

Make a Difference Day March 3

The South Cumberland Community Fund's (SCCF) second annual Make a Difference, a day of service focused on the eight elementary schools across the Plateau, will be on Saturday, March 3, 8 a.m.–noon.

Each of the schools, Sewanee Elementary, Monteagle Elementary, and the six elementary schools of Grundy County, has been allocated \$1,000 for purchasing supplies for service projects to benefit the school. The projects range from gardening to organizing libraries to mural painting.

Make a Difference Day will be held rain or shine. All volunteers will receive T-shirts, and a light breakfast will be available.

Anyone interested in signing up or learning more about Make a Difference Day can visit <southcumberlandcommunityfund.org/make-a-difference-2018>, email <scsfvista@gmail.com> or contact Adele McAllister at (443) 812-076. Sign-up sheets are also available at the elementary schools.

Staged Reading of 'The Hystericals'

Professional actors will read Tennessee Williams Playwright-in-Residence Edith Freni's play "The Hystericals" on Sunday, March 4, at 3 p.m. in the Studio Theatre of the Tennessee Williams Center. The event is free and open to the public. A reception and talk back will follow. This event is sponsored by the Sewanee Writers' Conference.

The staged reading will be directed by Jessica Holt, a freelance theater director based in New York, and read by actors Dian Rodriguez, Mary Lynn Owen, Olivia Dawson and Cara Mantella. Joining the cast will be Sewanee playwright and professor Elyzabeth Wilder.

In "The Hystericals," a women's support group becomes significantly less supportive after the abrupt and unexplained disappearance of the group's de facto "mom." "The Hystericals" is a very new play. The playwright will go into workshop this Friday with actors, a director, raw pages, and ideas. We invite you to join the creative process by enjoying the staged reading and then discussing the play during the talk back session that will follow. The playwright, director, and actors will be eager to discuss the new play and hear your feedback as its first audience.

Freni is the current Tennessee Williams Playwright-in-Residence at the University of the South. She holds her B.F.A. and M.F.A. from NYU's Department of Dramatic Writing, and her work has been produced and developed in New York and nationally at theaters including Steppenwolf, LAByrntheater Company, the Williamstown Theater Festival, Ensemble Studio Theater, New York Theater Workshop, Profile Theatre in Portland, Ore.; City Theater in Miami, and Actor's Express in Atlanta. Edith is a three-time nominee for the prestigious PONY Award and a two-time finalist for the Jerome Fellowship.



Some students and faculty members laid their gowns on the steps of All Saints' Chapel in protest of the Board of Regents' decision to not rescind the 2016 honorary degree of Charlie Rose. The protest took place on Feb. 22. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

Faculty Senate Joins Call to Revoke Rose Degree

by Kevin Cummings, Messenger Staff Writer

The University of the South's faculty Senate on Feb. 26 became the latest group amidst a flurry of protests to ask the Board of Regents to revoke the honorary degree awarded to embattled journalist Charlie Rose.

The Senate, which includes the full professors at the University, deans and other University leaders, unanimously voted to recommend the school's Board of Regents rescind Rose's degree immediately.

Vice Chancellor John McCardell said on the morning of Feb. 27 that the Board of Regents is not scheduled to meet again until June, but the board chair, Joseph DeLozier, has the authority to call a meeting at any time.

Jennifer Michael, chair of the English Department, made the initial motion to ask for the cancellation of Rose's degree.

"My personal view is that Mr. Rose's admitted actions, conducted in the workplace while he was doing the very work for which we honored him, are violations of human dignity, and that by continuing to honor him, the University implicitly condones those actions," Michael said.

The Senate also unanimously voted to task the Honorary Degree Committee with creating a standard process for revoking honorary degrees, which currently does not exist.

Rose gave the commencement address to the University in May 2016, when he also received his honor. In November 2017, at least eight women publicly claimed that Rose had sexually harassed them. Rose acknowledged past inappropriate behavior, but also said not all claims were factual.

CBS fired Rose as an anchor of its morning program, while PBS also ended their relationship with Rose and his eponymous interview show was cancelled. In addition, several universities rescinded honorary degrees previously awarded to Rose.

The faculty Senate, according to University Ordinances, approves all honorary degrees, and the body approved Rose's degree prior to the allegations being made public.

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Community Council Announces Crosswalks Relocation

by Leslie Lytle, Messenger Staff Writer

A round of applause greeted the announcement at the Feb. 26 Sewanee Community Council meeting that the crosswalk installations at the Blue Chair and Senior Citizens Center would be relocated to dangerous crossing sites on the Mountain Goat Trail. The council adamantly objected to the pushbutton crosswalks when they first appeared in August 2015 echoing residents' complaints the installations were "obtrusive" and reduced already inadequate parking. Vice-Chancellor John McCardell heralded the crosswalk relocation as illustrative of the council's ability to "get things done."

The council agreed with McCardell's suggestion the council pass a resolution thanking Franklin County Highway Commissioner Joe David McBee and others who worked to address the issue. McCardell's office will draft a resolution for the council's review.

"This will benefit the entire community," said University Superintendent of Leases Sallie Green, who had met with McBee, Mountain Goat Trail Alliance Executive Director Patrick Dean and William Shealy, University Superintendent of Landscape Planning & Operations, to review possible relocation sites on the trail. The group agreed on the Hawkins Lane and Airport Road crossings as new homes for the push-button crosswalks.

Council representative June Weber cheered the relocation sites commenting, "People are like a target crossing at Airport Road."

The push-button crosswalks at the Senior Center and Blue Chair will be replaced with "cone variety" crosswalks like others on campus, Green said. Parking will be restored in front of the Blue Chair and the curb lines

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Monteagle Council Approves Rezoning, Updating Building Codes

by Leslie Lytle, Messenger Staff Writer

At the Feb. 26 meeting, the Monteagle Town Council approved, on first reading, a request to rezone a tract of land on Highway 41 from R-3 High-Density Residential to C-2 Highway Commercial. Planning Commission chair Ron Terrill said the owner, Roy Walsingham, wanted to erect a building and sell mulch by the bag and truckload. Traveling south on Hwy. 41, the property is located on the left just past Laurel Trails Road.

The council also approved, on first reading, an ordinance updating the Building Codes regulations to the 2012 standard used by the state. Both the rezoning and building codes ordinances will be presented for a second reading granting final approval at the council meeting in March.

Utility Systems Supervisor John Condra reported the Utility Department received a near perfect score of 98 in the recent inspection. "We lost points for our fire hydrant flushing program not being active enough," Condra said.

"We have all the equipment we need," Condra noted, and said Utility Department personnel were being trained on the hydrant flushing task.

Condra requested permission to sell two sludge boxes purchased seven years ago before the new sewer plant was constructed. The Utility Department outsources sludge disposal now. Condra has received calls from individuals wanting to purchase the sludge boxes, which cost \$30,000 each when new.

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SUD Discusses Tap Fees, Commercial Leak Insurance

by Leslie Lytle, Messenger Staff Writer

At the Feb. 27 meeting, the Board of Commissioners of the Sewanee Utility District of Franklin and Marion Counties resumed a discussion about the high cost of tap fees.

"It would behoove us to address what we want to accomplish with our tap fee policy," SUD manager Ben Beavers said.

Tap fees increased dramatically following the drought of 2016, Beavers explained. The reason for the increase was to cover the cost of the \$10,000 per year contract entered into with the University to draw water from Lake Dimmick in a drought emergency. In addition to the annual fee, SUD would have also been assessed at a .35 per thousand gallon charge for the water withdrawn.

SUD never drew water from Lake Dimmick, and in September 2013 the board decided the \$10,000 per year fee was excessive and cancelled the contract. The tap fee continued at the same rate, the greatest portion of which is the \$2,615 Water Resources Fee dedicated to maintaining an adequate water supply. At present, SUD's only option in a drought emergency is to purchase water from other utilities.

"There needs to be a discussion about Lake Dimmick," Beavers said. If SUD had access to Lake Dimmick, the tap fee could be cut by as much as half.

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Marcia Mary Cook as Rebecca Nurse and Will Burton-Edwards as John Proctor speak together, watched by Danny Hambleton as Marshal Herrick (left), in "The Crucible." The performances continue at the Proctor Hill Theatre at the Tennessee Williams Center at 7:30 p.m., March 2–3. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

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Letter

SCIENCE FAIR THANK-YOU

Dear Friends of Sewanee Elementary School,

I would like to take this opportunity to recognize those who helped with the Sewanee Elementary Science Fair. Thank you to all of our parents and community members who donated their time and effort to make this wonderful educational opportunity possible for our students. Without your help, the science fair would not have been such a success! This event would not be possible without you, and I sincerely appreciate all that you do for our school.

I am especially thankful for these community members who worked as judges for our science fair: Ann Seiders, former SES teacher, retired; Mary Priestly, Local Author and Herbarium curator for the University of the South; David Drake and Kelly Seagroves, Nissan North America; Ben Beavers, Manager, SUD; and Lonnie Messina, Georgia Huber, and Katie Sutton, students, University of the South.

Finally, a big thank you to our SES students. Their projects were creative and informative. I am so proud of you all.

Sincerely,

Gail Rothermund, SES Science Fair Coordinator

Summary of the February Lease Committee Meeting

The following items were approved: January minutes; request to transfer Lease No. 1051, located at 72 Girault Jones Dr., to Alison J. Miller and Joseph J. Bruscatto; request to renovate the garage on Lease No. 832, located at 77 Kentucky Ave.; request for approval of building plans, site plan, and materials for Lease No. 35 in Wiggins Creek II; request to install a fence on Lease No. 682, located at 216 Kentucky Ave.; request to repair the chimney on Lease No. 920, located at 45 Carpenter Close; request to replace the windows on Lease No. 111, located at 289 University Ave.; and request to build an awning and new deck on Lease No. 1029, located at 227 Florida Ave.

Leasehold information is available online at <leases.sewanee.edu> or by calling the lease office at 598-1998. County regulations are available at <www.franklincoth.us/departments/planning_zoning> or by calling the planning and zoning office at 967-0981.

Agenda items are due by the fifth of each month for Lease Committee meetings. If the fifth falls on a weekend, then items are due the following Monday. Lease Committee meetings are normally the third Tuesday of the month.



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Birth

Kenneth Hank Stines

Tabitha Jean and Charles Herbert Stines of Cowan proudly announce the birth of their son, Kenneth Hank, on Thursday, Feb. 8, 2018, at Southern Tennessee Regional Health System Winchester.

Maternal grandparents are Randy and Brenda Summers of Sherwood. Paternal grandparents are David and Lottie Stines of Cowan.

Kenneth has a sibling, Brady Hall.

University Job Opportunities

Exempt Positions: Content Specialist, Marketing and Communications; Executive Chef, Sewanee Dining; Executive Director of the Beecken Center, Beecken Center/Education for Ministry; Head Volleyball Coach, Athletics.

Non-Exempt Positions: Assistant Manager, Sewanee Dining; Assistant University Organist, All Saints' Chapel; Campus Security Officer (10 positions), Police Department; Food Service Worker, Sewanee Dining; Office Program Specialist, School of Theology Dean's Office Administration; Part-Time Police Officer, Police Department; Woods Lab Shop Coordinator (Temporary), Technology Access & Support.

For more information call (931) 598-1381. Apply at <jobs.sewanee.edu>.




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Messenger Spring Break Schedule

The Messenger will take a break, and there will be no paper on Friday, March 16. The office will reopen on Monday, March 19. We will be back in print on Friday, March 23.



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Community Service Nominees Wanted

The Sewanee Civic Association invites nominations for the 35th annual Community Service Award. The award recognizes the person or organization that has made outstanding contributions to the community. The kind of contribution varies widely, but the recipient is one who has helped make Sewanee a better place and improved the quality of life for everyone in the area.

Nominations are due by Friday, March 16.

Past recipients are not eligible to receive the award again. Send the name of your nominee, along with a brief paragraph of why you are nominating this person and/or group, to <sewaneecommunitychest@gmail.com>. Nominations can also be mailed to the Sewanee Civic Association, P.O. Box 222, Sewanee, TN 37375. The award will be presented at the SCA's April 18 annual membership meeting.

Serving Where Called

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

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

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Letters to the editor are welcome at the Sewanee Mountain Messenger and are a vital part of our community's conversation. Letters need to be no longer than 250 words and may be edited for space and clarity. We make exceptions from time to time, but these are our general guidelines.

Letters and/or their author must have some relationship to our community. We do not accept letters on national topics from individuals who live outside our print circulation area. Please include your name, address and a day-time telephone number with your letter. You may mail it to us at Sewanee Mountain Messenger, P.O. Box 296, Sewanee, TN 37375, come by our office, 418 St. Mary's Ln., or send your email to <news@sewaneeemessenger.com>. —KB



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Upcoming Meetings

Grundy County Swiss Historical Society

Grundy County Swiss Historical Society is meeting on Saturday, March 3, at 10 a.m. at the Heritage Center in Tracy City. Plans for the July 28 Swiss Celebration and care of the Stoker-Stampfli Farm Museum will be the focus of the meeting. Anyone who is interested in the event or the museum is invited to attend.

At the July 27, 2019 Swiss Celebration will be a celebration of 150 years of the establishment of the Swiss Colony of Gruetli. A work weekend is scheduled for April 20 and 21 at the Stoker-Stampfli Farm Museum. For questions, tours, weddings or other events contact Jackie at (931) 235-3029 or email <jackie@swisshistoricalsociety.org>.

Coffee with the Coach

Coffee with the Coach, an opportunity to learn more about Sewanee's sports teams, at 9 a.m., Monday, March 5, with University of the South head and assistant baseball coaches David Jenkins and Phil Betterly. Gather at the Blue Chair Tavern for free coffee and conversation.

Franklin County School Board

The Franklin County School Board will meet in a work session at 5:30 p.m., Monday, March 5. The school board will have a regular scheduled meeting at 5:30 p.m., Monday, March 12. Both meetings will be at the Franklin County Board of Education Building, 215 S. College St., Winchester.

Village Update Meeting

Sewanee Village Update on Tuesday, March 6, with a session at 10 a.m., repeated at 5:30 p.m. at the Blue Chair Café and Tavern. Progress reports will be provided during the first part of the meeting on the five priority projects (road, bookstore, grocery store, housing and Village Green) as well as any other activities of note. The second half of the meeting will focus on a specific project or discussion topic to provide greater details and opportunities for comments and questions. The topic that will be scheduled for the next meeting on Tuesday, March 6 is a discussion on second home owners place in Sewanee.

Grundy County Democrats Meet on March 6

The Grundy County Democratic Party will meet at 6 p.m., Tuesday, March 6, at the Courthouse in Altamont. All are welcome. For more info call Larry Hall at (931) 692-3350.

Alzheimer's Support Group

The Alzheimer's Support Group will meet at 6 p.m., Tuesday, March 6, at the Willows of Winchester Health and Rehab Center's conference room, located at 32 Memorial Dr., Winchester. The support group is for caregivers and families caring for anyone with memory impairment.

EQB Meeting

Members of the EQB Club will meet for lunch at noon, Wednesday, March 7, at St. Mary's Sewanee.

DivorceCare

On Wednesday, March 7, from 6–7:30 p.m., DivorceCare, a nationwide nondenominational 13-week support group for separated and divorced individuals will begin their spring session meeting just off Main Street in Monteagle. Please go to <www.divorcecare.org> and type in your zip code for further information on the Monteagle location and how to register. This is a video and discussion group that features practical information on 13 different issues. Each week is self contained so it is not necessary to attend in sequence. This is a safe place for hope and healing. The only cost is a \$15 workbook. Contact Daniel or Becky Lehmann at <eaglesrest1517@gmail.com> or call (615) 294-4748 for more information.

