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SAS Commencement Weekend, May 17–19

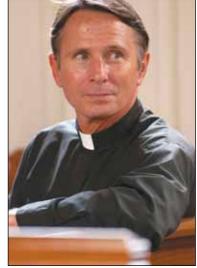
Class of 2013 to Graduate

St. Andrew's-Sewanee School will graduate the Class of 2013 on Sunday, May 19, at the school's Outdoor Altar.

The year-end festivities begin with the Baccalaureate service at 5:30 p.m., Friday, May 17. The Baccalaureate speaker will be the Rev. Ellis Mayfield, retiring director of athletics and longtime SAS faculty member.

Following the service, seniors and their guests will proceed to the Senior Banquet in the Robinson Dining Hall. The evening ends with the Senior Lead-Out and presentation of the "Annies" in McCrory Hall for the Performing Arts. This event is an opportunity for each senior to be recognized with a poem or song written and performed by members of the SAS faculty.

Saturday, May 18, is Honors Day. The Honors Day ceremony will begin at 10 a.m. at the Outdoor Altar (please note that this is a different time than in previous years). A reception sponsored



The Rev. Ellis Mayfield will be the SAS Baccalaureate speaker.

by the Parents' Council will be held in Simmonds Hall after the ceremony. Students' creative work will be on exhibit in the adjacent Art Gallery at that time and throughout the weekend.

The Commencement Eucharist and Exercises begin at 10 a.m. on Sunday morning. Following the service and the official closing of the school year, there will be a reception in the Spencer Room.

The 44 members of the Class of 2013, who have garnered a record \$3 million in merit and financial aid, will matriculate in the fall at outstanding colleges and universities across the country, from Colorado State University to Bowdoin College in Maine.



Photo by Woody Deutsch

Bike Tour to Support the Mountain **Goat Trail**

Have fun, learn about Sewanee, support a great cause, and start Me-mountaingoattrail.org/news-events>, morial Day weekend right with a stop by Woody's in downtown Sebicycle tour of Sewanee, led by Woody Deutsch of Woody's Bicycles, on Saturday, May 25.

tain Goat Trail Alliance, you can join project to convert an abandoned Woody for an easy and fun two-hour railroad right-of-way into a multiuse spin around the sights of Sewanee. recreational corridor between Grundy Woody will even provide a bike if you and Franklin Counties on the Cumneed one. Along for the ride will be Seberland Plateau in Middle Tennessee. wanee biology professor Deb McGrath to share her knowledge of the natural Goat Trail Alliance are tax-deductible. wonders of the Mountain.

For more information, go to < www. wanee, or email < info@mountaingoat

The Mountain Goat Trail is a rail-For a \$100 donation to the Mounto-trail community outdoor recreation

All donations to the Mountain



New graduates show off their diplomas on Sunday, May 12. Second from left is Elliott Fisher of Sewanee. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

University Awards More Than 380 Degrees to Graduates

2012-13 academic year came to a verde, Costa Rica, was recognized close May 10–12 with three ceremowith the Algernon Sydney Sullivan nies marking graduation weekend on Medallion for character, leadership, the Mountain. A Convocation for the Conferring of Degrees was held May 10, to recognize the 42 students who completed their studies at the School of Theology. The preacher for this Rt. Rev. Robert Christopher Wright from the Diocese of Atlanta.

commencement weekend began Saturday morning, as the 331 members University and carrying those values of the College class of 2013 followed the University faculty into the Baccalaureate Service in All Saints' Chapel.

Four honorary degrees were presented during the service to David Brooks, David H. Charlton, Jonathan of Letters, which enrolled its first T. Howe, and Lacy H. Hunt II, C'64. Brooks, author and New York Times op-ed columnist, gave the Baccalaureate address and received a standing ovation from students and their families at its conclusion. His talk combined humor, philosophy and appreciation for a liberal education. The talk is available on the University website: http://news.sewanee.edu/

ment ceremony on May 12. The procession of graduating seniors was led by valedictorian Jenny Liles of Little Rock, Ark., and salutatorian Tamás Kubik of Budapest, Hungary. Jonathan Brenes Salazar, an Environmental

SUD Agenda

The Sewanee Utility District Board of Commissioners will meet at 5 p.m., Tuesday, May 21.

The agenda includes: approval of agenda, approval of March 2013 minutes (as distributed), the general manager's report and the financial re-

Unfinished business on the agenda: update on the constructed wetlands study.

New business: Lake Dimmick agreement.

There will also be time for visitor comments and announcements. The June meeting will be on Tuesday,

The University of the South's Studies: Policy major from Monteand service to the University and the Sewanee community.

Liles, an English and Biology double major, spoke in her valedictory address of the sense of community on year's commencement service was the the Mountain, of learning from professors to expect more from themselves, and of the relationships that show The second ceremony marking her class that they are not alone. By continuing to embrace the ideals of the forward, then "wherever we land, wherever we live, wherever we love, we will know that we are not alone. We are Sewanee, and that makes us family."

The University's Sewanee School summer master's degree students in 2006 and granted its first degree in 2009, granted eight Master of Fine Arts degrees, and three Master of Arts degrees this year.

The University awarded 331 baccalaureate degrees (265 Bachelor of Arts and 66 Bachelor of Science degrees). Vice-Chancellor John McCardell left the graduates with his prayer that "the life/2013/05/13/videos-from-com education you have received here and mencement-weekend-now-posted>. the experience here that set you on Academic processions and the your life's course will, in the words sound of bells marked the beginning of our beloved baptismal liturgy, mark and the conclusion of the Commence-you as one of Sewanee's own forever."

> The final event in an eventful graduation weekend came to a close with the faculty and guests lining the sidewalks outside the Chapel, allowing the new graduates of the Class of 2013 to pass through and receive applause, cheers and embraces.

Congratulations, Class of 2013!

Sewanee Woman's Club Honors Gibson

The Sewanee Woman's Club finished up its year of lively programs with Henry Hamman's personal account of the years that he and his wife, Kathy, spent as expatriates. These were years in which they gained the insights of those who stay in place long enough to learn appreciation for the variety of mind-sets encountered in foreign settings—the difference between travel and tourism.

Connie Gibson received the 2013 Honorary Member award. Her contributions of "astute judgment, good humor, time and energy for the benefit of Emerald-Hodgson Hospital, the Community Action Committee, All Saints' Chapel, Morton Memorial Church, the Sewanee Woman's Club and her unstinting support of the Sewanee girls' basketball team have earned her immense admiration and appreciation."

Since 1930, the SWC members and guests meet on the second Monday of each month for lunch and a lecture, except for the summer months. The Garden Club will be arranging another tour of local gardens in June. The annual Holiday Tour of Homes is staged by the Club to raise funds and to promote awareness of Sewanee's charms.

Each year, grants are made to area organizations. Donations for 2013 will be given to the Sewanee Summer Music Festivals, St. Andrew's-Sewanee Fringe Theater Group, the Community Action Committee, The Grundy County Arts Council, the Mountain Center Food Ministry, and the Franklin County Humane Society's Animal



Connie Gibson was selected as this year's Honorary Member. She was presented with a certificate of achievement and gift in recognition of her 38 years of membership. During this time she has been an officer as well as serving on the board in numerous positions. She is currently the recording secretary. Photo by Geri Childress

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Sewanee Elementary students participate in the school's annual Mile Walk/Run fitness activity as part of the school's PE program.

Letters

AMERICANLEGIONWINDOWS and Jane Ebey, Tom and Gail Watson, To the Editor:

to replace the old windows in the American Legion Building has been well-received. At this point we have about 60 percent of what is needed. We've had generous donations from goal, and the improvement to this the Legion Auxiliary, David Sampley, Phillip and Dianne Callicut, John and Bonnie McCardell, Sherwood



Letters to the Editor **Policy**

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 circulation area. Please include your name, address and a daytime 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@ sewaneemessenger.com>.—LW

John Corbett, Harry and Jean Yeat-The response to the plea for funds man, Henry and Ann Arnold, Eileen Degan, Marie Woods, Vicki Davis, Johnny Hughes, Roy and Ann Millar, Betty Jo Jones and Ina Myers.

We are more than halfway to our community resource will be enjoyed for years to come. If you are able to donate, please do so. Any amount will be of great help.

Charley Watkins, adjutant, American Legion Post 51

SEWANEE YOUTH SOCCER To the Editor:

The Board of Sewanee Youth Soccer has decided to discontinue its association with American Youth Soccer Association and to merge with the Franklin County Soccer Association.

The merger will mean little to most Sewanee recreational soccer players, as U6 and U8 will still practice and play in Sewanee. The only significant difference with this merger will be at the U10 and U12 level. All games for U10 and U12 teams will be played in Winchester. Practice will be held in Sewanee at the Ball Park Road soccer fields.

To play recreational soccer in Sewanee next fall, you will need to sign up with the Franklin County Soccer Association and note "Sewanee" in the comments section. There is still a need for volunteers. Please be aware that a failure to have volunteer coaches in the Sewanee area will decrease the abilities to have teams that practice in Sewanee. Referees will need to attend training with the Franklin County Soccer Association.

The information about the training will be published as soon as possible next fall, http://www.fcsoccer.org. Ty Burnette

"Nothing is impossible, the word itself says 'I'm possible!'"-Audrey Hepburn





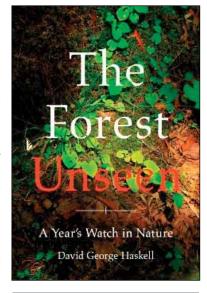
May's Sparkle Award recipient is Hailey Cannaday, age 5 of Sewanee!

Each month, Dr. Chris Mathews draws the name of one member of his "No cavity club" from a hat! For more information, call 598-0088.

Local Author Pulitzer Prize Finalist

David Haskell's book, The Forest Unseen, was a finalist for the 2013 Pulitzer Prize in Nonfiction. The book also won the 2013 Reed Environmental Writing Award and the 2012 National Outdoor Book Award for Natural History Literature.

The book is now out in Penguin paperback. The hardcover edition is also available, as are e-books. For more information, go to http://theforest unseen.com/>.



Editor's

riday, May 24.

We will return to the office on Tuesday, May 28 (after Memorial Day), and ill be back in print on Friday, May 31.

The display advertising deadline for the May 31 issue is noon, Tuesday, May 28; the classified advertising deadline is noon, Wednesday, May 29, and the news deadline is 5 p.m., Tuesday,

Please let us know by phone or email before 5 p.m. on Tuesday, May 28, f your organization's schedule will differ from the one we publish regularly in our calendars.

Enjoy the unofficial beginning of summer on the Mountain!

