The Sewanee Mountain

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Hudson Stuck

Centennial of Historic Climb by Sewanee Alum

By Patrick Dean, Special to the Messenger

One hundred years ago last Sunday, March 17, a group of men and boys left Fairbanks, Alaska, to climb the highest mountain in North America—Denali, also known as Mt. McKinley. That expedition is noteworthy for two reasons: first, because it succeeded and claimed the first ascent of Denali; and second, because the expedition was organized and led by a Sewanee alumnus, the Rev. Hudson Stuck, Archdeacon of Alaska and the Yukon.

Stuck attended Sewanee from 1889 to 1892, studying theology (there was neither a separate school nor a theology degree at that time). After serving as dean of the Episcopal cathedral in Dallas, Stuck accepted the challenge of serv-

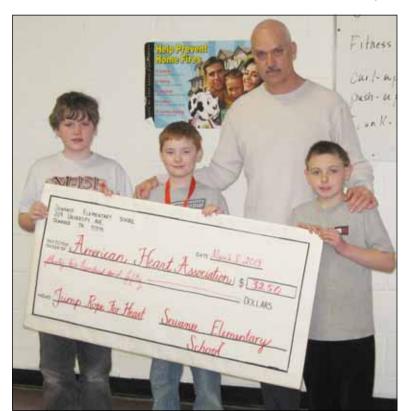
In the course of his time in Alaska, Stuck became famous for his exploits and in several different years, writing an account called "Ten Thousand Miles With a Dog Sled." His "Ascent of Denali," about the expedition of 1913, was also a best seller. Sewanee historiographer Arthur Ben Chitty described Stuck as "an ice-encrusted Lawrence of Arabia, undergirded with the zeal of St. Paul."

Stuck's earlier exploits in the mountains had included trips to the Spanish Peaks of the Colorado Rockies and the Canadian Rockies; he had also explored "the Cañon of the Yellowstone and the Grand Cañon of the Colorado," and he had summited Mount Rainier in Washington. He made plain his desire to summit Denali: "I would far rather climb that mountain than own the richest gold-mine in Alaska."

But Hudson Stuck was far more than an early-20th century Edmund Hillary in a priest's collar. One of his favorite statements was, "I am sorry for a life in which there is no usefulness to others." Again and again he preached on the necessity of helping others, that "salvation is for the whole man," and that "there is a need of personal works by men and women to those less favored."

In Dallas, Stuck helped found a grammar school for boys and St. Matthew's Home for Children, which has continued to work for children up to the present as the Children's Foundation of the Diocese of Dallas. Stuck also started a night school for mill workers and a home for indigent women.

He continued this work in Alaska. Within two weeks of his arrival, the (Continued on page 6)



This year's Jump Rope for Heart event at Sewanee Elementary School raised \$3,250 in donations. This was one of the largest totals in the school's 17-year history of participating in the event. Fifty-eight students raised money for the American Heart Association. David Gilliam, physical education teacher and coordinator of the annual event, said, "I want to offer a big thank-you to students, parents and the community for your continued support of Jump Rope for Heart." Here with Coach Gilliam are (from call 598-1770. left) Jack Bailey, top fund-raiser Calem Knight and Jerry Roberts.

CAC Offers Fresh Items, Sets New Events

Sewanee's Community Action Committee has a number of events in the coming days of interest to area residents. CAC received a huge delivery of fresh fruit and vegetables and fresh bread and bakery items from Second Harvest Food Bank on March 20. CAC will give away these fresh items during its regular office hours, 9–11 a.m., today (Friday), March 22. It will also be open 9–11 a.m., Saturday, March 23, to give food to people who cannot get to the office on Friday.

"We got this great, wonderful gift from Second Harvest and are glad to share it with the community," said Betty Carpenter, CAC's interim director. Among the items are bananas, oranges, carrots, grapes and pineapples, as well as bread, cakes and sweet rolls.

CAC is an outreach ministry of Otey Parish, with generous support from the Sewanee Community Chest and individuals across the Mountain.

For more than 35 years, the CAC has provided food, financial assistance, and educational support for persons in the greater Sewanee community.

COMMUNITY ACTION COMMITTEE

Boy Scout Troop 14 is having a food drive to benefit CAC on Sunday, March 24, in Sewanee. Scouts will walk through neighborhoods asking residents to donate non-perishable food items for the food pantry. If you are not going to be home and would like to make a donation, contact Speed Baranco at 598-0442 or by email to <sbaranco@gmail.com>.

Finally, Sewanee will have its own version of March Madness on Saturday, for his books about them. He covered his mission territory in the dead of winter March 30. TKP sorority is sponsoring a Powder Puff football game to benefit CAC. The donation of a non-perishable food item will get you in to watch the action. Games begin at 10:30 a.m. at Courts Field. Teams are still being accepted for the event; there is a \$50 entry fee. T-shirts will also be available. The event will happen, rain or shine. For more information or to register a team, email

While Otey Parish Hall is under renovation, CAC is located in the Yellow House at 258 Lake O'Donnell Rd. CAC can be reached at 598-5927.



Chick Corea & Béla Fleck in Concert Wednesday

Chick Corea and Béla Fleck, two of today's most creative musicians, will visit Sewanee as part of their exciting new tour. Together, their stunning technique and musical genius produce a sound never heard before. The University's Performing Arts Series brings them for a concert at 7:30 p.m., Wednesday, March 27, in Guerry Auditorium.

Corea and Fleck, two master songwriters, musicians, and band leaders meet in a historic duet of piano and banjo. The Grammy-winning duet will combine Corea and Fleck's most recognizable tunes with the music from their Latin Grammy-winning album, "The Enchantment."

With a mix of jazz and pop standards, crossing a myriad of genres including jazz, bluegrass, rock, flamenco and gospel, this will be a casual, intimate evening with two legends from different musical worlds.

Fleck's intense musical curiosity and spirit of innovation have drawn him into nearly every genre of music, stretching the boundaries of each and producing extraordinary collaborations. He has worked in bluegrass, country, jazz and world music, and won multiple Grammy Awards.

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and undisputed keyboard virtuoso, Corea has attained living legend status after four decades of unparalleled creativity and artistic output. From straight-ahead to avant-garde, bebop to fusion, children's songs to chamber music, Corea has touched an astonishing number of musical bases while maintaining a singular standard of excellence.

Tickets are \$25 for adults, \$20 for seniors and \$10 for students.

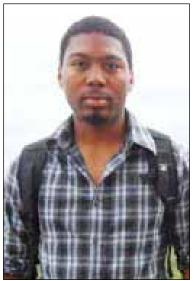
For tickets or more information

Civic Assn. Seeks Nominees

The Sewanee Civic Association invites nominations for the 30th 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 has always made Sewanee a better place.

Nominations are due April 1. Past recipients are not eligible to receive the award again. Send the name of your nominee, along with the reasons you are nominating this person/group, to Theresa Shackelford, <shackelfordt@ bellsouth.net>. The award will be presented at the SCA's April 17 meeting.

Previous winners include Dr. Matt Petrilla, Harry and Jean Yeatman, Marshall Hawkins, Karen Keele, Tom Watson, the Sewanee Senior Center (Lena McBee, Sue Hawkins, Charlsie Green), Geraldine Hewitt Piccard, Connie Warner, Ina May Myers, Boo Cravens, David Green, Joe David McBee, Doug Cameron, Phoebe Bates and Louise Irwin.



DeAndré Espree-Conaway

New Watson Fellow Named

DeAndré Espree-Conaway, a senior in the College, has been named a recipient of the prestigious year-long Watson Fellowship for 2013-14. He is one of only 40 fellows from 31 universities who will be awarded \$25,000 for a year of travel and exploration. Sewanee had four finalists nominated this year out of the several hundred candidates who compete for the fellowship each year on the national level.

Espree-Conaway, from Houston, Tex., plans to observe the role that

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P.O. Box 296 Sewanee, TN 37375

Letter

SCIENCE FAIR THANKS Letter to the Editor:

Sewanee Elementary School would like to thank everyone who participated in the annual Science Fair. The projects were varied and represented the inquiring minds of SES students. Judges commented on the depth of understanding of the students and the wide range of scientific information that was on display.

The faculty and staff would like to thank judges Lynn Stewart and Curtis Brewer of Nissan, Mary Priestley with Sewanee Herbarium, Stan Powell with AEDC, Randy Peterson of the University of the South, Heather Olson of Sewanee/Monteagle Realty and Ty Burnette with Friends of South Cumberland. A special thanks goes to Mr. Maxon, Jenny Gore and Phillip Yates for setting up the Science Fair.

Be thinking of your project for next year! Thank you again.

Gail Sherrill Rothermund Karen Vaughan SES Fair Coordinators

Kevin Smith Benefit Set

Abenefit to assist Kevin Smith and his family with daily expenses while he is making frequent trips to the Sarah Cannon Cancer Center in Nashville will be held 4–7 p.m., Saturday, April 6, at the Senior Citizens Center, 5 Ball Park Rd., Sewanee.

Tickets are \$15. There will be great door prizes with drawings at 6 p.m. The menu is hot dogs, baked beans, slaw and homemade desserts.

Contact Johnny Hughes at 598-5350 or (931) 636-7027, Connie McBee at 598-0118 or Tracy Hall at 598-1203 for tickets or more information.

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Third-grade student Makayla Cash describes her Science Fair project to judge Curtis Brewer.

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Second-grade student Lakin Laurendine (center) tells Heather Olson and Ty Burnette about her project for the SES Science Fair.

Dine locally!

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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.

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Meetings & Events

Bluebell Island Tour Saturday

Tour Bluebell Island at 10 a.m. on Saturday, March 23. The annual walk is sponsored by the South Cumberland Regional Land Trust (SCRLT). Located on the Elk River, the island is regionally famous for its plethora of wildflowers, especially Virginia Bluebells. Meet at the gated entrance to the Tyson Foods parking lot on able lifestyle by growing what you eat TN 50/US 64 W, just south of exit 127 off I-24 near the bridge over the Elk River, about 2 miles west of I-24. Instructions and a map are available at the website <scrlt.org>. Rain may cancel this event; check the website for updates.

Community Center Potluck

The Sewanee Community Center is hosting its annual membership potluck dinner at 6 p.m., Saturday, March 23, at the Center. Please bring a favorite side dish or dessert and come celebrate the Sewanee Community Center. If you are not a member, come and join. Membership is free.