Area Rotary Club Meetings

The Grundy County Rotary Club meets at 11:30 a.m., Tuesdays at Dutch Maid Bakery in Tracy City. The Monteagle-Sewanee Rotary Club will meet at 8 a.m., Thursday, March 8, at the Sewanee Inn for a presentation by Jalaa' Abdelwahab. See page 10 for more information.

Sewanee Emeritus Association

The Sewanee Emeritus Association will meet at 3:30 p.m., Thursday, March 8, in the Torian Room of duPont Library. Sarah Sherwood, director of the Sewanee Environmental Institute, University Archaeologist and professor of Environmental Studies will describe ongoing archaeological work on the Domain and give an update on the Sewanee Environmental Institute.

Franklin County Republican Women

FCRW will be holding a Meet & Greet on Thursday, March 15, at 6:30–8:30 p.m., in the Franklin Pearson House in Cowan. Candidates for the Franklin County Mayoral race have been invited. Refreshments will be served.

FCDP Chili Supper

The Franklin County Democratic Party will host a Christopher Smith for County Commission Chili Supper at 5 p.m., Saturday, March 17, at the Estill Springs Community Center, 100 Hudgins St., Estill Springs. Everyone is invited to attend and meet Smith, candidate for County Commission, District 8, Seat A.

Franklin County Commissioners

FC Board of Commissioners Meeting, 7 p.m., Monday, March 19, at the Franklin County Courthouse, Winchester.

STLS March Meeting

The Southern Tennessee Ladies Society will hold their next monthly meeting at Franklin County Country Club on Wednesday, March 7 beginning at 9:30 a.m. Call Tina Roth at (931) 967-4813 for reservations.

The speaker will be Abby Pickett, Director of Winchester Downtown Program Corp. She began this position in April of 2015 after working 5 years in the Franklin County Mayor's Office. The Winchester Downtown Program Corporation is a nonprofit corporation whose sole purpose is the recruitment and retention of an optimal mix of small businesses in the Winchester downtown district, so as to support the city of Winchester, the surrounding municipalities, and Franklin County as a whole.

The Southern Tennessee Ladies Society (STLS) is a not-for-profit association of women who are interested in social activity with other women in the community. They are women who want to make a difference in the lives of graduating high school seniors by awarding scholarships each year. More than 50 scholarships have been awarded since 2009. The 2018 Scholarships will be awarded during the May 2 meeting to students from Franklin, Coffee, Moore, Lincoln and Grundy counties.

Membership is open to the public. For more information contact STLS at <www.southerntnladies.com>.

CCJP Membership Meeting

The Cumberland Center for Justice and Peace (CCJP) will be hosting a membership meeting and electing new board members at the Sewanee Senior Center from 4–6 p.m., Sunday, March 11. All members, old and new, are invited to attend, along with those in the community who are interested in the CCJP's mission of working towards bringing a measure of justice and peace to the surrounding area and the broader world. After sharing ideas and planning, a potluck dinner will be held. All are invited to bring a dish to share. Child care will be provided. CCJP will provide drinks. For more information, please email <board@ccjp.org>.

Sewanee Woman's Club Meeting March 12

The Sewanee Woman's Club (SWC) will meet at noon, Monday, March 12, at the DuBose Conference Center in Monteagle. The club welcomes all women to join. Dues are \$5 per year and are used to support Thurmond Library and community projects. Reservations are due today (Friday), March 2. To make a reservation call Janet Miller Schmidt, (504) 858-5221 or email Marianna Handler at <mariannah900@gmail.com>.

Mary Jane Flowers, Interior Designer for Flowers Construction will present the program on "Creative Spring Refresh a Home."

Lunch (\$14) for this meeting will be green salad, garden quiche, baked tomato, hot rolls, and lemon bar for dessert. Reservations are required. A vegetarian choice is offered; please request this when making a reservation. The Club encourages making a standing reservation for the year.

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

Civic Association Hosts Blue Monarch

The Sewanee Civic Association (SCA) will meet on Tuesday, March 13, at the EQB Center. Social time begins at 5:30 p.m., with a brief business meeting at 6 p.m. Following will be a presentation on the mission and activities of the Blue Monarch.

Additionally, the SCA invites nominations for open positions on the 2018-19 Board of Directors. Experience working in fundraising or nonprofits is a plus, but any adult who resides in the area and shares concerns of the community is welcome. Nominations are due by Friday, March 9. The slate will be presented at the SCA's March 13 meeting. Voting will occur at the annual membership meeting on April 18.

For more information go to <sewaneecivic.wordpress.com> or email <sewaneecivic@gmail.com>.

SCCF 2018 Grants Cycle

The South Cumberland Community Fund (SCCF) invites potential applicants to a series of informational sessions to help organizations prepare their requests. All grant applicants must attend one of the information meetings before submitting a proposal.

The last meeting is at noon, Friday, March 2, at the Grundy EMS office in Coalmont, across from the Coalmont Community Center.

The deadline for applications is April 2; final selection of grant recipients will be announced by June 1. For more information, go to <southcumberlandcommunityfund.org> or email <nhamilto@sewanee.edu>.

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Church News

All Saints’ Chapel

Growing in Grace will continue Sunday, March 4, at 6:30 p.m. in All Saints’ Chapel. Our speakers this semester will address significant gathering places in their lives. Christ assures us “where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them” (Matthew 18:20, NRSV). We return again and again to certain communities and physical spaces in the hope of also being in the presence of something divine. Where are those places for us? Who are the people we become our purest selves in? How do we experience Christ’s presence when only two or three stand with us? Tonight, Kasey Taylor, assistant to the chaplain for community service, will share her story with us. Email Kayla Deep to hear more.

The Lenten Daily Eucharist—A Eucharist will be celebrated each weekday, Monday through Friday, during the season of Lent beginning at 12:25 p.m. in St. Augustine’s Chapel. The service is designed to last 20-25 minutes so that you can take part and still make it to your 1 p.m. class or appointment. Please consider joining us.

The Catechumenate will continue Wednesday, March 7, at 6:30 p.m. in the Women’s Center. A catered meal will be provided. Based around fellowship, study, openness, and conversation, the Catechumenate serves as a foundational piece for the Christian faith, as well as a forum for discussion for people of all backgrounds. This week we will explore praying the Anglican Rosary. All are welcome.

Email Lay Chaplain Kayla Deep at <kayla.deep@sewanee.edu> for directions or more information.

Centering Prayer

For those who want to deepen their lives of prayer, particularly deep listening in the prayer of quiet, a centering prayer support group meets each Wednesday at 1 p.m. in the prayer room at Trinity Episcopal on 1st Avenue in Winchester. Newcomers to centering prayer and those who simply want to learn are welcome! Call Laura Ellen Truelove at (615) 881-2492 for more information.

Otey Parish

This Sunday, March 4, the Lectionary Class will explore Sunday’s gospel, in the Claiborne Parish House, Adult Education Room. Children ages 3–11 are invited to meet their friends for Godly Play. Youth Sunday School will meet in Brooks Hall. Infants 6 weeks to children 4 years old are invited to the nursery beginning at 8:30 a.m. until after the second service.

The Adult Forum at Otey will be at 10 a.m., Sunday, March 4. Virginia Craighill will speak on “Marilynne Robinson as Theological Novelist and Essayist.” All are invited.

During Lent, there will be a Soup and Lenten series at 6 p.m., Wednesdays, at St. Mark’s Hall. On Thursdays at 1 p.m., there will be a Brown Bag Lenten series. Bring a lunch. The Lenten series is “Civil Discourse Curriculum,” a program for reflection, consideration and discussion.

St. James in Midway

“Loving With All Your Heart, Soul, Strength, and Mind” continues 5:30–7:30 p.m., Monday, March 5. This is a six-week interactive study with

scriptures, prayers, and poems for daily use during Lent. Among the topics are: “Giving and Receiving Belovedness,” “Deciding to Love,” and more. The study guides are available for \$2 each. Please see Vicar Linda to get your copy. A sign-up sheet will be posted in the parish hall for people to bring bread or soup each week. Seminarian Intern Jay Buzzini and Field Education Student Bradley Bates will co-facilitate the group with Linda Hutton.

Taizé Service in Winchester

An ecumenical meditative service of prayer and song from the Taizé Community will be held at Trinity Episcopal Church, 213 1st Ave. NW, Winchester, on the second Sunday of the month, Sunday, March 11, at 7 p.m.

Unitarian Universalist

The Unitarian Universalist Church’s speaker this Sunday will be Doug Traversa on “What Might God

Be.” The service begins Sunday at 10 a.m., followed by refreshments and a discussion period. The church is located at 3536 New Manchester Hwy., Tullahoma. Call (931) 455-8626 or go to <www.tullahomauu.org>.

Tullahoma Sangha

Tullahoma Sangha, a Zen Buddhist meditation and study group, meets each Wednesday at 6 p.m. at Unitarian Universalist Church of Tullahoma. The service will consist of meditation, walking meditation and a short lesson and discussion period. The church is located at 3536 New Manchester Hwy., in Tullahoma. For more information, or if you would like to be added to the email group, call (931) 455-8626.

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CAC Pantry Sunday

Pantry Sunday for the Community Action Committee (CAC) is Sunday, March 4, for participating churches: St. James, Otey, Cumberland Presbyterian and All Saints’ Chapel. Please bring your food offerings to Sunday services. The typical bag of groceries includes: rice, beans, pasta, macaroni and cheese, peanut butter, and cans of vegetables, fruit, and soup. The cost for a complete bag is less than \$15.

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

Church Calendar

Weekday Services March 2–9

7:30 a.m. Morning Prayer, Otey
7:30 a.m. Morning Prayer, St. Mary’s Convent (not Mon)
8 a.m. Holy Eucharist, St. Mary’s Convent (not Mon)
8:30 a.m. Morning Prayer, St. Augustine’s
8:30 a.m. Morning Prayer, Christ the King (Tues)
11:30 a.m. Prayer/Healing, Morton Memorial (1st/3rd Thur)
12:15 p.m. Lenten Eucharist, Otey (Thur, thru 3/22)
12:25 p.m. Lenten Eucharist, St. Augustine’s, (M–F)
1 p.m. Centering Prayer, Trinity, Winchester (Wed)
3:30 p.m. Centering Prayer, St. Mary’s Sewanee (Tues)
4 p.m. Evening Prayer, St. Augustine’s
4:30 p.m. Evening Prayer, Otey
5 p.m. Evening Prayer, St. Mary’s Convent (not Mon)
5:30 p.m. Evensong, St. Mary’s Convent (not Mon)
7 p.m. Centering Prayer, St. Paul’s Chapel, Otey (Mon)

Saturday, March 3

8 a.m. Morning Prayer, St. Mary’s Convent
10 a.m. Sabbath School, Monteagle 7th Day Adventist
11 a.m. Worship Service, Monteagle 7th Day Adventist
5 p.m. Mass, Good Shepherd, Decherd

Sunday, March 4 • CAC Pantry Sunday

All Saints’ Chapel

8 a.m. Holy Eucharist
11 a.m. Holy Eucharist
6:30 p.m. Growing in Grace

Bible Baptist Church, Monteagle

10 a.m. Worship Service, Deacon Ordination, dinner
5:30 p.m. Evening Service

Chapman Chapel Church of the Nazarene, Pelham

9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:45 a.m. Morning Worship
6 p.m. Evening Worship

Christ Church, Monteagle • Four Chaplains’ Sunday

10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist
10:45 a.m. Sunday School

Christ Episcopal Church, Alto

9 a.m. Sunday School
10 a.m. Holy Eucharist

Christ Episcopal Church, Tracy City

10 a.m. Adult Bible Study
11 a.m. Holy Eucharist (child care provided)

Christ the King Anglican, Decherd

9 a.m. Morning Worship

Cowan Fellowship Church

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

Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Monteagle

9 a.m. Fellowship
11 a.m. Worship Service

Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Sewanee

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

Decherd United Methodist Church

9:45 a.m. Sunday School
10:50 a.m. Worship Service

Epiphany Mission Church, Sherwood

10 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II

Good Shepherd Catholic Church, Decherd

10:30 a.m. Mass

Grace Fellowship Church

10:30 a.m. Sunday School/Worship Service

Harrison Chapel Methodist Church

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

Midway Baptist Church

9:45 a.m. Sunday School
10:45 a.m. Morning Service
6 p.m. Evening Service

Midway Church of Christ

10 a.m. Bible Study
11 a.m. Morning Service
6 p.m. Evening Service

Monteagle First Baptist Church

10 a.m. Sunday School
11 a.m. Worship Service
6 p.m. Evening Worship

Morton Memorial United Methodist, Monteagle

9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11 a.m. Worship Service

New Beginnings Church, Monteagle

10:30 a.m. Worship Service

New Beginnings Church, Old Co-op Bldg., Pelham

9:45 a.m. Worship Service (Grand Opening)

Otey Memorial Parish Church

8:50 a.m. Holy Eucharist
11 a.m. Holy Eucharist

Pelham United Methodist Church

9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11 a.m. Worship Service

St. Agnes’ Episcopal Church, Cowan

11 a.m. Holy Eucharist (Rite I)

St. James Episcopal Church

9 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II

St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church, Alto

8 a.m. Mass

Sewanee Church of God

10 a.m. Sunday School
11 a.m. Morning Service
6 p.m. Evening Service

Sisters of St. Mary’s Convent

8 a.m. Holy Eucharist
5 p.m. Evensong

Tracy City First Baptist Church

9:45 a.m. Sunday School
10:45 a.m. Morning Worship
5:30 p.m. Youth Group
6 p.m. Evening Worship

Trinity Episcopal Church, Winchester

9:30 a.m. Christian Formation
10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II
7 p.m. Taize Service (2nd Sunday)

Valley Home Community Church, Pelham

10 a.m. Sunday School, Worship Service

Wednesday, March 7

6 a.m. Morning Prayer, Cowan Fellowship
10 a.m. Bible study, Sewanee Cumb. Presb. Church
Noon Holy Communion, Christ Church, Monteagle
5 p.m. KAs/Bible Study/meal, Monteagle First Baptist
5:30 p.m. Evening Worship, Bible Baptist, Monteagle
5:45 p.m. Youth Bible study/meal, Monteagle First Baptist
6 p.m. Adult Bible study, Monteagle First Baptist
6 p.m. Celtic Communion, Holy Comforter, Monteagle
6 p.m. Prayer and Bible study, Midway Baptist
6 p.m. Evening Prayer, Trinity, Winchester
6:30 p.m. Community Harvest Church, Coalmont
6:30 p.m. Prayer Service, Harrison Chapel, Midway
6:30 p.m. Youth group, Tracy City First Baptist
7 p.m. Adult Formation, Epiphany, Sherwood
7 p.m. Bible study, Chapman’s Chapel, Pelham
7 p.m. Evening Worship, Tracy City First Baptist

Obituary

Thomas Edward Camp

Thomas Edward Camp, age 88 of Sewanee, died on Feb. 25, 2018. He was born on July 12, 1929, in Haynesville, La., at home, to Annie Laura Brazzel and Charles Walter Camp.

After his graduation from Centenary College, Shreveport, (member of ODK honorary society), he attended Vanderbilt Divinity School, then Louisiana State University, receiving a Master’s in Library Science from LSU in 1953. He served in the U.S. Army before becoming circulation librarian at Bridwell Library of Perkins School of Theology, Southern Methodist University. He was the first full-time professional librarian of the University’s School of Theology Library, 1957–1992. He was also Associate University Librarian, and secretary of the American Theological Library Association for several years. A lifelong student and lover of music, he served Otey Memorial Parish Church as organist for 30 years. Active in the civil rights movement and many peace and social justice causes and organizations in Sewanee, he was a founding member of the Cumberland Center for Justice and Peace, of the local chapter of the Episcopal Peace Fellowship, and of Folks at Home.

