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Shakerag Lecture Wednesday

Natalie Chanin will be the first lecturer in the Shakerag Lecture Series on Wednesday, June 16, at 7:30 p.m. in the James Agee Memorial Library in Simmonds Hall at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School.

Each week the Shakerag Lecture Series will sponsor a presentation by a special visiting artist. These public Wednesday evening lectures are followed by a reception in the St. Andrew's-Sewanee Gallery honoring the Shakerag lecturer and the Shakerag faculty artists.

Chanin is the owner and designer of the lifestyle company Alabama Chanin which produces limited edition products for the individual and the home, made by talented artisans who live and work in communities in and around Florence, Ala. Chanin's

company is "dedicated to producing quality products that become a part of daily life in this generation and beyond." Chanin is the author of two books, "The Alabama Stitch Book" and "The Alabama Style Book." She also directed the film, "Stitch," describing it as "a 22-minute documentary that has been called a road movie through rural America where the old-fashioned quilting circle represents the road we travel."

Prior to the lecture, a "Locally Grown Feast" will be offered in the SAS Dining Hall at 6 p.m. The fee is \$23, and reservations are required. Call director Claire Reishman at (931) 968-0210, ext. 3165.

For more information about Shakerag Workshops please visit <www.shakerag.org>.

F.C. School Bd Meeting Tonight

The Franklin County School Board regular session will meet Thursday, June 10, at 6:30 p.m. in the Board of Education office, 215 S. College St., Winchester. The meeting is open to the public. Steve Ford is Sewanee's representative on the board.

Greens Celebrate 50th Wedding Anniversary

There will be a 50th wedding anniversary party for Pete and Violet Green on Saturday, June 12, at 2 p.m. in the American Legion Hall in Sewanee. The celebration is hosted by their children.



MSSA Open House Saturday

The Montagle Sunday School Assembly (MSSA) will host an open house and tour this Saturday, June 12, 2-4 p.m., and the public is invited. The Assembly's eight-week season of events and services begins on Sunday, June 13.

Volunteers will lead informal tours of the chapel, auditorium and dining hall, the buildings where summer events are held. Guests will receive a schedule of events, and refreshments will be served.

The MSSA was established in 1882 "as a Chautauqua, a center for cultural, religious and educational activities," said Virginia Uden, president of the Assembly. Each summer season features speakers, lecturers, musical performances, films and religious services. "It is part of our mission to share these wonderful activities with the community we call home," said Uden, "and we want everyone to feel welcome at all the events open to the public."

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Lease Committee Meets Wednesday

The next meeting of the Lease Committee is scheduled for Wednesday, June 16.

Novelist Cassella to Read June 16

The Sewanee School of Letters will inaugurate its series of lectures and readings this summer with an appearance by novelist Carol Cassella, author of best-selling "Oxygen" and a forthcoming book, "Healer." The reading, free and open to the public, will be at 4:30 p.m. in Gailor Auditorium on Wednesday, June 16.

A graduate of Duke University and the Baylor College of Medicine, Cassella, like the protagonist of her first novel, practices anesthesiology in Seattle. When "Oxygen" was published in 2008, reviewers hailed it as "the work of a writer in full command of her craft" and "a haunting debut novel, a story of tragedy and redemption, intricately plotted and told in a compelling voice."

"Healer," her second novel about the world of medicine, will be published in September. Cassella lives on Bainbridge Island, Washington, with her husband and their two sets of twins. She also writes about global public health issues for the developing world.



Carol Cassella

Future School of Letters (SOL) events will include appearances by screenwriter David Hudgins, Faulkner scholar Phillip Weinstein and SOL faculty members Chris Bachelder, Holly Goddard Jones, Andrew Hudgins and Sam Pickering. Watch the Messenger for details.

Smith Appointed Trust Member by President Obama

President Barack Obama announced his appointment of Ken Smith to serve as a member of the Valles Caldera Trust, a nine-person board that oversees the activities of the Valles Caldera National Preserve in New Mexico.

Smith said, "It is an honor to be appointed by President Obama, and I look forward to sharing my experiences on the trust with my students and colleagues at Sewanee."

Smith, University associate professor of forestry and geology, will serve on the board with the supervisors of the Santa Fe National Forest and Bandler National Monument and six other experts. Smith was nominated for the position by Senator Jeff Bingaman, chair of the U.S. Senate Energy and Natural Resource Committee, and by Senator Tom Udall.

The Valles Caldera National Preserve was created in 2000 after Congress passed the Valles Caldera Preservation Act. The act authorized the federal government to acquire and preserve the 90,000-acre Baca Ranch, as it holds most of the Valles Caldera, a volcanic bowl in northern New Mexico.

"The Valles Caldera acquisition has been an interesting experiment in land management because the original intent was to manage the preserve to be economically self-

sufficient," Smith said. "Due to a lack of infrastructure and other issues, the preserve has struggled with the self-sufficiency model. The board will soon address this issue as well as the possibility of including the Preserve in the National Park or National Forest system."

The statement regarding Smith's appointment can be found at <www.whitehouse.gov/the-press-office/president-obama-announces-more-key-administration-posts-52510>.

CAC Grocery Packing June 15

The Community Action Committee of Otey Memorial Parish will sort and pack groceries to be given away to local families on Tuesday, June 15, at 3 p.m. All are welcome to assist.

For more information call Laura Willis at 598-5927 or e-mail <cac_oteyparish@bellsouth.net>.

Council Meets June 28

The next meeting of the Sewanee Community Council is scheduled for 7 p.m., Monday, June 28, in the Sewanee Senior Citizens' Center. All Community Council meetings are open to the public.

SUD Board Approves Budget Requests

The Board of Commissioners of the Sewanee Utility District (SUD) of Franklin and Marion Counties held its regular monthly business meeting on May 25, starting at 5 p.m., in the SUD office building on Sherwood Road.

SUD Manager Ben Beavers reported that compared with the same period last year, revenues are up by 4 percent, and expenses are down by 12 percent. Beavers asked the board to approve three budgeted expense requests.

The 2010 budget includes \$50,000 for investigating water recycling, Beavers noted, with \$15,000 of that amount designated for research by the University. Under the supervision of Deborah McGrath, biology professor, and Ken Smith, forestry professor and a SUD commissioner, students are investigating the effects of applying treated wastewater to the landscape and are measuring the concentration of pharmaceuticals in SUD's treated wastewater. Beavers said that the majority of the expense for the student project (\$9,500) is for chemical analysis. The board approved the \$15,000 request for the student research project.

According to Beavers, the remainder of the water recycling budget is earmarked for research by Dennis George, environmental engineer and director of the Tennessee Tech Water Resources Center. George recently presented SUD with a proposal for constructing artificial wetlands. The project would explore applying SUD's

treated wastewater to the wetlands. Under a scenario for reuse, water from the wetlands could be used to recharge SUD's lakes.

The cost of George's proposed project exceeds the budgeted amount by \$37,000. Beavers expressed concerns that the proposal only explores one water-recycling option (another is drip irrigation) and that the project would not provide firm data on the cost of implementing a water recycling program. Beavers, nonetheless, urged board members to read George's proposal, saying it provides an excellent analysis of the benefits of water reuse. For example, Beavers explained, filtration through wetlands can remove significant levels of phosphorous and other contaminants. SUD President Doug Cameron noted that SUD's investigation into water recycling is trendsetting as no Tennessee water utilities are employing a reuse system. Cameron stressed the need to research the financial and environmental costs of water reuse; for example, to determine how continual reuse impacts the concentration of pharmaceuticals in the water supply.

Beavers asked the board to authorize contracting with LTS Construction of Winchester to perform sewer line, manhole, and lateral repairs that cannot be done by SUD employees. Of the three companies bidding on the contract, LTS was the lowest bidder in three of four categories and the

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SSMF Announces New Season Concerts, Sewanee Sundays Package

The 54th annual Sewanee Summer Music Festival (SSMF) begins Sunday, June 20, and the season extends through July 18. This year's festival brings four exciting guest conductors from across the U.S. and 150 of America's most gifted young musicians, as well as guest artist Mark O'Connor in a very special benefit performance.

"Sewanee Sundays" make their debut this year on all five Sundays of the Festival, June 20-July 18. The Sewanee Sundays package of events includes a gourmet picnic lunch on the lawn, an exclusive pre-concert Conductor Conversation, and the afternoon concerts. Reservations are required for this package, and tickets

for the entire afternoon of activities are \$25.

Opening the season on June 20 will be Benjamin Rous, conducting Stravinsky's delightful Pulcinella Suite and the Saint-Saëns Cello Concerto, featuring veteran SSMF artist Paul York. The performance is at 2:30 p.m. in Guerry Hall.

The festival continues with a very special benefit performance by Mark O'Connor, on Friday, July 9, in Guerry Hall. O'Connor, America's foremost multi-genre violinist and composer, will be leading a three-day workshop for SSMF students. The concert will benefit the festival scholarship fund. Tickets are \$25.