SUD Consumer Confidence Report

The Sewanee Utility District's 2012 Consumer Confidence Report will be published in the June 7, 2013, issue of the Sewanee Mountain Messenger.

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The Sewanee Police Department recently issued its report on its activities for the month of April 2013.

Last month, the SPD patrolled 4,839 miles, investigated five vehicle accidents and issued two moving violations. It also issued 288 non-moving traffic violations and 13 warnings.

It made 13 arrests for drug law violations, 17 arrests for liquor law violations and filed 16 theft reports.

SPD offered mutual aid to Franklin County three times last month.

SPD physically checked buildings on 359 occasions and assisted with The newspaper will not publish on locking or unlocking buildings 70

University Job **Opportunities**

Exempt Positions—Assistant Chief of Police; Assistant Director of Alumni and Parent Relations; Director of Archives and Special Collections; Director of Equestrian Program; Laboratory Supervisor.

Non-Exempt Positions—Cook, Server and Utility Worker for Sewanee

Descriptions of these positions are available on the website at <www.se wanee.edu/personnel/jobs>. Apply for these positions at <www.sewanee.edu/ site/j9UB9e/application>.

For more information call 598-1381.

Teacher Indicted

Blind Express

A former Franklin County teacher was arrested on a sealed indictment from the Franklin County Grand Jury for four counts of alleged solicitation of a minor. The investigation is ongoing.

Serving **Where Called**

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

> Michael Evan Brown Lisa Coker Jennifer Lynn Cottrell **James Gregory Cowan** Nathaniel Andrew Garner Robert S. Lauderdale Dakota Layne Byron A. Massengill Andrew Midgett Alan Moody **Brian Norcross** Christopher Norcross **Michael Parmley Peter Petropoulos** Troy (Nick) Sepulveda Melissa Smartt J. Wesley Smith **Charles Tate** Tyler Walker Jeffery Alan Wessel **Nick Worley**

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.

Prince Makes Honor Flight

Sewanee resident Larry Hawkins Prince was a passenger on May 11 with the South Middle Tennessee World War II & Korean War (Era) Veterans Honor Flight to Washington, D.C.

Prince served honorably in the United States Armed Forces during the Korean War.

Honor Flight Network is a nonprofit organization created solely to honor America's veterans for all their sacrifices. They transport veterans to Washington, D.C., to visit and reflect at their memorials.



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Events & Meetings

UDC Meeting in Cowan May 18

The Kirby-Smith 327 chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy will have its monthly meeting at 10 a.m., Saturday, May 18, at the Franklin-Pearson House in Cowan. An optional lunch will follow the meeting. For more information go to <www.kirbysmith327.com>.

Community Council Meeting May 20

The following items are on the agenda for the Community Council meeting scheduled at 7 p.m., Monday, May 20, at the Senior Citizens' Center. Approval of the April minutes; confirm meeting dates for 2013–14; University farm plan; update on garbage rates; announcements and/or questions.

Area Rotary Club Meetings

The Grundy County Rotary Club meets at 11:30 a.m., Tuesdays at the Dutch Maid Bakery in Tracy City.

The Monteagle/Sewanee Rotary Club meets at the Smoke House Restaurant on Wednesday mornings. Coffee begins at 6:50 a.m.; breakfast and the meeting begins at 7 a.m. and ends by 8 a.m. On Wednesday, May 22, Scott Anderson discusses plans for the club's golf tournament in June.

The Monteagle-Sewanee Rotary Club hosts a noon Thursday meeting at the Blue Chair Tavern. On Thursday, May 23, Joe Wiegand's dad, Jim Wiggins, will discuss his 40-plus year career in comedy.

On May 24 from 9:30 a.m. to noon, the club will have its annual strategic planning meeting at SAS.

Garden Club Plant Auction May 23

The Sewanee Garden Club will have its annual plant auction and potluck lunch at 11:30 a.m., Thursday, May 23. This is a great opportunity to purchase plants that have been proven to grow on the Mountain and to visit with experienced local gardeners. The meeting will be at the home of Elizabeth Wilson, 171 Victoria Lane, off Deepwoods Road. Bring plants to sell, a dish to share, a lawn chair and some spending money. For more information contact Judy Magavero at (931) 924-3118.

Green-Hawkins Reunion

The Green-Hawkins Family Reunion will be held 11 a.m.-2 p.m., Saturday, May 25, at Lake Cheston in Sewanee. Bring lawn chairs and a covered dish.

Community Center Board Postponed Until June

The Sewanee Community Center's board, which meets at 11:45 a.m. on the second Tuesday of the month, will not meet in May. The next meeting is June 11. Everyone is welcome to attend. For more information contact Rachel Petropoulos at 598-0682 or email < rpetro@gmail.com>.



New York Times columnist David Brooks and Pulitzer Prize-winning author Jon Meacham discuss "The Art of Power and Politics" on May 10. Photo by Buck Butler

Mountain Goat Train Lecture

Historian Oliver Jervis will present Mary Patten Priestley and John friends. a lecture on "The Mountain Goat: A Baggenstoss will talk about their Arts Training Center.

Jervis, who is a board member chase. of the Grundy County Heritage Center, will talk about the year 1856, when ments will be served. the short line railroad first climbed the Cumberland Plateau above Cowan lecture series at Cowan Center for and eventually connected Cowan the Arts Training Center. For more to Sewanee, Monteagle, Tracy City, Coalmont and Palmer.

of the book will be available for pur-fullcirclecandles.com>.

Admission is free, and refresh-

This event is part of an ongoing information, call (931) 691-0722 or go to < www.cowancenterforthearts.org >.

Seeking Civil War Artifacts Archivists and curators from the for and preserve their items.

Tennessee State Library and Archives (TSLA) and the Tennessee State Mu-Back: The Civil War in Tennessee, seum will be in Sewanee from 10 a.m. is designed to preserve materials that to 3 p.m. on Tuesday, May 28, to record document Tennessee's extensive Civil and digitize Civil War memorabilia for War heritage. TSLA staff will travel an online exhibit commemorating the around the state to digitize items so 150th anniversary of the Civil War.

original Civil War-era photographs, items must pertain to the Civil War. documents and other artifacts to the Examples of suitable items include, University Archives, 81 Alabama Ave. but are not limited to, letters, photo-Items will be scanned or photographed and returned to the owner within an hour. Contributors receive free and sketches. digitization services, copies of digital

This statewide project, "Looking the public can access them. To be Area residents are asked to bring in considered eligible for digitization, graphs, diaries, uniforms or uniform pieces, weapons, hand-drawn maps

For more information, go to images and guidance on how to care http://www.tn.gov/tsla/cwtn/>.

Cynthia S. W. Crysdale, professor of Christian ethics and theology at the School of Theology in Sewanee, and Peter W. Hunter, of Heidelberg, Ontario, Canada, invite the community to join them in two services celebrating their union in Holy Matrimony at 5:15 p.m., today (Friday), May 17, for a Service of Holy Communion, and at 2 p.m., Saturday, May 18, for a Celebration and Blessing of Marriage. Both services will be in All Saints' Chapel.

"Tutus and Tiaras" **Dance Camp**

The Alabama Youth Ballet-Sewanee Dance Conservatory will be offering two summer dance camps, "Tutus and Tiaras," June 3–7 (ages 5–7) and July 8–12 (ages 3–5). "Tutus and Tiaras" is the perfect introduction to dance. The first camp will run from 9:30 to 11:45 a.m. each day. The second camp will run from 3:15 to 5:30 p.m. each day. The cost is \$95, and classes will be held at the Fowler Center.

Stop by the Fowler Center 2:15-3:15 p.m., Sunday, June 2, for more information. There will also be an intermediate master class, 3:15-4:45 p.m., Sunday, June 2, for ages 11 and older.

A beginning ballet class for ages 7–11 will also be held from noon to 1 p.m. on June 3; and 2–3 p.m. on July 8. The cost is \$12 per class.

For more information, contact David Herriott at <deherriott@gmail. com> or call (706) 589-2507.

"Project Dance" Camp

There is still time to sign up for Project Dance, a summer dance camp for kids. The first session is June 24–28; the second session is July 15-19. It is designed for children ages 7 and older. Člasses will be held 9 a.m.–noon on Mondays and Wednesdays, and noon-3 p.m., Thursdays and Fridays. The registration fee is \$90 per week.

Children will learn about modern and improvisational dance, working with different media to tell stories through movement.

They will get to act, dance, use props, and learn about poetry, storytelling, costuming and music from around the world.

At 3 p.m. on Fridays, there will be a mini demonstration for family and

For more information or to register, Short Line Railroad," at 4 p.m., Sunday, recently published book, "Dad's Rail-contact instructor Debbie Welch at May 19, at the Cowan Center for the road, the Mountain Goat." Copies (423) 637-3849 or by email, <debbie@

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Obituaries

Jennifer Rae Collins

Jennifer Rae Collins, age 40 of Sewanee, died May 9, 2013, at Erlanger Health System in Chattanooga. She was preceded in death by grandparents Dick and Mignone Graves.

She is survived by her husband, Joey Jackson of Sewanee; daughter, Brandy Collins of Palmer; sons, Nickolas Jackson and Trenton Collins, both of Sewanee; parents, Bobbie (Sandy) Gilliam and James Ray Col-(Michael) Hamilton of Huntland; grandparents Joe and Ventress Yokley of Winchester; special uncle, Chad (Tonya) Graves of Sewanee; and two grandchildren, two nieces and many friends.

Memorial services are at 2 p.m. numerous nieces and nephews. today, May 17, in the chapel of Cumberland Funeral Home, 207 Mabee in the funeral home chapel with Pastor Ave., Monteagle.

For complete obituary visit < www. cumberlandfuneralhome.net>.



Jerry Q. Mason

Jerry Q. Mason, age 80 of Monteagle, died May 12, 2013, at his home. He was born in Cleveland, Tenn., to Walter Scott and Flora Mae Barnes Mason. He was preceded in death by sister Mary.

He is survived by his wife, Elsie 'Sally" Tate Mason of Monteagle; son, Michael Mason of Monteagle; daughters, Carla (Robert) Chilson of Hillsboro; brothers, Willis (Gerallins, all of Sewanee; sister, Heather dine) Mason of Delrose, Tenn., Donald Mason of Florida, and Larry (Kim) Mason of Bell Buckle; sisters Faye (Bob) Bolton of Alabama, Elizabeth (Roger) Mullins of Taft, Tenn., Linda Blue of Smyrna; and three grandchildren, three great-grandchildren, and

> Funeral services were held May 16 Mike Pattengill, Fire Chaplin Mark Bassett and Fraternal Order of Police Chaplin Ross Peterson officiating. For complete obituary visit <www. grantfuneralservices.net>.