He is survived by his wife, Elizabeth; daughter, Anne (John Flanders) Camp of Connecticut; son, Thomas Camp of Chattanooga; brother, David (Shirley) Camp of Tucson, Ariz.; sister, Winifred Schneider of San Antonio, Texas; grandson, Nathan Flanders of Chicago, and numerous cousins, nieces, and nephews.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. (CST) on Saturday, March 10, in All Saints’ Chapel. A reception will follow in Convocation Hall.


The family is profoundly grateful for the love and support expressed in so many ways, by so many persons. Memorial donations may be made to Otey Memorial Parish, the Library of the School of Theology, or a charity of choice. For complete obituary go to <www.moorecortner.com>.

Death Notice

Marion Catherine Goedjen Beasley

Marion Catherine Goedjen (“Trink”) Beasley, age 96 of Sewanee, died peacefully on Feb. 28, 2018, at her home.

Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. on Saturday, March 3, in All Saints’ Chapel, followed by interment in the University Cemetery, and a reception in St. Mark’s Hall, Otey.



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Protestors gathered at the Quad on Feb. 22. The protest was organized by Speak Up Sewanee. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

Rose Degree (from page 1)

McCardell said awarding an honorary degree has an established process, but because revoking one does not, that decision requires “care and deliberation.”

“Revoking a degree has never happened in the 150-year history of the University,” he said. “That is not a decision to be made or taken lightly or in haste, especially in the absence of process or criteria. And we must assume that at some point there may be a need for reconsideration concerning other honorary degree recipients. That’s why a process is important. We cannot and should not improvise our way to so weighty a decision.”

On the afternoon of Feb. 27, McCardell issued an official statement on the Senate’s action, saying that the Honorary Degree Committee’s draft of the degree review process will be

forwarded the Joint Regent-Senate Committee for consideration and eventual action.

The current turmoil began brewing after a Sewanee student petition and a request from student trustees that Rose’s degree be revoked. The Board of Regents recently stated in a letter that it would take no action on the degree and as an institution governed by the Episcopal Church, called for forgiveness of Rose and not condemnation of a sinner.

Following that letter, protests ramped up, including a student-led rally on Feb. 22 on the Quad at the University, poster campaigns, letters from the school of Theology professors, community members, and college faculty, staff and alumni. At least two different petitions also garnered more than 1,300 signatures combined calling for the Board

of Regents to revoke the degree.

In addition, members of the Leadership Coalition, part of “Speak Up Sewanee,” called on students and faculty to refuse to wear their traditional academic gowns until the degree was removed.

“I am refusing to wear my gown, which is painful to me as an alumna as well as a professor,” Michael said. “A number of other faculty are doing so, but I don’t know how many exactly.”

In McCardell’s official release, he noted that the University stands against all sexual misconduct and has solid existing rules and procedures for dealing with the issue.

Ongoing efforts to fight sexual misconduct also include a task force co-chaired by dean Marichal Gentry and professor Kelly Malone to develop new recommendations, he said.

Monteagle (from page 1)

“I wouldn’t advise selling the boxes for less than \$15,000 each,” Condra said.

The council voted to declare the sludge boxes surplus so they could be sold.

Community resident Carole Manganaro asked if proceeds from sale of the boxes could be used to fund the fire department’s equipment and gear needs.

“You can’t mix funds between departments,” Mayor David Sampley said.

The fire department has applied for two FEMA grants, one for a new engine and the other for protective gear. Grant awards are made on a rolling basis, said Fire Chief Mike Holmes. “We won’t know the result of our application until May or later.”

Alderman Kenneth Gipson asked if city hall hours could be extended to 5 p.m. Sampley said his experience had been that when the office stayed open later than 4 p.m., no one came.

Vice Mayor Jessica Blalock reported erecting the playground equipment purchased for Harton Park would require hiring an independent contractor specializing in playset installations. Blalock has received a bid of \$7,000 and is researching pricing from other installers. The cost of erecting the playground equipment has delayed the project. The council meets next on March 26.

SUD (from page 1)

Beavers also cited the expansion called for in the Sewanee Village Plan as a possible source of increased demand on SUD’s water supply.

The University has built four or five dorms since 2006 Beavers pointed out. “If the tap fee hadn’t increased, they would have saved \$150,000.”

“How much would a pump station at Lake Dimmick cost?” asked Board President Charlie Smith.

For short-term emergency situations, Beavers recommended using the pump from Lake Jackson. He estimated the cost of pipe at \$25,000.

The board encouraged Beavers to pursue the Lake Dimmick discussion.

The board also authorized Beavers to investigate the level of interest in commercial customer leak insurance. ServLine, the utility district’s residential customer leak insurance provider, also offers insurance to commercial customers, but SUD doesn’t subscribe to the commercial customer program at this time. Since SUD initiated the residential leak insurance program in August, several commercial customers had inquired about obtaining leak insurance, Beavers said. The cost to commercial customers would be \$4 per month. The insurance would be available to commercial customers with 2 inch or less size meters.

Reporting on the advice of the Tennessee Comptroller regarding hiring a part-time office employee to ensure adequate financial oversight, Beavers suggested the board review the

comptroller’s list of duties and select those they wanted the new employee to perform. In general, the comptroller recommended reviewing bank statements, cash receipts and cash disbursements.

“We don’t have cash disbursements,” Beavers pointed out. “We could have them review bank statements and spot check invoices.”

The comptroller’s guidelines called for five office employees. SUD has three, and consequently as with many small utilities, the annual audit cites SUD for “inadequate segregation of duties.” The comptroller advised SUD to respond they were “making an effort to comply.”

Three people have expressed interest in the part-time position. Smith said he preferred waiting to get advice on “how to streamline the process” from newly elected Commissioner Paul Evans who holds a degree in accounting. Evans could not attend Tuesday’s meeting.

Returning to a discussion about collection of expired or unneeded pharmaceuticals, Smith said Volunteers in Medicine of Southern Tennessee collected all medications except opioids, vetted them for efficacy, and redistributed still viable medications to needy patients. Beavers will bring the Volunteers in Medicine program to the attention of the SUD wetlands project researchers who hosted a pharmaceutical collection day last fall.

SUD meets next on March 27.

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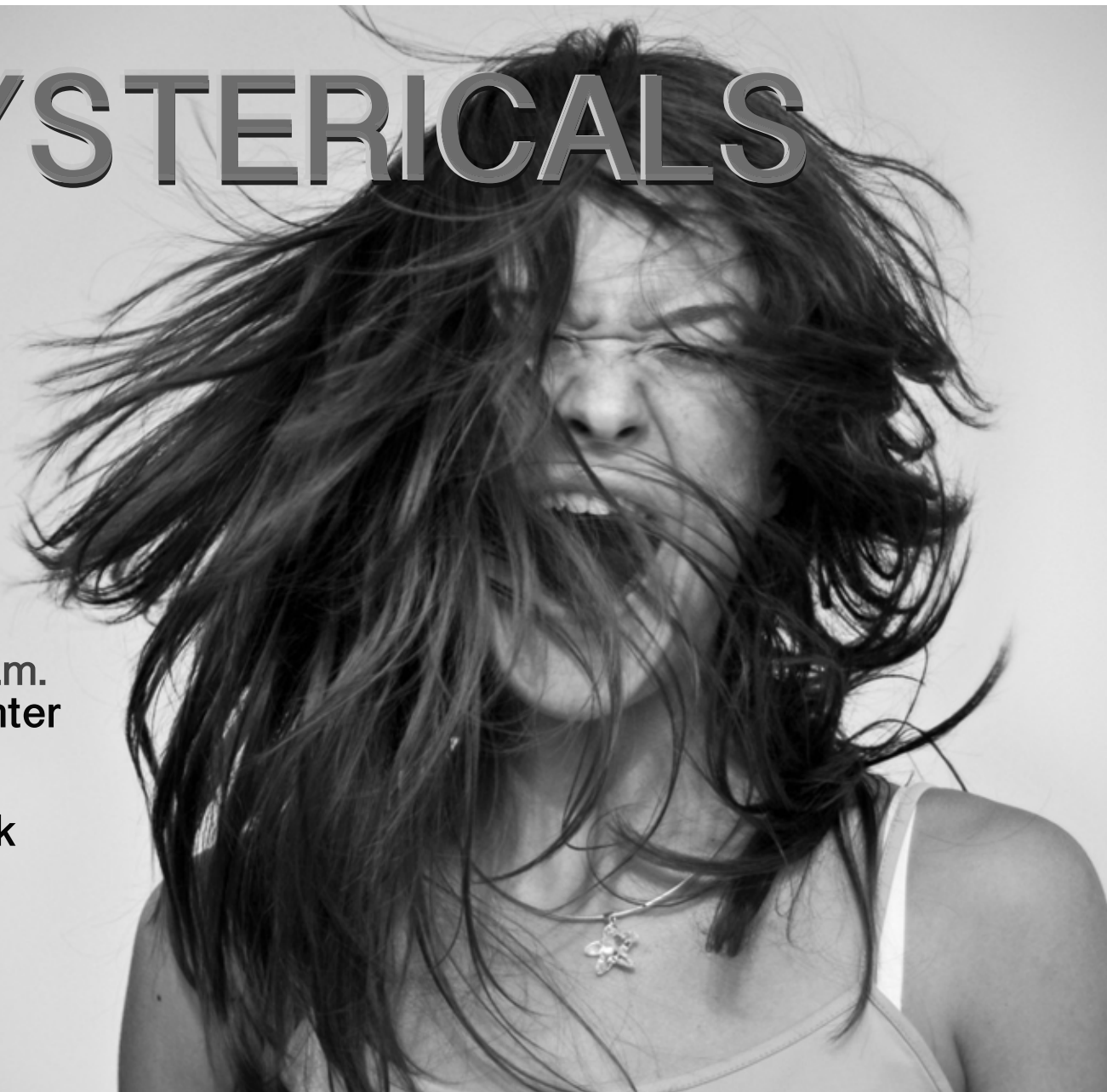
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Community Council (from page 1)

repainted. At the Senior Center, the wider crosswalk designation will remain as a convenience to seniors.

Turning to an issue raised by council representative Cindy Potter, Provost Nancy Berner addressed concerns about unsightly dead brush and trees left standing beneath power lines and the environmental impact of the herbicide used to kill power-line right of way vegetation.

"The brush used to be cut," Potter said, "and I understand that," agreeing with the importance of inhibiting tree growth beneath power lines.

Berner said she consulted with Duck River Electric Membership Corporation (DREMC). DREMC minimizes growth with both brush clearing and herbicides. Cut growth is removed; brush and trees killed with herbicide are left standing. Independent contractors carry out right of way vegetative management for DREMC, for chemical control using the herbicides Escort and Garlon 3A.

Director of Physical Plant Services Mike Gardner will investigate the environmental impact of the herbicides used.

If there is a need, "DREMC will address the council," Berner said. Berner will direct council members who want to pursue the discussion to the appropriate DREMC contact.

University student Will Murphy presented an overview of the Relay for Life fundraiser scheduled for next fall to raise awareness and help fund American Cancer Society efforts to provide information and assistance to those battling the disease. Rotaract, a student group recently chartered by Sewanee-Monteagle Rotary, will host the Oct. 6 Relay for Life. Participating teams accept the challenge of their donating sponsors to have at least one team member on the track for the duration of the 10 hour event.

"It's encouraging the campaign is starting early," McCardell said, proposing the council sponsor a team.

To register and for more information contact Murphy at (781) 336-8262 or <murphw1@sewanee.edu>.

Revisiting the January discussion about Project Funding awards, the council approved five community service project grant requests. Please see the sidebar to the right with the Project Funding Award recipients..

The council meets next on March 26.

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Project Funding Award Recipients

At the Feb. 27 meeting, the Sewanee Community Council approved all five projects recommended for funding by Project Funding Committee chair Pixie Dozier. The committee received eight grant proposals Dozier said. The council awarded a total of \$11,700 to the following community service projects.

The Sewanee Ballpark Support Organization received the full requested amount, \$5,000, for facility improvement. Calling the press box "the nerve center of all ball games," the proposal earmarked funds to demolish the top half of the press box and rebuild it to a safe and utilitarian condition.

The Sewanee Community Center received the full requested amount, \$1,700, to improve the entrance stairs and install a motion sensor light.

The Sewanee Business Alliance received the full requested amount, \$2,000, for wireless speakers for Angel Park.

A proposal from Pam Byerly and Sallie Green seeking to establish a yard maintenance discretionary fund received the full requested amount, \$1,500.

Kristin Sturgill requested funds to institute Park Run, a weekly 5K community inclusive walk-jog-run event to be conducted on The Mountain Goat Trail. Sturgill requested \$5,000 and received \$1,500 in start up funds. The committee reasoned that since the project was a nationally franchised event, other resources were available.

The council sponsored Project Funding program earmarks \$10,000 annually to fund projects that enhance the community and improve the quality of life of residents. The council will award \$20,000 in 2018 since no awards were made in 2017. The \$11,700 awarded this week leaves \$8,300 to be awarded during the next round of proposal review. The next deadline for submitting proposals is April 1.

Committee members sought additional information on some of the proposals reviewed and removed one proposal from consideration for lack of data. The two project proposals not funded in the recent grant cycle are still under consideration.

In addition to chair Dozier, the Project Funding review committee includes Annie Armour, Jennifer Bachman, Elizabeth Koella, Sarah Marhevsky, Flournoy Rogers, Theresa Shackelford and Charles Whitmer.



Rotaract Club members are, left to right, Olivia Whitcomb, Edward Ownby, William Hazelwood, Kelsey Arbuckle, William Murphy, Harry Davis, Samuel Kern, Caroline Sweetin and Wes Christian.

Sewanee Rotaract Club Gears Up for Relay for Life

by William Murphy

The Sewanee Rotaract Club has finalized the date for its Relay For Life, an event sponsored by the American Cancer Society to help raise awareness and funds in the fight against cancer. On Oct. 6, the event will take place on the University of the South campus in a unified stand against cancer. The Club, founded and chartered late last year by the Monteagle-Sewanee Rotary Club, helped an international charity, Global Health Charities, raise money for the production of clean birth kits for mothers in developing countries.

The Monteagle-Sewanee Rotary Club, chartered in 1984, sponsored this new club under President John Hille. Bill Davis, Membership Chair for the Rotary Club, and University Dean Marichal Gentry act as "Rotary Advisor" and "Faculty Advisor" respectively to the Rotaract Club.

The Rotary Club itself already has two major fundraisers; its Hunger Walk, and its Cajun Dinner, which help fund the fight against hunger, and the Sewanee Haiti Outreach Trip respectively. Through their dedication to "Service Above Self," the Rotary club's motto, the club has inspired Sewanee Students to similarly make a difference in the community. The Rotaract Club has flourished to more than 40 members in its first year. Under the Club's first president, Samuel Kern (C'19), Relay For Life became the first major national fundraiser for the Club.

Relay For Life was founded in 1985 and has expanded into a massive multi-national fundraiser where survivors, those currently battling cancer, and those who have lost their battle are recognized, supported, and honored. The event is a daylong event where teams and teammates work together to walk around the track in support of the cause. One team member is always walking, to symbolize the ongoing fight against cancer.

The American Cancer Society Relay For Life has had tremendous impact through its almost \$5 billion dollars fundraised for the treatment and battle of cancer. The Rotaract Club's Relay will be on Saturday, Oct. 6, at the University of the South Track. This event will bring the community together to take a stand against cancer and to support loved ones in their struggles.

