warren County Invitational in McMinnville on Dec. 17. Hard-fought battles by team captain Kincaid, Woodlief and newcomer Devonta Oden yielded one win for each, leaving the team short of the medal rounds. Robert Post's only loss was in the finals against Riverdale, leaving him with a silver medal at 170 lbs., while Yoon swept the 195-lb. field, pinning all opponents and bringing home a gold medal.

## OVERTIME

by John Shackelford



I know what most of you are thinking when you see a dashing old coach like me walking across campus or through the gym: "Is that the guy I just saw on the cover of Men's Health magazine with the six-pack abs?" Sadly, that fantasy died for me about 20 years ago when children first began to appear in our household. Somehow, I have never been able to shed my postpartum weight, even though I wasn't the one who actually carried those babies. Surely it must be my children's fault that I became accustomed to a diet of macaroni and cheese, pizzas, tacos and double cheeseburgers.

So like the many millions of you who read this column regularly, I have come to the realization that I need to lose weight during the New Year. Yes, this is not the most original idea for a New Year's resolution, but the time has come to face facts. I am simply not that speeding bullet running across a tennis court chasing one of Woody Register's fierce backhands that I once was. My own players are starting to ask me if they need to spot me a few games in a set. (Please! I used to own those guys.)

After watching a few hundred Charles Barkley and Jennifer Hudson Weight Watchers commercials during the holidays, often while sitting with a bowl of hot buttered popcorn or Christmas chocolates in my lap, I have decided to register for the online version of Weight Watchers. Millions of Americans have used this program with great success, but I never felt compelled to join the team. There is also a community group that meets weekly at Otey and is incredibly supportive of one another, but my waistline insisted on using the privacy of the Internet until it was ready for prime-time. Come on, I have taught classes in nutrition and I get to exercise for a living—what does a guy like me need with a calorie counter? Surely all this fitness information coursing through my brain must just burn calories on its own. I know I must be getting in shape by merely watching my team run around the courts. I should have gotten a clue when the new jeans Santa brought me for Christmas looked like some of his hand-me-downs. I think there is room in there for me and six of his elves.

Signing up has been a very enlightening and motivating experience. They offer a Weight Watchers for Men program so that none of my ample supply of testosterone feels diminished. First, they ask you to input your name, age and current weight into the system online. No real need to lie—it's just me and this calculator on my laptop screen that seems to sense any attempt at exaggeration. For the record, I am 6-foot, 2-inches and have been living north of the bicentennial club for at least a decade. (Most of that is solid muscle, you know.) They gave me the option of measuring my waistline, neck, bulging biceps, thighs and calves. In the interests of full disclosure I felt compelled to list those measurements below, but my editor removed the numbers for fear of scaring small children.

After selecting a goal weight, I am assigned a certain number of "points" that I can consume daily, and I am rewarded with some bonus points each week that I can spend on buttered popcorn if I need that to keep me sane. It looks easy. All I have to do is eat my oatmeal in the morning, a couple slices of dry wheat toast packed with fiber for lunch, wash it down with eight glasses of water and maybe an apple slice for dessert. I can see it now. I will probably reach my goal before Spring Break. I could be wearing a Speedo this summer. Students will soon be asking me how to get back to the freshman dorm. I already feel like a speeding bullet just reading their website. My players are going to wish they never offered me those sympathy points.

So, the next magazine cover you see offering a sure-fire method to "six-pack abs" may feature yours truly. Unfortunately it will probably be my quarterly subscription to AARP.