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Letters

THANK YOU FOR TORNADO CLEAN UP To the Editor:

I would like to offer a big thank you to anyone who helped in any way in the cleanup of my Echo Lane home and property from the awful tornado in Midway. Thanks to the ones who helped with all the tree removal, food, cards, prayers and all acts of kindness and phone calls.

May God bless each act of kindness.

Doris Gilliam and family
Sewanee ■

DRINKING AND CARRYING CONCEALED WEAPONS To the Editor:

I was in Memphis recently. The paper reported that a man had been arrested on Beale Street in the afternoon when he got on his motorcycle, hit another motorcycle as he tried to pull out, and was stopped by the police. He admitted that he had drunk six—maybe eight—beers. He was carrying a concealed weapon, for which he had a permit. Sure, no one is going to carry and drink. How naive.

Tommy Hewitt
Sewanee ■

Re: SEWANEE RESIDENTS WITHDRAW SUPPORT OF REP. FRALEY OVER GUN BILL To the Editor:

I had to chuckle on several levels regarding this letter (May 13 issue of The MESSENGER—Letter to the Editor). I'd like to counter their comments with a fact and some good old boy common sense. First, I need to remind them that there is an election between now and 2012. If not Mr. Fraley in November 2010, they are stuck with David Alexander (R), a lifetime member of the National Rifle Association. Secondly, in the real world this cliché applies: "When guns are outlawed, only outlaws will have guns" (see <<http://tinyurl.com/Outlaws4GunControl>>). Nothing keeps a deranged killer from bursting into any restaurant with guns blazing now (see <<http://tinyurl.com/4N0gun>>). Frankly, I feel much safer knowing that carnage like this might be minimized if someone were packing heat.

Davis Mauldin
Sewanee ■

GUN OWNER ADVOCATE To the Editor:

I found the letter in the May 13 edition concerning the pro-life and pro-gun movements to be offensive and intolerant. Additionally, I feel the term "pro-gun" is not politically correct. I prefer to be referred to as a responsible gun owner.

I own guns for several reasons. I believe I have a responsibility to protect my family and home. I guess that makes me "pro-family life." I also like to target practice for recreation. For me, it is less expensive than golf. I also believe responsible hunting is far more humane than what happens to chickens, pigs and cows in slaughterhouses.

If the writer of the letter I am referring to detests guns and gun owners, he should stay away from them. I personally do not care to associate with people on the extreme left or extreme right, so I do not. I do not, however, make ridiculous blanket statements about them just because I feel morally superior.

James E. Rollins III
Sewanee ■

READER RESPONDS ON GUN ISSUE To the Editor:

I'm writing in response to William Kershner's letter in the May 20th issue of the Messenger in support of permit holders being able to bring their guns into bars. I would agree with him if all gun owners were as responsible and conscientious as Mr. Kershner. That's the problem with libertarianism—it works great as long as everyone else is just like the libertarian.

If all gun carriers who went into bars with guns didn't drink a drop and were just there to be the designated driver and perform vigilante justice, it would work fine. But, all licensed gun owners are not such upstanding citizens: Major Hasan was also a permit holder. Having a permit isn't much of a distinction, anyway. People with driver's licenses aren't all good drivers, especially after drinking.

Mr. Kershner mentioned feeling safer in places where he knew a few "good guys" might be armed. I feel perfectly safe in schools, churches, the bank, the grocery store, the gym and places where I'm sure no one is armed. With all due respect, if you are going to start avoiding gun-free restaurants, should you start avoiding these places too?

Legislators should use their precious time in office to address REAL problems. This bill did not arise in

response to a genuine problem in the community. It was introduced to push the limits. It is a waste of time and taxpayer money to be debating this rhetorical, symbolic issue. Any politician supporting this bill is doing so in a craven attempt to get an A+ rating from the NRA and would probably vote for allowing guns in kindergartens if it meant keeping that A+ rating. Politicians should have the guts to stand up for common sense.

Guns do have their place in many situations, but drunks and guns don't mix. If you believe that kindergarten is not a good place for guns, then you have admitted that there are certain situations where guns just aren't appropriate—in the volatile environment of alcohol is one of them, in my opinion.

Helen F. Stapleton
Sewanee ■

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR:

Mail your letter to The Sewanee Mountain MESSENGER, P.O. Box 296, Sewanee TN 37375, or come by our office, 418 St. Mary's Ln., or send your e-mail to <news_messgr@bellsouth.net>. Please include your name, address and daytime telephone number. Preference is given to letters under 250 words. Unsigned letters will not be used. Letters are edited for space and clarity.

Thurmond Library's Summer of Forgiveness

Did you clear off your desk to find a library book had been hiding there for months? Have you found foreign books around the house that may belong to Thurmond Memorial Library? If so, you are one of many. Scores of books have been checked out of the library and have never been returned. Library volunteers want to make the best use of available resources and developed a plan to collect stray books.


All summer until September 1, Thurmond Memorial Library is offering guilt-free returns on overdue books. There will be no fines charged and no questions asked. Books may be returned during the regular morning hours, Monday–Friday, 9:30–11:30 a.m. or dropped through the slot in the door. Donations of money or books in saleable condition are always welcome.

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Summer hours at the University of the South Book and Supply Store are Monday–Wednesday, 7:30 a.m.–6 p.m.; Thursday and Friday, 7:30 a.m.–7 p.m.; Saturday, 9:30 a.m.–7 p.m.; and Sunday, noon–6 p.m.

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Serving Where Called

Six years ago this column began to support the large number of reservists and National Guard members called up for active duty to serve in the war in Iraq. About 120,000 troops remain in Iraq to support and train their military and assist with counterterrorism.

On Dec. 1, President Barack Obama announced he is sending 30,000 additional troops to Afghanistan to focus on reversing the Taliban's momentum. They will join the 68,000 troops currently deployed in this volatile area.

This is a reminder that someone else is standing guard and facing fire for us. Please keep the following individuals, their families and all those who fight for freedom in your prayers:

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

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MSSA Open House from page 1

Those interested in attending the open house are asked to go to the MSSA front gates located behind Gooch-Beasley Realtors' office any time between 2 and 4 p.m. Guests will be directed to the mall, the central area of the Assembly, where tours will begin.

Program highlights this summer include performances by the Sewanee Summer Music Festival, a live animal demonstration, Bible studies and old-fashioned hymn sings. Guests are welcome to attend any of the chapel services on Sunday mornings at 11 a.m. and Twilight Prayers, held Monday through Thursday at 7:30 p.m.

Those who cannot make it to the open house may pick up the Assembly's schedule of events at the front gate or office. A special edition of the newsletter describing this summer's MSSA activities is available in area businesses.

More information on the MSSA can be found at <www.monteagle.sundayschoolassembly.org>.

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Calling All Gardeners

Any and all persons interested in gardening or receiving gardening assistance are invited to participate in projects beginning this summer through the University Outreach Office. Community individuals, groups, families and children are welcome.

Volunteers will be building raised garden beds at the Sewanee Senior Center, located at 5 Ball Park Rd., on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10:30 a.m. to 12 p.m. Gardeners can participate in the Sewanee students' organic garden, located off of Breakfield Rd., on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays from 5 p.m. to sunset. Volunteers will care for the square-foot gardens at Monteagle Elementary School on Wednesday afternoons during the summer. Volunteers are invited to help with raised bed gardening at the Bridge nursing facility in Monteagle on Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m. Gardening assistance is available through community organizations to anyone who wants help.

On Saturday, June 12, Outreach Office volunteers will travel to Huntsville to work in the CASA garden. The Care Assurance System for the Aging and Homebound (CASA) of Madison County is a nonprofit agency that provides services to residents of Madison County. CASA volunteers deliver all of the produce from their garden to seniors' homes. A van will leave from the front of the Bishop's Common at 7 a.m. and return to campus by 3 p.m. Volunteers should pack a lunch to eat in Huntsville.

Persons interested in any of these projects are asked to call the University Outreach Office at 598-3201 or e-mail Deanna at <wolfodl0@sewanee.edu>.

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Round Up to Support Project Help

Sewanee Utility District (SUD) recently updated its billing system to allow customers to round up their bill to the nearest dollar, donating the additional amount added to their bill to Project Help.

SUD's Project Help makes donations to the Community Action Committee in Sewanee. Project Help funds are designated to pay the water and sewer bills of low-income customers. Some SUD customers already make a monthly Project Help donation by requesting that a set dollar amount, earmarked as a Project Help contribution, be added to their bill each month. In addition, SUD makes an annual \$3,000 contribution from the utility's general fund.

The new round-up program provides customers with an easy way to make a small monthly contribu-

tion to Project Help. For participating customers whose bills will be rounded up to the nearest dollar, the maximum monthly donation will be 99 cents. "A customer's annual round-up contribution would be less than \$12," explains SUD Manager Ben Beavers, "but if all of SUD's 1,200 customers signed up for the program, that could amount to nearly \$14,000 in Project Help funds each year." Beavers thanked SUD customers already making monthly Project Help donations. "Generosity is especially appreciated in these tough economic times," he said.