While almost seven months away, this event should not be missed. It will have entertainment, activities, and lots of food in addition to the walk around the track. It will be an event that the Sewanee and Monteagle communities can look forward to in upcoming years. Please form your teams, and contact <murphw1@sewanee.edu> for additional information, and interest in participating.

Sewanee Fourth of July Planning Dates

It's that time of year again to start planning for the Fourth of July. Anyone interested in helping out is welcome to attend. The meetings are held on Mondays at 5 p.m. at the Sewanee Senior Citizen's Center. Meeting dates are March 12, April 9, May 14, June 4, 11, 18, and 25.

The Fourth of July Committee is in search of a chairperson to organize the Street Dance as well as a co-chair to assist with the parade. If you love the Fourth of July and are vibrant and organized, join the team to make this annual celebration come to life. Contact Jade Barry at <jademcbee@gmail.com>.

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The Monteagle-Sewanee Rotary Club will host its fourth annual Cajun Supper, 4:30–6:30 p.m., Saturday, March 10, in Claiborne Hall at Otey Memorial Parish.

Live music will be provided while diners or take-out patrons can enjoy Cajun crawfish etoufee or vegetarian red beans and rice. Draft beer will be sold on-site for the 21 and older patrons.

Tickets are \$20 each, \$10 for students, and children under 12 eat free. Tickets will be available at the door or from any Monteagle-Sewanee Rotary Club member. Proceeds from the Cajun Supper are used for international humanitarian service projects such as the Sewanee Haiti Initiative.

For more information go to <www.monteaglerotary.org>.

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Rabies Clinics on Saturdays

Franklin County Animal Control, in conjunction with local veterinarians, Dr. Traci Helton and staff from Midtown Veterinary Services and Hospital, Dr. Harry Prince and staff from Town and Country Veterinary Hospital, as well as Drs. George and Ashley Bowers and staff from Animal Care Center, will be conducting clinics on Saturdays throughout the month of March. In addition to these scheduled community clinics, each of the four local veterinary offices, including Lakeside Veterinary Clinic, will be offering rabies vaccinations to any healthy dog or cat during their regular office hours at the discounted price. No appointment is necessary.

The Tennessee Anti-Rabies Law states that dogs and cats may be vaccinated as early as three months of age and must be vaccinated by 6 months of age to be compliant with the law.

For the first four Saturdays in the month of March, rabies clinics will be set up at community centers, churches, and parks across the county. There have been efforts made in recent years, to offer clinics on the outskirts of the county in an effort to be more accessible to those residents and their pets. The two newest clinics are being held in Sherwood and on Keith Springs.

Pet owners are asked to support and attend the clinic convenient to them and to take advantage of the discounted price. The cost of each rabies vaccination is only \$11 per dog or cat. The goal of these clinics is to vaccinate as many dogs and cats as possible.

The following are the dates, times, and place of each rabies clinic:

Saturday, March 3—Cowan from 8:30–9 a.m. at the Police Dept (Old City Hall); Sherwood from 9:30–10 a.m. at the Community Center (Old School); Midway from 10:30–11 a.m. at St. James Episcopal Church; Sewanee from 12:30–1:30 p.m. at the Public School; Oak Grove from 2–2:20 p.m. at the Community Center; Decherd from 2:30–3 p.m. at the New City Hall;

Saturday, March 10—Broadview from 8:30–9:45 a.m. at Bethel Methodist Church; Lexie Crossroads from 10:15–11 a.m. at Lexie Church; Estill Springs from 1–2 p.m. at the City Park; Capitol Hill from 2:15–2:45 p.m. at the Community Center;

Saturday, March 17—Old Salem from 8:30–9 a.m. at Salem House; Huntland from 9:30–10:30 a.m. at City Hall; Liberty from 11–11:45 a.m. at Liberty Community Center; Winchester Springs from 1:30–2:15 p.m. at the Church of Jesus Christ (Old School); Center Grove from 2:30–4 p.m. at the Community Center;

Saturday, March 24—Winchester from 9–11 a.m. at the Board of Education Special Services (Old Health Department); Keith Springs from 9–10 a.m. at the Community Center; Belvidere from 10:30–11:30 a.m. at the Community Center.

Anyone with questions about the Franklin County Rabies Clinics can call 967–5389 or one of the county veterinary offices.

Sewanee Children's Center Open House

The SCC will open its doors Saturday, March 10, from 9 to 11:30 a.m. welcoming the community and interested families to tour the facilities and meet the leading members of this cooperative preschool and afterschool program. The director, Sandy Glacet, the teachers, and many parents and enrolled children will be available to answer any questions about their experience at the Sewanee Children's Center, which provides developmentally appropriate teaching and learning for children ages 2 to 5 years old in its preschool program, and for children in kindergarten through second grade in its afterschool program.

SCC strives to create an environment that respects childhood as a time to explore, create, and be joyful. The center is guided by the idea that encouraging and allowing the opportunities for pretend play not only makes for happier children but

also creates the foundation for their development into confident, compassionate, and creative adults. Through pretend play, children learn to think abstractly, and to look at things from someone else's perspective; they develop their language skills by telling and understanding stories. Pretend play has been shown to contribute to early literacy, mathematical thinking, and problem-solving. Through play, children learn to cooperate, listen to others, stand up for their own ideas, handle frustration, and empathize.

To learn more, join the director, teachers, parents, and SCC children on Saturday, March 10, at the center at 216 University Avenue. SCC is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) organization supported by Otey Memorial Parish, and the Sewanee Community Chest. There is more information online at <http://sewaneechildrenscenter.org/> or call Sandy Glacet at (931) 598-5928.

Register for the New Sewanee Seminars Short Courses Offerings

The Center of Lifelong Learning at the University of the South is excited to announce five new courses, and one back by popular demand, open to all during the month of April. The enrollment fee for each course is only \$60 and includes six hours of formal learning time.

Contact Dan Backlund at <lifelong@sewanee.edu> for more information and to register for these exciting classes before they are full.

Jung for the "Jung" at Heart—Mondays, 3:30–5:30 p.m., April 2, 9, 16, and 23. In this course we will discuss C.G. Jung's most fascinating and unconventional ideas about symbolism. We will put those ideas into practice by analyzing our dreams, telling our fortunes, creating mandalas and other exercises. Enrollment limit is 12. Instructor: Al Bardi, Associate Professor of Psychology.

Better Balance in 2018—Wednesdays, 12:15–2:15 p.m., April 4, 11, 18 and 25. The class will help you to learn and practice various balance exercises to maintain a healthy aging process. Join us in this fitness, fun, and friends class to learn more about achieving Better Balance in 2018. Come dressed for activity in comfortable clothes and shoes. Seniors of all fitness levels are welcome and encouraged to attend. The class will provide great tips, exercises, and information for all, from the couch potato to the already active. Instructor: Karen Gardner, Certified Personal Trainer.

Modern Astronomy: From the Moon to the Multiverse—Tuesdays, 3–5 p.m., April 10, 17 and 24. The three classes will cover the major topics in Astronomy today.

In Class 1, Our Solar System, we will discuss the latest findings regarding the planets (major and minor) and their moons, the Sun's structure and the effects of solar weather on the Earth, and finally, the most likely places for the existence of extraterrestrial life will be considered.

In Class 2, Our Galaxy, we will examine the structure of the Milky Way and how dark matter and the large black hole at its center determine it. The various evolutionary paths of stars, especially, the Sun, will be discussed. Finally, the possibility of life on extra-solar planets will be investigated.

In Class 3, Our Universe, we will cover the large-scale structure of the Universe, in particular, its origin and evolution. Special attention will be given to the Cosmic Microwave Background, gravitational waves and dark energy. Finally, we will consider the anthropomorphism/multiverse debate. Instructor: Frank Hart, Professor Emeritus of Physics and Astronomy.

Late Bloomers: Gardening in the Second Half of Life—Mondays, 1–3 p.m., March 26, April 2, 9, and 16. We will cover having fun in the garden, garden tours here and abroad, some great gardening books to read, overcoming problems like deer, making your outdoor space look great, maintenance tips, sources for plants, people who can help you, and groups to join. We will visit some great gardens in the Sewanee area and talk about some of the best sources for purchasing great garden plants. Each participant should purchase a copy of "Late Bloomer: How to Garden with Comfort, Ease, and Simplicity in the Second Half of Life" by Jan Bills. Used and new books are available on amazon.com. Instructor: June Mays, Garden Designer.

Hit the Reset Button! (second offering)—Thursdays, 10 a.m.–noon, April 5, 12, 19 and 26. Studies are showing that a mindfulness meditation practice can have profound effects on the structure of the brain. One of the most significant is a study done in 2011 at Harvard by Sara Lazar and her team. The study showed increases in the cortical thickness in the hippocampus, which governs learning and memory, and decreases in brain cell volume in the amygdala, which is that part of the brain associated with fear, anxiety, and stress. This can make a significant impact of our tendency

to be reactive and to continue old patterns of behavior whether they are helpful or not. Another consistent finding in the research literature is that greater self-compassion is linked to less anxiety and depression. Coupling a mindfulness practice with self-compassion can literally change our brain in ways that can allow us to change our response to life's inherent stress and live in a state of equanimity. Instructors: Maryellen McCone and Richard Barrali.

Going to Pieces: An Introduction to Papercut Art—Tuesdays, 9 a.m.–noon, March 27 and April 3. For beginners to professional artists who would like to learn a new art skill. All materials – and inspiration – will be provided. After a brief history of paper cut art around the world, participants will create a piece of original art using archival and handmade papers. Enrollment limit is 12. Instructor: Kim Phillips, Franklin County Arts Guild Artist.



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When:

- Saturday, February 24: 10:00am
- Monday, February 26, 6:00pm
- Friday, March 2: 12:00pm

Where: Grundy EMS office in Coalmont, across from the Coalmont Community Center.

Application Deadline: April 2, 2018

For more information, visit
southcumberlandcommunityfund.org
or email nhamilto@sewanee.edu.

Water Conservation Lecture Series Continues

Sewanee's Integrated Program in the Environment continues their year-long series examining water conservation with a talk by George Ramseur Jr. from the Mississippi Department of Marine Resources at 5 p.m., Tuesday, March 6, in Gailor Auditorium. Ramseur, a Sewanee native, will speak about his work directing Mississippi's Office of Restoration and Resiliency, and he will specifically address the multi-state estuarine restoration approach in the Louisiana, Mississippi and Alabama coastal systems. Prior to this position, Ramseur spent several years working for The Nature Conservancy (TNC) as Mississippi's Director for Restoration and Management. While in this position, he oversaw restoration design, implementation and long-term management for all TNC preserves and mitigation projects in Mississippi, including more than 10,000 acres in four coastal counties. Operations included prescribed burning, large scale invasive weed management as well as wetland and stream restoration projects. The public is invited to attend.

Sewanee Symposium on Borders and Human Rights

On March 7–9, Sewanee will host a symposium on "Borders and Human Rights." The symposium will include presentations from a mixture of experts in the field, practitioners who work on matters related to immigration and refugees, and Sewanee faculty and students. The keynote address will be delivered on March 7, 4:30 p.m., in Gailor Auditorium by Jacqueline Bhabha, the FXB Director of Research and Professor of the Practice of Health and Human Rights at Harvard University's Chan School of Public Health. The title of Professor Bhabha's lecture will be "Democratizing Access to Legal Migration: A human rights approach" and will focus on the dramatic inequalities in access to legal migration opportunity and on ethical, legal and practical arguments for addressing these inequalities. She will draw on the framework being proposed for the upcoming UN Migration and Refugee Global Compacts, and apply it to some specific contemporary migration contexts.

On March 8, the Symposium will host two panel presentations that are open to the public. At 4:30 p.m., Mila Dragojevic of Sewanee's Department of Politics will present her work on conceptual issues related to the categories of "immigrants" and "refugees" and Jalaa' Abdelwahab from UNICEF will discuss the challenges of eradicating polio posed by immigrant and refugee flows. At 7 p.m., Bret Windhauser, a Sewanee student, will present his research on refugee camps, and Britton Buckner, C'03 and at Catholic Relief Services, will discuss her work with refugees affected by ISIS.

The symposium will close with two final panels on March 9. The first panel will begin at 3 p.m. and include Neha Misra of Solidarity Center, Professor Tao Song of Sewanee's Economics Department, and Holly Johnson of the Tennessee Office of Refugees, Catholic Charities. The panel will focus on issues related to migrant labor as well as refugees in Tennessee. The second panel, at 4:30 p.m., includes professors Jon Evans of the Biology Department and Manuel Chinchilla of the Spanish Department. Evans will discuss deforestation and commercial activity while Chinchilla will reflect on immigrant narratives in literature.

All events will be held in Gailor Auditorium and are free and open to the public. The presentations are funded by the University Lectures Committee and the Office of Global Citizenship.



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Meeks to Speak on Racial Healing and Reconciliation

The Beecken Center of the School of Theology and the University of the South's Project on Slavery, Race, and Reconciliation are co-sponsoring a talk by Catherine Meeks, Ph.D., Tuesday, March 6, at 7 p.m. in Gailor Auditorium. Meeks' talk, "Racial Healing and Reconciliation: The Inner and Outer Journey," will address her work on racial reconciliation and healing in the Episcopal Diocese of Atlanta and across The Episcopal Church. She then will join a panel of four College and School of Theology faculty for a public conversation.

Meeks is executive director of the Absalom Jones Center for Racial Healing, an inter-generational, faith-based organization based in the Episcopal Diocese of Atlanta and providing curriculum, activities, and experiences in order to dismantle personal prejudice and end systemic racism. Prior to the center's opening she chaired its precursor, Beloved Community: Commission for Dismantling Racism, also in the Diocese of Atlanta. These initiatives grew out of a General Convention mandate for Episcopal dioceses to offer anti-racism training to clergy and lay leaders.

"Racism is an issue that has to be faced in a straightforward and courageous manner," says Meeks, "and what better place for this work to occur than in the Church, where we all have a commitment to someone larger than ourselves."

Meeks writes for many outlets, including the Huffington Post, and is the author of five books, including "Living Into God's Dream: Dismantling Racism in America," which will be required reading beginning in fall 2018 for the more than 7,000 individuals currently enrolled in Education for Ministry (EfM).

Hospitality Shop Sale Continues

The Hospitality Shop half-price sale continues on all winter apparel in the men's and women's departments, plus all video entertainment items.

The Hospitality Shop is open Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9:30 a.m.–1 p.m., and Saturdays, 9:30 a.m.–noon, and is staffed by volunteers of the Emerald-Hodgson Hospital Auxiliary.

Proceeds from sales are used to fund scholarships for area high school graduates wishing to go into health care professions, and to fund continuing education for the physical therapists at Sewanee's hospital.

The Shop is located at 1096 University Ave., in Sewanee. For more information call (931) 598-0136.

Polio Plus Presentation at Rotary Club

The Monteagle-Sewanee Rotary Club will meet at 8 a.m., Thursday, March 8, at the Sewanee Inn for a presentation by Jalaa' Abdelwahab on J PolioPlus, Rotary's global polio eradication efforts.

Abdelwahab is the Senior Health Advisor and Deputy Director of the global Polio Team at UNICEF Headquarters in New York. Prior to joining UNICEF, he worked as an epidemiologist with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) for 11 years. From 2005 to 2009, he was seconded to the Eastern Mediterranean Regional Office (EMRO) of the World Health Organization (WHO) based in Cairo and provided technical support in the areas of campaign planning and implementation, epidemiology and surveillance to priority countries in the region with focus on Pakistan, Afghanistan, Somalia and South Sudan. Prior to that, Abdelwahab worked in Egypt from 2003–05 and provided support to the Egyptian Ministry of Health to improve the quality of the polio immunization campaigns and surveillance and witnessed Egypt become polio free by the end of this period.