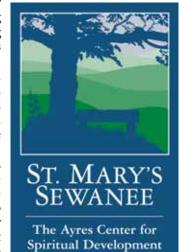
St. Mary's Sunset Serenade Set for September

St. Mary's Sewanee: The Ayres Center for Spiritual Development is pleased to announce that the Fourth Annual Sunset Serenade will be on Sunday, Sept. 1.

The Sunset Serenade is a fund-raiser and a friend-raiser. "We love welcoming new friends to The Center and sharing special moments with lifelong friends," says executive director Thomas Morris.

The event will start at 5 p.m., with musical entertainment by Noel Workman and Friends. A tapas menu will be offered by Lee Towery Catering. The evening will also include a silent auction and conclude with a magnificent sunset over the bluff.

Reservations are required by Monday, Aug. 26. Contact Pratt Paterson at 598-5342 or email <pratt.paterson@stmaryssewanee.org> for more information, to make a donation to the silent auction, or to volunteer. For more information about St. Mary's Sewanee and its programs, go to <www.stmarysewanee.org>.



Academy of Lifelong Learning

The Academy of Lifelong Learning will welcome Stephen Miller on June tures on the second Thursday of each 13 for a talk titled "How Sweet the month at noon at St. Mary's Sewanee. Sound: Form and Content in Shape-

Miller earned his Ph.D at the University of Chicago and began teaching at Sewanee in 1995. He teaches a academy, call Debbie Kandul at (931) variety of courses in music history and culture. He serves as chair of the music 924-4465. department.

The Academy hosts monthly lec-A box lunch is available for \$10. To reserve a lunch, call 598-5342 or email <reservations@stmaryssewanee.org>.

For more information about the 924-3542 or Anne Davis at (931)



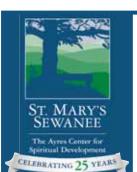
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UPCOMING RETREATS

ONE-DAY INTRODUCTION TO CENTERING PRAYER

Saturday, May 25, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., The Rev. Tom Ward, presenter \$45 includes lunch

ASK ME, a women's retreat focusing on selfhood and vocation

Friday, June 14-Sunday, June 16 Susan Packard, presenter New building, \$425 (single); Commuter, \$225

Church News

All Saints' Chapel

All Saints' Chapel announces the schedule of Sunday services for the summer months:

On Sunday, May 19, May 26, June 2, June 9 and Aug. 4 and 11, there will be a service at 8 a.m. only.

On Sunday, June 16, 23 and 30 and July 7, 14 and 21, there will be services at 8 a.m. and 11 a.m.

On Sunday, Aug. 18, the Tennessee Layman's service will be at 8 a.m.

On Sunday, Aug. 25, the service is at 9 a.m. (Orientation Sunday).

On Sunday, Sept. 1, 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. services resume. All services are Holy Communion. For more information call Kasey Taylor at 598-1701.

Wings of Hope

Wings of Hope Widows Ministry will meet at 6 p.m., Monday, May 20, at Winchester First United Methodist Church chapel. Guest speakers will be David and John Stewart on "Have You Cleaned Your Closets or Have You Made the Necessary Arrangements for your Final Trip Home?" For information or a ride, call (931) 636-4359.

Christ Church, Monteagle

Because of the wet and cold spring which has finally resolved itself, Christ Church will have the fireworks which greet Pentecost. This begins at 8 p.m., Saturday, May 18. There is a brief prayer greeting the great day, but no Vigil in terms of a lengthy service.

Pentecost is a celebration shared by many churches and, in Northern Europe, by whole towns. Some people may not know what they are celebrating, but there is an atmosphere of joy and happy greetings. All churches will welcome you. Once called Whitesunday because people wore their baptismal garments, the day is sometimes called "the birthday of the Church."

Decherd Mission Church Homecoming

Decherd Mission Church, located next to Swann Equipment on Hwy. 127 in Decherd, will hold homecoming services this Sunday, May 19. Sunday school is at 10 a.m., and the worship service is at 11 a.m. Lunch will be served after the morning service, and after lunch there will be singing, featuring the group A Different Way from Decherd.

Pastor Bill Morgan and the congregation welcome everyone.

Otey Parish

Otey Memorial Parish will celebrate Pentecost with the Holv Eucharist, Rite II, at 8:50 a.m. and 11 a.m.

During the Sunday School hour, adults and youth are invited to the Lectionary Class, led by Pete Trenchi, which will explore Acts 2:1–21, the story of the birth of the church at Pentecost. Nursery care for infants 6 weeks to children 5 years old begins at 8:30 a.m. and continues until after coffee hour, which follows the second

The Bible Challenge will meet at 4 p.m. at the church.

Otey Memorial Parish will host an iconographer of international acclaim on Sunday, May 26. Sister Eliseea Papacioc, from Romania, will display some of her most recent icons from 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the conference room at Brooks Hall (next to Otey Church). She will be available to answer questions and explain her technique for creating these luminous

Her icons have been shown and sponsored by the Smithsonian Museum, the John Paul II Cultural Center, and other museums throughout this country and abroad. Otey is privileged to enjoy this Orthodox nun's presence. She will provide an opportunity to commission custom-designed icons to be delivered when she returns to Sewanee next year. For more information contact Sandy and Dennis Kezar

CHURCH CALEND

Monday-Friday, May 20–24 and 27–31

7:00 am Morning Prayer/HE, St. Mary's (not 5/22 or 5/29)

7:30 am Morning Prayer, Otey

12:30 pm Noon Prayer, St. Mary's (not 5/22 or 5/29)

4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey

5:00 pm Evening Prayer, St. Mary's (not 5/22 or 5/29)

Saturday, May 18 and May 25

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

5:00 pm Mass, Good Shepherd Catholic, Decherd

Sunday, May 19 and May 26

All Saints' Chapel

8:00 am Holy Eucharist

Bible Baptist Church, Monteagle 11:00 am Worship Service 5:30 pm Evening Service

Christ Church Episcopal, Alto

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

Christ Church, Monteagle

10:30 am Holy Eucharist

10:45 am Children's Sunday School

12:50 pm Christian Formation class Church of the Holy Comforter, Monteagle

9:00 am Holy Eucharist

Cowan Fellowship Church

10:00 am Sunday School

11:00 am Worship Service

Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Sewanee

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

Epiphany Episcopal Church, Sherwood 10:30 am Children's Sunday School

10:45 am Holy Eucharist

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 Holy Comforter Episcopal, Monteagle

9:00 am Holy Eucharist **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 Holy Eucharist 10:00 am Christian Formation 11:00 am 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

5:00 pm Holy Eucharist

St. Luke's Chapel

7:30 am Holy Eucharist

St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church, Alto 8:00 am Mass

St. Mary's Convent

5:30 pm Evensong

Sewanee Church of God 10:00 am Sunday School

11:00 am Morning Service

6:00 pm Evening Service **Society of Friends**

9:30 am Meeting, 598-5031

Tracy City First Baptist Church

9:45 am Sunday School

10:45 am Morning Worship

5:30 pm Youth

6:00 pm Evening Worship

Wednesday, May 22 and May 29 6:00 am Morning Prayer, Cowan Fellowship

12:00 pm Holy Eucharist, Christ Church, Monteagle

5:30 pm Evening Worship, Bible Baptist, Monteagle

6:00 pm Prayer and study, Midway Baptist Church

6:00 pm Youth (AWANA), Tracy City First Baptist 6:30 pm Prayer Service, Harrison Chapel, Midway

7:00 pm Adult Christian Ed., Epiphany, Sherwood 7:00 pm Evening Worship, Tracy City First Baptist

LOCAL 12-STEP MEETINGS 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

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

Forty-Two Graduate from the School of Theology

The University of the South's 2012–13 academic year came to a close with

a Convocation for the Conferring of Degrees on May 10, to recognize the 42 students who completed their studies at the School of Theology and to confer three honorary degrees.

The Rt. Rev. Robert Wright, bishop of the Diocese of Atlanta, preached the sermon. He began with greetings from the Diocese of Atlanta and conveyed that he had come to "share his heart" with everyone in All Saints' Chapel, especially the graduates. He likened them to the 70 disciples that Jesus sent out into the world to continue his ministry. Quoting Luke's 10th chapter, he added, "We are reminded that the purpose of the church is to pray, go and say." After covering several aspects of prayer he said, "But prayer is just the beginning. To pray and not go is to frustrate grace." Quoting a variety of sources on the importance of going the great distance for Jesus, Wright



At the School of Theology's Commencement on May 13. Photo by Lyn

asked, "Where are you willing to go for a God this good?" In summary, Wright looked out over the students and offered, "So pray and go and then, for Christ's sake, say something!" The sermon may be viewed in its entirety at http:// vimeo.com/66168959>.

Following the sermon, honorary degrees were presented to the Rt. Rev. Gregory Orrin Brewer, the Rt. Rev. William Douglas Hahn, and the Rt. Rev. Robert Christopher Wright in a traditional ceremony. The Rt. Rev. J. Neil Alexander, dean of the School of Theology, introduced the recipients before Vice-chancellor John McCardell asked for approval. The Rt. Rev. Samuel Johnson Howard, chancellor of the University and bishop of the Diocese of Florida, approved and conferred the doctor of divinity degree on each candidate. Full biographies of the honorary degree recipients may be found at <http://theology.sewanee.edu/news/2013-commencement-will-presentthree-honorary-degrees>.

University Provost John Swallow called each of the graduating students to the front of the chapel to receive their diplomas and hoods. Several of the students graduated with honors for outstanding academic achievement:

The School of Theology Prize in Biblical Studies and The Urban T. Holmes III Prize for Excellence in Preaching were awarded to Lauren Wynn Farrington Flowers, an M.Div. student from the Diocese of Central Gulf Coast.

The School of Theology Prize in Theology and Ethics was awarded to William Outlan Burgess, an M.A. student.

The School of Theology Prize in Historical Studies was awarded to Laurel Rae Mathewson, an M.Div. student from the Diocese of San Diego.