To sign up for a round-up or other fixed monthly donation to Project Help, contact the SUD office at 598-5611 or visit the SUD website at <www.sewaneeutility.org>.

—Reported by Leslie Lytle

Free Fishing Rodeo at Grundy Lakes Saturday

On Saturday, June 12, Myer's Hill First Congregational Methodist Church, South Cumberland State Park, and TWRA will host a Free Fishing Day Fishing Rodeo from 7 to 10 a.m. (rain or shine) at Grundy Lakes in Tracy City. Fishing is free on this day for people of all ages.

One of the lakes will be stocked with catfish courtesy of TWRA. To receive a free ticket to qualify for door prizes, participants must sign in at the beach parking lot area between 7 and 10 a.m. Prizes will be given at

10 a.m. after the fishing is over. Ticket holders must be present to receive their prizes! Free hot dogs, chips and soft drinks will be served while the door prizes are given. No prizes will be awarded for the biggest fish, the most fish, etc. Only door prizes will be presented.

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Church News

Midway Church of Christ Services

Keith Hamilton, minister of Midway Church of Christ, will be preaching two lessons this Sunday, June 13. The 11 a.m. sermon is titled "The Meaning of Life." At 6 p.m. Hamilton will preach "The Return of the Lord."

The 10 a.m. Bible Study is a continuation of a study on "The Life of Christ."

Visitors are welcome. The Midway Church of Christ is located on Otter Falls Rd., Sewanee.

Sunday at Otey Parish

This week at Otey Parish, the third Sunday after Pentecost will be celebrated with the Holy Eucharist, Rite II at 8:50 and 11 a.m. The lectionary class will meet in Brooks Hall parlor at 10:00 a.m. to study forgiveness using the Gospel lesson, Luke 7:36-8:3, when Jesus anoints a woman's feet at Simon the Pharisee's home. Nursery care is available from 8:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. Coffee hour follows the second service.

Looking ahead to Vacation Bible School July 19-23: parents and children are encouraged to attend.

Questions? Call Robin Reed-Spaulding at 636-0010.

SUD Board Approves Budget Requests *from page 1*

only bidder not requiring a minimum mobilization cost for each job. LTS has held the sewer repair contract for the past three years, Beavers said, and he is pleased with the company's work. The board approved the recommendation.

Beavers presented a third request for allocation of funds to pave the SUD office's parking lot. Tinsley Asphalt gave the lower of two bids at \$15,200. Of four contractors Beavers contacted, only two responded with bids. The bids do not include the cost of curbing. The board approved awarding the contract to Tinsley and asked that SUD engage Tinsley to install curbing, with the total cost not to exceed \$20,000, the project's budgeted amount.

Beavers announced that construction at the new water plant is proceeding on schedule. Community resident Clayton Rogers expressed concerns about the visual impact of the new water plant, a circumstance exacerbated by recent clearing of vegetation by Duck River Electric Membership Corporation. The new water plant is directly behind Rogers' home. Rogers recently met with Beavers, University Domain Manager Nate Wilson and Rogers' neighbor Iska Hoole. Hoole indicated that plantings on the periphery of the site would satisfy her concerns about the visual impact of the new plant. In order to minimize the visual impact for Rogers, however, off-site plantings on University land would be necessary.

Rogers asked whether the SUD landscaping budget for the project could be used for off-site plantings. Wilson said the University had no objection to off-site plantings and recommended White Pine; or, for lower cover, American Holly; or an arbor trellis. Rogers said he would be willing to perform any necessary maintenance and to request that Duck River not spray the plantings. Beavers had no objection to using some of the landscaping budget for off-site plantings, provided it was made clear that SUD would not be liable for maintenance or for future landscaping requests should Rogers' property change hands. Beavers will present a landscaping proposal to the board for approval once the final site grading is done.

Beavers updated board members on his investigation into the legality

of SUD's abandoning 1) its easement for a pump station site that is no longer used by SUD and 2) its easement for the old water plant site after SUD has transitioned to the new water plant. On the recommendation of the SUD attorney, Beavers notified the University of SUD's intention to abandon the two easements and is waiting for a reply.

The Sewanee Fire Department has expressed an interest in using the old water plant for training exercises. The building would be filled with smoke, and trainees would locate and rescue mannequins inside the structure. Cameron noted that current regulations prohibit fire departments from burning buildings as part of training exercises.

Reporting on repair of the leak in the Lake Jackson dam, Beavers said that filling the bore holes with concrete was unsuccessful; he plans to try filling the holes with grout.

Beavers presented the board with a letter from the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC) requiring minor wording changes in the Cross Connection Policy passed by the board at its April 2010 meeting. The board authorized the changes necessary to meet TDEC approval.

Commissioner Smith familiarized the board with a proposal from the Model Forest Policy Program, offering funding to assist communities as they develop forest and water strategies that address the impacts of climate change. Participating communities must provide a half-time staff person and \$10,000 in matching funds. The University has offered to find a VISTA volunteer for the half-time position if SUD would provide the \$10,000 in matching funds. Beavers pointed out that the scope of the project addresses areas already investigated by SUD. Cameron suggested that Monteagle might benefit from the project, geared toward rural and under-served communities, especially as Monteagle has the smallest and most vulnerable water supply on the Plateau. Wilson, a Monteagle resident, will discuss the project with city officials.

The next meeting of the SUD board of commissioners is scheduled for 5 p.m., Tuesday, June 22, in the SUD office building on Sherwood Road.

—Reported by Leslie Lytle

David W. Ake

David W. Ake, age 47 of Cowan died on May 24, 2010, in Southern Tennessee Skilled Care in Winchester. He was born Aug. 24, 1962, in Winchester. He operated his own trucking business. He was the son of Laura Jean Garner Ake of Cowan and the late Johnny Clinton Ake.

He is survived by a brother, Darrell (Kathy) Ake of Atlanta, Ga.; sister, Donna (Hayes) Austin of Cowan; three nieces; one nephew; and several aunts and uncles.

Funeral services were held on May 26 in the funeral home chapel with Bro. Dan Jones officiating. Interment followed in Cowan Montgomery Cemetery. Arrangements were by Moore-Cortner Funeral Home, Winchester.

Thomas Ogden Bigger

Thomas Ogden Bigger, age 87 of Winchester and formerly of Tullahoma, died June 5, 2010. He was preceded in death by his parents, Annabelle Brooks and Lindsay Graves Bigger, of Newport News, Va.; and sons Daniel Joseph Bigger and Shevlin Brooks Bigger.

He is survived by his wife, Glenna Jeanne Ridgway Bigger; son Thomas Ridgway (Janice) Bigger of Hixson, Tenn.; and two grandchildren.

He enlisted in the U.S. Army Air Corps in 1941, was honorably discharged in 1945, and continued to serve in the Air Force in numerous positions and functions until he retired in 1977. He volunteered to serve as a retired Air Force Academy/ROTC admissions officer until 1992.

He graduated in 1948 from St. Louis University. He earned a private pilot's license; CAA certifications for instructing in aircraft and aircraft engines and meteorology, and a mechanic's license in airframes and power plants. His distinguished career in aeronautics continued until 1980.

He was a member of the Tullahoma First United Methodist Church. He served as a troop committee chairman and as secretary of Elk River District Boy Scouts of America. He delivered Meals on Wheels in Tullahoma for more than 15 years and served as chairman of the Coffee County Red Cross blood program.

Memorial services will be held Friday, June 11, at 11 a.m. in the funeral home chapel. Interment follows at Rose Hill Cemetery, Columbia, Tenn. Memorial donations may be made to the Air Force Association, the H.H. Arnold Memorial or the Tullahoma First United Methodist Church. Arrangements were by Moore-Cortner Funeral Home, Winchester.

Christopher Lee Colston

Christopher Lee Colston, age 24 of the Jump-Off community, died June 1, 2010. He was preceded in death by his paternal grandparents, George and Virginia Colston.

He is survived by a son, Chanten Colston of Gruetli-Laager; parents, Chris Colston of Jump-Off and Debbie Colston of Midway; brother, Kyle "Bubba" Colston of Midway; grandparents, Peggy Green of Midway and Joe Green of Cowan; one niece; and several aunts, uncles and cousins.

Funeral services were held on June 4 in the funeral home chapel with Bro. Paul Tittle officiating. Interment followed in Harrison Cemetery, Sewanee. Arrangements were by Cumberland Funeral Home, Monteagle.

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Obituaries

Anthony Wayne Gipson Sr.

Anthony Wayne Gipson Sr., age 61 of Sewanee, died May 23, 2010, in his residence. He was born in Sewanee to the late Erskin Berry Gipson and Hattie Marie Gudger Gipson. He was a 1968 graduate of Franklin County High School and a military veteran of Vietnam. He was a member of a pioneer family of Franklin County and the great-great-grandson of Allen Gipson and Colonel John R. Gudger.