During his Public Health Prevention Service fellowship at CDC, Abdelwahab was assigned to the New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene from 2001–03 where he led the molecular epidemiology investigation for their Tuberculosis Control Programme, one of the top leading TB control programs globally.

Abdelwahab also worked as a project manager for an HIV/STD program at a community based organization serving the Arab American community in eastern Michigan (1999-2000) and was a teacher assistant in a therapeutic-educational class for severely emotionally disturbed children in Santa Cruz, California (1998/1999).

He received his Masters of Public Health (MPH) degree from University of Michigan, Ann Arbor with focus on epidemiology and infectious diseases. He received his Bachelors of Science degree in Biology and Biochemistry from Hope College, Mich.

Gardeners' Forum and Seed Exchange: Grow Your Own Food

Make a commitment to live a more sustainable lifestyle by learning how to grow what you eat and trading seeds with other area gardeners. At the Gardeners' Forum panel discussion at 7 p.m., Thursday, March 8, at the Sewanee Community Center, area gardeners will share their techniques and strategies for growing vegetables and fruit on the Plateau. Topics to be addressed include soil and bed preparation, when to plant, seed and plant varieties, chemical free pest control, how to deter critters, saving seed and tricks of the trade—those gardening tips and secrets one learns from experience, old timers, or sometimes just plain luck. Audience members will be encouraged to participate in the dialogue, to ask questions, and to share their own experiences and ideas.

A seed exchange will follow the discussion. Gardeners who save seed and have extra are encouraged to bring some seeds to share. Bags will be provided.

Panelists include Caroline Hoagland, who holds a master's degree in soil and crop science from Colorado State University and manages the University Farm focusing on restorative agricultural practices; Leslie Lytle, Rooted Here board president and Seven Pines organic farmer who's gardened for more than 40 years; Darlene Seagroves from Brown's Hollar Creations farm who raves about her farm's increased productivity when she transitioned from chemical fertilizer and pest control to organic methods; and Kir and Ron Strobel, organic gardeners from Turtle Run Farm in Monteagle who decided to work smarter, not harder, by growing biointensively.

The Gardeners' Forum is being jointly sponsored by the University Farm and Rooted Here, the oversight entity for the South Cumberland Farmers Market and Food Hub.

For more information, contact Leslie Lytle at 592-6594 or email <sllytle@blomand.net>.

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Senior Center Menus

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

March 5: Cheeseburger, onion rings, dessert.

March 6: Chicken strips, baked potato, cucumber/blueberry salad, roll, dessert.

March 7: Ribs, macaroni and cheese, veggie blend, roll, dessert.

March 8: Cabbage, sausage, pinto beans, fried okra, cornbread, dessert.

March 9: Vegetable soup, turkey and cheese sandwich, dessert.

The Sewanee Senior Center does not charge any membership fee. All persons 50 or older who take part in any of the activities are considered members.

Regular Activity Schedule

Chair exercises, Mondays and Wednesdays, 10:30–11:15 a.m.; Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m., the group plays bingo, with prizes; Wednesdays at 10 a.m., the writing group gathers at 212 Sherwood Rd.; Fridays at 10 a.m. is game time.

SCFP Forms Due April 1

The Sewanee Community Funding Project (SCFP) is seeking proposals for physical improvements and amenities on the Domain that will enhance the community and improve the quality of life in Sewanee when completed.

The SCFP is funded by the University of the South and is sponsored by the Community Council. The committee is composed of community council representatives and members of the community.

The forms are available at the Sewanee Post Office, Regions Bank and the Sewanee Community Center. These forms are due April 1.

Nonprofit groups, organizations and individuals are encouraged to submit proposals. Email completed forms to <sewaneeconfproject@gmail.com> or mail to Pixie Dozier at 133 Carriage Lane, Sewanee TN 37375.

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Fruit and Vegetable Luncheon Seminars in March

UT/TSU Extension in Grundy County would like to invite everyone to attend the annual Fruit and Vegetable Luncheon Seminars in the Extension Office. A luncheon seminar will take place each week in March at the UT/TSU Extension Office in Coalmont on March 7, 13, 21, and 27, at 11:30 a.m. until 1 p.m. The cost, which includes lunch and a free vegetable calendar, is \$7 for each seminar or all four seminars for \$20. Participants are asked to RSVP the Monday before the program that you wish to attend so food preparations can be made.

Topics for the luncheon seminars will include: Let's Grow Together (New Vegetable Varieties and Free Seed)!, March 7; Home Fruit Plantings, March 13; Planting Times and Site Selection for Vegetable Crops, March 21; and Soil Fertility in the Garden, March 27. Each program will begin at noon and conclude by 1 p.m. but lunch will be available at 11:30 a.m. for those who wish to eat early. RSVP is required for each program by calling the Extension Office in Coalmont at (931) 592-3971 the Monday before. These educational programs will be taught by professionals from the University of Tennessee in that field and all participants will receive literature and information for the day at no additional charge. This will be an excellent way to pick up some new information about vegetable production and start the year off with success.

UT/TSU Extension offers its programs to all eligible persons regardless of race, color, national origin, sex, age, disability, religion or veteran status, and is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

Dedication of Tennessee Sites on U.S. Civil Rights Trail

Tennessee Gov. Bill Haslam, U.S. Sen. Lamar Alexander and Department of Tourist Development Commissioner Kevin Triplett officially dedicated 10 sites in Tennessee as part of the newly-launched U.S. Civil Rights Trail.

"The National Civil Rights Museum provides a world-class experience for visitors who seek to learn about the struggles and triumphs of civil rights," Haslam said. "Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. led a movement of faith-based non-violent protest to fight the injustices of segregation that led to significant civil-rights advances for African Americans. Although his life was taken at the Lorraine Motel, his legacy lives on here and in many places across Tennessee. The U.S. Civil Rights Trail is a journey of discovery and education about events that shifted the course of history for our country and for our state."

The U.S. Civil Rights Trail is a collection of churches, courthouses, schools, museums and other landmarks primarily in Southern states where activists challenged segregation in the 1950s and 1960s to advance social justice. The 10 sites featured on the U.S. Civil Rights Trail in Tennessee are the National Civil Rights Museum at the Lorraine Motel, Clayborn Temple and the Mason Temple Church of God in Christ in Memphis. Locations in Nashville include The Civil Rights Room at the Nashville Public Library, Clark Memorial United Methodist Church, Davidson County Courthouse & the Witness Walls, Woolworth on 5th, Fisk University and Griggs Hall at American Baptist College. In Clinton, The Green McAdoo

Cultural Center and Clinton 12 statues help tell the stories of 12 brave students who changed history.

"Numerous visitors travel to Tennessee each year, drawn by our history and heritage," said Commissioner Kevin Triplett, Tennessee Department of Tourist Development. "Travelers can walk in the footsteps of those who toiled and overcame adversity in their fight for equality. The sites tell heroic stories; from preserving Dr. King's legacy during the movement as a whole at the world-class National Civil Rights Museum, to lunch counter sit-ins for equal rights in Nashville, to Clinton, where 12 students bravely walked to class to fight for equal access to public education. It's important to remember this history so we can learn from the past and understand how it affects our present and future."

The U.S. Civil Rights Trail brings attention to existing sites, while new projects explain what took place in the past. Woolworth on 5th in Nashville, the site of the historic sit-ins and where civil rights leader John Lewis was arrested, reopened earlier this month as a live music venue and restaurant. Artwork at the Witness Walls shows Nashvillians taking action on school desegregation, lunch counter sit-ins, economic boycotts, marches, meetings and Freedom Rides.

The website <civilrightstrail.com> profiles all 14 states and each landmark's importance and features interviews with foot soldiers and heroes of the movement, offers an interactive map, past and present photographs and 360-degree video as special features. Tennessee Tourism developed a dedicated page at <tncivilrights.com>.

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The IRS-certified Sewanee Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) Program is processing and filing qualifying residents' income taxes for its fifth year in a row. This year, the student leads and volunteers are working with the Babson Center for Global Commerce as well as the University of the South and South Cumberland Community Fund, sponsored South Cumberland VISTA Program.

Any resident of Franklin, Grundy, or Marion county who makes less than \$54,000 a year, is disabled, or is elderly qualifies for a free tax return.

Each resident interested in filing must bring proof of identification (a photo ID), social security cards (if filing jointly with another person then bring both social security cards and both individuals must be present), wage and earning statements (W-2, 1099, etc.), dividend and interest statements (if this applies to the resident filing), birth dates of the resident(s) and dependent(s), and banking account and routing numbers for direct deposit (found on a blank check).

If a resident filing does not have a social security card, then he/she must bring an IRS Individual Taxpayer Identification Number (ITIN) assignment letter.

Except for at Franklin County Library (which will have a sign-up appointment sheet), all appointments are by walk-in.

Please direct any questions to <economic.development.vista@gmail.com>. Saturday, March 3, 11 a.m.–4 p.m., Sewanee Senior Center, 5 Ball Park Rd., Sewanee;

Saturday, March 10, 11 a.m.–4 p.m., Altamont Library, 1433 Main St., Altamont;

Saturday, March 31, 10 a.m.–1 p.m., Franklin County Library (appointment required), 105 S. Porter St., Winchester;

Saturday, April 7, 10 a.m.–1 p.m., Franklin County Library (appointment required), 105 S. Porter St., Winchester;

Sunday, April 15, 11 a.m.–4 p.m., Dutch Maid Bakery, 109 Main St., Tracy City.

STLS to Host Wine and Spirit Tasting Event

The Southern Tennessee Ladies Society will host a Wine and Spirit Tasting Event to fund their ongoing scholarship program. Mark your calendar for April 14, from 7–9 p.m. at the Franklin County Country Club in Winchester for an evening full of spirited samplings complemented with a wide variety of heavy hors-d'oeuvres, live entertainment and a silent auction.

Ticket prices are \$30 in advance or \$35 at the door. Tickets can be purchased at Reliable Rental, located at 104 E. Petty Lane, Winchester or by calling Tina Roth at (931) 967-4813. There will be a 'will call box' as you enter the event.

"It would be hard to find that much good food, fun and spirits at a better price for a night out with your friends," said Linda Little, STLS member and one of the coordinators for this event.

"This event makes it fun and easy to contribute toward these worthy scholarships with a happy attitude."

Stones River Total Beverages from Murfreesboro will bring a wide variety of wine to sample, Prichard's Distillery from Kelso will provide an assortment of rum, whiskey and liqueur products, and Jackson Morgan Southern Cream will offer seven hand-crafted flavors of Tennessee whiskey cream liquors. Experiment with some innovative drink recipes as you enjoy a hearty sampling of fine foods, provided by the Franklin County Country Club.

This event is open to all men and women over the age of 21. All are invited to attend and reminded to drink responsibly.

For more information contact STLS at <www.southernladies.com>.

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Russ Spray Named CEO of STRHS Winchester-Sewanee

Southern Tennessee Regional Health System Winchester-Sewanee (STRHS Winchester-Sewanee) announced that William R. (Russ) Spray has been named chief executive officer (CEO), a role he previously held from 1999 to 2008. He has served as the hospital's interim CEO since November 2017.

"From his organizational leadership skills and infectious enthusiasm to his commitment to ensuring high-quality care, Russ has proven to be a vital asset to STRHS Winchester-Sewanee and its community," said Cherie Sibley, chief operating officer (COO) of LifePoint Health's Central Group. "We are thrilled to welcome him back to Winchester. His history here and love for this region combined with his tremendous depth of healthcare experience make him the ideal person to lead the hospital into the future."

With nearly 40 years of healthcare experience, Spray is well-versed in hospital operations, including physician recruitment and retention, community relations, and quality and patient safety. During his first tenure as CEO of STRHS Winchester-Sewanee he initiated a major hospital and medical office building expansion, developed an abundance of new services for the community, and recruited an exceptional team of physicians to serve on the medical staff.

Following his years of service at STRHS Winchester-Sewanee and prior to his start as interim CEO in November, Spray served as CEO of Lincoln County Health System in Fayetteville, Tenn. where he brought the county-owned health system to its most profitable fiscal year in a decade, increased cardiology coverage, and established a hospitalist program. He went on to serve as CEO of Harton Regional Medical Center, a 135-bed facility in Tullahoma.

"Not only is Russ a dynamic leader with a passion for quality care, he is a devoted champion for and friend of the Winchester community," said Eric Hartman, chairman of the STRHS board of directors. "We look forward to working with him to explore new ways that STRHS Winchester-Sewanee and the entire STRHS network can enhance the many ways we work to achieve our vital mission of Making Communities Healthier."

Spray earned a Master of Business Administration degree, with an emphasis on Healthcare Administration, from Southeastern Institute of Technology in Huntsville, Alabama and a bachelor's degree in business administration from Tennessee Technological University in Cookeville, Tennessee. He also completed the Health Services Administrator Development Program at the University of Alabama in Birmingham, Alabama.

"I know from experience that STRHS Winchester-Sewanee is a phenomenal hospital, and I am delighted to return to the STRHS family," said Spray. "I look forward to further strengthening existing relationships and fostering new ones with the incredible physicians and staff here to improve the health of our region. Thank you to everyone in Winchester for welcoming me back home."



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Mountain T.O.P. Spring Yard Sale

Mountain T.O.P. will host a yard sale 7 a.m.-4 p.m., Friday, March 2, and Saturday, March 3, at the Camp Cumberland Pines, 480 Old State Highway 56, in Coalmont.

Donations of yard sale items are still being accepted. Call (931) 692-3999 to arrange drop off.

All proceeds benefit the Mountain T.O.P. ministries including home repair services and youth summer enrichment programming.

For more information go to <<http://mountain-top.org>>.

Thurmond Book Sale

The next Thurmond Book Sale will be Friday and Saturday, March 9 and 10 in the hallway outside the library, which is located in the building behind Otey Parish Church. The most expensive book will be \$2.

Volunteers are needed to help set up between 1-4 p.m. on Saturday, March 3, and Tuesday and Thursday, March 6 and 8.

Donations of books can be taken to the library anytime before March 8.

Senior Center Features Battle of Bands on St. Patrick's Day

Mark your calendars for Saturday, March 17, when the Sewanee Senior Center' quarterly noon potluck will be the venue for an unprecedented Battle of Bands between Sewanee's own "Bazzania Girls' Band" and the Nashville Ukelele group "Lucky U."

Plan to bring your favorite dish to share at noon or come at 12:30 p.m. just for the music, and look forward to a great time, with amazing performances and friendly rivalry among old friends and new.

United Way-Hosts Father-Daughter Date Night

The United Way of Franklin County is hosting a Father-Daughter Dance at 6 p.m., Saturday, April 7, at 200 2nd Ave. NW, Winchester.

Tickets are \$30 per person, and include dinner, dancing, photo booth, a 5x7 formal photo, and gifts and flowers for the young ladies. Reserved seating is available. Attire is Sunday's best. All ages are welcome. Tickets are on sale at Citizens Community Bank. For more information contact Jeannie Amacher at (931) 308-7308.



Seniors shout for joy in chair exercise class. Join them on Monday and Wednesday from 10:30-11:15 a.m., at the Senior Citizens Center. Classes are free.

Sewanee Community Chest Spotlight: Sewanee Senior Citizens

The 2017-18 Sewanee Community Chest (SCC) Fund Drive is underway. Sponsored by the Sewanee Civic Association, the SCC raises money yearly for local charitable organizations serving the area. This year's goal is \$128,535 for 30 organizations that have requested basic needs funding for quality of life, community aid, children's programs, and those who are beyond Sewanee but still serve our entire community. Currently, 60 percent of the goal has been reached in donations and pledges.