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## NATURENOTES

By Harry and Jean Yeatman

### Wildlife in Flight

On Dec. 31, **Jean and Harry Yeatman** went to the wildlife area in Stevenson, Ala., to observe hawks, eagles and songbirds. A meadowlark flew



Golden Eagle

up in a roadside field and a Northern Harrier Hawk was flying low over the grassy areas, looking for field mice. It showed its white rump patch and brown body, which identified it as an adult female. American Kestrels were resting on telephone lines, and a Cooper's Hawk with a rounded tail end flew into view. Two Black Vultures flew overhead, showing their stubby tails and a white patch of feathers near the wing ends. A dark hawk was seen, which was the Harland's Red-tailed Hawk. The most exciting bird was an adult Golden Eagle, eating a car-killed cottontail rabbit. This eagle is dark brown, with golden-tipped feathers on the

## Monteagle Low Country Boil

The Second Annual Low Country Boil will be 4–7 p.m., Saturday, Jan. 21, at the Monteagle National Guard Armory. Bazzania will provide authentic Cajun music, and there will be shrimp, potatoes, sausage and corn cooked in a Cajun seasoning. There will also be a boil without shrimp, as well as "swamp water tea" and bread pudding for dessert.

Tickets are \$12 per person and advanced ticket purchase is recommended, as seating is limited.

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Violet



Glory

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Violet is a brown Tabby with big gold eyes. She is loving and affectionate, calm and a little prissy. Violet is negative for FeLV and FIV, house-trained, up-to-date on shots and spayed.

Glory is a sweet, medium-sized Terrier/Beagle mix. She can be a little shy at first, but before long she wants to be in your lap snuggling. Glory is up-to-date on shots and spayed.

Every Friday is Black Friday at Animal Harbor. On Fridays, adoption fees will be reduced 50 percent for black or mostly black pets more than 4 months old who have been at Animal Harbor for more than a month. Pets adopted from Animal Harbor qualify for a free post-adoption wellness exam by local veterinarians.

Call Animal Harbor at 962-4472 for information and check out their other pets at <www.animalharbor.com>. Enter their drawing on this site for a free spay or neuter for one of your pets! Please help the Humane Society continue to save abandoned pets by sending your donations to the Franklin County Humane Society, P. O. Box 187, Winchester, TN 37398.

## AASC Has Funding for "Fixing" Large Dogs

Animal Alliance South Cumberland recently received a grant to help pet owners get their large dogs spayed or neutered. If you have a dog that weighs 40 pounds or more, AASC has funds to help get your dog fixed. Because large dogs have larger litters and are more likely to live outside and be free-roaming, AASC wants to reduce the number of unwanted and often abandoned puppies.

AASC's goal is to help make spaying and neutering available and affordable to each and every pet owner on the Mountain. A recent study reported in USA Today indicated that the main reasons pet owners don't have their pets spayed and neutered are cost of the surgery, procrastination and a misconception about the surgery. There is also a common misconception that it is better to allow a dog or cat to have a litter of puppies or kittens before being fixed.

A litter of six 6-week old puppies was recently left in a cardboard box on a back road in Tracy City. Volunteers at Animal Alliance still talk to pet owners who don't know there is help available to stop these unwanted litters. Let AASC, working with local veterinarians, "fix" your pet before they are five months old.

The abandoned litter of six puppies was rescued by AASC. They will all be spayed and neutered, and homes will be found for them; however, while their tragedy will be over, their mother may produce another litter this summer.

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## Weather

DAY	DATE	HI	LO
Mon	Dec 12	49	35
Tue	Dec 13	54	37
Wed	Dec 14	65	46
Thu	Dec 15	65	53
Fri	Dec 16	59	40
Sat	Dec 17	43	28
Sun	Dec 18	49	31

### Week's Stats:

Avg max temp =	55
Avg min temp =	39
Avg temp =	43
Precipitation =	1.32"

DAY	DATE	HI	LO
Mon	Dec 19	54	33
Tue	Dec 20	56	45
Wed	Dec 21	60	54
Thu	Dec 22	55	44
Fri	Dec 23	48	38
Sat	Dec 24	48	31
Sun	Dec 25	49	36

### Week's Stats:

Avg max temp =	53
Avg min temp =	40
Avg temp =	45
Precipitation =	1.17"