The Bishop Leopoldo Alard Prize for Excellence in Liturgical Reading in Spanish was awarded to Colin James Mathewson, an M.Div. student from the

The School of Theology Community Service Award was awarded to Grant Anthony Stokes, an M.Div. student from the Diocese of Western North Caro-

SAS Alumni Weekend Set for May 31—June 2 St. Andrew's-Sewanee expects SAS Service Award. The weekend

400 to attend the school's annual concludes on Sunday morning with a Alumni Weekend May 31–June 2. Holy Eucharist service at St. Andrew's St. Andrew's-Sewanee, formed by the Chapel and a farewell brunch. merger of Sewanee Academy and St. Andrew's School in 1981, welcomes the ing concert (on the backs of bikes) on alumni of its parent schools, including the Mountain Goat Trail at 2 p.m., St. Mary's School and the Sewanee beginning at the SAS end. Harrod is Military Academy (SMA). Milestone the founder of Folkbike Re-cyclery, reunions this year (5th, 10th, 25th, etc.) a Frankfort, Ky., nonprofit that helps are from the classes ending in 3s and 8s, to recycle and redistribute bikes and but many SAS alumni and their families make this an annual pilgrimage.

Live jazz with Herschel Van Dyke '03 and a festive dinner kick the weekend off on Friday. The Classes of 1963 from St. Andrew's, St. Mary's, and SMA will celebrate their 50th reunion ment of their Sunday march, walking and receive their SAS Medallions on from Quintard Hall to All Saints' Saturday during the special Awards Chapel. Afterward, back on the SAS Champagne Brunch. This year's award campus, starting at 10:30 a.m. will be recipients are photographer Stephen the second StA Rejoice! Mass, which Alvarez '83, receiving the Distin- incorporates rock and folk music into guished Alumni Award, and Doug the Holy Eucharist liturgy. The bike Campbell of Naples, Fla., from the ride, Sunday march and church service SMA Class of 1959, who receives the are free and open to the public.

Stuart Harrod '82 will offer a rollpublicizes its work through moving concerts.

On Sunday, beginning at 9:15 a.m., the Highlander Drum and Pipe Corps from Chattanooga will accompany SMA alumni in the annual re-enact-

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Hospitality **Shop Update**

The Emerald Hodgson Auxiliary Hospitality Shop will be closed for a month.

The Shop will reopen on Tuesday, June 11, with new and wonderful

The Shop will be accepting donations during the time the shop is closed. Please leave donations in the bin provided behind the building.

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Senior Center

Blood Pressure Checks Available on Tuesdays

Blood pressure checks will be available on Tuesday mornings at the Senior Center. Readings will be taken between 9:30 and 10:30 a.m., and then from 11:30 am. to noon. This is a new, regular offering at the center.

Covered-Dish Luncheon on May 18

The monthly covered-dish luncheon at the center will be at noon, Saturday, May 18. Sewanee's favorite band, Bazzania!, will entertain the group. Bring a dish to share.

You Can Make a Difference!

The center is in urgent need of volunteers to deliver meals to shut-ins on the following dates in May and June: May 21–23, May 29, June 5, June 12, June 18–20 and June 26–27.

The center also needs dishwashers on May 23 and May 30; June 6, June 13 and June 27. Kitchen prep helpers are needed on May 30, June 6–7 and June 13. All offers of assistance are greatly appreciated.

Call the center at 598-0771 or Connie Kelley at 598-0915 if you can help.

Daily Activities

The Senior Center has a variety of free activities each day: Mondays at 10:30 a.m., there is chair exercise. Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m., the group plays bingo with prizes. Wednesdays at 10 a.m., the writing group gathers. Thursdays at 10:30 a.m., there is chair exercise. Fridays at 10 a.m. is game day.

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.

May 20: Taco salad, dessert.

May 21: Fried chicken, potato salad, baked beans, roll, dessert.

May 22: Cheeseburger, onion rings, jello, dessert.

May 23: Pork chop, pinto beans, cabbage, cornbread, dessert.

May 24: Steak, gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, roll, dessert.

May 27: Closed, Memorial Day.

May 28: General Tso's chicken, fried rice, egg roll, dessert.

May 29: Salmon patty, white beans, turnip greens, cornbread, dessert.

May 30: Spaghetti, salad, garlic bread, dessert.

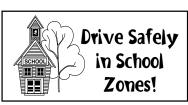
May 31: Stuffed pepper, mashed potatoes, green peas, roll, dessert. Menus may vary.

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.

"Don't Meth with Us" Program Kicks Off in Grundy County

program was presented to all fourththrough seventh-grade Grundy County elementary students. This annual program is provided by the Rotary boys and girls in a form that looks like Club of Grundy County and spon-candy in order to hook them on meth. sored by donations from individuals, churches, and businesses in and around Grundy County.

During the presentation, Sandy Spies, past president of the Rotary them to stay away from meth and other Club and president of S Double A illegal drugs. Ranch, described the poisonous ingredients of methamphetamines and the life-threatening dangers involved in manufacturing it. Pictures and demonstrations are real attention-getters for the young students, who were surprised to learn common, everyday



The 2013 "Don't Meth with Us" ingredients are used to manufacture the mind- and body-altering substances. Spies cautioned that a new form of crystal meth is being given to young

> Students were given a "Don't Meth with Us" T-shirt, wrist band and Rotary key chain. They were also presented with a pledge card encouraging

Humane Society Delivers Books to Area Libraries

In May, members of The Franklin County Humane Society delivered boxes of books to all of the public school libraries, as well as Good Shepherd, Winchester Christian Academy, the Mennonite School and St. Andrew's-Sewanee. The Franklin County Library also received some $children's\,books'.\,Each\,library\,received$ a variety of books with animal themes on different reading levels.

The elementary schools received books including "Tails are not for Pulling," "A Dog's Life: The Autobiography of a Stray," and "Cat Found." The middle schools were given titles for older readers, such as "Nube. The for older readers, such as "Nubs: The True Story of a Mutt, a Marine, and a Miracle," "War Horse," and "Saving Audie." The books were purchased with a grant from the Templeton Foundation to help foster the qualities of responsibility and kindness.

The librarians at all of the schools plan to create a special display to show off the new books, although this might be next fall since they have to be catalogued first.

Pat Thompson, president of the Franklin County Humane Society, said, "We are very grateful to the Templeton Foundation for this grant so we could go to the schools with books to encourage children to read and help promote character development."

Sewanee Gardeners' Market Opens May 25

The Sewanee Gardeners' Market, open every Saturday morning, 8–10 a.m., in the summer, will have its opening day Saturday, May 25. The Market is located on Highway 41A, next to Hawkins Lane and the Mountain Goat Trail.

Locally grown vegetables, flowers, plants, homemade items and meat are available from area folks. For more information call Linda Barry at 598-

Memorial Day Closings

Memorial Day is Monday, May 27. All federal, state and county offices will be closed, including the banks and post offices.

Other closings include the Messenger, the offices of the University and St. Andrew's-Sewanee School and the Sewanee Senior Center.



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Blessing of St. Mary's new lavender field.

Thistle Farms Plants Lavender Field with Sisters of St. Mary's

Thistle Farms of Nashville visited and helped plant a lavender field at the Sisters of St. Mary's gardens on May 11. Becca Stevens, Sewanee alumna and founder of Thistle Farms, participated in the planting and blessing of the lavender field, along with others from Thistle Farms, the Sisters of St. Mary's, and the community at large. The lavender field was dedicated to Sister Mary Zita in honor of the 50th anniversary of her vocation.

Thistle Farms is a residential program and social enterprise of women who have survived lives of prostitution, violence and abuse. The women create natural bath and body products by hand that are as good for the earth as they are for the body.

Madeleine Mary, sister -in-charge at the convent, said, "Today was a wonderful experience of truly organic prayer; a gathered community, working and praying with God and each other to renew the earth by making a place of beauty, healing and prayer. We pray that this partnership will foster greater community, will bring beauty and healing into the lives of many through the products that will be made with its soothing oils, and will help create more sustainable systems for Magdalene House, our community, and the earth."

The Sisters of St. Mary's have been developing gardens during the past year as part of The Organic Prayer Project for the purpose of establishing outreach ministries and support for their communal lives. A large field was prepared for the arrival of the ladies from Nashville and the lavender plants. Under the partnership, the Sisters will grow lavender for Thistle Farms; in addition, the Sisters may provide baskets for sale with Thistle Farm products and some of their own hand-crafted items during various times of the year.

For more information on Thistle Farms, visit <www.thistlefarms.org>.



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Dear Angel,

This morning Sewanee Elementary School had Field Day at McGee Field; this afternoon I walked past and saw the field was being systematically torn up. Has Sewanee finally decided to get rid of its football team in favor of more legitimate sports like synchronized swimming or dwarf tossing? What's going on?

When the University vowed to "go green," they mainly meant the color of the Astroturf the Mighty Tigers will be playing on next fall. They'll also be playing under the bright lights. To qualify, there will be new lights as well as artificial turf, and the Tigers will play under the lights, but they won't be on because all the games will still be played in the daytime.

The question remains, if they are going to pimp out our field with intimidating but useless floodlights and plastic grass, can a real Marching Band, a Dome with a retractable roof, and VIP boxes be too far behind? With this kind of facility upgrade, you can bet we will be hosting the Crimson Tide for Homecoming.

One practical thing to remember, however, is that your dog can no longer use the new turf for his personal pit stops; the evidence will not wash away.

If there is already a summer housing shortage, what is going to happen when 500 and some-odd freshmen appear on campus this August looking for a room?

I am sure you did not mean to imply that some of those 500 freshmen will be "odd," but even if they are, they still need a place to live, and it's not at all clear that there are enough dorm rooms to go around. Still this excess of the dorm-less might work to your advantage. In Sewanee days of yore, students lived in boarding houses around campus. If you have any extra rooms in your home, why not consider renting them out to students for a little above the going Room & Board rate of the University? You could even market it as "Service Learning" and make the students scrub your toilets and clean your refrigerator as part of their "community engagement." The benefits of having a few able-bodied students living in your crawl space are not to be dismissed, and they will be grateful for the experience, given that the alternative will be living in a tent city on the football field's artificial turf.

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

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Summer Music Festival Announces 2013 Season

The schedule for the 57th season of the Sewanee Summer Music Festival has been announced and includes a blend of traditional activities and new events and venues, including an event at the new golf course. More than 30 concerts, 13 of which will be free to the public, will be presented by 200 students, 25 faculty artists and five guest artists in over seven venues around the Cumberland Plateau.

The season will commence with the Opening Night Gala on June 22, when the Festival Orchestra, an ensemble comprised of the 2013 faculty artists and

guest artists, will perform under the baton of Maestro Más-Arocas works by Mason Bates and others.