Sunday Wildflower Walk

The Sewanee Herbarium is hosting a walk through Shakerag Hollow at 2 p.m., Sunday, March 24, to look for early Spring wildflowers. Biologist Jon Evans will lead the hike. The walk will also include an introduction to winter botany as the woody plants will still mostly be bare of leaf. Meet at Green's View for this moderate-to-strenuous two-mile walk that may include a steep rocky section of the trail.

Reading Workshop Monday

Spark the imagination of a child in your life by participating in an upcoming workshop hosted by the Grundy County Imagination Library, Rotary Club of Grundy County and Governor's Books from Birth Foundation. The free event will be 8:30 a.m.-noon, Monday, March 25, at the Tracy City First United Methodist Church, 105 16th St., Tracy City. For more information call Émily Partin, Grundy County Family Resource Center, (931) 592-4372.

Garden Club Meets on Monday

The Sewanee Garden Club will meet at 1:30 p.m., Monday, March 25, at the home of Jane Flynn, 190 Virginia Ave. in Sewanee. Leonard King will talk about container gardening, and one lucky guest will take home one call Judy Magavero at (931) 924-3118.

Community Council Constituent Meetings

The Sewanee Community Council is holding district meetings at 7 p.m., Monday, March 25, at the Sewanee Elementary School. Go to <www. sewanee.edu/leases> for the map to locate your district.

SUD Board Meets Tuesday

The Board of Commissions of the Sewanee Utility District will meet at 5 p.m., Tuesday, March 26, at the SUD office. The agenda is: approval of the February 2013 minutes; general manager's report; financial report; unfinished business: an update on the constructed wetlands study; internal controland compliance; new business; and time for visitor comments and announcements. The next meeting will be April 23.

Area Rotary Club Meetings

The Grundy County Rotary Club and Pearl's. meets at 11:30 a.m. on Tuesdays at the Dutch Maid Bakery in Tracy City.

The Monteagle/Sewanee Rotary Club Wednesday morning group will not meet on March 27.

The Monteagle/Sewanee Rotary

Southern Tennessee Development of Commerce and the local food bank. District, will present the program.

Gardeners' Forum: Grow Your Own Food on Tuesday

Learn how to live a more sustainat a Gardeners' Forum panel discussion at 7 p.m., Tuesday, March 26, at the Sewanee Community Center. Area gardeners will share their techniques and strategies for growing vegetables and fruit on the Plateau, and audience members will be encouraged to participate in the dialogue, to ask questions and to share their own experiences and ideas.

Panelists include Risa Brown, the South Cumberland Food Hub coordinator and owner and manager of Zion Gardens; Seven Pines Farm organic gardener Leslie Lytle, who has more than 35 years' gardening experience; Gina Raicovich, University farm manager, with degrees from the University and natural resources; and Ron Strobel of Turtle Run Farm in Monteagle, a Certified Naturally Grown operation.

The Gardeners' Forum is being jointly sponsored by the Cumberland Cumberland Farmers' Market. Everyone attending will automatically be entered in the drawing for door prizes. For more information contact Leslie Lytle at 598-9979 or email <sllytle@ blomand.net>.

Prunty at EQB on Wednesday

EOB Club members gather for social time at 11:30 a.m. on Wednesdays, with lunch served at noon (reservations are necessary) at St. Mary's Sewanee. Leads (programs) are open to the public and usually begin about 12:30 p.m. On Wednesday, March 27, Wyatt Prunty, professor of English and director of the Sewanee Writers' Conference, will give a reading of his poetry, with comments. All are welcome. For more information contact Gail Watson at 598-0120.

Franklin Co. Business Expo

The Franklin County Chamber of Commerce is hosting its 21st annual Business Expo, 4–8 p.m., Thursday, March 28, at Monterey Station, 104 Monterey St., Cowan.

A \$5 admission fee provides atof his creations. For more information tendees the opportunity to view more than 90 exhibitors and network with local professionals of Franklin County businesses. The entry ticket also provides an opportunity to win one of more than 100 door prizes; the donated by Walmart in Decherd.

Taste of the Mountain on the Move March 28–30

Taste of the Mountain ... On the Move will be 4-7 p.m., Thursday-Saturday, March 28–30. This popular food festival has been changed from having the vendors under one roof to a progressive event. Participants will move from restaurant to restaurant, offering them an opportunity to visit new eateries, as well as try foods that exemplify each place in its unique atmosphere.

Restaurants on the tour include Dutch Maid Bakery, Blue Chair Bakery and Cafe, Crossroads Cafe, IvyWild, Tallulah's Wine Lounge, High Point, Smoke'n B's BBQ, Dave's Modern Tavern, the Smoke House

Tickets are \$25 for five tickets; one ticket is required at each restaurant that you visit. Additional tickets, which are \$5 each, will be available at each participating location, as well as at local banks, Monteagle City Hall and

Club hosts a noon Thursday meeting at the Monteagle Mountain Chamber the Blue Chair Tavern. On March 28, of Commerce. Proceeds go to fund Beth Jones, executive director of the the Monteagle Mountain Chamber

Reservations Due for April Woman's Club Meeting

Reservations for the next meeting of the Sewanee Woman's Club are due by Friday, March 29. The meeting will be on Monday, April 8, at the DuBose Conference Center in Monteagle. Jim Davidheiser will give a talk about German fairy tales.

There is an optional social hour at 11:30. Lunch is served at noon. The menu for this meeting is: spinach quiche, baked tomato, apple salad and apple pie. Lunch is \$12. The program will begin at 12:30 p.m.

To make a reservation, call Caroline Shoemaker at 598-0982 or email Marianna Handler at <mariannah@ earthlink.net>. There is a vegetarian option, and child care is available and free of cost; please request these at the time that reservations are made.

Consider making reservations of Montana in environmental studies to bring newcomers and friends so they can also enjoy the great roster of speakers.

The annual dues for members remain at \$5. These dues and the proceeds of the club's fund raising events Center for Justice and Peace and the support Thurmond Memorial Library and community projects.



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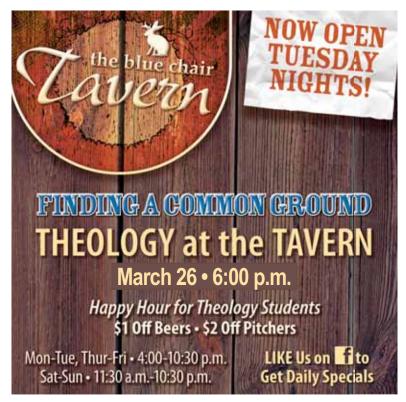
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Obituaries

Church Marketing Workshop

workshop will be 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., Friday, April 5, in Hamilton Hall's

Hargrove Auditorium. People interested in learning more about effective ways

to market a church in an informal, relaxed atmosphere are invited to attend.

munications are bringing experts in church marketing to Sewanee to provide

tips, techniques and training in the use of technology and social media to

enhance and support parishes in their marketing and communications efforts.

Peter's Episcopal Church, Greenville, S.C., will talk about "Marketing Know-

Church Marketing Strategies: The Rev. Furman Buchanan, T'06, rector, St.

How to Effectively Use Social Media: Randall Curtis, ministry developer for

The Do's and Don'ts of Website Content: Mary Ann Patterson, director

of marketing and communications, the School of Theology, will address how

to create the most effective content for your website (it's not always what you

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young adults and youth, Diocese of Arkansas, will discuss social media (what it

is, how to use it, great ideas for building and engaging a targeted audience) and

This year's program includes the following topics and speakers:

The contextual education department and the office of marketing and com-

The School of Theology's second annual "How to Market Your Church"

Sydney Joyce Church

Sydney Joyce "Syd" Church, age 80 of Monteagle, died on March 16, died on March 6, 2013, at his home. He 2013, at Erlanger Medical Center in was preceded in death by his parents, Chattanooga. She was preceded in death by her husband, John Kenneth "Buck" Church.

She is survived by her daughters, Cindy Church of Manchester and Pam Church of Tracy City; seven sisters, one brother, numerous nieces and nephews, great-nieces and -nephews, and great-great-nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were March 19 at Tracy City First United Methodist Church with Danny Coffelt officiating, and eulogy by Danny Cooper. Interment followed in Plainview Memorial Cemetery, Tracy City.

in Syd Church's memory to the First ficiating. Interment followed in Parks United Methodist Church Choir Family Cemetery (Warren Cemetery) Fund, 105 16th Street, Tracy City, TN 37387. For complete obituary visit

There is no fee, and reservations are not required.

helped him market his church;

blogs and low-cost website alternatives.

think) and discuss content management best practices.

Paul K. Parks, age 85 of Pelham, Fred A. Parks and Grace Payne Parks; brother, Bob Parks; wife, Willie Mae Parks; and second wife, Abbie Layne Parks. He was a U.S. Air Force veteran.

He is survived by his daughter, Janice (Roy) Swisher of Franklin, Ky.; stepsons, Allan, Danny and Russell Layne, all of Tracy City; brother, Fred B. "Pink" (Billie) Parks of Monteagle; sister, Tommye Dugger of Antioch, Tenn.; and three grandchildren, three great-grandchildren, two nieces and two nephews.

Funeral services were held March 9 from the funeral home chapel with Memorial donations may be made The Rev. Robert Cain and family ofin Pelham with full military honors provided by Sequatchie Valley Honor <www.cumberlandfuneralhome.net>. Guard. For complete obituary visit <www.cumberlandfuneralhome.net>.