He is survived by a daughter, Jayme Marie (Charles) Gipson Condra of Monteagle; sons, Jason Ray (Christy) Gipson and Anthony Wayne Gipson Jr., both of Cowan; brothers, Berry Eugene Gipson of Decherd and James E. Gipson and Richard D. Gipson, both of Sewanee; five grandchildren; and companion and friend, Tina Stephens of Sewanee.

Graveside services with full military honors were held May 26 at Eastern Star Cemetery in Sewanee with the Rev. James Pappas of Trinity Episcopal Church officiating. Arrangements were by Moore-Cortner Funeral Home, Winchester.

Faye Keller

Faye Keller, age 79 of Alto, died on May 30, 2010, in her home. She was born May 2, 1931, in the Roark's Cove community. She was the daughter of the late William Oscar and Emma Crystal Wintrow Gipson. She was a member of Christ Episcopal Church in Alto, a 50-year member of the Winchester Chapter #196 of the Order of the Eastern Star, and a past member of the Franklin County Democratic Party executive committee. She was preceded in death by her husband, William Lee Keller; daughter Christy Jean Keller; and brother Robert J. Gipson.

She is survived by her sons, Jack Lee Keller of Mt. Juliet and William Clark Keller of Alto; daughter Nita Lynn Hargrove of Alto; brother William D. Gibson of Alto; three grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

Funeral services were held June 3 at Christ Episcopal Church with the Rev. Bill Barton officiating. Interment followed in Mt. Garner Cemetery, Decherd. Arrangements were by Moore-Cortner Funeral Home, Winchester.

Jessica Ashley Layne

Jessica Ashley Layne, age 24 of Tracy City, died June 1, 2010. She was preceded in death by her maternal grandparents, Jeannette and Oscar Oliver.

She is survived by a daughter, Kyla Savannah Colston of the Midway community; parents, Larry Wade and Gail Layne of Lewisburg; brother, Paul Layne of Monteagle; paternal grandparents, Lonnie and Earline Layne of Tracy City; two nieces; and several aunts, uncles and cousins.

Funeral services were held on June 4 in the funeral home chapel with the Rev. Mike Rigsby officiating. Interment followed in Summerfield Cemetery. Arrangements were by Cumberland Funeral Home, Monteagle.

Edna Marie Seagroves

Edna Marie Seagroves, age 67 of Coalmont, died May 26, 2010, in her home. She was preceded in death by her son, Yogi Seagroves; sisters Fannie Mae, Roby Lee and Elsie; and companion, David Sanders.

She is survived by a daughter, Bobbie Jean "Digger" Seagroves; brothers, Stanley, Franklin "Gabe," Alvin and Curtis; sister Patsy Kilgore; three grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held on May

29 in the funeral home chapel with the Rev. Mike Rigsby and the Rev. Bobby Winton officiating. Interment followed in Coalmont Cemetery. Arrangements were by Cumberland Funeral Home, Monteagle.

Jaxon Tiner

Jaxon Tiner, infant son of Savannah Short and Brandon Tiner of Winchester, died on June 7, 2010, in Erlanger Medical Center. In addition to his parents, he is survived by his maternal grandparents, Anna and Tommy Myers of Cowan and Melissa and Harold Short of Sewanee; paternal grandparents, Debra and Steve Tiner of Winchester; maternal great-grandmother, Joanne Garner of Sewanee; maternal great-grandparents, Mary Ann and Alex Short of Sewanee; maternal great-great-grandmother, Evelyn Privette of St. Louis, Mo.; and paternal great-great-grandmother, Margaret Short of Sewanee. Funeral services were held June 9 in the funeral home chapel. Arrangements were by Moore-Cortner Funeral Home, Winchester.

Willie L. "June" Turner Jr.

Willie L. "June" Turner Jr., age 57 of Sewanee, died May 30, 2010, in Southern Tennessee Medical Center. A native of Franklin County, he lived in Decatur, Ga., and served in the Army Reserve for more than 20 years in Kennesaw, Ga., and returned to Franklin County in 2001. He was a member of the Original Church of God in Belvidere. He was preceded in death by his parents, Dora Irene Gray and Willie L. Turner Sr.

He is survived by his sisters, Flora Hardiman and Rita (Robert) Bean, both of Atlanta, Ga.; Sandra Turner and Gail Johnson, both of Sewanee, and Donna Bright of Charlotte, N.C.; aunts, Jewell Burnette and Mary Lou Hill; eight nieces; and one nephew.

Funeral services were conducted in the funeral home chapel on June 3 with Pastor Lee R. Brannon III officiating. Interment followed at University Cemetery in Sewanee. Arrangements were by Watson-North Funeral Home, Winchester.

Constance "Connie" Meyer Way

Constance "Connie" Meyer Way, age 95 of Sewanee, died on June 2, 2010, at Alexian Village of Tennessee in Signal Mountain. She was born on June 22, 1914, in New Orleans, La.

She is survived by a son, Roger A. Way Jr. of Columbia, S.C.; a daughter, Louise W. Cecil of Birmingham, Ala.; and a sister, Peedee Gamble of New Orleans.

Services will be announced at a later date. Arrangements were by Moore-Cortner Funeral Home, Winchester.

Albert Earl Weaver

Albert Earl Weaver, age 70 of Sewanee, died May 29, 2010, in a Chattanooga hospital. He was a retired mechanic. He was preceded in death by his parents, Liellie Mae and Albert Henry Weaver; brother Thomas Weaver; and sister Pearl Dudley.

He is survived by his children, Sue Rodriguez and Brandon Wallace, both of Winchester, Michael Weaver of Sewanee, and Rachel and Brittany Brazzelton, both of Tullahoma; brothers Winston C. Weaver and James Weaver of Alabama; sisters Helen Haney of Chattanooga and Betty Morgan of Alabama; six grandchildren; several nieces and nephews; and companion, Ruth Wallace.

Funeral services were held June 3 in the funeral home chapel with the Rev. Ed Dudley officiating. Interment followed in Eastern Star Cemetery in Sewanee. Arrangements were by Cumberland Funeral Home, Monteagle.



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Outten Appointed University Lay Chaplain

Catherine Outten, C'09, has joined the staff of the University's All Saints' Chapel as lay chaplain and will begin her duties in August. While a Sewanee student, Outten was active in the life of the chapel, serving as a catechist for the Catechumenate, a four-year member of the Sacristans' Guild and a participant in several of the Outreach Office's spring break mission trips. She played on the softball and volleyball varsity teams.

Outten spent this past year working at an elementary school in South Africa and looks forward to her three-year term appointment with the University.



SCC Begins Final Push on 60 for 60 Campaign

The Sewanee Children's Center, now in its 60th year of operation, is making progress on the "60 for 60 Campaign," a capital campaign to raise \$60,000 for more operational sustainability, including higher salaries for teachers, more funding for scholarship and tuition assistance, and improving facilities in step with Otey Parish's long-term goals.

The center provided nearly \$12,000 in tuition assistance to families last year, and hopes to provide even more tuition support as a result of this fund raising drive. Additionally, the average wage of its teachers is approximately one third lower than the national average. When teachers are short-changed, retention is adversely affected, the continuum of quality care is compromised, and the entire community eventually suffers.

The Sewanee Children's Center has influenced generations of Sewanee children. The future is looking bright with a talented group of teachers, a dedicated group of parents and full classrooms.

The campaign currently has raised \$45,000—approximately 75 percent of the goal—and fund-raisers are looking to the Sewanee community to help finish this charge by June 30. Please send in your donation by June 30. For information call board president Pratt Paterson at 636-9687 or <prattpaterson@gmail.com> or director Maggie Hanson at 598-5928 or <sccenterbiz@bellsouth.net>.



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F.C. Commission Meeting June 21

The Franklin County Board of Commissioners meets in regular session on the third Monday of each month at 7 p.m. in the second floor circuit courtroom of the Franklin County Courthouse in Winchester. The next meeting will be June 21. Sewanee's representatives are Johnny Hughes and Arthur Knoll. County commission meetings are open to the public.

Appalachian Women's Guild Holds Workshops

Beginning June 10 until mid-July, free home finance and job search workshops will be held on Tuesdays and Thursdays in the Appalachian Women's Guild center located at 492 Main Street in Tracy City. The workshops are scheduled each week on Tuesdays at 11 a.m. and Thursdays at 3 p.m. There are no registration requirements.

The topics will cover a range of information, including résumé com-

position, job search, home budget, saving money and computer skills. The workshops are open to the public and are loosely structured to encourage questions and comments.

For information contact Lexi Namer at <lexinamer@gmail.com> or (901) 438-8777.

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Power Line Construction on Kentucky Ave.

Duck River Electric Membership Corp. (DREMC) is upgrading the power lines on Kentucky Ave. Crews will be setting new poles in several areas and removing and trimming trees to allow for the extra power lines. Melanie Coats is the forester in charge of the trimming. She can be reached at (931) 205-1812 to answer questions, or contact the Office of Domain Management at 598-1268.