DAY	DATE	HI	LO
Mon	Dec 26	47	34
Tue	Dec 27	45	35
Wed	Dec 28	43	31
Thu	Dec 29	51	28
Fri	Dec 30	54	36
Sat	Dec 31	58	37
Sun	Jan 01	59	37

### Week's Stats:

Avg max temp =	51
Avg min temp =	34
Avg temp =	38
Total Precipitation =	1.25"

### December Monthly Averages:

Avg max temp =	52
Avg min temp =	36
Avg temp =	40
Precipitation =	6.17"

### December 53-Year Averages:

Avg max temp =	46
Avg min temp =	31
Avg temp =	39
Precipitation =	5.83"

YTD Avg Rainfall =	61.21"
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*Reported by  
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Oh, and sweet girls will  
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Will you not stay,  
Put up your caravan  
Just for one day?

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# Community Calendar

### Today, Jan. 6

Reservations due for Academy for Lifelong Learning Lunch  
Voting continues at SUD for new director, through Jan. 24  
Curbside recycling, by 7:30 am  
7:00 am AA, (open), Holy Comforter, Monteagle  
8:30 am Vinyasa Flow Yoga with Rebecca, Community Center  
9:00 am CAC office open, until 11  
12:00 pm Academy for Lifelong Learning lunch deadline  
12:00 pm Men's Bible study, Otey  
3:30 pm Sewanee Dance Conservatory open house, Fowler  
5:15 pm Modern dance, adults, Community Center  
7:00 pm AA, Christ Church, Tracy City

### Saturday, Jan. 7

10:00 am Silver Thread group meeting, St. Mary's Convent  
7:30 pm AA (open), Otey parish hall

### Sunday, Jan. 8

4:00 pm Women's Bible study, Otey  
4:00 pm Yoga with Helen, Community Center  
6:30 pm AA (open), Holy Comforter, Monteagle

### Monday, Jan. 9

9:00 am CAC office open, until 11  
10:30 am Chair Exercise, Senior Center  
3:15 pm Daisy and Brownie Troops 239 & 621, Otey  
5:00 pm Women's 12-step, Otey parish hall  
6:30 pm Franklin County school board, Board of Ed. office  
7:00 pm AA, Christ Church, Tracy City  
7:00 pm Centering Prayer, Otey sanctuary  
7:00pm Community Council, Senior Center

### Tuesday, Jan. 10

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

10:30 am Bingo, Senior Center  
11:45 am Community Center board meeting  
4:00 pm Centering Prayer, St. Mary's  
6:00 pm Daughters of the King, St. James  
7:00 pm NA, Decherd United Methodist  
7:30 pm AA (open), Otey parish hall  
7:30 pm Al-Anon, Otey parish hall

### Wednesday, Jan. 11

7:00 am Monteagle Rotary, Smoke House  
9:00 am CAC Pantry Day, until 11  
10:00 am Writing & storytelling group, Senior Center  
3:30 pm Girl Scout Troop 2107, Otey  
4:30pm Lease committee agenda deadline, Lease office  
5:30 pm Yoga with Helen, Community Center  
6:00 pm Otey adult choir rehearsal, Otey  
7:30 pm AA (open), Holy Comforter, Monteagle

### Thursday, Jan. 12

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 Academy for Lifelong Learning, Ben Beavers,  
Clifftops Lake Clubhouse  
12:00 pm Satellite Rotary Club, EQB  
12:30 pm Episcopal Peace Fellowship, Otey Quintard room  
3:30 pm Yoga with Hadley, St. Mary's Sewanee  
5:00 pm Weight Watchers, Otey parish, weigh-in 4:30  
8:00 pm AA (closed), book study, St. James

### Friday, Jan. 13

Deadline for applications to CCJP Youth Retreat  
7:00 am AA, (open), Holy Comforter, Monteagle  
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