Today, March 22

7:00 am Morning Prayer/HE, St. Mary's

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4:00 pm Evening Prayer, St. Augustine's 4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey

5:00 pm Evening Prayer, St. Mary's 5:40 pm Evening Prayer, sung, Chapel of Apostles

7:00 pm Taizé service, St. Luke's Chapel

Saturday, March 23

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

5:00 pm Mass, Good Shepherd Catholic, Decherd

Sunday, March 24 • Palm Sunday

All Saints' Chapel

8:00 am Holy Eucharist, Blessing of the Palms 11:00 am Holy Eucharist, Blessing of the Palms

6:30 pm Growing in Grace

Bible Baptist Church, Monteagle

10:00 am Morning Service 5:30 pm Evening Service

Christ Church Episcopal, Alto

9:00 am Palm Ŝunday Liturgy, Holy Eucharist

11:00 am Children's Sunday School Christ Church, Monteagle

10:30 am Palm Sunday Liturgy, Holy Eucharist 10:45 am Children's Sunday School

12:50 pm Christian formation class

Church of the Holy Comforter, Monteagle 9:00 am Palm Sunday Liturgy, Holy Eucharist

Cowan Fellowship Church 10:00 am Sunday School

11:00 am Worship Service

Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Sewanee

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

Decherd United Methodist Church

9:45 am Sunday School

How," describing how his experience as president of a marketing company has 10:50 am Worship

Epiphany Episcopal Church, Sherwood

10:30 am Palm Sunday Liturgy, Holy Eucharist

10:30 am Children's Sunday School Good Shepherd Catholic Church, Decherd

10:30 am Mass

Grace Fellowship 10:30 am Sunday School/Worship Service

Harrison Chapel Methodist

10:00 am Sunday School

11:00 am Worship Service

Midway Baptist Church

9:45 am Sunday School

10:45 am Worship Service 6:00 pm Evening Service

Midway Church of Christ 10:00 am Bible Study

11:00 am Morning Service

6:00 pm Evening Service Morton Memorial United Methodist, Monteagle

9:45 am Sunday School

11:00 am Worship Service New Beginnings Church, Jump Off

10:30 am Worship Service

Otey Memorial Parish

8:50 am Procession of the Palms, Holy Eucharist 11:00 am Procession of the Palms, Holy Eucharist

Pelham United Methodist Church

9:45 am Sunday School

11:00 am Worship Service

St. Agnes' Episcopal, Cowan

11:00 am Holy Eucharist Rite I

St. James Episcopal

9:00 am Bible story time for little ones

9:00 am Palm Sunday Liturgy, Holy Eucharist St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church, Alto

8:00 am Mass

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Sewanee Church of God

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Tuesday, March 26

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Wednesday, March 27

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Thursday, March 28 • Maundy Thursday

7:00 pm Tenebrae, St. Mary's

7:30 am Morning Prayer, Otey 7:30 am Morning Prayer, Otey 8:10 am Morning Prayer, sung, Chapel of the Apostles 8:30 am Morning Prayer, St. Augustine's 4:00 pm Evening Prayer, St. Augustine's 5:00 pm Holy Eucharist, foot-washing, stripping of the 5:00 pm Holy Eucharist, foot-washing, stripping

of the altar, Gethsemane watch, St. Mary's 7:00 pm Holy Eucharist, stripping of the altar, St. James 7:00 pm Cowan Community Maundy Thursday Service, Cowan Fellowship Church 7:30 pm Holy Eucharist, footwashing, All Saints'

followed by Gethsemane watch, St. Augustine's

Friday, March 29 • Good Friday

8:30 am Watch ends, Morning Prayer, St. Augustine's 9:00 am Good Friday Liturgy, Chapel of the Apostles 12:00 pm Tenebrae, Christ Church Monteagle 12:00 pm Good Friday liturgy, with silence, St. Mary's 12:00 pm Way of the Cross, Otey to All Saints' 1:00 pm Good Friday Liturgy, All Saints' 5:00 pm Good Friday Liturgy, Otey 7:00 pm Holy Eucharist (reserve sacrament), St. James 7:00 pm Cowan Community Tenebrae Service, Cowan Cumberland Presbyterian

If your church is in our circulation area and would like to be listed here, please send service times, church address and contact information to <news@sewaneemessenger.com> or phone 598-9949.

Taizé Service Today

Taizé will be at 7 p.m., today (Friday), March 22, in St. Luke's Chapel. This service usually lasts for an hour.

'Taizé in Sewanee" is sponsored by All Saints' Chapel and is an interdenominational joint ministry of the School of Theology and the College. These services are rich with opportunities to worship God with silent meditation, reflection, prayer and song. All are welcome.

Tracy City First Methodist

Tracy City First United Methodist Church will perform an Easter Cantata at 7 p.m., today (Friday) March 22, and 11 a.m., Sunday, March 24. The church is located at 105 16th St.

All Saints' Chapel

To honor a family member, friend or event by making an offering towards the flowers that will adorn All Saints' Chapel at the Easter celebrations, contact the chaplain's office at 598-1274.

Growing in Grace welcomes Peggy Farmer to speak on the semester theme, "Living Water," at 6:30 p.m., Sunday, March 24, in All Saints' Chapel. Farmer is an internationally known speaker, wellness consultant, author and facilitator with an interest in well-being and empowerment. She was part of the recent outreach trip to Haiti. Farmer is the director of Self Mastery International (SMI) and author of "Exploratory Surgery of the Soul, A Journey to Self Mas-

Catechumenate meets at 7 p.m., Wednesday, March 27, in the Women's Center to prepare for Saturday evening's Great Vigil of Easter. Áll are welcome to come pray and reflect.

At 9 a.m., Saturday, March 30, St. Augustine's Guild will decorate the chapel for the Great Vigil of Easter and the Festival Easter Eucharist. Guests are welcome to participate, and all levels of skill and talent are needed. Coffee and pastries will be provided. For more information call the chaplain's office.

Bible Baptist, Monteagle

The movie "Passion of the Christ" will be shown at 5 p.m., Saturday, March 30, at Bible Baptist Church in Monteagle. The movie will be followed

and everyone is welcome.

On Easter Sunday, March 31, a special singing will take place at 10 a.m. The Rev. Oliver Marson of Walk in My Sandals Ministry will present a dramatic message at 11 a.m.

The church is located at 360 Wells St. For more information contact James W. Taylor at (423) 322-4922 or <wowforChrist@gmail.com>.

Christ Church, Monteagle

The service on Palm Sunday, March 24, will begin with the blessing of the palms at 10:30 a.m. A luncheon will ollow the service. Palm Sunday is one of the best known Sundays of the year.

As throughout Lent, on Wednesdays, soup will be served following the Noon service.

will be at 7 p.m. The stripping of the altar will be the conclusion of this

On Good Friday at noon, the service is Tenebrae and involves the available for children age 6 weeks to reading of lessons from the Gospel according to St. Mark and the singing of traditional Good Friday music, concluding with "Were You There When They Crucified My Lord?

On Holy Saturday there will be a brief service at noon. At sundown there will be the lighting of the New Fire and the lighting of fireworks celebrating the coming of Easter.

Cowan Ministerial Services

The churches of Cowan Ministerial Association invite the public to attend the special services planned for Holy Week and Easter.

Á community Maundy Thursday service will be at 7 p.m., Thursday, March 28, at Cowan Fellowship Church. The Rev. Gene Wise from St. Agnes' Church will be the speaker for

The churches will gather again for a Good Friday Tenebrae service at 7 p.m., March 29, at Cowan Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

There will be a Sunrise Service at

Church.

Cowan Ministerial Association is sponsored by eight congregations in the Cowan area. For more information on the Holy Week and Easter services please visit the Association website at <www.cowanchurches.org>.

New Beginnings Church

New Beginnings Church will have two services on Easter Sunday, March 31. There will be one at 9:30 a.m., and a second at 11 a.m. Pastor Kenny Green said they will have a huge Easter Egg Hunt during both services for the kids, complete with candy and surprises.

Otey Parish

Otey Parish will celebrate Palm On Maundy Thursday, the service Sunday with the Liturgy of the Palms at 8:50 a.m. and 11 a.m. on Sunday, March 24. Because of the length of the liturgy, there will be no Christian Formation classes. Nursery care is 5 years old from 8:30 a.m. until after coffee hour, which follows the 11 a.m. service. The Lenten Bible study groups will meet at 4 p.m., Sunday; one group is meeting at the home of Kathryn and Alex Bruce and the other at the church. Newcomers are welcome.

St. James Episcopal Church

St. James Episcopal Church will celebrate Palm Sunday with the Liturgy of the Palms at 9 a.m., Sunday, March 24.

Beginning Monday, April 1, St. James is offering a class, "Everything Anglican/Episcopal" for those wishing to learn more about the Episcopal church and those wishing to be confirmed or received when Bishop John C. Bauerschmidt visits St. James on Wednesday, April 24. Please let Vicar Linda or Deacon Laura know if you wish to attend.

Programs Center Welcomes New Leadership

The Rt. Rev. J. Neil Alexander, dean of the School of Theology, has appointed Courtney Cowart as associate dean and director of the School's programs center. James Goodmann has been appointed the center's associate director. These appointments were effective on March 1.

Building on the success of the programs center's international Education for Ministry (EfM) program, Cowart will lead an expansion that envisions a new role for the center as the nexus of collaborative learning and creativity for an increasingly diverse body of participants from all parts of the church.

"While we celebrate the many achievements of the programs center and EfM in the past, we believe there is great potential for the programs center to reach more people, and, importantly, to reach groups the church as a whole has been less successful in reaching," Alexander said. "As America grows more diverse (and as it grows younger) a revitalization of the programs center will help the School of Theology, the Episcopal church and the broader Christian church in America."

Cowart and Goodmann are co-creators of VocationCARE, a vocational discernment and ministry design process initiated through support of the Fund for Theological Education. They will work closely with EfM Director Karen Meridith and the EfM staff to integrate Vocation CARE and other new programs into the center's operations.

with this new venture," said Meridith.

"In the spirit of our collaborative work with the Kaleidoscope Institute and the Missioner for Hispanic/Latino ministries, EfM looks forward to exploring new opportunities for partnerships that will come

Several new initiatives are in development for the expanding programs center, as the center's staff casts a wide net to engage developers of other promising programs as potential future offerings of the center. Two initiatives are already

"With a recent grant from the Henry Luce Foundation, EfM is embarking on the development of a Latino/Hispanic version of the EfM curriculum," said Cowart. "Additionally, the new Episcopal Service Corps—Sewanee (ESC) will begin in August of 2013, under the direction of Michael Trent Thompson. This is the latest addition to an expanding network of 30 ESC programs flourishing in many locations throughout the church."



Courtney Cowart



James Goodmann



Stuck (from page 1)

hospital in Fairbanks, which had been foundering, admitted its first patient; a total of 1,774 patients would be served before its closing in 1915. He also opened a reading library to give Alaskans somewhere to go besides the taverns.

Also noteworthy was Stuck's treatment of the native people of the North. Unlike his missionary contemporaries in Alaska, Stuck did not believe that the $natives \ had \ to \ be \ turned \ into \ Westerners, shorn \ of \ their language \ and \ customs.$ He respected the wisdom of aboriginal cultures for its intrinsic worth.