This week we shine the spotlight on the Sewanee Senior Citizens Center.

The Sewanee Senior Citizens Center is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization. It began in 1978 with state funds from Title V for building renovations. Volunteers completed the work on the building. Part of the director's salary at that time was paid from Franklin County Senior Citizens funding. Meals were offered through the state's Nutrition Program (Title VII).

In 1997, the satellite relationship with Franklin County Senior Citizens became tenuous when their board voted to cease contributing to the director's salary. The Sewanee Community Chest increased its donation. An anonymous donor remained committed to matching funds. The Center survived.

In September 2002, the Sewanee Center was excluded from the state's Nutrition Program. Meals were available again in October 2002 when Lena McBee and Frances Lappin prepared food at home and brought it to the center for distribution. Because of their efforts and the funds received from the Franklin County Commission and the Sewanee Community Chest, the Center now has cooks. These cooks prepare more than 8,100 lunches annually.

In addition to meals for seniors and shut-ins, the Center provides various activities, which are scheduled weekly for 75 seniors and other members of the community. Activities include games, exercise groups, musical programs, blood pressure checks, reading groups and information sessions regarding nutrition and health care.

The Senior Citizens Center relies on the Community Chest for approximately 25 percent of its operating budget. Other funding for the Center comes from the Franklin County Commission, bake sales, individuals, and an annual Christmas bazaar. The Senior Citizens Center is requesting \$12,000 this year to pay for the cook's salaries and associated taxes. The cooks are the only paid staff at the Center.

The Center is open Monday through Friday. For more information, contact the Sewanee Senior Citizens Center at 598-0771, or drop by for a visit at 5 Ball Park Road. The Center always welcomes visitors and volunteers.

Since 1908, the goal of the Sewanee Community Chest has been to help citizens by funding the community. Through Community Chest donations, local organizations provide for basic needs in the community such as books, food, recreational spaces, elder care, children's educational needs and more. The Sewanee Community Chest is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, and donations are tax-deductible. Send your donation to Sewanee Community Chest, P.O. Box 99, Sewanee, TN 37375. For more information, or to make a donation through PayPal, contact <sewaneecommunitychest@gmail.com> or go to <www.sewaneeccivc.wordpress.com>.

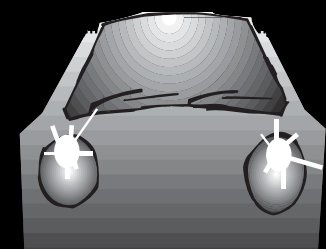
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SES Menus

**Monday–Friday,
March 5–9
LUNCH**

Monday, March 5: Turkey wrap or mozzarella cheese sticks, or peanut butter and jelly school box, baked beans, potato wedges, marinara sauce, fruit.

Tuesday, March 6: Chicken nuggets or steak and gravy or ham school box, mashed potatoes, green peas, veggie cup, fruit, dinner roll.

Wednesday, March 7: Taco, chips and cheese or hamburger/cheeseburger, pinto beans, potato sidewinders, salsa, veggie juice, fruit.

Thursday, March 8: Barbecue rib or hot ham and cheese sandwich or ham school box, vegetable soup, side salad, deli roaster potatoes, fruit, dinner roll.

Friday, March 9: Pizza or chicken sliders, side salad, steamed broccoli, buttered corn, fruit, cookie.

BREAKFAST

Each day, students select one or two items.

Monday, March 5: Poptart, yogurt or breakfast pizza.

Tuesday, March 6: Biscuit, sausage, gravy, jelly.

Wednesday, March 7: Egg patty with cheese, toast or banana bread slice.

Thursday, March 8: Beef sticks, gravy, biscuit or cinnamon roll.

Friday, March 9: Pancake, scrambled eggs or sausage pancake stick.

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

School Calendar

March 10–25, Spring Break, St. Andrew's-Sewanee

March 15–25, Spring Break, University of the South

March 19–23, Spring Break, Grundy County

March 26–30, Spring Break, Franklin County

April 2–6, Spring Break, Marion County



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Students at SES worked hard and had fun raising money for the American Heart Association during Jump Rope For Heart week at the school. Pictured are third graders Noah Barnes and Miren Colbert.

SAS Students Receive Governor's School Acceptance

Three students at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School have received highly coveted invitations to the Tennessee Governor's Schools.

Kate Bridgers, a junior boarding student from Sylva, N.C., was accepted to the Governor's School for the Visual Arts at Middle Tennessee State University with a full scholarship to cover program fees. Sophia Hartman, a junior day student from Sewanee, was accepted to the School for the Humanities at UT-Martin and the School for International Studies at University of Memphis. She plans to attend University of Memphis. Sophia Patterson, a junior day student from Sewanee, was also accepted to the School for the Humanities at UT-Martin and the School for International Studies at University of Memphis. She plans to attend UT-Martin.

The State of Tennessee provides 12 summer programs for gifted and talented high school students. These programs provide challenging and intensive learning experiences in these disciplines: Humanities, Sciences, Arts, International Studies, Scientific Exploration of Tennessee Heritage, Prospective Teaching, Emerging Technologies, Engineering, Information Technology Leadership, Agricultural Sciences, Computational Physics, and Scientific Models and Data Analysis. Room and board is free to the participants (except in the Arts) and all participants may receive college credit.

Sewanee Is a Top Producer of Fulbright U.S. Students

The University of the South is delighted to be included on the list of U.S. colleges and universities that produced the most 2017-2018 Fulbright U.S. Students, recently announced by the U.S. Department of State's Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs. The Fulbright Program is the U.S. government's flagship international educational exchange program. Top-producing institutions are highlighted annually in The Chronicle of Higher Education.

Four Sewanee students received Fulbright awards for academic year 2017-18; they are working this year in Fulbright English Teaching Assistantships in locations from Germany to Malaysia.

More information about the Fulbright competition, and other postgraduate fellowships, can be found through Sewanee's Office of Global Citizenship.

Since its inception in 1946, the Fulbright Program has provided more than 380,000 participants—chosen for their academic merit and leadership potential—with the opportunity to exchange ideas and contribute to finding solutions to shared international concerns. More than 1,900 U.S. students, artists, and young professionals in more than 100 different fields of study are offered Fulbright Program grants to study, teach English, and conduct research abroad each year. The Fulbright U.S. Student Program operates in more than 140 countries throughout the world.

The Fulbright U.S. Student Program is a program of the U.S. Department of State, funded by an annual appropriation from the U.S. Congress to the Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, and supported in its implementation by the Institute of International Education.



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MES Kindergarten Registration March 6–7

Registration for Monteagle Elementary School kindergarten for the 2018–19 school year will be 8 a.m.–2:30 p.m., Tuesday and Wednesday, March 6 and 7, at MES.

Parents will need to be able to provide the following information: child's Social Security card, birth certificate (must be the state official copy; mother's copy will not be accepted); proof of address (utility bill, tax statement, etc.); immunization record on a Tennessee Certificate of Immunization; updated physical exam; and proof of custody if the child does not live with one or both natural parents.

FC Preschool and Head Start Applications

Preschool and Head Start Applications for Franklin County are accepted Wednesday, March 21, 7:30 a.m.–2:30 p.m. at the school the child will attend in 2018–19. Children must be 4 years old by Aug. 15 to enroll in preschool.

Parents and guardians should bring the child's certified birth certificate, social security card, immunization record and physician's report. Proof of residency and proof of income is also required.

Please bring the following documentation as it applies: siblings met eligibility for Free or Reduced Price Meal Program in the 2017-2018 school year; Food Stamps/EBT; Families First (TANF); Foster Care; Head Start; Homeless or Migrant; Unemployment; Workman's Comp; Pension(s); Retirement; Social Security benefits; Veteran's benefits; Child Support; Alimony; SSI Disability; AFDC/Public Assistance Payment; 2017 W-2s or tax return or last three pay stubs from job(s) showing gross income; any other income not included in the above. For more information contact Patti Limbaugh at (931) 967-0626.

FC Kindergarten Registration April 4

Registration for Franklin County Schools kindergarten for the 2018–19 school year will be 1–p.m., Wednesday, April 4. You must register your child at the school that your child is zoned to attend during the 2018-2019 school year.

A child must reach the age of 5 years by Aug. 15, to enroll in kindergarten for the 2018–19 school year.

Parents will need to be able to provide the following information: child's Social Security card, birth certificate (must be the state official copy; mother's copy will not be accepted); immunization record on a Tennessee Certificate of Immunization; and updated physical exam.

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SEWANEE UNION THEATRE
Friday–Sunday, March 2–4, 7:30 p.m.
Jumanji: Welcome to the Jungle
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Four high school kids discover an old video game console and are drawn into the game's jungle setting, literally becoming the adult avatars they chose. What they discover is that you don't just play Jumanji, you must survive it. To beat the game and return to the real world, they'll have to go on the most dangerous adventure of their lives, discover what Alan Parrish left 20 years ago, and change the way they think about themselves, or be stuck in the game forever.

CINEMA GUILD
Wednesday, March 7, 7:30 p.m.
Pitch Perfect 2
 PG-13 • 115 minutes

It's been three years since the Barden Bellas (Anna Kendrick, Rebel Wilson) became the first all-female group to win a national title. All seems well until a botched Lincoln Center performance for the president leads to a scandal that strips them of their performing duties, causing internal tension and strife. With the world championships on the horizon in Copenhagen, Denmark, the women must get their act together for their one and only shot at redemption.

SEWANEE UNION THEATRE
Thursday–Sunday, March 8–11, 7:30 p.m.
Pitch Perfect 3
 PG-13 • 94 minutes

After the highs of winning the world championships, the Bellas find themselves split apart and discovering there aren't job prospects for making music with your mouth. But when they get the chance to reunite for an overseas USO tour, this group of awesome nerds will come together to make some music, and some questionable decisions, one last time.

Movies are \$3 for students and \$4 for adults, unless otherwise noted. Cinema Guild movies are free. The SUT is located on South Carolina Ave., behind Thompson Union. The SUT accepts Domain Dollars and credit/debit cards. Follow the SUT on Facebook!
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Second Sewanee Guitar Festival Starts March 8

The University of the South will present the Second Sewanee Guitar Festival March 8-10 with 7:30 p.m. concerts in St. Luke's Chapel and Guerry Auditorium.

The headliners for this festival will be Peruvian American classical guitarist Jorge Caballero performing Saturday, March 10, at 7:30 p.m. in Guerry Auditorium. Romanian classical and flamenco guitarist, Silviu Ciulei with the Maharajah Flamenco trio will perform on Friday, March 9, at 7:30 p.m., also in Guerry. Preceding these concerts, there will be a Sewanee faculty concert in St. Luke's Chapel on Thursday, March 8, at 7:30 p.m., by William Yelverton, professor of guitar, and Peter Povey, professor of violin. The second half of this opening concert will feature the jazz guitar duo of Chip Henderson and Andy Reiss. Henderson is a well known jazz guitarist and educator, Reiss is best known for his work with Vince Gil's Grammy Award Winning group, the Time Jumpers.

Caballero is one of the greatest virtuoso classical guitarists in the world today. His programs are unique, as they often contain monumental transcriptions of music originally written for other instruments, including keyboard and orchestral works. He is the First Prize winner of the Naumburg and Tokyo International Competitions.

Ciulei is both a virtuoso classical guitarist and flamenco guitarist and singer. He has won an astounding number of classical guitar competition awards since coming to America in 2004 to study at MTSU. While on tour in Romania, William Yelverton met Silviu as a high school student and immediately recognized his amazing talent. Silviu was awarded MTSU's first international music scholarship and later went on to complete his doctorate in guitar performance from Florida State University.

"This is a rare treat for Sewanee," said William Yelverton, professor of guitar, "This is the first time that the University will present a world class solo concert guitarist as a part of the Sewanee Performing Arts Series on the Guerry stage. On Saturday, Jorge Caballero will play works you'll never hear again on guitar, works originally for piano, and for orchestra. Silviu Ciulei will be performing both solo and with his flamenco band on Friday in Guerry. He'll play both classical and his flamenco compositions in the form and tradition of flamenco dances. He also sings in the flamenco style. If you like the Gypsy Kings, you'll like the Maharajah Flamenco Trio."

The concert is cosponsored by the TN Arts Commission and the Sewanee Performing Arts Series.

Student Chamber Music Recital

Students from the Department of Music at the University of the South will perform selections of chamber music works from the late 19th and early 20th century. Composers to include Gustav Holst, Dmitri Shostakovich, Ralph Vaughan Williams, and more. Performance ensembles to include voice, strings, and woodwinds. Please join these student musicians on their self directed production in an afternoon of delightful chamber music. The recital will be at 3 p.m., Sunday, March 4, in St. Luke's Chapel.

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William Ralston Listening Library Events

At 6 p.m., Sunday, March 4, Caitlin Berends, C'20, will host Opera: Selections from Puccini's Tosca.

Monday, March 5, Brant Lewis, C'19, will offer "Prog to Punk" from 6–7 p.m. "Earth's Mixtape" by Isabel Butler and Heidi Hayne, C'20 will be from 7–9 p.m.

On Tuesday, March 6, Sam Everette, C'21, will host "Rock and Roll Has The Blues" from 3–5 p.m. Blues from Robert Johnson to Tedeschi Trucks, rock from Buddy Holly to Greta Van Fleet—Sam will be listening to old and new blues and rock artists and their influences every week.

Tori Hinshaw, C'19, will host "Muscle Shoals" from 5–6 p.m.

"The Kitchen Sink Sessions" will be 6–9 p.m. with Jackson Campbell, C'20.

On Wednesday, March 7, from 5–6 p.m., Jeremy O'Neill, C'21, will host "Around the World." Each week Jeremy will explore the music of a different country, starting with some of the earliest music from the region and working up to the modern day. Katie Norman, C'18, will host music from 6–7 p.m. Anna Wilson, C'20, will host music 7–8 p.m.

On Thursday, March 8, from 5–7 p.m., Annie Bowers, C'20, will host Chamber Music.

"Going for Baroque" will be from 7–9 p.m. with Bramwell Atkins, C'21. For the month of February, Bram will focus on the music of J.S. Bach.

The William Ralston Listening Library is located on the second floor of duPont Library. Keep up with the Ralston Listening Library's weekly schedule on the webpage <<http://www.sewanee.edu/ralstonlisteninglibrary/>> or <<https://www.facebook.com/theralstonroom/>>.

Art Shows Continue

"Hans Schmitt-Matzen: The Invisible King," at the Carlos Gallery, through March 13.

"Angelica Mesiti: Citizens Band," at the University Art Gallery, through April 13.

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Bach to Jazz Featured at All Saints' Chapel During Lent

All Saints' Chapel will feature a number of collaborative musical events during the season of Lent.

Geoffrey Ward, organist and choir master, will present a series of organ recitals on March 7 and 14, at 1:15 p.m. in All Saints' Chapel. Each recital will last approximately 20 minutes. Repertoire will include works of Bach, Buxtehude, Böhm, in addition to hymns of the season.

On Sunday, March 11, at 11 a.m., the University Choir will join forces with the Kash Wright Trio and Sewanee Praise to present a Jazz Eucharist. The collaboration will include favorite traditional hymns "Come thou Fount of Every Blessing," "Amazing Grace" and "Rock of Ages," led by the trio and combined choirs. Prakash Wright is a teaching professor in the department of music at the University of the South.

FC Arts Guild 2018 Shows

The Franklin County Arts Guild is showcasing several new artists in 2018, with member shows and community shows in its gallery, the Artisan Depot. The current show on display is "Wraps, Jewelry & Wearable Art" through March 31. Other member shows include:

April 5–May 13, Joy Snead;
May 17–June 19, Catherine Norell;
June 28–August 5, Christi Teasley;
Aug. 9–Sept. 16, Dick Wollam;
Sept. 20–Oct. 28, Bob Askew;
Nov. 1–Dec. 23, Member Show.