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— Jerry Forster

Jerry Forster (center) knows that life can change in an instant. In April 2008, he was riding his brother-in-law's motorcycle in West Virginia. "It was bigger than what I'm use to handling," explains Jerry, who is the Chief Financial Officer for the University of the South. "I got into a curve, lost control in the wind and crashed."

Jerry broke his femur and his shoulder in two places. After emergency surgery in West Virginia, Jerry started a week of inpatient therapy at Southern Tennessee Medical Center, where Anna Shasteen (left), supervised his care. Then, working with Becky Campbell (right), he completed a program of outpatient therapy at Emerald Hodgson.

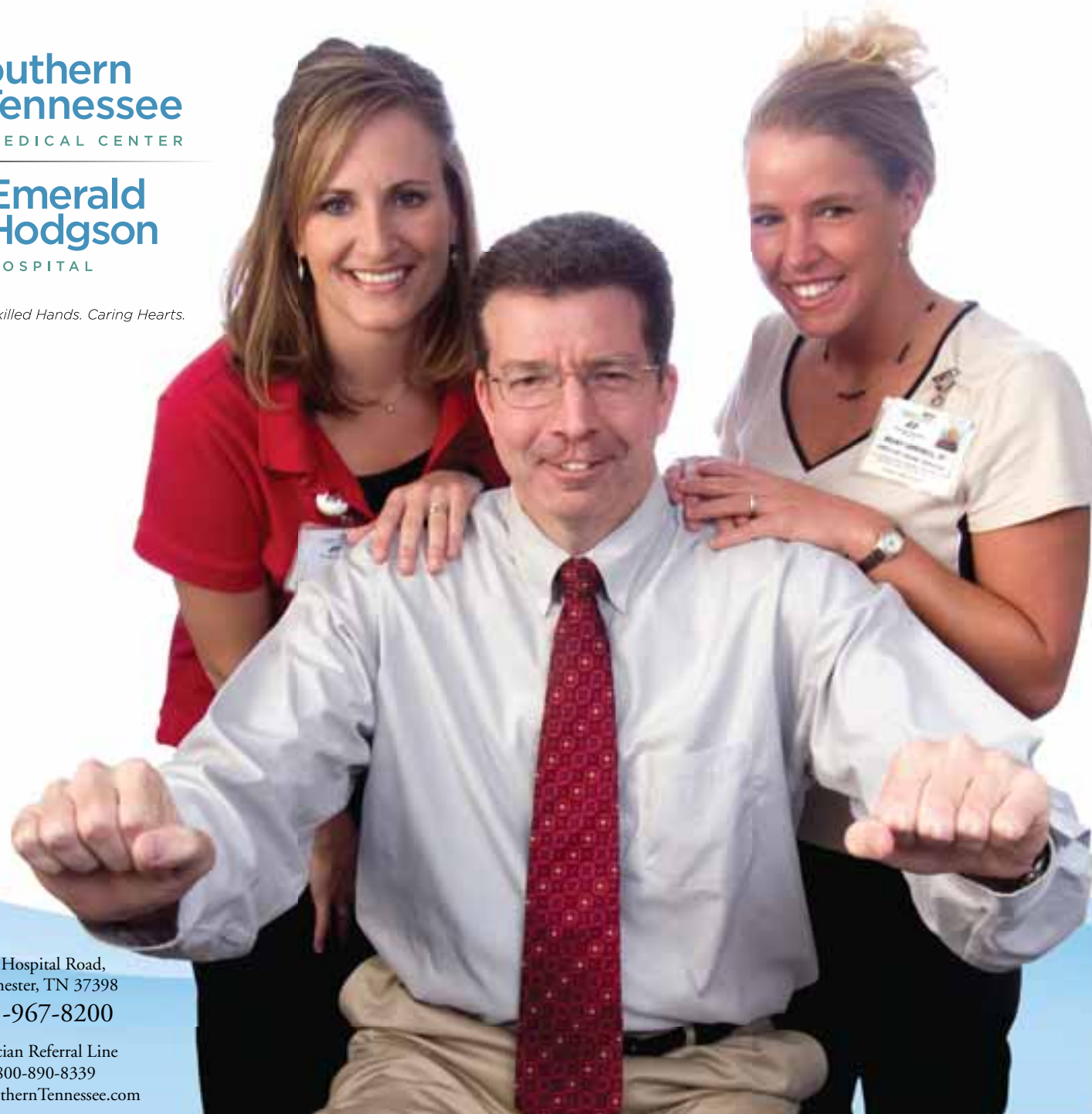
"My goal was to get back on my feet for my daughter's wedding on June 28, just two months away," says Jerry. "With Becky and Anna's help, I was able to walk my daughter down the aisle without crutches. I was really impressed by the staff's professionalism. They went the extra mile to take care of me."

Speaking of miles, this past September, Jerry ran in a 15-mile mountain race in Charleston, West Virginia. "My leg feels good," says Jerry. "I'm planning to run the Music City Half Marathon in April."

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Alzheimer's Support Group Meets June 17

The Franklin County Support Group of the Alzheimer's Association will meet on Thursday, June 17, at 3 p.m. in the Willows of Winchester, 32 Memorial Dr., Winchester.

This month the group will have a time of caring and sharing. The support group is free of charge and can be beneficial to anyone caring for a loved one suffering with memory impairment and confusion. For information about the meeting or about Alzheimer's Disease call (931) 455-3345.

SSMF Announces New Season from page 1

The annual 4th of July concert will take place on Saturday, July 3, in Guerry Hall and as the festival's gift to the Sewanee community, it will be free. Led by Sewanee favorite Ken Kiesler, the program includes Frank Proto's "Casey at the Bat," the Tchaikovsky "1812 Overture," and patriotic favorites. And of course, look for the SSMF student "strollin' band" in the annual parade!

During the festival, artist-faculty chamber music concerts will take place every Wednesday and Saturday at 7:30 p.m. (except July 3) in Guerry Hall. On Sunday afternoons both student orchestras will perform at 2:30 and 3:30.

Visit the SSMF website at <music.festival.sewanee.edu> for complete listings. All individual event tickets are \$10 general admission, with under 12 free. Season tickets are \$100, and "Pick Six" tickets, for any six events, are \$50. Mark O'Connor tickets are not included in Season or Pick Six and are \$25 for all patrons. Tickets for all events may be purchased on the web (using a credit card), at the SSMF office, or at the door on concert days (cash or check).

Shakerag Workshops 2010 Lectures and Faculty Talks

St. Andrew's-Sewanee Gallery welcomes the work of the faculty and lecturers of Shakerag Workshops 2010. Each week the Shakerag Lecture Series sponsors a presentation by a special visiting artist on Wednesdays, in addition to Shakerag faculty talks on Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays. All events are free of charge and open to the public.

The Shakerag Lectures and faculty talks are held at 7:30 p.m. in the James Agee Memorial Library in Simmonds Hall. Following is a schedule of events.

Monday, June 14—Faculty talk by sculptor John McQueen and potter Margaret Bohls; Tuesday, June 15—Faculty talk by digital artist Marius Watz, embroiderer Tom Lundberg and potter Charity Davis-Woodard; Wednesday, June 16—Shakerag Lecture by Natalie Chanin, designer and founder of Alabama Chanin; Thursday, June 17—Faculty talk by bookmaker Daniel Essig and fiber artist India Flint;

Monday, June 21—Faculty talk by potter Gay Smith and digital artist Miller Puckette; Tuesday, June 22—Faculty talk by furniture maker Daniel Mack, potter Lisa Naples and fiber artist Joan Morris; Wednesday, June 23—Shakerag Lecture by Pam Dor, founder and executive director of the Hale Empowerment and Revitalization Organization, Inc. (HERO); Thursday, June 24—Faculty talk by painter Bob Durham and fiber artist India Flint.

For more information about the Shakerag Workshops Lecture Series and faculty talks please visit <www.shakerag.org> or contact director Claire Reishman at (931) 968-0210, ext. 3165.

Welcome home, summer residents!

Genealogy Speaker Sherrill at G.C. Historical Society Saturday

Charles A. "Chuck" Sherrill will give a lecture, "Turning over Every Stone: How to Research Your Family History," this Saturday, June 12, 2-4 p.m., in the Grundy County Historical Society's Heritage Center, 465 Railroad Ave., Tracy City. Sherrill's presentation is part of the G.C. Historical Society's quarterly meeting. The meeting and lecture are open to the public.

Recently Sherrill was appointed Tennessee's state librarian and archivist. For 25 years he has researched families' histories, specializing in those of Middle Tennessee. He has searched for information on his own family's ancestors and has written books on how to do genealogical research. Sherrill's collections of research materials have helped many people in this area of Tennessee learn more about their forebears.

Local Hydrant Flushing Begins This Month

The Sewanee Utility District will be flushing fire hydrants within the district during June and July.