Traditional concerts include the Faculty Artist Series, Saturdays in the Garth and Symphony Sundays that will highlight unique modern and traditional repertoire com-



by SSMF double bass professor Sidney King will also be performed on July 7 by the Cumberland Orchestra. The SSMF will host world-renowned conductors, including Cristian Macelaru, Carl St. Clair, Christopher Warren-Green, Katherine Kilburn and the newly appointed SSMF Conductor-in-Residence, Octavio Más-Arocas. Full details of the season and ticketing information can be found at <ssmf.inticketing.com>. The second Hike to a Concert will take place on the bluff-view hole of the

new Sewanee golf course on July 3. Ahike, led by the Sewanee Outing Program, will occur before the concert, ending directly at the golf course for concert time. In addition, a bike ride, led by Woody Deutsch from Woody's Bicycles, will also start before the concert and will take participants around the Sewanee campus to key highlights, including the Cross, Green's View, the Chapel of the Apostles and others, before ending at the golf course. Reservations are required

A new feature this year is the inclusion of the Blue Chair Tavern as a concert venue. All Wednesday night concerts will be streamed live at the Blue Chair Tavern on the big screen TV, where patrons can enjoy a refreshing beverage, along with world-class music. A special thanks to this year's corporate sponsors: Joseph's Remodeling, Myers Point, Locals, the Blue Chair and the Sewanee Business Alliance, along with all of the individual donors and supporters who make this unique musical experience possible.



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Friday Night Live in Angel

The Sewanee Business Alliance is excited to announce a special summer series of music to be performed in the new Sewanee Angel Park each Friday night for six weeks during the period of June 21–July 26.

The music begins at 8 p.m. and ends at 10 p.m. Stay tuned for a detailed list of performers for each Friday coming

RC-Moon Pie Festival in **Historic Bell** Buckle

The 18th annual RC-Moon Pie Festival will be held June 15 in downtown Bell Buckle.

Festivities kick off with the RC-Moon Pie 10-mile run, where more than 1,000 runners will compete on the scenic but challenging course and then will be rewarded with a full breakfast at the finish line.

RC's and Moon Pies are celebrated in every way possible with a parade, bluegrass music, dancing, the coronation of the king and queen and games featuring the two classics in every way imaginable.

Speakeasy, a rock 'n roll band, will perform and delight festival-goers. The festival will culminate with the cutting of the World's Largest Moon Pie, where everyone gets a taste of the gooey treat for free.

Healing Arts Project Show Continues at Artisan Depot

An art show curated by Pat Underwood and the Healing Arts Project, Inc. (HAPI) is now on display at Artisan Depot in Cowan. HAPI, which is based in Nashville, provides an avenue for persons in mental health and addiction recovery to express their creativity through a wide range of artistic endeavors. In this way awareness is raised in the community that helps combat stigma about these disorders and promotes understanding, acceptance and success. HAPI has been supporting the creative arts for persons in mental health and addiction recovery since 2004.

In this area, HAPI holds art classes at ReConnect Tullahoma and ReConnect Shelbyville. Franklin County Arts Guild member Denise Miller teaches at these centers, and she and Underwood have been instrumental in bringing the students' artwork to the Artisan Depot for exhibit.

The Artisan Depot is located at 201 E. Cumberland St., Cowan. The show continues through June 15. For more information call 962-2356 or go to <www.fcaguild.wordpress.com>.

HAPI art classes provide a creative outlet for over 300 individuals in mental health and addiction recovery in Middle Tennessee.



ATTHE MOVIES

Sewanee Union Theatre has announced its June schedule. Movies are Friday-Monday, starting at 7:30 p.m.

On May 31-June 3, "Life of Pi" will be shown. On Friday, May 31, admission will be "pay as you wish." Instead of being charged a set rate, fans of the SUT will be invited to pay whatever admission fee they think is right for a night at the SUT.

Sewanee Union Theatre is then changing its ticket prices beginning on June 1. Students (through college) will be \$3, but nonstudents will be \$4. (Concession prices will remain the same, though, with popcorn still only \$1!)

June 7–10, "Premium Rush" June 14–17, "Safe Haven" June 21–24, "Jack Reacher" June 28-July 1, TBA

After July 4, the SUT will have a few more showings, back on the Thursday-Sunday schedule.



Turtles on Exhibit

The challenge to local artists to create turtles for the Artisan Depot's invited to stop by the gallery and vote for their favorite turtle. Winner of the ongoing series of shows has culminated in the depiction of 26 turtles in on June 8. a variety of mediums, from watercolor, acrylics, woodcuts, metal, collage, rock painting, quilting, folk art and more.

The colorful array includes small works to very large paintings created by Franklin County Arts Guild members and non-members. A reception with wine, cheese and music will be held from 5 to 7 p.m., Friday, May 24. The show continues through June 8. The public is invited. People are also

FCLibrary Summer Program

Readers of all ages will explore all things underground this summer, as Franklin County Public Library presents "Dig Into Reading" during its annual summer reading program, beginning June 5. The Summer Reading Program is open to young people, preschool through young adult, with programs, prize drawings, free Super Summer Shows and more.

Registration begins on June 3 and ends on June 29. The library has an action-packed summer planned for the county's youth.

Super Summer Shows are Wednesdays at 1:30 p.m. Story time will be Wednesdays at 10 a.m. with various readers.

For more information call the library at 967-3706.



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The Artisan Depot is affiliated with the Franklin County Arts Guild and is located at 201 E. Cumberland Street, Cowan. For more information, go to <www.fcaguild.wordpress.com> or call (931) 967-7294.

People's Choice will be announced

Salvation Army Offers Free Summer Camp

The Franklin County Salvation Army will once again participate in the Camp Paradise Valley Summer Camp Program, June 17–22, for children ages 7–12. The Salvation Army is looking for children interested in attending the camp who might not otherwise be able to attend a summer camp. Transportation is provided by the local Salvation Army Unit. There is no cost to the camper.

Camp Paradise Valley is located on Dale Hollow Lake near the Kentucky-Tennessee border. All the usual camp activities, such as swimming, boating, crafts, games and music, as well as devotional time, are offered to the campers. Summer camp helps children gain confidence and self-worth. It enables them to laugh, sing and have fun.

Applications can be picked up 9–11 a.m. and 4:30-6:30 p.m., Tuesdays and Thursdays, at the Salvation Army office, located in the back of the Frankn County Annex Building,

Completed applications must be returned to the office by May 30. Camp slots are limited and are filled on a first-come, first-served basis. Interested families are encouraged to submit the completed application as soon as possible.

For more information call the Salvation Army office at 962-0580.





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Dust: 3.d. as the type of that which is worthless ...

Filth: 1. The quality ... of being foul. ..

Garbage: The offal of an animal used for food ...

Junk: 1.d. ... discarded or waste material that can be put to some use. Midden: 1. A dunghill, manure-heap, refuse-heap.

Offal: That which falls off ... as in chips in dressing wood ... the part which in any process, is allowed to fall off, or neglected as valueless ... 5. fig ... offscourings, dregs, scum. Refuse: B. sc. 1. That which is cast aside as worthless ... The rejected or rubbishy part of anything.

Rubbish: 1. Waste ... material, in early use ... such as results from the ... repair of buildings, debris, litter ... 2.b. worthless, nonsensical ... discourse or writing.

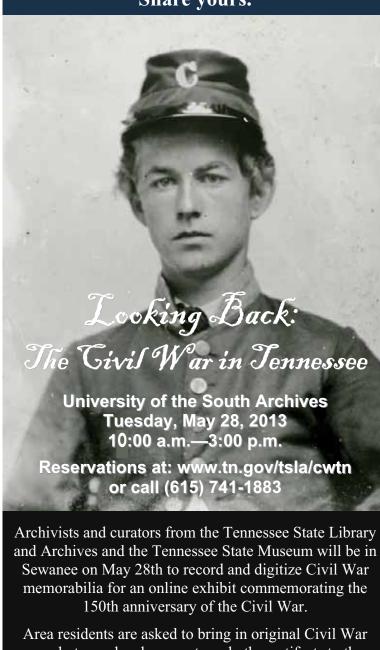
Waste: ... unserviceable material remaining over from any process of manufacture... Dreary, negative words, no? That's why our dump is named the Franklin County Convenience Center, not the Franklin County Filth Center. Probably from prehistory on, when we have discarded something, we have always bad-mouthed it. Today we must change. We have to package smart; reclaim, reuse, refurbish, redeem, in order to honor these once-despised goods, and in so doing, honor the earth. In my Oxford English Dictionary published in 1980, the word recycle does not even appear. However, Webster's New World College Dictionary, 2000, records: "re-cycle 3. a. to treat or process in order to use again (recycle aluminum cans). b. to gather up (empty bottles ... etc.) to be so treated or processed."

When National Guard Captain Andrew Lane returned from Afghanistan to his parish church, St. Gregory's, Athens, Ga. <stgregoryathens.org>, he took on a new mission: recycling. Since 2010, the church has realized more than \$4,800 from recycling. It is linked with a remarkable nonprofit, TerraCycle <terracycle.com> which pays for trash and sells the new products from the material it collects. It takes items few recycle centers will accept.

According to Episcopal News Service of Oct. 10, 2012 (go to ENS, recent posts), UPS delivers at no charge recyclable materials to TerraCycle from approved collection points.

Some church or other group in Sewanee might want to investigate this. This is not an investigative column.

Every Tennessean has a story. Share yours.



era photographs, documents and other artifacts to the University of the South Archives, 81 Alabama Avenue in Sewanee from 10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Items will be scanned or photographed and returned to the owner within an hour.

Contributors receive free digitization services, copies of the digital images, and guidance on how to care for and preserve their items.

Summer **School** Registration

The Franklin County Board of Education will have summer school for middle school and high school students, 8 a.m. to noon, weekdays, June 3–28. Middle school students will meet at North Middle School. High school students will be at Franklin County High School.

Middle School Summer School: English, reading and math will be covered. Students may register at the middle school they currently attend 8:30–10 a.m., Tuesday, May 28. There is no fee for Franklin County middle school students. For more information or to register by phone, call Patti Limbaugh or Diana Spaulding at the Franklin County Board of Education, 967-0626

High School Summer Program: Students will be assigned to one of the two three-hour sessions, either 7–10 a.m., or 10 a.m.-1 p.m., weekdays. Students may register at the guidance office at FCHS until May 28. After that date, contact Shelia Boyett at the main office at FCHS, 967-2821 or 967-4848.

The fee for high school students to Franklin County residents and \$150 for students who attend an out-ofcounty school.

Tracy City Hosts Camp Discover

Camp Discover: Me, My Com-munity, My World, will offer two The senior p.m., Monday through Friday.

students by developing a deeper sense of pride and understanding of the area.

Students in grades 1–3 will follow the Mountain Goat Railroad to the lunch are included. Mountain TOP, Palmer Coal Miners' Museum, visit Morton Memorial Methodist Church the original Swiss settlement and hike in Monteagle and Sewanee Dining are to the Great Stone Door. Through trips partnering to provide nutritious meals that celebrate community, games, songs to all participants. For more informaand books, the programs are designed tion, contact Emily Partin at (931) to celebrate the community's stories 592-4372.