Stuck was also an outspoken and controversial advocate for the natives against what he saw as the rapaciousness of some white commercial interests. He particularly fought against the large-scale salmon fisheries, which he saw as serious threats to the very existence of the natives. As he pointed out, "Not only is dried salmon a very large part of the native food, but it is almost the whole food of the indispensable dog," without which "the whole present Indian economy would be destroyed."

These attitudes and actions endeared him to the natives and enlightened sourdoughs (whites) of Alaska, and they mourned his premature death, of pneumonia, a month shy of his 55th birthday.

Upon reaching the summit of Denali on June 7, 1913, the group sang the "Te Deum," a hymn that seemed to them to suit the moment: "We praise Thee, O God! Heaven and earth are full of the majesty of Thy Glory!" In Sewanee's All Saints' Chapel, a plaque on the south wall of the nave commemorates Stuck. And if you look closely at the reredos – the carved statues at the east end behind the altar – you can see a dog is jumping up on one of the figures. That's Stuck with one of his sled dogs.

The centennial of the Denali ascent is a great opportunity to celebrate a noteworthy man and Sewanee alumnus. Hudson Stuck is worth remembering, not only for his most famous accomplishment, but also for his faith, love

of exploration, belief in service and respect for diversity.
(This article is adapted from one to be published in Keystone, the newsletter of the Sewanee Trust for Historic Preservation, later this spring, along with an article by Sewanee outing program director John Benson on the mountaineering aspects of Stuck's climb.)

Fellowship (from page 1)

the world's indigenous cultures and societies. He is a French and anthropology double major who has always been intrigued with language, culture selected as one of the Watson instituand history. His Watson travels will take him around the South Pacific (to French Polynesia, New Caledonia, Vanuatu, Indonesia and more) to observe different contexts within which to understand the role of language documentation in minority language speakers' social and cultural lives.

In addition to French, Espree-Conaway has pursued languages including Indonesian, Italian, Latin, Old English, Middle English, German, Mandarin Chinese, Spanish, Haitian Creole, Ilocano and Breton. He has studied abroad at the Canada Institute of Linguistics, in France, and long-term contribution to the global in Java, Indonesia. During his time at

language documentation plays in Sewanee, he also conducted fieldwork in Java through the Biehl International Research Scholarship.

> Since 1985, when Sewanee was tions, the University has produced 43 fellowship recipients, including Blair Barrows and Aaron Rutz, both C'12, who are now completing their fellow-

The Thomas J. Watson Fellowship Program was established in 1968 by the children of Thomas J. Watson Sr., the founder of International Business Machines Corp., and his wife, Jeannette K. Watson, to honor their Human Services (HHS) Secretary parents' long-standing interest in education and world affairs.

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Paterson to Join Staff of St. Mary's Sewanee

St. Mary's Sewanee is bleased to announce that Pratt Paterson has accepted the position of director of advancement. Paterson, currently the assistant director of development and director of the annual fund at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School, will oversee all aspects of development, donor relations, communications and marketing for St. Mary's Sewanee. Paterson will begin his new duties April 29.

Paterson will assume a development office that nas grown tremendously during the last three years. St. Mary's Sewanee





Sewanee Professor Chosen for National Board

Sherry Hamby, research professor in Sewanee's department of psychology, has been invited to serve on the Board of Scientific Counselors at the National Center for Injury Prevention and Control, part of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). Appointments to the board are approved at the cabinet level, and the invitation came from Health and Kathleen Sebelius.

The Injury Center is the nation's leading authority on violence and injury prevention. It researches the best ways to prevent violence and injuries, using science to create real-world solutions to keep people safe and healthy. The Board of Scientific Counselors is charged with providing advice and making recommendations to the HHS

Sherry Hamby $secretary and CDC \, director \, regarding$ scientific and technical program goals and objectives, strategies, and priorities. Hamby also serves as director of the Life Paths Research Program at Sewanee and as editor of the journal Psychology of Violence.



Grundy County Wetlands **Proposal**

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Rural Útilities Service ȟas received an application for financial assistance from Grundy County for proposed construction of water lines that are in the areas of Fire Tower Road, Hobbs Hill Road, Flat Branch Road, U.S. 41/SR 56 and Summerfield

If implemented, the construction may cross an isolated small wetland area adjacent to Summerfield Road. The purpose of the notice is to inform the public of this proposed conversion or effect and to request comments concerning the proposal, alternative sites or actions that would avoid these impacts, and methods that could be used to minimize the impacts.

As required by the National Environmental Policy Act and agency regulations, the Rural Utilities Service has prepared an Environmental Assessment for the proposed project which evaluates the potential environmental effects and consequences of the proposed project.

Copies of this Environmental Assessment are available for review at 103 Cherokee Blvd., Suite 2A, Chattanooga, TN 37405, and at the office of the Grundy County Mayor, 68 Cumberland St., Altamont, TN 37301.

Any person interested in commenting on this proposal should submit comments to the addresses above by

For more information contact Clay Copeland, area specialist, at (423) 756-2239, ext. 108.



You need to call the Sewanee Fire Tower (598-5535, Mon-Fri, 8-4) to obtain a permit, if you intend to burn brush between now and



Upcoming Lectures

"Life and Art in a Roman Villa" **Lecture on Friday**

Sewanee's department of art and art history is hosting a lecture on the Villa at Oplontis and Roman slave culture at 2:30 p.m., today (Friday), March 22, in Convocation Hall. The lecture "Life and Art in a Roman Villa: Locating the Slave in the Villa at Oplontis (Torre Annunziata, Italy)" will be given by Lea Cline, assistant professor of art history at the school of art, Illinois State University.

Cowan Railroad History Talk on Sunday

Tom Knowles will discuss "When World-Class Technology Came to Cowan," 4 p.m., Sunday, March 24, at Gay Straight Alliance of St. Andrew'sthe Cowan Center for the Arts training center. For more information, and the Native American Indian Ascall (931) 691-0722 or go to <www. cowancenterforthearts.org>.

Promoting Resilience in Children Monday and Tuesday

Two upcoming talks at the University on Monday and Tuesday, March 25 and March 26, will address the subject of resilience in children. Both talks are free and open to the public, and will be in Blackman Auditorium of Woods Labs on the Sewanee campus. Windy Lopez, director of community affairs at Scholastic Educational Publishing, American Past, and Present?" will speak on "Family Resilience: Literacy to Promote Social Competence and Foster Resilience" at 4:30 p.m. abilities, and Abortion in Modern Monday, March 25. Lopez will be America" and "When Abortion Was a joined by Karen M. Proctor, founder of social innovation firm Harbour the United States, 1867–1973." Workshop, for this discussion of the local and national implications of a case study in Grundy County.

Padraig Barry, director of camp support services at SeriousFun (camps founded by Paul Newman), will speak on "Resilience: Children, Life-Threatening Circumstances and How Community Promotes and Fosters Resilience" at 4:30 p.m., Tuesday, March 26. He will address the local and global implications for Grundy County, , Gaborone, Botswana and points in between.

For more information, contact Jim Peterman at 598-1482 or by e-mail to <jfpeterm@sewanee.edu>.

"Points of Grace" at the School of Theology Wednesday

The Rev. Kammy Young will talk at 4:30 p.m., Wednesday, March 27, on "Points of Grace: An Oral History of the School of Theology," in Hargrove Auditorium in Hamilton Hall. She will offer a summary of the claim for his achievements in a diverse results of her doctoral study of the School of Theology from a variety of perspectives. This talk is the first His publications include five books of two on this subject. Young is the of poetry, in addition to biographies director of contextual education at the of John Steinbeck, Robert Frost, and School of Theology. Lyn Stabler, T'13, who is the recipient of the 2012–13 Gessell Fellowship for Social Ethics, will present the second part of the "Points of Grace" series at 4:30 p.m., nominated film starring Christopher Wednesday, April 10.

"Two Spirits" Documentary Film on Wednesday

The public is invited to a free screening of the award-winning documentary "Two Spirits," at 7 p.m., Wednesday, March 27, in McCrory Hall on the St. Andrew's-Sewanee School campus.

The film interweaves the story of a mother's loss of her son with a look at a time when the world wasn't simply divided into male and female. Fred Martinez, a male-bodied person with a feminine nature, was murdered at the age of 16, one of the youngest hate crimes in modern history. The documentary examines how Native American activists are revitalizing two-spirit traditions and reclaiming their rightful place within their tribal communities. Local Native American Bude Van Dyke and tom kunesh, Lakota (Standing Rock) descendant, will lead à discussion following the film.

The event is sponsored by Cumberland Center for Justice and Peace, St. Andrew's-Sewanee School chapel, the Sewanee School and the University, sociation of Tennessee. For more information contact Leslie Lytle at 598-9979 or <sllytle@blomand.net>.

Historian to Speak on History Of Abortion Thursday

Leslie Reagan, professor of history at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, will give the 2013 Goodstein Lecture in Women's History at 6 p.m., Thursday, March 28, in Gailor Auditorium. Reagan will present "When Abortion Was a Crime: The

Reagan is the author of "Dangerous Pregnancies: Mothers, Dis-Crime: Women, Medicine, and Lawin

The Anita S. Goodstein Lectureship in Women's History was created in 1998 in recognition of Goodstein's significant contributions as a professor, colleague and friend. Goodstein began teaching history in the College in the mid-1960s and continued until her retirement in 1992, introducing courses such as American Intellectual and Social History, and Women in American History. She made substantial contributions in documenting women's history in Tennessee and was a leading organizer of Tennessee's 75th celebration of women's suffrage.

Writer Jay Parini on "Poetry as Scripture" April 2

Jay Parini, poet, novelist, biographer and critic, will give the 2012–13 Haines Lecture at the University. Parini will speak at 4:30 p.m., Tuesday, April 2, in Convocation Hall on "Poetry as Scripture: Divine Reading."

Parini has won international acspan of genres as novelist, poet, biographer, literary editor and literary critic. William Faulkner.

He is also the author of eight novels, including"The Last Station" which was made into an Academy Award-Plummer as Tolstoy and Helen Mirren as his wife, Sophia Tolstaya [a free screening of the movie will be on March 27 at the Sewanee Union Theatre].

Parini graduated from Lafayette College and the University of St. Andrews in Scotland, where he received a Ph.D. in 1975. He has been on the faculty at Middlebury College since 1982.