In its commitment to supporting arts in the wider community, the Franklin County Arts Guild sponsors themed community shows, open to anyone; membership in the Guild is not required. Currently on display is "Earth, Wind & Fire" through April 22. The line-up of community shows at the Artisan Depot in 2018 is:

April 26–June 17, Magical Thinking;
Aug. 16–Oct. 14, Craft: Art Made by Hand;
Oct. 18–Nov. 1, Veterans;
Nov. 15–Dec. 23, Snow.

The Artisan Depot is operated by the Franklin County Arts Guild and is located at 204 Cumberland St. East, Cowan. Gallery hours are noon to 5 p.m. on Thursday, Friday and Sunday, and 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday. For more information go to <<http://franklincoarts.weebly.com>>.



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A master and apprentice team from the Tennessee Arts Commission's Traditional Arts Apprenticeship Program will be demonstrating white oak basketmaking in Woodbury on March 8, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Master white oak basket maker Sue Williams of Morrison and her apprentice Michelle Hennessee, right, have been invited to display and demonstrate their rare and endangered folk craft at the Arts Center of Cannon County located at 1424 John Bragg Hwy., Woodbury. For additional information call (615) 563-2787 or go to <www.artscenterofcc.com>

2018 Young at Art Season Opens with Seussical the Musical

The Arts Center of Cannon County presents "Seussical the Musical" at 2 p.m., Saturday, March 3 and Saturday, March 10. It's almost impossible not to grin when this all-ages musical adaptation of Dr. Seuss' stories plunges you into the whimsical world of The Cat in the Hat, Horton Hears a Who! and many more classics.

Tickets are \$10 for adults and seniors and \$7 for students and may be purchased Tuesday through Saturday 10 a.m.–4 p.m. by calling (615) 563-2887 or online at <artscenterofcc.com> and (subject to availability) at the door one hour prior to show time. "Seussical" is sponsored by Wild About Smiles Pediatric Dentistry and is rated a kid-friendly G.

SSO Spring Concert

The Sewanee Symphony Orchestra presents its first concert of the spring semester at 7:30 p.m., today (Friday), March 2, at Quarry Auditorium. The program features Sewanee faculty Bernadette Lo (piano) performing Grieg's "Concerto for Piano and Orchestra in A minor, Op. 16." Other works include "School Overture" and Tchaikovsky's famous "Waltz" from "The Sleeping Beauty Ballet." Admission is free.

Burklin Senior Recital

Anna Burklin, mezzo-soprano, will present her senior recital on Saturday, March 3, at 3 p.m., in St. Luke's Chapel. Her program includes works by John Dowland, Thomas Arne, Johannes Brahms, Georges Bizet and William Bolcom.

Burklin is a voice student of Jessica Usherwood in the Department of Music at University of the South. Admission is free.



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SEWANEE NOW AND THEN

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This delightful anecdote describes an encounter with Mucidora Garner, an ancestor of the Garner family of Sewanee. Her life, like that of her brothers with whom she farmed the land in Lost Cove more than 75 years ago, shows that the rural past has long been entwined with the fabric of Sewanee's history. The following account by Arthur Ben Chitty was published in the Nashville Tennessean magazine in 1950.

It was probably in 1946 when I was summoned, as director of public relations, to the Emerald-Hodgson Hospital by the late Harold Rae Flintoff '35, the superintendent. He had a patient he thought I should meet. Miss Mucidore Garner, an eighty-four-year-old wisp of a lady, was perched on her bed in private room number 5.

Where was she from? Lost Cove. How long had she lived there? Born there. Where had her parents come from? The other side of the Mountain. How many times had she previously visited Sewanee? Never before. (The distance as the crow flies is five miles.)

Why had she come to the hospital—what were her symptoms? She was tired. How had she realized it was time to seek medical aid? It was the first time in her life she had not been able to do the spring plowing. How had she gotten to the hospital? Nephews had carried her up the mountain-side to Natural Bridge with two poles and a blanket, and they had been met by a pick-up truck from Sherwood.

Then did she go frequently the five miles to Sherwood? Oh no, only two or three times. Had she ever been to more distant places? Yes. Where? To Decherd on the train. What had she done when she got there? Came back on the next train. Had she ever had her picture taken? No.

Rex Pinson, subsequently valedictorian of the class of 1948, shot a couple of poses with his 4x5 Speed Graphic, and I promised to bring copies to her. There was a delay of a few days, and when I got back to the hospital, she had conquered that tired feeling sufficiently to go home. I set out for Lost Cove, an eighteen-thousand-acre valley-bottom shut from the world by "The Saddle," a 600-foot ridge lying athwart what normally would have been the open end of the Cove. Under the Saddle, as every Sewanee speleologist knows, flows the beautiful stream that made Lost Cove Cave a deluxe hotel for Indians 8,000 years ago.

I went down as she had come up, via Natural Bridge, found the stream and followed it a mile or so to the dog-trot cabin where Miss Mucidore lived with the only other two inhabitants of the valley, her brothers Sol and Mose Garner. They were entranced with the pictures, invited me to eat with them, and they showed me how they "made" (i.e., grew or manufactured) everything they used except a little coffee and sugar which the brothers would buy on a rare hike or horseback ride into Sherwood. The road put in for logging was still in the future.

At one time, they told me, the Cove had a population of thirty or forty people, and there was an Episcopal mission church served by seminary students, one of sixteen or eighteen in the area around Sewanee. Had they ever been counted in the census? No.

A couple of years later I was talking to friends on the magazine section of the Nashville Tennessean, and a redoubtable team of journalists, alerting a census-taker, headed for Lost Cove. They did a fine feature, with pictures, and the Garners swelled the U. S. census of 1950 by precisely three.

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Boys' Middle School Soccer Begins

The St. Andrew's-Sewanee middle school boys' soccer team opened the season on Feb. 22 with a 2-0 loss to South Middle School.

The Mountain Lions conceded a goal in the opening two minutes, but the remainder of the match was a hard-fought battle, with both teams creating scoring opportunities.

Raulston Barnett (sixth grader, South Pittsburg) and Luca Malde (seventh grader, Sewanee) played strong for SAS.

In the second match of the season on Feb. 27, the Mountain Lions earned the first win of the season on the road against The Webb School in Bell Buckle.

In the Mountain Lions' 4-0 shut-out, Cecil Rodgers (sixth grader, Sewanee) was first to strike five minutes into the match off a 30-yard shot. Two minutes later, Caleb Palmertree (seventh grader, Sewanee) broke through Webb's defense to score.

With only five minutes remaining in the half, eighth-grade captain Gus Croom found the back of the net.

In the second half both teams fought hard for possession. Palmertree, assisted by Rylan Thomas (eighth-grader, Lexington) scored the last goal of the game at the 47th minute.

Strong play was also seen from Mac Croom, Spears Askew, and goalkeeper Ryan Ostrowski, who chalked up two saves and center backs.

"I am proud of our work so far," said coach Margot Burns. "The players are working hard and making progress each time they step on the field."

The Mountain Lions will be back in action at Cascade Middle School on March 6.



St. Andrew's-Sewanee middle school swimmer Libby Neubauer (in the middle, with teammates) set a new school record this season in the 500 freestyle with a time of 6 minutes, 49.66 seconds. Neubauer's accomplishment was recognized as part of the SAS winter sports awards. Photo by St. Andrew's-Sewanee

Gray Tabbed Player of the Week

Sewanee junior tennis player Jack Gray has been named the Southern Athletic Association Men's Tennis Player of the Week after his performances in matches held in Virginia on Feb. 24-25.

The Chattanooga native won all three of his matches in singles, two were against nationally-ranked players. In doubles with partner Alejandro Becker, the duo claimed victory over 17th-ranked Brady Anderson/Nate Ackert of Coe, 8-6.

SAS Middle School Basketball Players Earn Accolades

The St. Andrew's-Sewanee middle school girls' basketball team finished their season 13-4 and earned the following Big 8 Conference honors: Defensive Player of the Year: Lakin Laurendine; All-Conference and

All-Tournament: Madison King and Laurendine; and All-Star Game selections: Lucy Cassell, King and Nailah Hamilton. King was also tabbed to participate in the 3-Point Shooting Competition.

The girls' and boys' middle school basketball accomplishments were recognized as part of the SAS winter sports awards.

On the boys' side, Mac Croom and Ethan Hargis were named All-Conference this season.

Elijah Seavey and Gus Croom were named All-Star Game participants and Ethan Hargis was selected to participate in the 3-Point Shooting Competition.



All-Conference player Ethan Hargis in action this season. Photos by St. Andrew's-Sewanee



All-Conference player Mac Croom sets for a freethrow earlier this season.

SAS Honors Winter Athletes with Awards

Winter varsity athletes at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School were recently honored at a morning all-school assembly.

In front of the entire student body, athletes were presented with the Most Improved Player (MIP), the Most Valuable Player (MVP), and the Coaches' Awards. The players on the teams vote for the MIP and MVP awards.

SAS celebrated the achievements of the varsity winter teams, including basketball, swimming and wrestling.

The swim team broke two school records at the state swim meet. Catherine Gray ('18) set a new record in the 100 backstroke (1 minute, 6.09 seconds) and Aidan Smith ('20), Porter Neubauer ('21), Zolon Knoll ('20) and Randy Paul ('19) crushed the school record in the 200 freestyle relay (1:34.88).

At the regional swim meet, the relay team placed ninth in the 200-meter medley relay and the 200 free. Zolon placed 10th in the 500 free (5:19.30).

During the season, Gray also set a new school record in the 50 backstroke (31.40) and Smith set a new school record in the 50 fly (25.72). The girls' swim team also finished second in their division and the boys' finished first.

The wrestling team had several excellent performers at the annual Mountain Top Invitational, including Eli Andrews ('20), who placed first at 113-pounds; Michael Vaughan ('21), who placed fourth at 120; and Bailey McLean ('18), who placed third at 138.

Basketball season highlights included Blaise Zeitler ('18) scoring his 1,000th career point. He and Nneka Okolo ('20) received All-District honors.



SAS Coaches' Award winners, from left, are: Ryan Val (swimming), Aubrey Black (basketball), Eli Andrews (wrestling) and Kate Butler (basketball). Not pictured: Sophia Patterson (swimming). Photos by St. Andrew's-Sewanee



Most Valuable Player Award winners, from left: Catherine Gray (swimming), Aidan Smith (swimming), Blaise Zeitler (basketball), Sarah Johnson (basketball) and Bailey McLean (wrestling).



Most Improved Player Award winners, from left: Chloe Fontenelle (swimming), Joe McDonough (basketball), Myers Gorrell (swimming), Carla Hof (basketball), Jay Tillman (basketball) and Steven Anderson (wrestling).

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Mary Kate Myers (No. 27) scored a hat trick on Feb. 24 in Sewanee's win over Birmingham-Southern in women's lacrosse. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

Tigers Tame BSC in Women's Lacrosse

The Sewanee women's lacrosse team rallied to a 9-5 second half to defeat the Panthers of Birmingham-Southern College, 15-11, on Feb. 24 in the home opener for the Tigers.

BSC and Sewanee traded two goals with Sewanee's Sarah Strand and Catherine Crigler, who netted successful shots at the 19:06 mark and the 17:41 mark, respectively.

The Tigers took their first lead of the contest at the 11:20 mark thanks to a Kelly Thomsen goal from Preston Cooper.

However, the Panthers responded with a free position goal 19 seconds

later to even the score at three apiece.

After Mary Kate Myers gave the Tigers the lead with 9:26 left in the half, the Panthers, in a 49-second span, scored three goals to take a 6-4 lead with 4:37 left in the opening period.

The Purple and Gold responded with two goals late by Alden Woolford (3:23) and Myers (1:51) to even the score at six goals a piece headed into the locker room.

Sewanee opened the second half with goals from Brooke Winfield and Myers to retake the lead for good.

BSC scored two goals to cut the deficit to 10-9, but the Tigers outscored the visitors 5-2 in the final 19:21.

Birmingham-Southern was limited to 24 total shots, nine in the final 30 minutes.

For Sewanee, Myers captured a hat trick, scooped up four groundballs and collected an assist in the win.

Crigler, Strand, Winfield and Molly Elkins each netted two goals apiece for the home team. Kit Sommi collected six groundballs, while adding five draw controls and caused turnovers each.

Amanda Jenkins (1-0) saved four shots in 21 minutes in the cage.

For BSC, Ashley Shepherd scored four goals and totaled four groundballs and caused turnovers to go along with five draw controls. Rachel Stokes forced four Sewanee turnovers.

Sewanee Women's Tennis Perfect in February

The 17th-ranked Sewanee women's tennis team capped off a 6-0 February with a sweep over LaGrange on Feb. 25 at the Guerry Indoor Courts. The Tigers (6-0) defeated LaGrange (2-4) by a score of 9-0.

Singles results: 1. Christina Merchant (Sewanee) def. Jenna Eppes (LaGrange) 6-2, 6-2.

2. Ellie Czura (Sewanee) def. Liz Minick (LaGrange) 6-1, 6-1.

3. Darby Duval (Sewanee) def. Kaitlin Smith (LaGrange) 6-2, 6-0.

4. Meredith Heitland (Sewanee) def. Nicole Phillips (LaGrange) 6-0, 6-0.

5. Abbie Vaughn (Sewanee) def. Ali Herring (LaGrange) 6-1, 6-0.

6. Maura McCrary (Sewanee) def. Alexandria Chenowith (LaGrange) 6-0, 6-0.

In three doubles wins, the Tigers surrendered only one point in the match.



Clementine Davila (left) and Catherine Owens won in doubles on Feb. 25. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

Sewanee Baseball Swept at Rhodes

Sewanee baseball suffered an 8-3 defeat at the hands of Rhodes College on Feb. 26 in Memphis, as the Lynx completed a three-game series sweep.

Sewanee (1-8) started the contest with a Chris McNulty double to bring home Riley Brandevold.

Rhodes (8-4) scored four runs, three in the third and one in the fourth. The Tigers added a run to cut the deficit to 4-2 off a McNulty sacrifice fly in the top of the fifth.

However, the Lynx scored three in the bottom half of the inning to put the contest out of reach.

For Sewanee, McNulty went 3-for-4 with a double and two RBI.

Trey Akins and Derek Hullings each tallied two hits apiece.

Trey Holland (0-1) allowed three earned runs in 3.1 innings pitched as the starter in the series finale.

For Rhodes, Paul Giacomazzi finished with six hits in the twinbill on Feb. 25, including a 4-for-5 performance at the plate in game one.

Jack Mercer (2-1) struck out 12

batters in five innings, allowing two earned on five hits in game one.

Trey Sledge (2-1) fanned nine batters in six innings of two-run ball in game two of the series.

The Tigers will officially open the home schedule with a 12-game home-stand starting with a doubleheader against Centre on March 3.



Andres Carro (shown in a recent home match) won all three of his singles matches in Virginia on Feb. 24-25. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

Men's Tennis Goes 4-1

The 22nd-ranked Sewanee men's tennis team finished the weekend 4-1 in split squad action on Feb. 24-25.

The matches against LaGrange and Transylvania were played in Sewanee, while the other matches were played in Fredericksburg, Va.

Final Score, Match 1: No. 29 Mary Washington (3-0) 5, Sewanee 4.

Final Score, Match 2: Sewanee 9, Transylvania (0-1) 0.

Final Score, Match 3: Sewanee 7, No. 39 Coe (5-3) 2.