The senior camp for grades 4–6 will age-appropriate programs June 3–14: feature many of the same trips and also Camp Discover for grades 1–3 and an in-depth study of the Fiery Gizzard Senior Camp Discover for grades 4–6. and the natural environment. Students Both camps will run from 9 a.m. to 3 will share in activities to become junior rangers, while learning more about the The camps are part of a community area park. This program is generously outreach project of Scholastic, the Uni-supported by the Friends of the South versity and Yale Child Study Center. Cumberland, Sewanee's Environmen-They are designed to link the school and tal Studies Program, and the South local community, and further engage Cumberland State Park, which is integrating its junior ranger program into the daily program.

Bus transportation, breakfast and

FC High School Wins Award

The Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation's Office of Energy Programs held its annual Energy Education Awards on May 6, recognizing winners in the Tennessee Youth Awards for Energy Achievement competition. Franklin County High School received one of the highest national honors as Secondary School of the Year.

"The Tennessee Youth Awards for Energy Achievement are designed to recognize students and teachers who conducted projects to educate their peers and communities about energy efficiency and conservation," said Environment and Conservation Commissioner Bob Martineau. "The efforts these students and attend summer school will be \$50 for teachers have put forth are helping educate their communities on the importance of energy conservation, and ensuring future generations share in their commitment for a cleaner energy future."

Tennessee schools will be recognized at the NEED Leadership Conference in Washington, D.C. on June 21-24. Representatives from Franklin County High **Tell them you saw it here.** School 4-H will attend the national award ceremony.

The Mountain NOW.COM

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The Mountain Now is a new community service provided by The Sewanee Mountain Messenger. This comprehensive website provides information on area events and services. It is intended to be a one-stop site for everyone on the South Cumberland Plateau for accurate, at-a-glance information. Share your photos and knowledge to make this the best possible source for those who live on the Mountain or those coming to visit.

HOME

The **Home Page** is your guide to current and upcoming events. A quick glance offers the time, date and place, with a web link to more information, when available. You'll also find a calendar and search option. Click on the **next page** to see what is coming.

VOICES

Voices are blogs from area writers, including authors David B. Coe and David Haskell, photographer Pradip Malde, outdoor enthusiast Patrick Dean, plus musings from Chris McDonough and Sewanee Herbarium members.

WHERE TO ...

The site provides information on local attractions, places to eat and stay, services you might need and where to shop. If you have a local business within the Sewanee Mountain Messenger's print circulation area and do not see your free listing there, email themountainnow@gmail.com.

LOCAL GUIDE

The Local Guide is a vital resource for living on the Mountain. Need to find out the library hours or a link to your church's website? Bookmark this page and all the information you need will be just one click away.

YOUR TOWN

Your Town is a comprehensive list of information and services for towns within The Sewanee Mountain Messenger's area of print circulation. From Cowan to Tracy City and everywhere in between, these pages help link us all together. Check it out and let us know if something is missing.

CONTACT

Cannot find what you are looking for? Want to add your event, information or listing to the site? Just submit the form on the Contact page or email themountainnow@gmail.com.

Stay in touch...





by Annie Armour

Progress in Sewanee in 1872

In June 1872, The University Record newspaper Vol. 1, #1 stated: "The growth of Sewanee is a surprise even to its own inhabitants.

"On the street leading to the village, Mr. H. N. Caldwell has built a very neat business house for the University pharmacy and book-store [the "blue" house occupied by the Sewanee Historic Trust group].

On the lot adjoining Mr. Caldwell, Dr. Buchanan has put up a large and commodious house, and on the same street Mrs. Smith and Mr. G. W. Smith have erected substantial residences (their houses were built exactly alike and are now the residences of Mrs. Engsberg and the Deans).

Mr. Bork has completed a very nice cottage, and Mr. Barbot, the University tailor, has a substantial and neat residence (Willie Cocke's house).

In Sewanee village Messrs. Hoge and Miller have put up a handsome business house. The interior fittings are especially noticeable for their beauty, being finished in black walnut and chestnut, oiled. The post office, in the same building, is very neatly fitted up.

Across the street, Mr. W. A. Gibson has erected a substantial business house, occupied by him as grocery and general supply store.

On Broadway, Mr. S. Rowe has put up a good market house, and Mr. Charles Wadhams is now erecting a building as a bakery, confectionery, etc.

Messrs. Gipson, Parks, Harrison, Arnold, Statum, Short, Pratt, and Kennedy have put up dwelling houses in or near the village during the past few months.

Sewanee Depot village has now four dry goods and grocery houses, with large stocks of goods, two confectioners, one hardware and tin ware store, two shoemakers, two butchers, one painter, one blacksmith, one cabinet-maker, two barbers, several carpenters, etc. The business house of Tomlinson and Co. is probably the largest and best stocked in the county.

Mr. H. O. Judd's new laundry, situated near Hayes mill, is now in successful operation.

Mr. Hayes, among his many other valuable enterprises, put up last winter two icehouses and filled them with an excellent quality of pond ice.

The swimming tank is in great requisition, and is a perfect success. Its dimensions are 76 feet by 15, with a depth of nearly six feet. A full supply of water is brought from the outlet of Polk and Otey Springs, which together form a considerable stream, which passes through the tank, keeping the water fresh and cool.

Perhaps the most valuable of the many improvements ... has been the erection by J. W. Hayes, Esq, of a most complete and valuable steam saw mill, with its various appendages. The engine is of about 50 horsepower, tubular flue boiler, self-setting saw carriage, 48-inch circular saw, with cut-off saw attached. This power is also used to run a planer, tongue and groove, and lath machine. Besides this, a shingle machine, which will cut one to two thousand shingles per hour, is run in the same place. In the second story there is machinery for the manufacture of doors, blinds, sash, brackets, mortising, and tenon work, and moldings of all kinds. On the third floor, power is applied to a grist mill."

New Summer Messenger Intern

The Sewanee Mountain Messenger welcomes Sarah Beavers as its newest summer intern. She will be working in the Messenger office one day a week, editing copy and also gathering information for The Mountain Now website. She will be writing stories for the paper. This summer she will attend the Sewanee Young Writers' Conference in Creative Non-Fiction and the Tennessee Young Writers' Workshop.

Beavers is a rising senior at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School. She hopes to study Chinese and maybe economics in college the following year. At SAS, Beavers is an Honors Student, Proctor, a member of SAS Theatre, and is on the varsity track and field team. She has received SAS Chinese academic honors.



Sarah Beavers

She is the daughter of Kiki and Ben Beavers of Sewanee.

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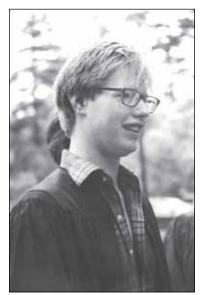
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Menus may vary.



Rowan Jones of Sewanee graduated cum laude on Sunday with a degree in Environmental Humanities. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

Fowler Center **Summer Hours**

The Fowler Center announces its summer hours for the building. Pool hours will be posted at a later date.

The building will be open on Friday, May 17–Saturday, Aug. 10: Monday–Friday, 6 a.m.–8 p.m.; Saturdays, 10 a.m. -7 p.m.; Sundays, 11 a.m.-7 p.m.

Regular hours will resume on Sunday, Aug. 11. The Fowler Center will be closed all day on Thursday, July 4. For more information call 598-1793.



Third-graders at SES visited Natural Bridge naturalist area and South Cumberland State Park. Students learned about landforms and plants native to Tennessee.

School Board Meets in Regular Session

The Franklin County school board Assembly, a few changes were made met in regular session on May 13 to to the teacher and principal evaluation discuss volunteer award recognition, process. Teachers who do not have an a historical marker and changes to individual growth score will continue teacher evaluations.

was nominated for a school volunteer recognition award, sponsored by The Tennessee School Boards Association. program at Sewanee Elementary no change for teachers who have an School. Keele organizes a tutorialenrichment program matching retired tion agencies can allow teachers with citizens with students who need extra individual growth scores of "4" or "5" academic help.

requested to be allowed to proceed Special education students will now with the application for a Tennessee be included in the calculation of indihistorical marker at Sewanee Elementary School since the SES school property is deeded to Franklin County. The the 50th anniversary of the desegregation of Sewanee Public School.

During the Tennessee General

to use the preselected school-wide Sewanee resident Karen Keele growth score. The student growth measure will now be weighted at 25 percent; observation of classroom will be 60 percent; and student achieve-Keele was nominated for her volunteer ment will be 15 percent. There is individual growth score. Local educato use those scores for 100 percent The Sewanee Civic Association has of their overall level of effectiveness. vidual growth scores. This bill is not yet signed into law.

The next school board meeting will historical marker will commemorate be held at 6:30 p.m., Monday, June 3, at the board office, 215 S. College St., Winchester.

- reported by K.G. Beavers

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SES Summer Reading Program

The Sewanee Elementary School PTO is sponsoring a summer reading program for rising first-through fifth-graders. There are several local libraries available in order to get books of your choice to read. These libraries also have their own summer reading programs available.

The top SES readers in each grade will receive prizes. Barnes & Noble will display the photos of the five winners with their favorite books in the children's section of the Sewanee store in the fall. They will also let the five winners pick a book to donate to SES Library.

A flyer containing the reading log and more information is available at http://www.edline.net/pages/Sewanee_Elementary_School.

Summer Reading at May Justus Library

Summer Reading Program "Dig Into For more information, call (931) Reading" will be held each Thursday 924-2638. The May Justus Library at 10 a.m. (except for June 13 and July is located at 24 Dixie Lee Avenue, 4) June 6–July 25. Come join us for Monteagle.

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SAA Accolades

Sewanee senior student-athletes Phillip Link (swimming) and Jenny Liles (women's tennis) have been named the first-ever Southern Athletic Association (SAA) Man and Woman of the Year award winners, the league announced May 15. Each award, presented by Summit Management Group, is the highest honor given by the conference that any SAA athlete can achieve.

Men's Lacrosse

Behind a balanced scoring attack, rival Washington & Lee spoiled the Sewanee men's lacrosse team's first NCAA tournament appearance, as the Generals earned a 19-6 victory on May 8.

Women's Lacrosse

Making its first-ever appearance in the NCAA tournament, the Sewanee women's lacrosse team fell at nationally ranked Christopher Newport, 23-6, on May 8.

Six Sewanee women's lacrosse student-athletes have been named to the Intercollegiate Women's Lacrosse Coaches Association (IWLCA) All-West Region Team, the IWLCA announced May 14.