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Jenkins to Lecture on the **Future of Love April 5**

Willis Jenkins will offer a lecture on "The Future of Love: Intergenerational Risk and Theological Ethics."

His talk will be at 4:30 p.m., Friday, April 5, in Hargrove Auditorium in Hamilton Hall.

Jenkins is the Margaret A. Farley Assistant Professor of Social Ethics at Yale Divinity School.

He teaches environmental ethics, global ethics and Christian social thought at Yale Divinity School, and also holds a secondary appointment at Yale School of Forestry & Environmental Studies.

Senior Center News

Senior Menus

The Sewanee Senior Center serves lunch at noon on weekdays. The suggested donation is \$3 (50 or older) or \$5 (under 50). Please call by 9 a.m. to order lunch.

March 25: Sub sandwich, chips, dessert.

March 26: Fried chicken, creamed corn, pinto beans, cornbread,

March 27: Enchilada, rice, refried beans, dessert.

March 28: Vegetable soup, turkey and cheese sandwich, dessert. March 29: Kraut, wieners, lima beans, beets, cornbread, dessert.

Menus may vary.

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

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LOOKSATBOOKS

by Pat Wiser for Friends of duPont Library

Wendy Welch, author of "The Little Bookstore of Big Stone Gap" (St. Martin's Press, 2012), calls her engaging work a "memoir of friendship, community and the uncommon pleasure of a good book." She develops her theme through dialogue and anecdotes featuring a diverse cast of real-life characters. Witty musings about books for all ages and tastes by this relatively new bookseller enhance an engrossing narrative for bibliophiles.

Mark Twain's belief "All you need is ignorance and confidence, and then success is sure" introduces a brave beginning. Welch and her husband, Jack, catapult themselves into a long-time fantasy after viewing a dilapidated Edwardian house in southwest Virginia's Big Stone Gap. Their assets: love of literature and a large personal library. Tales of the Lonesome Pine Used Book Store (named after John Fox's novel and the annual drama set in the town) opens festively in 2007 with Adriana Trigiani, local celebrity-writer of the "Big Stone Gap" popular novels, as a gracious drawing card.

Soon the tone shifts to grim realism as the couple struggles to advertise on a shoestring. Sneaky projects, such as distributing informational bookmarks at Walmart, work out well. A celeidh—Scottish dancing for all ages reflecting Jack's background—attracts friends and shows community forming around the bookshop. Three orphaned pre-teen boys are reluctantly drawn into the fun as wise guests use celeidh storytime to tell jokes featuring vampires, mummies and bathroom humor. Finally, the boys launch hilarious dance moves aimed at making the grown-ups fall down.

The bookstore evolves into a welcoming place with two dogs, two cats, coffee, tea and short bread, the warmth enriched by Scotland's music and story. The rowdy Knitting Goddesses begin to meet there, and "Let's Talk" sessions are scheduled. A glowing newspaper feature with a photo of the "chief staff cat" dramatically increases traffic and sales.

The budding entrepreneurs seem intuitively skilled at customer care. When heroic firefighters fail to save mountain homes, victims long for destroyed childhood books. A young woman seeks out "Heidi." An older man needs "Danny and the Dinosaur." When the stories start, one puts the kettle on; the other prepares to listen.

A new writing group crafts mystery plots such as "Books Run Amok" wherein Hester Prynne stabs Jane Eyre, while Rhett Butler carries on with Anna Karenina. Murder Mystery Night elicits the rule, "What Happens in the Bookstore Stays in the Bookstore," after a role-playing minister who uses one salty word, in character, must spend months rebuilding congregational approval.

After last month's "Looks at Books" elicited comment from readers who share Supreme Court judges' fondness for Nancy Drew, the ubiquitous detective pops up again in Welch's futile attempt to explain arcane details of book pricing to the hopeful owner of a stack of old "Nancy editions." Yard sale tags of masking tape tear dust jackets, negating potential value. The prospective supplier hears only "value" and is angered by Welch's refusal to sell them for her on eBay.

A pilgrimage to 42 independent bookstores highlights effective networking and strong customer service, overpricing and over-emphasis of insignificant first editions. Eighteen stores seem healthy. Two favorites appear: Asheville's Malaprop's and Nashville's Parnassus. The author's insight into the threats posed by online buying, ebooks and chain stores is surprisingly reassuring.

The fifth year brings a solid business, albeit no great riches in dollars. The store's Facebook page features a book review blog and a calendar indicating that the joint is jumpin'.

Welch's conclusion: "Cat pee, guerilla bargainers, fifty-pound boxes of Harlequin romances and all, we are having the time of our lives."

Readers may find "The Little Bookstore of Big Stone Gap" in duPont Library.

University Job Opportunities

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The fourth-grade team from Mrs. Reavis' class won the Clover Bowl competition at SES recently. The team will now move on to the county competition in April. 4-H county leader Jonathan Johns stands with (from left) Nathan King, Myers Gorrell, Haley Cash and Porter Neubauer. Clover Bowl is an opportunity for young people to develop leadership, teamwork and communication skills. Students answer questions in the areas of 4-H: Tennessee (history, geography, and government), agriculture and family and consumer sciences.



The Clover Bowl team from Mrs. Foster's fifth-grade class won the school-level Clover Bowl competition at SES. They will advance to the county level competition in April. Team members are (from left) Saje Mangru, Cate Bachman, Chloe Fontenelle and



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Franklin County K and Pre-K Registration

Registration for kindergarten and pre-kindergarten in Franklin County will be on Tuesday, April 2, at the school the child will attend.

For the 2013–14 school year, Tennessee students entering kindergarten must be 5 years old by Aug. 31. In the past, the cutoff date for kindergarten

Children who are currently enrolled in public pre-kindergarten programs are exempt from the change in age requirement date for the next school year.

Marion County Kindergarten Registration

The last opportunity for 2013–14 kindergarten registration at Marion County schools, including Monteagle Elementary, is from 8 a.m. until 2 p.m. today (Friday), March 22, at the school.

Children are not required to apear; parents need to bring the child's birth certificate, Social Security card, official shot record (mother's copy s not official) and proof of physical

For more information call Monteagle Elementary School at (931)

The following documents are required to register a child for public school: the child's certified birth certificate, the child's Social Security card, the child's immunization record and a $completed \ physician's \ physical \ report.$

For questions about kindergarten registration, contact Nancy Graham at 967-0626. For more information about the pre-K program, contact Patti Limbaugh at 967-0626.

> Franklin and Marion are closed *March 25–29* for spring break.



Science Center Offers Camps for Spring Break

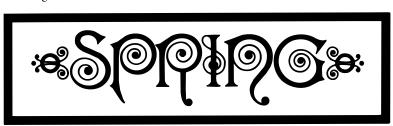
Tullahoma's Hands-On Science Center is hosting a day camp for kids on spring break. The camp, for students in grades one through five, is scheduled or two weeks: March 25–29 and April 1–5.

Each day will have a theme: Monday: Crazy Chemistry; Tuesday: Fantastic Physics; Wednesday: Grossology; Thursday: Amazing Aerospace; Friday:

Camp is 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. daily. Unless arriving for extended care, campers must not be dropped off any earlier than 8:45 a.m. Each camper should bring

Camp cost is \$30 non-members (\$25 members) per day or \$125 non-members (\$100 members) for the week. A sibling discount of \$5 will be given for each child in a family after paying full price for the first. Extended care is available.

For more information or to register call (931) 455-8387 or go to <www.









David Sargent

Author Visits SES

Students at Sewanee Elementary School squealed with delight as David Sargent's friends showed off their many talents. Sargent, a children's author, came to SES on March 13 with his four dogs, who are the stars of many of his books. Sargent has been writing books for about 16 years and shared his newest series with the students.

Sargent inspired the students to think about their own experiences and use their imagination to create their own stories. He encouraged the students to have fun with writing and become authors, too.

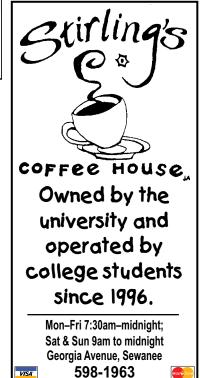
In anticipation of his visit, the students of SES had researched the different dogs featured in his series. They had discussed character traits and how authors develop these traits in stories. The fifth-grade students also $made\, author\, note books\, to\, record\, their$ thoughts and experiences to possibly use as story starters.

Sargent travels to schools across the country and inspires students of all ages to write. The students of SES had a "dog-gone" good time meeting this accomplished author in person and having the opportunity to get his autograph, too!

by Kathryn Bruce, SES librarian



Designated Doodle Space





Dear Angel,

I hear this is "Super Saturday" (March 23), when many seniors at the University take their comprehensive exams. On this weekend last year, my 6-year-old came home with several new vocabulary words, and my 4-year-old kept drawing what I thought were rocket ships with smoke billowing up from either side. They said they were just copying what they saw on some parked cars, and I realized these weren't actually rocket ships. Should I keep my children locked inside Saturday, or get my husband to prepare the sex education talk?

Perturbed Parent

Dear Parent:

Comprehensive exams are the culmination of a Sewanee student's education, but what appears on the students' cars after they "comp" tends to be less than scholarly. None of the citizens of Sewanee nor their innocent children should be exposed to the kind of primitive "artwork" you allude to, or need to know the intimate details of the students' private lives, but it's hard to avoid it if you are anywhere on campus and are not visually impaired.

I'd like to gently suggest that the comping students and their friends use their excellent education to be naughty in a more academic way when decorating comp cars. Shakespeare is an excellent source of bawdy lines too obscure to upset elementary schoolers, yet literary enough to impress knowledgeable adults. Wouldn't Hamlet's admonition to Ophelia, "Get thee to a nunnery: why wouldst thou be a breeder of sinners?" be more eloquent than an explicit verse from L'il Wayne or Waka Flaka Flame? This quotation would fit neatly on the back window of a mid-sized SUV. And Emily Dickinson is a classy source for any party girl's Range Rover:

I taste a liquor never brewed, From tankards scooped in pearl; Not all the vats upon the Rhine Yield such an alcohol!

Inebriate of air am I, And debauchee of dew.

The point of comps is to exhibit the breadth and depth of the knowledge accumulated during four years at this institution of higher learning, not to display bad taste, poor social choices and artistic inability on a windshield for the world to see. So I hope all comping students will hear your plea and consider my proposal to "Stay Classy, Sewanee."