Final Score, Match 4: Sewanee 7, No. 37 Stevens (0-3) 2.

Final Score, Match 5: Sewanee (8-2) 7, LaGrange (3-2) 2.

The Tigers are now 8-2 on the season.

Home Games

Saturday, March 3

noon, 3 p.m., University Baseball vs. Centre

Sunday, March 4

noon, University Baseball vs. Centre

Tuesday, March 6

6 p.m., University Women's Lacrosse vs. Carthage

Wednesday, March 7

2 p.m., University Baseball vs. Maryville

6 p.m., University Women's Lacrosse vs. Ohio Northern

Thursday, March 8

3:30 p.m., SAS Varsity Tennis vs. Warren County High School, scrimmage

Friday, March 9

IHSA Hunt Seat Regionals

Saturday, March 10

2 p.m., University Baseball vs. MUW

Saturday, March 10

noon, 2 p.m., University Softball vs. Centre

Sunday, March 11

noon, 3 p.m., University Baseball vs. MUW

noon, University Men's Lacrosse vs. Wesleyan

noon, University Women's Lacrosse vs. Transylvania

noon, University Softball vs. Centre



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NATURENOTES



Pictured here is one of our orchids, Tipularia discolor (crane fly orchid) whose green leaf is very easy to spot on the bare forest floor. Photo by the Sewanee Herbarium

The Village Trail

Last Sunday, Feb. 25, the Sewanee Herbarium sponsored a walk on the Village Trail, just opened in the last couple of years. It runs from the downtown area of Sewanee (on the highway just before Kentucky Avenue) through the headwaters of Depot Branch, between Sewanee Elementary and the old Sewanee Academy campus, to the parking lot behind Hamilton Hall. It is a short and easy walk through a surprisingly diverse plant community.

Near the highway is a group of bald cypress, planted there of course, that are quite noticeable as one drives past. They are gymnosperms, like pines and hemlocks, but they are deciduous not evergreen. From the trail the cypress knees are noticeable in the winter. Surprisingly, their function is still not determined, but they may provide support for the tree as it grows in swampy areas.

Mosses are abundant along the trail, on exposed soil banks, the bases of trees, tree trunks, and rocks and concrete structures. Moist woods along a stream are one of the best habitats for mosses. Due to the recent abundant rains, the mosses were plump and green. They have no vascular system and are only one cell thick, absorbing water directly into those cells, so they dry out or are hydrated depending on the availability of water.

Some other spots of green in winter are the leaves of the crane fly orchid, among the leaves on the forest floor, with bright purple undersides, and the spotted wintergreen or pipsissewa, as well as the usual pines, holly, and mountain laurel. Less obvious in the winter but abundant nevertheless are numerous invasive exotics such as wisteria, Japanese honeysuckle, English ivy and multiflora rose. One of these, sweet-breath-of-spring (a bush honeysuckle), was in fragrant bloom at the trailhead behind Hamilton Hall.

Some reports from the field: one walker on the trail had recently seen a bald eagle (with the characteristic white head) over Lake Cheston, and **Cornelia Coode** had just been through Shakerag Hollow and said that early wildflowers like bloodroot and pepper-and-salt are out and others like trillium are in bud.

—reported by Yolande Gottfried

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Work days are currently scheduled at 9 a.m., March 3 and 4. Meet at the Grundy Forest Trailhead. For more information go to <https://www.friendsofsouthcumberland.org>



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Saturday, March 3

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Sunday, March 4

Big Creek Rim/Laurel Trail Run—Meet Ranger Aaron Reid at 8 a.m. at Stone Door parking lot, 1183 Stone Door Rd., Beersheba Springs, for a moderate 7-mile trail run, past Great Stone Door and other overlooks on the Big Creek Rim trail. Runners must be able to keep at least a 12 min/mile pace. Wear trail shoes and bring a water bottle.

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Tue	Feb 20	71	61
Wed	Feb 21	75	59
Thu	Feb 22	75	60
Fri	Feb 23	76	60
Sat	Feb 24	57	49
Sun	Feb 25	54	44

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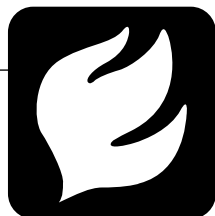
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GLASS RECYCLING GUIDELINES

at Glass Recycling Site on Kennerly Avenue behind PPS in Sewanee



- ~ Sort glass into four colors: green, brown, clear, blue.
- ~ Bottles must be EMPTY, but washing out is not required. You must WASH food out of food jars.
- ~ REMOVE all ceramic, wire, metal, plastic caps, lids, collars or neck rings. Paper labels are allowed.
- ~ The following glass containers are recyclable:
 - Iced tea and soda bottles
 - Food jars
 - Beer bottles
 - Wine and liquor bottles
 - Juice and water containers
- ~ The following glass is not recyclable:
 - Ceramic cups, plates and pottery
 - Clay garden pots
 - Laboratory glass
 - Windshields and window glasses
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 - Mirrors
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If we didn't have birthdays,
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If you'd never been born,
well then what would you do?
If you'd never been born,
well then what would you be?
You might be a fish!
Or a toad in a tree!
You might be a doorknob!
Or three baked potatoes!
You might be a bag full of
hard green tomatoes.

Or worse than all that...
Why, you might be a WASN'T!
A Wasn't has no fun at all.
No, he doesn't.

A Wasn't just isn't. He just
isn't present. But you...
You ARE YOU!
And, now isn't that pleasant!

*Happy Birthday To You! - Poem
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Community Calendar

Today, Friday, March 2

SWC lunch reservations due today

- 7 a.m. Curbside Recycling
- 7 a.m. Mountain T.O.P. yard sale, 480 Old Hwy. 56, Coalmont, until 4 p.m., thru March 3
- 8:30 a.m. Morning Deep Stretch Yoga, Darrylann, Comm Ctr.
- 9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m.
- 10 a.m. Game day, Senior Ctr.
- Noon SCCF Meeting, Coalmont
- Noon Spinal Spa with Kim, Fowler Ctr.
- 7:30 p.m. Concert, Sewanee Symphony, Guerry
- 7:30 p.m. Movie, "Jumanji: Welcome to the Jungle," SUT
- 7:30 p.m. Theatre/Sewanee, "The Crucible," Proctor Hill Theatre, TN Williams Center

Saturday, March 3

- 7 a.m. Mountain T.O.P. yard sale, 480 Old Hwy. 56, Coalmont, until 4 p.m.
- 8 a.m. SCCF Make a Difference Day of Service, eight Plateau elementary schools, until noon
- 8:30 a.m. Move, Meditate, Melt Yoga, Richard, Comm Ctr.
- 8:30 a.m. Rabies Clinic, Cowan Police Dept., until 9 a.m.
- 9:30 a.m. Hospitality Shop sale, 1096 Univ Ave, until noon
- 9:30 a.m. Rabies Clinic, Sherwood Comm Ctr., until 10 a.m.
- 10 a.m. GC Swiss Historical Society, GC Heritage Ctr., 465 Railroad Ave., Tracy City
- 10:30 a.m. Rabies Clinic, St. James, Midway, until 11 a.m.
- 11 a.m. VITA Free Income Tax Prep, Senior Ctr., until 4 p.m.
- 12:30 p.m. Rabies Clinic, SES, until 1:30 p.m.
- 1:30 p.m. Ralston Room, Jazz, until 2:45 p.m.
- 2 p.m. Rabies Clinic, Oak Grove Comm Ctr, until 2:20 p.m.
- 2:30 p.m. Rabies Clinic, Decherd New City Hall., until 3 p.m.
- 3 p.m. Senior Vocal recital, Burklin, St. Luke's Chapel
- 7:30 p.m. Movie, "Jumanji: Welcome to the Jungle," SUT
- 7:30 p.m. Theatre/Sewanee, "The Crucible," Proctor Hill Theatre, Tennessee Williams Center

Sunday, March 4 • CAC Pantry Sunday

- 2 p.m. Knitting circle, Mooney's, until 4 p.m.
- 3 p.m. Staged reading, "The Hystericals," Studio Theatre, TN Williams Ctr; reception/talk back follow
- 3 p.m. Student chamber music recital, St. Luke's Chapel
- 4 p.m. Hatha Yoga, Helen, Comm Ctr.
- 6 p.m. Ralston Room, Opera, selections Puccini's "Tosca"
- 7:30 p.m. Movie, "Jumanji: Welcome to the Jungle," SUT

Monday, March 5

Lease agenda items due, Lease office

SES Scholastic Book Fair, school hours, until Friday, March 9

- 9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m.
- 9 a.m. Coffee w/Coach, Blue Chair Tavern
- 10 a.m. Pilates with Kim, intermediate, Fowler Ctr.
- 10:30 a.m. Chair Exercise, Ruth, Comm Ctr.
- 4 p.m. Computer class, May Justus Library, Monteagle
- 5 p.m. Stone Soup Lenten series, St. James, until 7 p.m.
- 5:30 p.m. FCBOE work session, 215 S. College St., W'chester
- 5:30 p.m. Yoga for Strength/Healing, Pippa, Comm Ctr.
- 6 p.m. Karate, youth, Legion Hall; adults, 7 p.m.
- 6 p.m. Ralston Room, Prog to Punk, until 7 p.m.
- 6 p.m. Karate, youth, Legion Hall; adults, 7 p.m.
- 7 p.m. Ralston Room, Earth's Mixtape, until 9 p.m.
- 7 p.m. Sewanee Chorale rehearsal, Room 220, Guerry Hall

Tuesday, March 6

- 8 a.m. MES Registration, until 2:30 p.m.
- 8:30 a.m. Morning Deep Stretch Yoga, Darrylann, Comm Ctr.
- 9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m.
- 9 a.m. Pilates, Kim, beginner, Fowler Ctr.
- 9:30 a.m. Crafting ladies, Morton Memorial, Monteagle
- 9:30 a.m. Hospitality Shop sale, 1096 Univ Ave, until 1 p.m.
- 10 a.m. Village update, Gladu, Blue Chair Tavern
- 10:30 a.m. Bingo, Senior Ctr.
- 11:30 a.m. Grundy County Rotary, Dutch Maid, Tracy City
- Noon Pilates, Bruce, beginner mat, 91 Univ Ave
- Noon Pilates, Kim, intermediate, Fowler Ctr.
- 3 p.m. Ralston Room, Rock & Roll... Blues, until 5 p.m.
- 5 p.m. Pilates, Bruce, beginner mat, 91 Univ Ave
- 5 p.m. Ralston Room, Kitchen Sink Sessions, until 9 p.m.
- 5 p.m. Water conservation lecture, Ramseur Jr., Gailor
- 5:30 p.m. Village update, Gladu, Blue Chair Tavern
- 6 p.m. Alzheimer's Support group, The Willows, W'chstr
- 6 p.m. GC Democratic Party, Courthouse, Altamont
- 6 p.m. Ralston Room, Kitchen Sink Sessions, until 9 p.m.
- 6 p.m. Tracy Acoustic Jam, old water bldg, Tracy City
- 6:30 p.m. Social dancing, Valerie, beginner, Comm Ctr.
- 7:30 p.m. Social dancing, Valerie, continuing, Comm Ctr

Wednesday, March 7

Sewanee Symposium on Borders and Human Rights, until March 9

- 8 a.m. MES Registration, until 2:30 p.m.
- 9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m.
- 10 a.m. Pilates with Kim, intermediate, Fowler Ctr.

- 10 a.m. Writers' group, 212 Sherwood Rd.
- 10:30 a.m. Chair Exercise, Ruth, Comm Ctr.
- 11:30 a.m. STLS luncheon, FC Country Club, Winchester
- Noon EQB luncheon, St. Mary's Sewanee
- 1:15 p.m. Lenten organ recital, All Saints' Chapel
- 4:30 p.m. Symposium Human Rights lecture, Bhabha, Gailor
- 5 p.m. Ralston Room, Around the World, until 7 p.m.
- 5:30 p.m. Hatha Yoga, Helen, Comm Ctr.
- 6 p.m. Divorce support group series, for location <www.divorcecare.org> or call (615) 294-4748
- 6 p.m. Civil Discourse series, supper, St. Mark's, Otey
- 6:30 p.m. Catechumenate, dinner, Women's Ctr.
- 7 p.m. Meditation, Mary Ellen and Richard, St. Augustine's Chapel
- 7:30 p.m. Movie, CG, "Pitch Perfect 2," free, SUT

Thursday, March 8

- 8 a.m. Monteagle Sewanee Rotary, Sewanee Inn
- 9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m.
- 9 a.m. Nature Journaling, Woods Lab G-10, until 11 a.m.
- 9 a.m. Pilates with Kim, beginner, Fowler Ctr.
- 9:30 a.m. Hospitality Shop sale, 1096 Univ Ave, until 1p.m.
- Noon Pilates, Bruce, beginner mat, 91 Univ Ave
- Noon Pilates, Kim, intermediate, Fowler Ctr.
- 12:30 p.m. Episcopal Peace Fellowship, Brooks Hall, Otey
- 1 p.m. Civil Discourse series, BYOL, Brooks Hall, Otey
- 1:30 p.m. Folks@Home support group, 598-0303
- 2 p.m. Knitting circle, Mooney's, until 4 p.m.
- 3 p.m. Open House, GC Extension Svc., 27 Phipps St, Coalmont, until 6 p.m.
- 3:30 p.m. Emeritus Assoc., Sherwood, Torian Rm, duPont
- 3:30 p.m. Tutoring, K-5, St. James, parent pickup 5 p.m.
- 4:30 p.m. Symposium Human Rights panel, Gailor
- 5 p.m. Pilates, Bruce, beginner mat, 91 Univ Ave
- 5 p.m. Ralston Room, Chamber Music, until 7 p.m.
- 6 p.m. Karate, youth, Legion Hall; adults, 7 p.m.
- 7 p.m. Gardeners' Forum, Community Ctr, until 8:30 p.m.
- 7 p.m. Ralston Room, Going for Baroque, until 9 p.m.
- 7 p.m. Symposium Human Rights panel, Gailor
- 7:30 p.m. Guitar Festival faculty concert, Yelverton, Povey; Henderson; Reiss, St. Luke's Chapel
- 7:30 p.m. Movie, "Pitch Perfect 3," SUT

Friday, March 9

SCA nominations due today

- 8:30 a.m. Morning Deep Stretch Yoga, Darrylann, Comm Ctr.
- 9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m.
- 10 a.m. Game day, Senior Ctr.
- Noon Spinal Spa with Kim, Fowler Ctr.
- 3 p.m. Symposium Human Rights panel, Gailor
- 4:30 p.m. Symposium Human Rights panel, Gailor
- 7:30 p.m. Guitar Festival concert, Ciulei/Maharajah Flamenco Trio, Guerry
- 7:30 p.m. Movie, "Pitch Perfect 3," SUT

LOCAL 12-STEP MEETINGS

Friday

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

Saturday

- 7:30 p.m. NA, open, Decherd United Methodist
- 7:30 p.m. AA, open, Claiborne Parish House, Otey

Sunday

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

Monday

- 5 p.m. Women's 12-step, Brooks Hall, Otey
- 7 p.m. AA, open, Christ Church, Tracy City

Tuesday

- 7 p.m. AA, open, First Baptist, Altamont
- 7:30 p.m. AA, open, Claiborne Parish House, Otey
- 7:30 p.m. CoDA, open, Holy Comforter, Monteagle

Wednesday

- 10 a.m. AA, closed, Clifftops, (931) 924-3493
- 7 p.m. NA, open, Decherd United Methodist
- 7:30 p.m. AA, open, Holy Comforter, Monteagle

Thursday

- 7 p.m. Al-Anon, First United Methodist Church, Winchester

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