First-team honors went to fresh-

man defender Alexis Crittenden, senior attacker Olivia Vietor and sophomore midfielder Sally Anne Greenwood, while senior defender $Anna\,Morrow, sophomore\,midfielder$ Ellie Murphy, and freshman keeper Sammy Strasburger were chosen as second-team selections.

Women's Tennis

After advancing to the third round of the NCAA tournament, the No. 15 Sewanee women's tennis team's incredible season came to an end May 12, as the Tigers dropped their match against No. 4 Emory.

Sewanee women's tennis studentathletes Bronte Goodhue and sisters Lindsey and Jenny Liles earned spots in the upcoming singles and doubles competition of the NCAA Division III women's tennis championships.

Swimplex Swim Lessons

Register for summer swim lessons at the Winchester Swimplex. Sessions begin in June. Classes meet Monday through Friday for two weeks. The cost is \$50. Session 1: June 3–14; Session 2: June 17–28; Session 3: July 8–19.

For more information or questions 962-4204.

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Athletes at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School were honored recently at the Spring Athletic Awards Night. After individual teams met with coaches prior to the event, all athletes and families met in McCrory Hall for presentation of the Most Improved Player, the Most Valuable Player, and the Coaches Award Winner. The players on the team select MIP and MVP.



Coaches' Award: front row, left to right, Sadie Graves (track and field), Alyson Barry softball), Gracie Davis (tennis) and Eric Baynard (track and field); back row, left to ight, Edwin Ashcraft (baseball), Russell Mays (baseball), Slater Goodson (tennis) and Michael Ross (soccer).



Most Valuable Player: front row, left to right, Britni Nunley (softball), India Allen (tennis), Helen Wilson (track and field) and Alex Tinsley (baseball); back row, left to right, Justin Stubblefield (tennis), Tinashe Zimbwa (soccer) and Jacob Schott (track and field).



Most Improved Player: Front row, left to right, Rebecca Lundberg (softball), James Beasley (track and field), Vanessa Luo (track and field) and Lucy Howick (tennis); back row, left to right, Levi Higgins (baseball), Charlie Jenkins (baseball), Kevin Lu (soccer) and Edward Kang (tennis).

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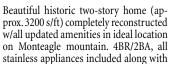
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STLS Golf Tournament

Society is hosting a fund-raising women at the Course at Sewanee. event, "Swing a Club for Scholarships" Golf Tournament on June 15. Proceeds dy Raybern at 967-4228 or by email at will be used to fund scholarships for <sthrntnlds@aol.com>. To download students in Coffee, Franklin, Grundy, a registration form, go to http://www. Lincoln and Moore county schools. southerntnladies.com/Events.html>.

The tournament features a two-

The Southern Tennessee Ladies' person scramble for both men and

For more information, contact Cin-

TigerShark Swim Team Registration

The TigerShark swim team registration will be held at 3:15 p.m. on May 20 at the Fowler Center. Fees for TigerSharks are \$160 for the first child in a family and \$130 for each additional child. Ścholarships are available.

The TigerSharks swim team will compete for eight weeks this summer, practicing May 20-July 12, Monday-Friday.

TigerSharks is designed to be a developmental progression for competitive swimmers ages 4–18. There are five meets, plus the championship meet on July 13.

Swim team practice times are May 20–31, Monday through Friday:

3:15–4 p.m., Rookie: Must be able to swim at least 15 feet on their own, face and back. This class is for beginning swimmers, not a learn-to-swim class. Ages 4–7.

4–5 p.m., Silver: Can swim a length of the pool easily. Teaching will focus on learning butterfly and breaststroke and conditioning to increase strength. Primary ages 5–10.

5–6:15 p.m., Gold: Focus will be on training and further stroke development. Primary ages 7–18.

June 3-July 12 practice times, Monday through Friday:

8–9 a.m., 10 and under.

9–10:30 a.m., 11 and over.

Evening practice will be offered Monday through Friday from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. for swimmers capable of continuously swimming three strokes one length each (25 meters).

Swimmers must compete in two swim meets to be eligible for the Race League Championship.

Parents are expected to volunteer for at least two of the swim meets, plus the championship meet.

For more information contact Coach Max Obermiller at 598-1546 or by email, <mobermil@sewanee.edu>.

Cowan Railroad Museum 5k Run/Walk

The Cowan Railroad Museum is sponsoring a Cowan Railroad Days Third Annual 5K Run/Walk on June 1, which will begin and end at the Cowan Railroad Museum. Registration for the event begins at 6:30 a.m. The Run/Walk begins at 7:30 a.m. The preregistration cost is \$20, with a May 25 deadline. Registration after that date is \$25. All proceeds benefit the Cowan Railroad Museum. For more information, contact Ricky or Dena Gillespie at (931) 308-6062. Regis tration forms are available at <www. cowanrailroadmuseum.org>.



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Summer Sports Camps

the following summer sports camps. information/summercamps/index>. For more information or to register, go to http://www.sasweb.org/ summer/index.aspx>.

Basketball Camp

May 28–May 31, Basketball Day Camp for rising first—eighth-graders.

Basketball camp is for boys and girls. The philosophy of the camp is to build a solid foundation of the fundamentals of basketball for each player, along with an emphasis on teamwork. The players work on fundamentals in stations each day, participate in dribbling and shooting contests, and play full court games.

The camp is directed by SAS varsity coach Rob Zeitler and will meet from 9 a.m. to noon daily.

Soccer Camp

June 3–7, Soccer Camp for rising third-eighth-graders. Cost is \$195.

Junior (rising third—fifth-graders) and Youth (rising sixth-eighthgraders). Soccer Camp offers players instruction and drills to promote better ball handling skills and game

Junior and Youth Camp both meet from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. and will include opportunities to swim at the DuBose Conference Center pool in ordered for an additional \$25.

Outdoor Adventure Day Camp

June 17–21, Outdoor Adventure Day Camp and an overnight opportunity for rising fourth-seventhgraders. Session I costs \$275.

June 24–28, Outdoor Adventure Day Camp and an overnight opportunity for rising fourth-seventhgraders. Session II costs \$275

Campers will explore the local ecology while participating in adventure activities such as hiking, climbing, camping, and fishing. The week will culminate in an overnight camping trip in one of the area's state

The University of the South has announced the upcoming summer sports camps.

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Basketball Shooting & Skills Camp

This camp is designed for all skill levels and will be open for participants ages 5–18. The camp will be held June 3–7. Little Tigers, ages 5–7, paricipate from 9 a.m. to noon each day. This is a great age to be introduced to the game of basketball, with fun games and competitions, as well as basic instruction. Small goals and balls will be provided for the Little Tigers. (No lunch provided). Cost is \$125.

Day Camperforages 8–18 meets 9 a.m.–3 p.m., Monday through Thursday, and 9 a.m.–noon on Friday. Day Campers will learn the fundamentals of the game of basketball, compete in individual and team competitions and play in daily 5-on-5 and 3-on-3 games. Campers will have opportunities to swim daily in the Fowler Center pool. (Parental permission required).

Soccer Day Camp

The first soccer camp is available June 10-14 for boys and girls ages 5-11. The half-day option (9-11:30 a.m.) is designed for ages 5-8 and costs \$100. The morning will include games geared toward learning the fundamentals of soccer while having the afternoons. Soccer balls may be fun and working closely with coaches.

The full-day camp (9 a.m.–3:30 p.m.) is recommended for ages 9–13 and costs \$225. Campers will have plenty of opportunities for learning and playing, while focusing on enjoying soccer. Full-day campers will have lunch at McClurg Dining Hall and afternoon pool time at the Fowler Center.

The second session will be June



Valedictorian and senior tennis player Jenny Liles, here with Salutatorian Jamás Kubik, before Commencement on Sunday. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

24–28 for boys and girls ages 5–13. Both half-day and full-day camp options are available.

For more information contact David Poggi, 598-1582 or <depoggi@ sewanee. edu>.

All-Sports Camp

Sewanee All-Sports Camp will be held July 1-5 (there will not be camp on July 4) from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Fowler Center. This day camp is open to boys and girls entering first through sixth grades. Activities will include basketball, soccer, wiffle ball, battle ball, floor hockey, kickball and recreational swimming in the Fowler Center pool.

Registration must be completed by June 2. Registration forms are available at the Fowler Center front desk and online.

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by John Shackelford



How do you tell a story when there are so many moving parts? When there is not one climax but more ups and downs than my recent diets? When there are a host of heroes and plenty of villains? When the ending is simply a new beginning? When losing is a time to discover what victory really is

Nine Sewanee women sat exhausted on the Emory tennis courts in the fading light Sunday afternoon. Conchie and I asked them to take a deep breath and soak in the moment and relish what they had just been through over the previous 36 hours, and then on second thought, maybe consider what they had endured over the entire preceding week. They needed to take a breath and realize that a better, stronger, more talented Emory team had just beaten them in the third round of the NCAA championships. There was victory in that moment. Victory of balance. Victory of perseverance. Victory of spirit.

Let's back up to Friday at 1 p.m. Conchie left campus in a van headed for Atlanta with only half of the women's tennis team aboard for the most important tournament of the season, the national championship. With our blessing, her seniors remained behind to enjoy graduation events with friends and family on this special campus. The following morning our team was scheduled to compete against rival Washington and Lee University, which was ranked 16th nationally. We had barely edged them out three weeks earlier on these same courts in a six-hour marathon by a 5-4 score. Around midnight Eastern Time, the Sewanee seniors and I arrive at the hotel. Wake-up calls

As the match begins, Sewanee's seven days of intense doubles practice throughout exam week begins to pay off as the team improbably sweeps the W&L team for a 3-0 lead. As we begin singles play, 3-0 quickly turns into 3-1, 3-2, 3-3, 3-4, as our singles players were overmatched by a very talented and hungry team determined for revenge. Freshman Annie Veron breaks through with a straight sets win to tie the score at 4-4. Only one match remains on the court and it is fellow freshman Lindsey Liles. In a tiebreaker, it is the first player to reach seven points and you must win by at least two. When you reach that moment, no matter how much preparation you have given to your craft, your elbow becomes a concrete-filled appendage incapable of fluid movement. Hitting a serve that is routine in practice becomes a Herculean chore. Lindsey succumbed to her own humanity and double-faulted not once, but four times, with the match on the line. Despite those setbacks she fought brilliantly to an 8-7 advantage. Needing to serve out the match I suggested an underhand serve circa Michael Chang in the 1989 French Open. There was much debate about the tactic in the quick seconds that followed. Lindsey missed her first overhand serve, and only one final opportunity remained. Conchie looked her player, who was still unsure of what to do, directly in the eye and instructed, "Do it!" The serve found its target and three shots later, the Tigers were mobbing Lindsey at midcourt and headed to Sunday's final.