Iwas overwhelmed by all the readings and lectures on the Mountain. To miss even one of these events makes me feel guilty, but to go to all of them would mean neglecting my family, my dog, my work, my meals, my regular meetings and my sleep. While I appreciate the abundance of opportunities, isn't this a case of overkill?

Beleaguered and Baffled

Dear Beleaguered:

Sometimes Sewanee seems like the academic version of Disney World too many rides and not enough time. If you try to go to everything listed on the calendar, you'll end up like one of those kids whose parents have to drag him out of the Magic Kingdom in a virtual coma of overstimulation. Just as it is neither sane nor logistically possible to do Epcot and Universal Studios in the same day, attempting to attend a luncheon talk, a 4:30 p.m. lecture, a 7 p.m. panel discussion and an 8 p.m. reading is admirable but hardly advisable for most humans.

I know of a college that sets aside a two-hour time period every Friday afternoon for lectures and readings. No classes, meetings, panels, practices or other activities can be held during that time, so it frees up everyone to attend this event and allows people to keep a normal schedule and have a normal life during the rest of the week. This seems eminently sensible.

Sewanee's calendar, however, will remain in hyperdrive until mid-May, so just put on your blindfold and throw a dart at the weekly schedule of events on the back page of the Messenger. Wherever the dart lands, go to that event. You'll be edified, culturally enriched and best of all, you'll stay sane.

Virginia Craighill invites your questions and queries on matters of etiquette, style and ethics. Send them confidentially to <news@sewaneemes senger.com>.



by Mary Priestley

Priestley Show at Cowan's Artisan Depot

The Franklin County Arts Guild and Artisan Depot present Mary Patten Priestley's "A Natural Selection: Plants and Animals from the Plateau and Beyond," March 28-May 4. This exhibit of paintings and drawings draws together Priestley's training as a biologist, her creative talents and her love of the outdoors. Artisan Depot will host a wine-and-cheese reception for the show, 5–7 p.m., Saturday, April 6. Music for the event will be provided by Die Geschwister, a group comprised of Priestley, Tom Patten and George Patten. Artisan Depot is located at 201 Cumberland St. East in Cowan and is open noon to 5 p.m., Thursday through Saturday.

Seige at Bridgeport

Re-enactment The historic Siege at Bridgeport will be dramatically portrayed for the 19th consecutive year on March 23–24. The Siege is the State's largest and oldest continuous Civil War re-enactment. Each year, about 1,500 re-enactors return to the picturesque farm that has served as the live drama stage since the event began. In April of 1862, federal forces seized Bridgeport in a fierce battle. Over the remaining years of the war, Confederate troops unsuccessfully attempted to regain the bridge. With the Union controlling it, Bridgeport became a major shipping center for troops and supplies going to Sherman's infamous "March to the Sea." Admission to the event is \$5 for adults and \$2 for children. Camp tours begin at 10 a.m.; the battle begins at 2 p.m. There will be a gala ball Saturday night that is open to the public, but period attire is requested. For more information contact JoJohn McCraw at (256) 437-8873 or go to <www. siegeatbridgeport.com>.

AT MOVIES

SEWANEE UNION THEATRE Thursday-Sunday, March 21-24, 7:30 p.m.

Argo

Rated R • 120 minutes • \$3

Winner of the Oscar for Best Picture and Best Screenplay (adaptation), and a host of other awards, "Argo" dramatizes the true story of six Americans who escaped from the U.S. Embassy in Tehran during the 1979 Iranian Revolution. CIA agent Tony Mendez (Ben Affleck) devises a plan to smuggle the Americans out of the country, having them pose as a Canadian film crew. As much history lesson as a commentary about Hollywood, "Argo" is smart, entertaining filmmaking. Affleck, who also directed and produced the movie, assembled a great cast (including John Goodman, Alan Arkin, Bryan Cranston, Kyle Chandler and Victor Garber) for this entertaining movie. It is not excessively violent or disturbing, but a few choice naughty words caused "Argo" to be rated R for language and some violent images.—LW

CINEMA GUILD Wednesday, March 27, 7:30 p.m. The Last Station (2009)

Rated R • 112 minutes • Free

The final year of Leo Tolstoy's life comes to the screen in this lovely film based on Jay Parini's novel. Christopher Plummer, still a wonderful and vibrant actor, plays Tolstoy with gusto; Helen Mirren portrays his wife, Sofya. Through their relationship, the viewer learns much about their complicated relationship and how Tolstoy dealt with aging. Director Michael Hoffman (who also adapted the novel for the screen) also elicits great supporting performances from Paul Giamatti and James McAvoy. This is one of those quiet, delightful films you'll be glad you saw. Rated R for one scene of sexuality/nudity.

Cinema Guild Spring Films

The Cinema Guild has announced its lineup of free movies for the balance of the Easter semester:

April 3— "Pride and Prejudice" (2005) April 10— "To Kill A Mockingbird" (1962) April 17— "Rear Window" (1954)

May 1— "Roman Holiday" (1953)

April 24—To be announced.

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Hanson (wrestling), Abby Mainzer (basketball) and Marisa Wilson (swimming); Back row (L-R): Tinashe Zimbwa (basketball), Tyler Privette (wrestling) and Owen Wright (swimming).



McCawley (swimming) and Michaela Shackelford (basketball); Back row (L-R): Jimmie Joe Boone (swimming), Robert Post (wrestling) and Alex Tinsley



Coaches' Award. Front row (L-R): Alex MVP Awards. Front row (L-R): Annie MIP Awards. Front row (L-R): Eric Baynard (basketball), Tommy Oliver (wrestling), Helen Wilson (swimming) and Mira Dedes (basketball); Back row (L-R): Levi Higgins (basketball), Andrew Heitzenrater (basketball), Michael Schaerer (wrestling) and Joshua Alvarez (swimming).

Volleyball

The St. Andrew's-Sewanee middle school volleyball team defeated Tracy City Elementary School on March 18, 25-22,21-25 and 25-11. Lexie Laurendine's strong serving performance, eight aces and 13 points in a row during the final game, led the team. Mary Katherine Jolly had three kills and three blocks; Erin Berner-Coe recorded 11 kills; Madison Gilliam added two kills; Carolyn Bruce had five kills; Claire Reynolds had two and three digs.

Track and Field Update

The St. Andrew's-Sewanee varsity track and field team began the strong showing from several athletes on March 19.

James Beasley and Eric Baynard placed first and second in the 300 hurdles. They teamed with Jacob Schott and Lucas Lu to place second in the 4x400 relay. Lu was second in the SAAWomen's Lacrosse Defensive

On the girl's side, Sarah Beavers was third in the discus. Vanessa Luo was third in the triple jump.

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SAS Winter Upper School Athletic Awards Wins

Athletes at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School were recently honored at the Winter Athletic Awards. After individual team gatherings, all athletes and families met in McCrory Hall for presentation of the Most Improved Player, the Most Valuable Player and the Coaches Award winners. MIP and MVP are selected by players on the team.

The evening provided an opportunity to celebrate the achievements of the basketball, swimming and wrestling teams.

The boys' basketball team finished the season with a 14-11 record. Alex Tinsley was named to the All-District team, and Eric Baynard was named to

The varsity swim team sent 11 swimmers to the Middle Tennessee Regional High School Swimming and Diving Championship. Jimmie Joe Boone qualified for the finals in the 100 back. The girls' 200 free relay team of Helen Wilson, Marisa Wilson, Lucy Howick and Annie McCawley finished 14th and digs; and Hannah True added five kills tied the SAS school record. Jimmie Joe Boone, Helen Wilson and Annie Mc-Cawley participated in the State Swim Meet. Helen Wilson was recognized as an Academic All-American.

The wrestling team finished the season with a 13-11 record. Myles Kincaid won first place in his weight class at the Mountain Top Wrestling Tournament in January. Robert Post got fourth place at the Charger Clash at Chattanooga Christian, and the team took second place at the Boyd Buchanan Duals. Alex Hanson, Seth Horton, Myles Kincaid, Tommy Oliver, Robert Post and Michael Schaerer represented SAS at the TSSAA Individual State Wrestling

SAS Golf Tournament

Council second annual golf tourna- registration fee for a four-man team is ment at Manchester's Willow Brook \$400. Individuals and companies are Golf Course is scheduled for Saturday, encouraged to consider sponsoring April 6. All money raised will support professional development at SAS.

Lunch, sponsored by First Ten-throughout the day. nessee Bank, will be provided at noon have a first, second and third place, greatnortherncorp.com>.

The St. Andrew's- Sewanee Parents' with first place winning \$800. The the tournament with a gift of \$100 or more. All sponsors will be recognized

Register a team or sponsor a hole with a shotgun start at 1 p.m. Teams online at <www.sasweb.org>. For will be flighted depending on the more information call David Foster number participating. Each flight will at (931) 691-1154 or email <dfoster@

SAS Baseball Drops One

first inning. After one out, Levi Higgins, Casey Willis and Edwin Ashcraft walked to load the bases. Russell Mays followed with an RBI base on balls before Riley Rhoton reached on an error to score another run. Nick Mays followed with a shot to left field that was misplayed by the Knights and led to another run before Sam Thomas followed with an RBI single.

The Mountain Lions could not maintain the momentum, as starting pitcher Ashcraft issued four consecutive walks to start the bottom of the first. Two singles and a double followed to put the Knights up 6-4 after one inning.

ning to tie the score, as Alex Tinsley stealer.

On March 19, the St. Andrew's- singled and Higgins walked to start Sewanee baseball team lost to the the frame. Willis reached on an error Knights of Lancaster Christian Acad- to score one run, and Ashcraft followed with an RBI sacrifice fly. A couple SAS jumped out to a 4-0 lead in the of errors in the bottom of the second inning allowed the Knights to take a lead they would not relinquish as they scored two runs.

The Mountain Lions threatened in each inning but could not come up with a clutch hit. Lancaster Christian added a single run in the fourth and two runs in the fifth inning to close out the scoring.

Thomas, making his first varsity start, led the team in hitting, going 2-2 with an RBI. Willis, Tinsley and Rhoton had singles. Higgins reached base each time with a base on balls.