During flushing, the hydrant is opened to allow any sediment and stale water to be removed from the main. Flushing must be performed annually to comply with state law and to ensure the highest quality of water possible. During flushing, some discoloration may be noticed but is of no health risk. Additionally, there may be a momentary loss of water pressure while the hydrant is open.

SUD anticipates beginning flushing at the water tanks and moving out toward outlying areas. Therefore, areas near town will be flushed first and the areas of Sherwood Road, Midway and Jump-Off will be flushed in that order.

Flushing will be performed between the hours of 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. to reduce inconvenience. If you have any questions, please contact the utility office at 598-5611.

Sign Up to Receive Emergency E-mail Alerts

E-mail notification about emergencies impacting the Sewanee community is available through a service called Bulletin. To subscribe to receive alerts about severe weather, traffic hazards, and other potentially threatening circumstances contact Peggy Green at peggygreen@sewanee.edu.

Senior Center Menus

The Sewanee Senior Citizens' Center is open Monday-Friday from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. Lunch is served at noon. The suggested donation is \$3 (50 years of age or older); \$5, under 50. To ensure adequate food preparation, please call 598-0771 the day before to reserve a takeout meal or to eat at the center. Menus follow:

June 14: Green tomato cheeseburger, potato wedges, strawberry cake.

June 15: Pork chops, gravy, mashed red potatoes, California-blend veggies, roll, fruited jello.

June 16: Pinto beans/ham, hominy, fried okra, sliced tomatoes, cornbread, brownie.

June 17: Hamburger steak, baked potato, salad, roll, dessert.

June 18: Hot dog, chips, baked beans, fresh veggie sticks, assorted desserts.

Menus may vary. For information call the center at 598-0771.

Sewanee Book Club Summer Reading

The Sewanee Book Club has chosen six titles to read and review for the 2010-11 season.

At the April meeting, the group chose the following titles to be read and reported on for 2010-11: "The White Nile" by Alan Moorehead, "The Flame Trees of Thika: Memories of an African Childhood" by Elspeth Huxley, "West With the Night" by Beryl Markham, "The Tipping Point" by Malcolm Gladwell, "Sea of Poppies" by Amitav Ghosh and "Brooklyn" by Colm Toibin.

These books will be available now or in the near future at the Thurmond Library, the duPont Library, and through the University Book and Supply Store. The Sewanee Book Club meets on the third Monday of each month from fall through spring at the homes of members. Membership is open to all, and visitors are welcome. For questions, please contact Flournoy Rogers at (931) 598-0733 or <fsrogers@wildblue.com>.

DuPont Summer Hours

The University library will observe interim hours from now through Sunday, June 13: Thursday-Friday, 8 a.m.-5 p.m.; Saturday, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.; and closed on Sunday.

Summer hours begin on Monday, June 14 until Saturday, July 24: Monday-Thursday, 8 a.m.-11 p.m.; Friday, 8 a.m.-8 p.m.; Saturday, 10 a.m.-6 p.m.; and Sunday, 1 p.m.-11 p.m.



Friends of Helen Shedd of Sewanee celebrated her 98th birthday with a reception for her on Sunday, May 23, at the Willows of Winchester Care and Rehabilitation Center.

Masons to Meet on June 14

The Summit Masonic Lodge #497 F&AM, a member of the Sewanee community since 1878, meets on the second Monday of every month. The next scheduled meeting will be on June 14, at 7:30 p.m. in the Lodge Hall.

For more information call Brian Masters, (931) 924-3389 or Joe Milner Sr., (931) 598-0711.

American Legion Post 51 Meets July 10

American Legion Post 51, which usually meet on the second Saturday of the month, will not meet on June 12, according to Post 51 Commander James Rollins Jr.

The next meeting will be held on Saturday, July 10, at 9 a.m. in the Legion Hall on University Avenue in Sewanee. The Fifth District Commander is scheduled to attend. All Post 51 members are urged to make plans to attend.

May Emergency Services Reports

EMS: Sewanee Emergency Medical Service Director Dennis Jones reports the service had 15 dispatches in May.

FIRE: Sewanee Volunteer Fire Department Chief David Green reports the volunteers had 13 calls in May.

POLICE: Chief Robert White reports the department patrolled 5,815 miles in May; investigated eight vehicle accidents; ticketed one for moving violations, 123 for nonmoving violations and issued 35 warnings. Six animals were picked up for Animal Control.

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Tracy City Farmer's Market Begins June 11

Locally grown produce and hand-made items will be available for sale in Tracy City at the old high school on Fridays, beginning June 11. The market hours are 3:30–6:30 p.m.

Friends of South Cumberland Annual Meeting Saturday

The Friends of South Cumberland annual meeting will be held this Saturday, June 12, at the South Cumberland State Park visitors center located at 11745 US 41.

Festivities will start with a noon picnic, hosted by the Friends of SCSRA board. Entertainment will be gospel music, provided by board member Eric Dempsey. The annual membership business meeting will include the election of directors and officers, presentation of the Jim Prince Award, announcement of the winners of the Pictures in the Park photo contest, and display of the Art in the Park poster featuring artwork by Grundy County and Monteagle Elementary fourth- and fifth-graders.

“Star Spangled 4th” Celebration Set for July 2–4

The Sewanee Leaseholders and the 4th of July Committee, in association with the University, cordially invite the Sewanee community to celebrate the most American of all holidays by attending the 2010 events on July 2–4. The theme for this year's gala is a “Star Spangled 4th” and will feature all the familiar and treasured events such as the parade, street dance, Mutt Show, arts and crafts show, fireworks and much more.

The planning effort, underway since early March, has been led by Stephen Burnett, president of the Sewanee Leaseholders, and actively directed by Louise Irwin, 4th of July Committee chair. Her co-chairs include Bonnie Green, Sue Hawkins and Tracie Sherrill. Dozens of dedicated volunteers have been involved, as well.

The community should note that the various events this year will be spread over three days:

- The festive street dance will be held Friday, July 2.
- Virtually all of the traditional daylight events will be on Saturday, July 3.
- Fireworks will commence at dusk on July 4 at Lake Cheston.

Look for additional details in forthcoming editions of the Messenger. Tracie Sherrill, parade chair, has received confirmation about this year's Grand Marshal, and the committee will be announcing that selection in the June 17 issue of the Messenger.

Save the dates, and invite friends and family to the Mountain!



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Summer Reading Sets Sail at F.C. Library

Thanks in large part to Nissan, the Franklin County Library christened the summer reading program “Make a Splash: READ” on June 7. Because of Nissan and other contributors' generosity, a wonderfully exciting summer is planned for children of all ages. Prizes are awarded to children for reading accomplishments. The prizes are supplied by Nissan, Bennett's Pharmacy, Papa John's Pizza, Action Video and the Winchester Swimplex.

Everything about the program is free. Children from toddler age to new high school graduates are encouraged to participate.

Reader sign-up began June 7, and free shows are planned every Wednesday at 1:30 p.m. June 9 featured Kevin Kidd the Enrichertainer. Safari Greg, Queen Emeraldal, Conductor Jack, the Mad Scientist, and Mike and Biff (a ventriloquist team) are scheduled to appear on other Wednesdays.

Prize drawings will be held after each show, thanks to businesses like Tims Ford Power Sports, Tims Ford Marina, the Crazy Horse Recreational Park and Wild Water Resort.

In conjunction with the familiar reading program, Tina L. Stevens, youth services director of the Franklin County Library, has implemented a new summer program for non-readers labeled “Read to Me.” Four educational and entertaining shows are planned at 10 a.m. for toddlers and preschoolers. These shows are part of the newly added Read to Me program. On July 22 all children who have participated are invited to a pool party at the Winchester Swimplex.

Kuers and Team Earn NSF Grant

Karen Kuers, professor of forestry in the University's department of forestry and geology, is part of a team receiving a \$494,980 grant from the National Science Foundation (NSF). The team will establish an Ecological Research and Education Network (EREN) among faculty at 12 primarily undergraduate institutions, including Sewanee. The NSF award provides full funding for the project for five years.

As a co-author of the grant, Kuers will serve on the leadership working group. Laurel Anderson, Ohio Wesleyan University associate professor of botany-microbiology, is the network coordinator and chair of the leadership working group. Ohio Wesleyan will administer the grant.

In addition to creating the new network, the EREN team will develop collaborative research projects focused on regional to continental-scale ecological issues; engage undergraduate students in the projects' research; create a continental-scale ecology

course module using research data developed across the network; and establish a database of the network's ecological data sets, to be made available online. EREN will partner with existing research networks, such as the National Ecological Observatory Network, to increase science faculty participation at undergraduate institutions.

Along with Anderson and Kuers, other EREN co-authors and leaders include professors from Carthage College, Wis.; Meredith College, N.C.; Swarthmore College, Pa.; Ferrum College, Va.; and Mount St. Mary's University, Md. The network also includes faculty members from Elizabethtown College, Pa.; Union College, N.Y.; Mount Holyoke College, Mass.; Bard College, N.Y.; and St. Olaf College, Minn. The network will expand over time to include ad-



ditional partners.