Let's back up again to Thursday evening. Dean Larry Jones sends an email to senior and number two player Jenny Liles. "Jenny, can we meet tomorrow morning?" When you have a 4.2 GPA and the Dean calls with 72 hours to go before graduation exercises commence, you have a feeling that this might be good news. Larry graciously agrees to share his announcement with Jenny an hour later so that she can add a valedictory address to her schedule of activities for Sunday. One problem. Sewanee's graduation and the third round match are both Sunday morning and 180 miles apart. Emory agrees to hold the final until 3:30 if we win. IF??

Wyatt Prunty advises me to call Rebecca Gibson and book a charter flight to Atlanta that will take only 45 minutes. I have no budget left to pay for the flight, but forgiveness is easier than permission, right? Let's go. Rebecca is game, and the plane is gassed up and ready to go from Sewanee International.

Back to Saturday and the mob at midcourt. The seniors quickly change into sundresses and head back up I-75 for Sewanee. They are hosting a party at the Assembly in four hours. The party breaks up around 10 p.m., and Jenny needs to write a speech. In typical fashion of a perfectionist, she shows up at the chapel Sunday morning ready to practice. The five players back in Sewanee load their gear into my minivan, and I head back down I-75 with rackets, but no players. Conchie takes her two athletes out to the Emory courts to warm up. Emory has 10 girls out on the court crushing the ball and looking for blood.

Jenny is back in Sewanee reminding her classmates that wherever they land, wherever they live, wherever they love, they will never be alone. They are Sewanee, and they are family. Three hundred and thirty one diplomas later and a brief lesson in history from McCardell, the girls are out the chapel door and into Jenny's father's suburban. With a police escort cutting through downtown traffic, the entourage heads to the awaiting plane. Susan Askew, Parker Oliver and Robert Black ensure that the team enjoys every moment and gets off safely. Conchie glances at her watch in Atlanta and wonders if she will have enough players for the pre-match introductions.

These remarkable five women spill out of the plane like a host of clowns exiting a tiny Volkswagen. Moments later they are changing in the van and realizing Jenny remembered her speech but not her shoes, and Julia Wood remembered her uniform but not her underwear. After a warm-up that was about 55 minutes too short, the girls gave their all in one final effort together.

Robert Black gives me a call to be sure everyone arrived safely. "They are thankfully all here, but it would be great if you could help me raise funds for this flight before I get fired for giving it the okay." Robert sends a touching email to the 1990 Hall of Fame women's tennis team, of whom his lovely wife, Kelly, was a member. Within minutes the former greats are fully funding the current player's trip through the air.

We lost the match. Somehow, I think we all won.



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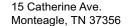
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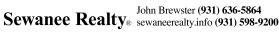
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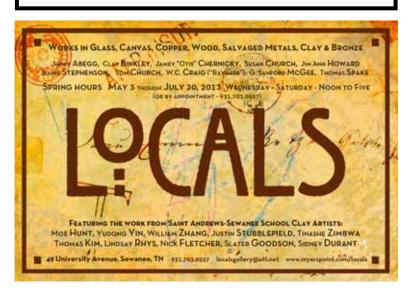
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Friday, May 24

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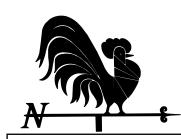
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1517 LAUREL LAKE DR. 4.98 acres. 3BR, 2BA, 2 Half BA, 3104 SF. Amazing views, privacy. MLS#1387679.



dio, workshop, stables, paved drive. 5.19 acres. MLS#1434903. \$184,000. 4BR, 2BA, 2 Half BA, 3808 SF. Fenced pet yard. MLS#1416878. \$679,000.



garage. MLS#1424610. \$119,900.



BLUE BIRD HILL. 1610 Clifftops Ave. Wynn Rd., Sewanee. 7.87 acres. Log 3BR, 2BA, 1700 SF. Stone fireplace, remodeled kitchen. MLS#1364293. \$429,000.



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2063 LAUREL LAKE DR. 2+ Acres. 469 SUMMIT TRAIL, DECHERD. Winter Detached workshop, extra garage. view of valley. 1.63 Acres. 3BR, 2BA, Log siding, wood details, wide 1200 SF. Seasonal stream, oversized decks to view. 2BR, 2.5BA, 2134 SF. MLS#1389769, \$449,500.

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Community Calendar

Today, May 17

Curbside recycling before 7:30 am

St. Andrew's-Sewanee School graduation weekend 8:30 am Yin and Yang Yoga with Carolyn, Comm Ctr

9:00 am CAC office open, until 11 am

10:00 am Game day, Senior Center

5:30 pm SAS Baccalaureate service, SAS outdoor altar 6:30 pm SAS Senior Banquet, Robinson Dining Hall followed by Lead Out and Annies

Saturday, May 18

9:00 am Pickleball practice, Fowler Center 9:00 am Tracy City Farmers' Market open, until noon 10:00 am SAS Honors Day ceremony, outdoor altar

10:00 am UDC meeting, Franklin-Pearson House 11:45 am Senior Center potluck lunch, Bazzania!

Sunday, May 19

10:00 am SAS Commencement Exercises, outdoor altar 4:00 pm Bible study, Otey Parish

4:00 pm Lecture, "The Mountain Goat: A Short Line Railroad," Jervis, Cowan Center for Arts

4:00 pm Yoga with Helen, Community Center 5:00 pm Women's Bible study, Midway Baptist 6:00 pm FCHS Baccalaureate service, FCHS gym

Monday, May 20

Messenger Office closed through May 27

9:00 am CAC office open, until 3 pm 9:00 am Pickleball practice, Fowler Center

10:30 am Chair exercise, Senior Center

3:15 pm TigerShark swim team registration, Fowler Center 4:30 pm Slow Flow & Yin Yoga with Sarah, Fowler Center

6:00 pm Power Yoga with Sarah, Fowler Center

7:00 pm Centering prayer support group, Otey sanctuary

7:00 pm Community Council, Senior Center

Tuesday, May 21

6:30 am Flow & Go Yoga with Sarah, Fowler Center 8:30 am Yin Yoga with Carolyn, Community Center

9:00 am CAC office open, until 11 am

9:30 am Blood pressure checks, Sewanee Senior Center 10:00 am Crafting Ladies, Morton Memorial, Monteagle

10:30 am Bingo, Sewanee Senior Center

11:30 am Grundy Co. Rotary, Dutch Maid, Tracy City

3:30 pm Centering Prayer, St. Mary's Sewanee 5:00 pm Sewanee Utility Board meeting, utility office

Wednesday, May 22

7:00 am Monteagle-Sewanee Rotary Club, Smoke House

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

10:00 am Writers' group, Kelley residence, 212 Sherwood Rd.

5:30 pm Yoga with Helen, Community Center

6:00 pm Bible study, Midway Baptist Church

Thursday, May 23

9:00 am CAC office open, until 11 am

9:00 am Pickleball practice, Fowler Center

10:30 am Chair exercise, Senior Center

10:30 am Tai Chi with Kathleen, (advanced), Comm Ctr

11:30 am Garden Club Plant Auction and potluck luncheon,

171 Firetower Rd., (Wilson home)

12:00 pm Monteagle-Sewanee Rotary, Blue Chair Tavern 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

5:00 pm Weight Watchers, Otey; weigh-in 4:30 6:00 pm Karate, youth, American Legion Hall

6:30 pm Acoustic jam, Miss Gracie's Restaurant, Cowan 7:00 pm Abuse survivors group, 330 W. Main, Monteagle

7:00 pm Grundy County HS graduation, football field

7:30 pm Karate, adult, American Legion Hall

Friday, May 24

8:30 am Yin and Yang Yoga with Carolyn, Comm Ctr

9:00 am CAC office open, until 11 am

10:00 am Game day, Senior Center

5:00 pm Turtle Art Show reception, Artisan Depot, Cowan 5:30 pm World Healing meditation, Farmer,

Community Center

7:00 pm FCHS Graduation exercises, FCHS gym

Saturday, May 25

Centering Prayer Workshop, St. Mary's Sewanee

First day Gardeners' Market open, Hawkins Lane, 8–10 am

9:00 am Pickleball practice, Fowler Center 9:00 am Tracy City Farmers' Market open, until noon

11:00 am Green-Hawkins Family Reunion, Lake Cheston

Sunday, May 26

4:00 pm Bible study, Otey Parish

4:00 pm Yoga with Helen, Community Center

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

Monday, May 27 · Memorial Day Observed

9:00 am CAC office open, until 3 pm

9:00 am Pickleball practice, Fowler Center 4:30 pm Slow Flow & Yin Yoga with Sarah, Fowler Center

6:00 pm Power Yoga with Sarah, Fowler Center

7:00 pm Centering prayer support group, Otey sanctuary

Tuesday, May 28

Franklin County Summer School registration, middle and high school Messenger Office reopens

6:30 am Flow & Go Yoga with Sarah, Fowler Center

8:30 am Yin Yoga with Carolyn, Community Center

9:00 am CAC office open, until 11 am 9:30 am Blood pressure checks, Sewanee Senior Center

10:00 am Crafting Ladies, Morton Memorial, Monteagle 10:00 am State of Tn Archive Civil War document event,

University Archives, 81 Alabama Ave., until 3

10:30 am Bingo, Sewanee Senior Center 11:30 am Grundy Co. Rotary, Dutch Maid, Tracy City

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

Wednesday, May 29

7:00 am Monteagle-Sewanee Rotary Club, Smoke House

9:00 am CAC pantry day, until 11 am; 1–3 pm 10:00 am Writers' group, Kelley residence, 212 Sherwood 5:30 pm Yoga with Helen, Community Center

6:00 pm Bible study, Midway Baptist Ćhurch

Thursday, May 30

9:00 am CAC office open, until 11 am

9:00 am Pickleball practice, Fowler Center

10:30 am Chair exercise, Senior Center

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

12:00 pm Monteagle-Sewanee Rotary, Blue Chair Tavern

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

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

6:00 pm Karate, youth, American Legion Hall 6:30 pm Acoustic jam, Miss Gracie's Restaurant, Cowan

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

7:30 pm Karate, adult, American Legion Hall

Friday, May 31

8:30 am Yin and Yang Yoga with Carolyn, Comm Ctr 9:00 am CAC office open, until 11 am

10:00 am Game day, Senior Center 3:30 pm Modern Dance, 7–11, Community Center 4:30 pm Creative Dance, 5–6, Community Center

See 12-step meetings on page 4.



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