Defensively, Willis and Thomas played error-free ball and also turned in a double play. At catcher, Rhoton SAS came back in the second ingunned down one would-be base

Women's Tennis Beats Centre

The No. 18-ranked Sewanee women's tennis team opened Southern Athletic Association play with an easy 8-1 victory over league member Centre on

The Tiger double teams of sisters Lindsey and Jenny Liles, Bronte Goodhue and Anne Garland, and Julia Wood and Annie Veron helped Sewanee to a quick 3-0 lead with three 8-0 victories.

After not dropping a single point in her doubles match, Garland continued that trend with a perfect 6-0, 6-0 win over Abby Tudor.

At the No. 1 position, Goodhue put away the top player for Centre 6-1, 6-0. Veron then blew past Katie Howard at No. 3 with a 6-2, 6-0 win. Wood topped Maddie Pitt by a score of 6-1, 6-0. Kate Johnston outlasted Kimberly Randall in straight sets 6-3, 6-4.

Centre's lone win of the day came at the No. 2 position, when Lauren Dever rallied past Lindsey Liles 2-6, 6-1, 10-6.

Sports Briefs

SAA Player Awards

Sewanee men's lacrosse studentcompetitive season at Baylor with a athletes Hal Smith and Michael Morris swept the weekly Southern Athletic Association (SAA) Men's nounced on March 18.

Sammy Strasburger has been named March 18.

Player of the Week for the second time this season.

Men's Golf Finishes 30th

Led by Cole Parrish, the Sewanee Lacrosse awards the conference an-men's golf team finished in 30th place after the Tigers fired a 54-hole 995 Women's lacrosse goalkeeper at the Jekyll Island Invitational on



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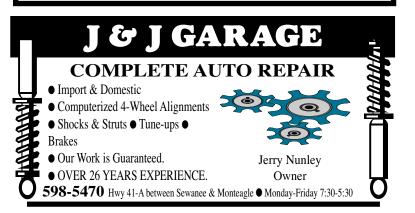
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Tiger Tennis Wins

The men's tennis team won 9-0 against Southern Athletic Association foe Centre on March 16.

The Tigers wasted little time getting their first point when Rand Jackson and Sean Laughlin teamed up to win their No. 1 doubles match, 8-0, against Trey Williamson and Lucas Kelly.

After victories by Levi Joy and Connor Winkler, along with a win by the team of Grant Hopkins and Eric Roddy, Sewanee opened singles action with a 3-0 lead.

In the individual contests, Laughlin opened the victories with a strong 6-2, 6-3 win at No. 3.

Winkler topped Xan Witherington by a score of 6-1, 6-2, while Jackson earned his second point of the day with a 6-1, 6-4 victory over Woody



Rand Jackson playing singles in Sewanee's was the second lowest 18-hole score men's win over Centre College Saturday.

Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

After rounds of 86 and 80, Iavad

Joy then made the score 7-0 in favor of Sewanee with a 6-2, 6-0 victory over Parker Lawson. Finally, after a close first set, Hopkins put away Alex Wermeling with ease in the second set with a 6-4, 6-0 win.

Roddy earned the other singles' victory for the Tigers after he defeated Lucas Kelly with a pair of 6-1 set wins.



Michael Morris (No. 24) escapes a Centre College defender during Sewanee's 18–12 win on Saturday. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

Sewanee Downs Centre

Behind a strong second-half comeback, the Sewanee men's lacrosse team earned an impressive 18-12 victory over Southern Athletic Association rival Centre on March 16.

The match opened with a series of offensive runs. The Colonels opened with a 3-0 spurt to start the first period. The Tigers scored three out of the next four goals to end the first period down one.

In the second period both teams continued to trade scores until the 5:12 mark. Tied 6-6, the Colonels went on a 5-0 run to end the half.

After a dismal end to the second period, Sewanee came out of the locker ready. The Tigers outscored the Colonels 4-0 in the third period behind two goals each from Pierce Leonard and James Millard.

Down only one, 11-10, to start the final period, Sewanee continued to roll. The Tigers added seven straight goals to start the fourth.

After Contra added one final goal with 1-30 left. Contra added one final goal with 1-30 left.

After Centre added one final goal with 1:39 left, Conley Street closed out the scoring for the Tigers with his first goal of the season.

Sewanee took a season-high 70 shots, which helped the Tigers outshoot Centre by 45. Sewanee had more face-off wins, ground balls and caused turnovers. Michael Morris led the attack with four goals. Leonard, Davis Brown and

Michael Morris led the attack with four goals. Leonard, Davis Brown and Millard also added three scores each. Reed Daniel scored two goals. Hal Smith, Ian Gillan and Street added one.

Women's Golf Finishes 12th

Led by Emily Javadi's low scoring round of the day, the Sewanee women's golf team finished 12th against one of the toughest NCAA Division III fields this season at the Jekyll Island College Invitational on March 18.

The Tigers finished the threeday event with a 54-hole school record of 1,013. That total was ahead of Southern Athletic Association members Berry, Oglethorpe and Millsaps. Sewanee's final-round 327 was the second lowest 18-hole score among all conference teams Sunday.

After rounds of 86 and 80, Javadi fired a final-round 72. Javadi finished tied for seventh with a three-day total of 238.

Alison Eleey tied for 16th in her first event as a Tiger. Eleey finished with a three-day total of 242.

Jenna King finished with a three-round total of 247, which put her tied for 34th. After a tough end to her second round, King rebounded the final day with an 18-hole 79.

Helen Kennedy also scored for Sewanee with her 54-hole 286. Ellen Ruppert rounded out the scores with a 310 total.



Home Games

Today, March 22 4 pm SAS V Boys' Tennis v Donelson Christian Academy

S pm SAS MS Boys' Soccer v Riverside Christian Academy Saturday,March 23 11 am SAS V Boys' Soccer v Tullahoma High School 12 pm Tigers Baseball v Rhodes (DH) Sunday,March 24 1 pm Tigers Baseball v Rhodes 1:30 pm Women's Lacrosse

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2 pm Men's and Women's Tennis v Berry College and Oglethorpe 5 pm Men's Lacrosse v Birmingham-Southern



OVERTIME by John Shackelford



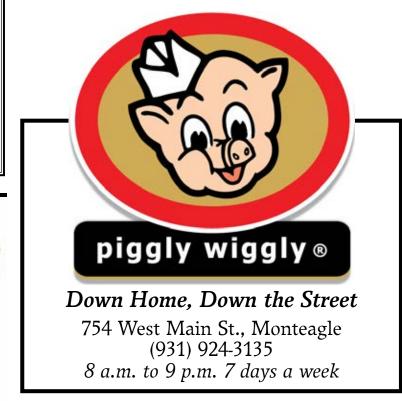
My wife is one of those people that eat fiber faster than I eat French fries, but when she wants a cookie, she wants a cookie. That is her thing. She can go six months without eating sugar but when she gets in the mood for a chocolate chip cookie you had better turn the oven to 350 and keep your arms and legs away from the Kitchen Aid mixer.

The Sewanee tennis teams were in California this past week competing against several rival Division III programs over spring break. We were fortunate enough to stay in a nice section of Los Angeles, specifically the consumer-friendly walking area of downtown Santa Monica. So after the tennis matches, our teams could stroll down to the boardwalk on the beach, find an In-N-Out burger or watch the sunset over the Pacific Ocean. On Wednesday afternoon our women had just lost a nail-biter to Carnegie Mellon, the number five-ranked team in the country. The match was so close our team could tell what kind of toothpaste their opponents used that morning. It was so close I felt like I had front row seats to the Lakers game. (I could go on for pages with this.) When a match like that happens I understand that I had better find a chocolate chip cookie fast, or it's going to be a long night of listening to how we could have won if we just made one more backhand volley. Just outside the hotel was this long promenade filled with every kind of restaurant, store, bakery and theatre you could imagine. I was certain to have great success in my search for a great chocolate chip cookie used to pacify my hyper-competitive bride.

You have to stop right here and remember where I was at this moment. California. A bakery in California is not the same as a bakery in the South. Down here we use sugar, eggs, butter and white flour combined with a big bag of chocolate to make what I know as a cookie, but after an exhaustive search on the West Coast I finally came across an Organic Vegan Bakery. Those three words should not be used in the same sentence. Organic and Vegan are twin sisters, and the Bakery part is just their stocky cousin that no one talks about. Everyone inside was wearing a Burberry circle scarf, sipping espresso and talking about fashion that won't reach Tennessee until 2019. The organic whole wheat flour was sweetened with sugar-free applesauce and held together by some unknown soy-based substance that was advertised to be healthier than pure egg whites from a free-range chicken raised in a Malibu condo. No chocolate, just some dried cranberries used as the chips.

Now I'm 6'2" and won't print my weight, and I'm athletic enough that I can still run five miles in a pinch and throw around some dumbells in the weight room when I have to, but I am not nearly tough enough to bring back a fake cranberry cookie when only chocolate chip will do. Losing hurts for players and coaches alike, but losing close matches when you have a chance is far worse. We all know that chocolate soothes the savage beast inside. I later found a Tea Shoppe one street over that specialized in drying their own homegrown tea leaves and then grinding them down with a pestle in front of their customers that sold a cookie baked in Iowa that was wrapped in plastic. Like a surgeon wielding a plastic coffee spoon, I cut through the nearly impossible-to-open packaging and laid it on a colorful napkin to make it look fresh. I attempted to heat up the cookie with my cell phone light. (Surely there is an app for that.)

When I returned to the hotel my bride was already scouting the next day's opponent (read "victim") online. She had sworn off sugar again and vowed to practice her team until no more backhand volleys were missed. So I ate the cookie and went back out looking for fries.



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By Harry and Jean Yeatman



Wood Thrush, illustration from "Little Nature Library: Birds Worth Knowing," a book given to Harry Yeatman on his 9th birthday in 1925.

Wood Thrush

Jean Yeatman reports, "**Harry** and I had a Wood Thrush in our yard on March 16. What a joyous sign of spring! This beautiful bird is the largest of the thrushes. The body length is 8–8.3 inches. It is brown above, reddish on the head and shoulders, and shading into olive-brown on tail. Throat and underneath are white in the middle but heavily marked on sides and breast with heart-shaped spots of very dark brown.

"Its flute-like song is a joy to listen to as we sit on our deck in the evenings in the summer. It is one of the most beautiful bird songs in our area. The nest is built in shrubbery and is rather low-hung, made of sticks and with a bit of paper woven into it. The Wood Thrush lays four light-greenish-blue eggs; after the babies hatch they move away into the woods after a fortnight to join the invisible choir."