The first meeting of the EREN group will be held in Sewanee this month, hosted by Kuers in Snowden Hall. The leadership team will begin to develop the first collaborative research project, studying carbon accumulation in forest and urban trees.



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Sewanee Union Theatre This Weekend

Fri–Sun, June 11–13, 7:30 p.m.; Mon, June 14, 7 p.m.
Percy Jackson & the Olympians: The Lightning Thief
 2 hours • PG • Admission \$3

After he discovers that he's the son of the Greek god Poseidon (Kevin McKidd), 12-year-old Percy Jackson (Logan Lerman) strikes out on an action-packed adventure to rescue his mortal mother and negotiate a peace treaty between Zeus (Sean Bean) and Hades (Steve Coogan). Chris Columbus (Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets) directs this fun family tale that also stars Pierce Brosnan, Rosario Dawson and Uma Thurman. (www.netflix.com)

Sewanee Union Theatre Next Weekend

Fri–Sun, June 18–20, 7:30 p.m.; Mon, June 21, 7 p.m.
Hot Tub Time Machine
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Fueled by energy drinks, vodka and nostalgia for their younger, wilder days, a group of aging best friends travels back in time to 1987, where they get the chance to relive the best year of their lives. And their time machine? Well, it's a hot tub. John Cusack, Rob Corddry, Craig Robinson, Clark Duke, Crispin Glover and Sebastian Stan co-star in this out-of-the-box comedy that takes time travel to a whole new level. (www.netflix.com)

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Cannon Co. Arts Center Presents “Showtime at First Baptist”

“Showtime at First Baptist” will be presented at the Arts Center of Cannon County, Friday–Saturday, June 11–12 and 18–19, at 7:30 p.m.; and Sunday, June 13, at 2 p.m.

Join the church ladies of First Baptist of Ivy Gap as they plan a talent show to raise money to rebuild the church. A bolt of lightning struck the sanctuary, destroyed the steeple and the organ, and sent Edith's husband, the pastor, to the hospital. Though the mayor's wife believes such performances are the devil's work, the women who run the church prevail.

The Arts Center Cafe is open before all performances; call in advance for discounted dinner/show packages.

The Arts Center is located at 1424 John Bragg Hwy., west of Woodbury, about 20 minutes from Manchester. Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$8 for students and seniors. To make reservations or purchase tickets, call (800) 235-9073 or visit <www.artscenterof-cannoncounty.com>.

A Taste of Blues and BBQs in Winchester June 26

The Winchester Downtown Events Committee will host “A Taste of Blues and BBQs” on Saturday, June 26, from 6:30 to 10:30 p.m. The adult-only evening event will be held in Jefferson Street Park between 1st and 2nd NW in downtown Winchester.

Beginning at 6:30 p.m. live blues by Voodoo Slingshot is followed by JC Vaughn & Highway 58. For a preview of their song list go to <www.jcvaughn.com>.

Enjoy delicious barbecue pork, grilled chicken quarters, beans, slaw and chips and adult beverages. Non-alcoholic beverages will also be offered, in addition to coffee and dessert. Bring a blanket or lawn chairs for amphitheater lawn seating.

Note that this is an adult-only event—21 years and older. Tickets are only available in advance. There will be no tickets available at the gate. Tickets may be purchased at Bunny's Gym, Kathy Bennett Photographer, Lily's Boutique, Wenger's, Winchester Antique Mall and the Wishing Well. Cost is \$25, which includes music, food and beverages.

Tickets may be purchased online using PayPal or Google Checkout at <www.bigeventregistrations.com/winchester>.



“All Shook Up” at the South Jackson Civic Center

South Jackson Civic Center and the Community Playhouse will present, “All Shook Up,” a jukebox musical based on the music of Elvis Presley. “All Shook Up” will be performed on the South Jackson Civic Center Stage, 404 South Jackson St., Tullahoma, on June 17–19. Tickets are \$10 and for reservations call (931) 455-5321.

The musical mixes a little bit of Shakespeare with a whole lot of the King. Based on the book by Joe DiPietro, “I Love You, You're Perfect, Now Change,” the action is set in

Smalltown, USA, circa 1955. When “a rolling roustabout with a song in his soul and an eye for the ladies” rambles into town on his motorcycle, guitar slung over the leather jacket on his back, everyone eventually responds with new attitudes and welcome results.

This show is directed by Rosie Graham and Janet Patterson. Anne Baldwin will be the choral and musical director. Beverly Long will be handling choreography.



International Folk Dancers To Perform in Manchester Thursday

On Thursday, June 17, at 6:30 p.m. the International Folk Dancers will perform in the Manchester Arts Center. The evening will start with a presentation of flags, the singing of the National Anthem by the Acappella students of Peggy Burton, followed by a presentation by Mayor Betty Superstein and the Manchester Chamber of Commerce. Twenty singers, dancers and musicians from the Republic of Slovakia, Curaco, Netherlands Antilles and Italy, and the Cripple Creek Clog-

gers of Murfreesboro will perform music and dances designed to keep alive the heritage of their countries.

The Manchester Arts Center is located at 128 E. Main Street. For reservations call (931) 728-3434 and leave a message for a return call to confirm.

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Attention Consumers of Duck River Electric Membership Corporation

The Tennessee Valley Authority has scheduled a four hour planned power outage for

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This will not affect consumers in Sewanee, Cowan or the Sinking Cove area.

Duck River Electric appreciates the cooperation and understanding of its members during

this planned outage by TVA. In the event of inclement weather, the outage will be rescheduled for another date.

TINTINNABULATION

by John Bordley



500th Anniversary of the Carillon

The year 2010 is being celebrated in Europe and around the world as the 500th anniversary of the carillon. Bells had been cast for centuries in all parts of the world. Different shapes (contours) had been tried, and the current form was pretty much in place by the 1400s. The contour of a bell is what gives a bell its characteristic sound, and the sound that was desired was one that was clear, that reverberated for a reasonable time, and that could be heard from some distance away. Individual bells were swung using ropes, groups of bells were sounded together by several players using ropes, and some chime mechanisms were in place where vertical handles were pulled. What was new in 1510 was a keyboard (clavier) with wires connected to the clappers of the bells, and the keys (batons) were pressed down to move the clappers. The site was Oudenaarde, a town in East Flanders in Belgium.

Some details about campanology (the study of bells, in particular the history and technology of bells) will appear in the next several columns. A little physics creeps into the discussion of the characteristic sound of a bell. Technology is important—how is the baton connected to the clapper?

The Sewanee Summer Carillon Series begins on June 20. Stay tuned.

Summer Male Choir Begins Rehearsals June 21

Plans are continuing for organization of the four-part male choir that will rehearse on five Mondays

Rivendell Retreat June 18–20

A retreat, "Teachings of the Medicine Wheel: Renewing Our Relationship with the True Intelligence of Our Sacred Mother Earth," will be hosted by Mary Elizabeth Nelson at Rivendell in Sewanee.

The retreat will be held June 18–20, beginning at 12 p.m. Cost is \$250. All participants will stay at Rivendell. For information call Joan Thomas, 598-0535, or e-mail <jkthomas@usit.net>.

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Art in a Trunk Fund-Raiser

The Franklin County Arts Guild announces its First Annual Art in a Trunk Sale to be held on Saturday, June 12, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. in Cowan, coinciding with the Cowan Railroad Days event this weekend.

The Art in a Trunk Sale is a fund-raiser for the Franklin County Arts Guild, a non-profit organization that promotes art awareness and education in Franklin County. The sale will take place at 201 E. Cumberland St. in front of the Artisan Depot Gallery. Guild President Denise Miller says "Artists and supporters have contributed items such as paintings, jewelry, prints, art and craft supplies and other art related items to this event and all will be priced to sell!"

For information call Janet Torstenson at (931) 967-9930 or Linda Atnip at (931) 636-3220.

South Jackson Goes Country!

Auditions for the 31st annual "South Jackson Goes Country" show will be held in the South Jackson Civic Center in Tullahoma on Sunday, June 13, from 2–5 p.m. and Monday, June 14, at 6 p.m. Participants should bring \$1 and a self-addressed envelope. Potential band members should call (931) 455-5321 and leave a phone number and e-mail address. Interested persons will be contacted for an audition time. Show dates are August 13, 14 and 15. Show organizers are looking for soloists, duets, trios, groups... anything country!



"Mexican Food on Route 66" by Jennifer Redstreak

Reception at Artisan Depot Today

Artist Jennifer Redstreak's work will be featured in The Artisan Depot, gallery of the Franklin County Arts Guild, through the end of June. A reception honoring the artist will be held on Thursday, June 10, from 5 to 7 p.m. in The Artisan Depot, 201 Cumberland St. E, in Cowan.

Redstreak grew up in New Mexico and has been creating art since her high school years. She has become known for her animal paintings in

both pastels and oils. However, she started working in watercolors and has recently returned from a week in Ghost Ranch, N.M., the home of Georgia O'Keefe.