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Shinn Named Ranger of the Year

George Shinn, a South Cumberland State Park ranger for 13 years who is stationed at Savage Gulf, was recently selected as Park Ranger of the Year by the Tennessee Park Rangers Association.

According to fellow South Cumberland ranger Bill Knapp, "George is an honest, organized and professional ranger. He supports his co-workers however he

can. He is there to bring up morale or to lend a

helping hand." Park Manager John Christof added, "Ranger George Shinn works in a very large and complex park. Many park managers in the Tennessee State Park system are responsible for parks much smaller than the area to which he is assigned and have more help to operate their parks. We are happy that George has been recognized by his peers for the good work he does at Savage Gulf."

Savage Gulf, one of the 10 parks that



George Shinn (right) with Grundy County fifth-graders near Stone Door.

make up the South Cumberland, includes the fabled Stone Door. It contains 10 campgrounds and about 75 miles of trail. Normally, Shinn is responsible for checking campers at seven of those campgrounds and doing trail work on half of the trails. Due to a staffing vacancy, he is currently covering the entire

Shinn has quite a reputation as a storyteller, often dressed as Davy Crockett. In addition to his park programs, he meets with many classes and groups. He is active with 4-H, serves as a Boy Scout leader, and assists with Girl Scouts.

He has taken a leading role in fighting the Hemlock Wooly Adelgid in the South Cumberland. Last year the rangers treated the vast majority of the hemlocks in Savage Gulf, and Shinn managed the crews and helped on the ground.

In 2012, South Cumberland held its first Savage Gulf Marathon. It was such a success that it was repeated in March of 2013, with twice as many runners. Shinn helped plan the route, mark the trails, promote the race, get donations, and organize volunteers. He also ran in

the grueling race as a sweeper. After the 2012 race, the rangers discovered that an elderly woman was lost. By the time Shinn found her and brought her safely out of the woods, he had put in an almost 20-hour day. "But George being George, I never heard any complaints," said Bill Knapp.

We put the space below to good use.

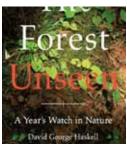
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Easter Egg Hunt at State Park

The 31st annual Easter Egg Hunt is at 10 a.m., Saturday, March 23, at the South Cumberland State Park Visitors' Center Complex for children walking age and up. There are five age categories, with four prizes for each group for children finding the prize eggs. There will be no "most eggs found" competition. Adults will be allowed to assist toddler hunters in the walking to age 2 group.

In case of rain, the Easter Egg Hunt will be at 1 p.m., Sunday, March 24. The Friends of South Cumberland State Recreation Area is the event's

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

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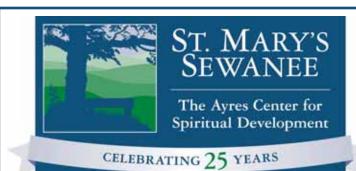
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—Emily Dickinson (c. 1859)

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Liturgy of the Palms 10:30 am, Sun, March 24 **Holy Communion Services** Noon, Mon-Tues-Weds, March 25-26-27

Maundy Thursday Service 7 pm, March 28 **Good Friday Service**

Noon, March 29 **Holy Saturday Service** Noon, March 30

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Community Calendar

Today, March 22

Last day to register for 2013–14 kindergarten in Marion County 8:30 am Yin & Yang Yoga, Carolyn, Community Center

9:00 am CAC office open, until 11 am 10:00 am Game day, Senior Center

12:00 pm Men's Bible study, Brooks Hall, Otey

2:30 pm Roman Life and Art Lecture, Cline, Convocation Hall

3:30 pm Modern Dance, 7–11, Community Center 4:30 pm Creative Dance, 5–6, Community Center

5:30 pm World Healing Meditation, Community Center 7:00 pm Tracy City UMC Easter Cantata

7:30 pm Film, "Argo," Sewanee Union Theatre

Saturday, March 23

9:00 am CAC special office hours for food distribution 9:00 am Tracy Ĉity Farmers' Market open, until noon 9:30 am Easter Egg Hunt, So. Cumberland Park, US Hwy 41 10:00 am Bluebell Island tour, meet at Tyson Foods parking lot 6:00 pm Midway Baptist Church Spring Sing, 1837 Midway Rd

6:00 pm Sewanee Community Center potluck, Comm Center

7:30 pm Film, "Argo," Sewanee Union Theatre

Sunday, March 24

Palm Sunday

Boy Scout Troop 14 collecting non-perishables for CAC
2:00 pm Herbarium Shakerag walk, Evans, meet at Green's View Good Friday

4:00 pm Bible study, Otey Parish

4:00 pm Railroad lecture, Knowles, Cowan Ctr for the Arts

4:00 pm Yoga with Helen, Community Center

5:00 pm Women's Bible Study, Midway Baptist

7:30 pm Film, "Argo," Sewanee Union Theatre

Monday, March 25

Franklin County & Marion County schools spring break, all week

8:30 am Reading workshop, Tracy City UMC 9:00 am CAC office open, until 3 pm

10:30 am Chair exercise, Senior Center

1:30 pm Sewanee Garden Club, King, Flynn home

4:30 pm Family Resilience lecture, Lopez & Proctor, Blackman

5:30 pm Gentle Yoga with Hadley, St. Mary's Sewanee

5:30 pm Yoga for Healing, Lucie, Community Center 7:00 pm Centering prayer support group, Otey sanctuary

7:00 pm Community Council constituent meetings, SES

7:00 pm Sewanee Chorale rehearsal, Hamilton Hall Pit

Tuesday, March 26

8:30 am Yin Yoga, Carolyn, Community Center

9:00 am CAC office open, until 11 am

9:00 am Yoga with Hadley, St. Mary's Sewanee

10:00 am Crafting Ladies, Morton Memorial, Monteagle

10:30 am Bingo, Sewanee Senior Center 10:30 am Tai Chi with Kathleen, (beginners), Comm Center

11:30 am Tai Chi with Kathleen, (intermediate), Comm Center 11:30 am Grundy Co. Rotary, Dutch Maid, Tracy City

3:30 pm Centering Prayer, St. Mary's Sewanee

4:30 pm Family Resilience lecture, Barry, Blackman

5:00 pm Sewanee Utility District board meeting, SUD office

7:00 pm Gardeners' Forum, Community Center

Wednesday, March 27

7:00 am Monteagle/Sewanee Rotary, Smoke House

9:00 am CAC pantry day, until 11 am; 1–3 pm

10:00 am Writers' group, Kelley residence, 212 Sherwood Rd. 12:00 pm EQB Lead, Prunty, St. Mary's Sewanee

4:30 pm Points of Grace, Young, S of T Hargrove

5:30 pm Flow Yoga with Hadley, St. Mary's Sewanee

5:30 pm Yoga with Helen, Community Center

6:00 pm Bible study, Midway Baptist Church

6:00 pm Stone Soup Lenten Study, St. James

7:00 pm Catechumenate, Women's Center

7:00 pm Film, "Two Spirits," McCrory Hall, SAS

7:30 pm Film, "The Last Station," Cinema Guild-SUT 7:30 pm Chick Corea & Bela Fleck, Guerry Auditorium

Thursday, March 28

Maundy Thursday

9:00 am CAC office open, until 11 am

9:00 am Nature Journaling, Herbarium

10:30 am Chair exercise, Senior Center 10:30 am Tai Chi with Kathleen, (advanced), Comm Ctr

11:00 am Body Recall, Magavero, Monteagle Comm Ctr

12:30 pm Episcopal Peace Fellowship, Brooks Hall, Otey

1:30 pm Folks@Home support group, Brooks Hall, Otey

2:00 pm Tracy City Farmers' Market open, until 6 pm

4:00 pm Franklin County Business Expo, Cowan

4:00 pm Gentle Yoga with Hadley, St. Mary's Sewanee

5:00 pm Weight Watchers, Otey; weigh-in 4:30

6:00 pm Goodstein Lecture, Reagan, Gailor Hall 6:00 pm Karate, youth, American Legion Hall

6:30 pm Acoustic jam, Miss Gracie's Restaurant, Cowan

6:30 pm Lenten Study, Ebey, Cowan Fellowship Church

7:00 pm Abuse survivors group, 330 W. Main, Monteagle

7:30 pm Film, "The Perks of Being a Wallflower," SUT

7:30 pm Karate, adult, American Legion Hall

Friday, March 29

Reservation deadline for April Woman's Club Meeting

8:30 am Yin & Yang Yoga, Carolyn, Community Center

9:00 am CAC office open, until 11 am

10:00 am Game day, Senior Center

12:00 pm Sewanee Woman's Club reservation deadline 12:00 pm Way of the Cross, begins at Otey, proceeds to All

3:30 pm Modern Dance, 7–11, Community Center

4:30 pm Creative Dance, 5–6, Community Center 7:00 pm Tracy City UMC Easter Cantata

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Friday

7:00 am AA, open, Holy Comforter, Monteagle

7:00 pm AA, open, Christ Church, Tracy City

7:30 pm NA, open, Decherd United Methodist

7:30 pm AA, open, Brooks Hall, Otey Sunday

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

Monday 5:00 pm Women's 12-step, Brooks Hall, Otey

7:00 pm AA, open, Christ Church, Tracy City Tuesday

7:00 pm AA, open, First Baptist, Altamont

7:30 pm AA, open, Brooks Hall, Otey

7:30 pm Al-Anon, Brooks Hall, Otey Wednesday

7:00 pm NA, open, Decherd United Methodist

7:30 pm AA, open, Holy Comforter, Monteagle

Thursday

12:00 pm AA, Brooks Hall, Otey

7:00 pm AA, closed, Big Book study, St. James 7:30 pm ACA, Brooks Hall, Otey

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Sewanee Youth Fishing Rodeo

When: Saturday, April 13th

Registration @ 8:00am Fishing begins @ 8:30am Award Ceremony @ 11:00am

Where: Hidden Hollow Lake Park @ 311 Running Knob Hollow, Sewanee, TN

> **Two Age Group Divisions** K-2nd grade 3rd-5th grade

What to Bring:

- Chairs
- Fishing pole
- Tackle box Sunscreen

Provided:

- **Bait (worms & crickets)**
- Tackle (hooks, bobbers, weights)
- Breakfast Cane Poles

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RSVP or for more info call Jase Brooks