Redstreak found herself being inspired by her surroundings while in Ghost Ranch. She will be displaying her new watercolor work as well as some of the photographs that she took while in New Mexico.

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School Scoop



Sewanee Elementary School winners in the recent Franklin County Art show are (L-R): Penny Thompson, art teacher; Eli Thompson, first place; Daniel McDonough, first place; and Zolon Knoll, second place. John Beavers also received a second place but is not pictured.

SES Honor Rolls Announced

Sewanee Elementary School students were recently honored during assembly for their accomplishments in the last six-week period of the academic year. Principal Mike Maxon announced that the following students earned First and Second Honor Rolls.

First Honor Roll: Third grade—John Beavers, Megan Griffith, Rachel Hammer, Sophia Hartman, Larson Heitzenrater, Tommy McCullough, Jack Morris, Sidu Nambiar, Madeleine Wiedemann; Fourth grade—Andrew Bachman, Carolyn Bruce, Amelia Martinez-White, Eliza Masters, Genevieve Rogers; Fifth grade—Morgan Anderson, Erin Berner-Coe, Dylan Dudley, Anna Fox, Noah Huber-Feely, Tyler King, Sarah Mainzer, Sam Smith, Daniel McNair, Kyra Wilson.

Second Honor Roll: Third grade—Kate Butler, Kenneth Dykes, Chloe Frith, Lucy Lancaster, Grace Omohundro, Jeffrey Powers, Mariel Rinck, Maggie Vaughn; Fourth grade—Brennan Baugh, Blake Collins, Adrian Edsall, John Grammer, Alesha Gray,

Lily Jenkins, Emilie Lavoie-Ingram, Sam Omohundro, Sophie Wofford; Fifth grade—Elliott Duncan, Logan Evans, Allie Faxon, Madison Gilliam, Shyanne Griffith, Meera Lala, Wyatt Lindlau, Claire Reynolds, Evelyn Seavey, Sam Thomas.

ABBA-BABBA Club

Mike Maxon, principal of Sewanee Elementary School, announced the following students made all As and Bs in the final six-week period, earning ABBA-BABBA Club honors:

Third grade—Chase Durm, Mitchell Garner, Reagan Rhoton, Blake Rittenberry, Shelby Smart; Fourth grade—Aubrey Black, Malachi Camp, Callie Cantrell, Cobey Clark, Blake Drinen, Sam Green, Joseph McDonough, Matthew Mollica, A.J. Mullin, Savannah Nelson, Isaiah Ortiz, Carly Grace Pate, Laurel Wall, Liesal Wall, Lyndsey Wall; Fifth grade—Courtney Durm Keely Ellison, Ben McClung, Robert Yates.

BUG Club

These Sewanee Elementary School students brought up grades (BUG) during the final six weeks, without letting any go down!

Third grade—Megan Griffith, Sophia Hartman, Tommy McCullough, Jeffrey Powers, Mariel Rinck; Fourth grade—Aubrey Black, Cobey Clark, Adrian Edsall, Grace Goubeaud, Sam Green, Amelia Martinez-White, Carly Grace Pate, Genevieve Rogers, Laurel Wall, Lyndsey Wall, Sophie Wofford; Fifth grade—Marshall Cunningham, Dylan Dudley, Logan Evans, Abbie Faxon, Allie Faxon, Cody Haney, Noah Huber-Feely, Wyatt Lindlau, Sam Smith, Daniel Wiedemann, Robert Yates.

SES Field Day

On Thursday, May 20, Sewanee Elementary School students enjoyed outdoor activities during the annual field day, organized by teachers, staff and parents. Events were underway by 8 a.m. on the University football field—photos next week!

A hamburger by any other name costs twice as much.

From “Two-Liners Stolen From Others” by Joe F. Pruett

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Raven's Den	1015362	\$149,000
Jackson Point Rd	850565	\$ 80,000



Doug Burns, Christine Asmussen and Charles Parsons (L-R) were recognized for 20 years of service to St. Andrew's-Sewanee School.

SAS Employees Recognized and Honored

At Honors Day ceremonies on May 22, the Rev. John Thomas, St. Andrew's-Sewanee School head of school, recognized faculty and staff members who had reached significant milestones, earned additional degrees or were moving on.

Christine Asmussen, Doug Burns and Charles Parsons were each honored for having served SAS for 20 years. Asmussen is director of college counseling. Burns is director of faculty and director of middle school. Both Asmussen and Burns also teach mathematics. Parsons is maintenance coordinator at the school.

The school celebrated additional degrees earned by teachers Ron Ramsey and Celeste Shibata. Ramsey received a Master of Science degree from Montana State University and Shibata earned a Master of Arts in physics education from the University of Virginia.

Math teacher Cameron Sisson and Director of Public Relations Margaret Matens were bid a fond adieu as they move on to new opportunities. Matens, a 17-year veteran of the school with more than 37 years of experience in secondary and higher education, was instrumental in overhauling the school's communications, establishing the Parents' Council, and creating the annual Trails & Trilliums event.

"When our family moved to the Mountain and SAS, I knew I had found the ideal spot for my two daughters, both graduates of SAS, and me," said Matens, who is retiring from full-time work. "The school is on a new and exciting vector, and I only regret that health concerns keep me from remaining in what has been a rewarding, but demanding, position. I am glad that I will be so close and be able to stay involved with the school."

During this spring's Trails & Trilliums event, it was announced that a garden adjacent to McCrory Hall for the Performing Arts was being established in Matens' honor. "The establishment of the Matens' Garden at McCrory Hall, filled with native plants, has touched me deeply," said Matens. "I love knowing that it will

grow and flourish and become more beautiful as years pass."

George Chamberlain, assistant head of school for student affairs, and Claire Reishman, assistant head of school for academic affairs, were recognized as they retire from their administrative duties. Each will continue to teach on a part-time basis.



Harry Yeatman, University professor emeritus, and the Rev. John Thomas present Margaret Matens with an artist's rendering of the Matens' Garden.

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F.C. Fifth Grade Math Contest Winners

The Franklin County School system held the annual Fifth Grade Math Contest in Franklin County High School on Thursday, May 13. A team of four members per each elementary school competed in the contest. The Mu Alpha Theta members at the high school helped coordinate the event.

The awards ceremony was held in the auditorium where each math contestant was given a certificate of participation and a math pin. Other awards presented include the top ten, top overall score and the top team.

The top overall score award went to Daniel McNair from Sewanee Elementary and the top team went to Clark Memorial.

Templeton Award

The last six weeks of the academic year, Sewanee Elementary School students discussed the character trait "Responsibility." Selected by their classmates as most exemplifying this trait were the following students: Pre-K—Aubrey Payne; K—Dallon Marshall, Riley Burnette; First grade—Caroline McCullough, Jenna Black; Second grade—Tessa Shackelford, Evan Fox; Third grade—Mitchell Garner, John Beavers; Fourth grade—Genevieve Rogers, Andrew Bachman; Fifth grade—Erin Berner-Coe, Meera Lala.

SES Citizenship Award

Selected by their teachers, the following Sewanee Elementary School students received the Citizenship Award this six weeks: Pre-K—Autumn Burge; K—Namtso Norbu, Karlee Morris; First grade—Chandler Brawley, Katee Cooper; Second grade—Katie Sherrill, Jacob Gravitt; Third grade—Megan Griffith, Jasmin Stafford; Fourth grade—Joseph McDonough, Leah Talley; Fifth grade—Tyler King, Travis Fowler.

Sam Webb Graduates from McCallie School

Sam Webb of Sewanee, was a member of McCallie School's graduating class of 2010 and participated in commencement ceremonies May 23 on the McCallie campus.

Webb is the son of Mark and Melissa Webb of Sewanee. He will attend Vanderbilt University and will receive a Tennessee HOPE Scholarship.

FCHS 9th Grade Orientation Set

Franklin County High School will hold an orientation for incoming 9th-grade students on Tuesday, July 27, from 8:30–10 a.m. in the auditorium.

Incoming freshmen are asked to report to the back of the building. Teachers will be available to direct students to the auditorium for a brief meeting. After the meeting, students will be escorted throughout the building. Parents are welcome to attend.

FCHS Class of 1955 Reunion

The Franklin County High School Class of 1955 will celebrate their 55th reunion on Saturday, July 3, in the Red Roof Pavilion at the Winchester City Park. All classmates and former teachers are urged to attend. A reception will begin at 3 p.m. with a catered dinner to follow at 5:30. Donations will be accepted to help with the cost of the meal. For information call Bill at 967-4383, Jim at 967-3758 or Jeannie at 967-2117.

Hoagland Named to Dean's List

Benjamin W. Hoagland, the son of Robert and Carolyn Hoagland of Sewanee, was named to the Dean's List for the spring 2010 semester at Alfred University. He is a sophomore in the School of Art and Design. Students must earn at least a 3.3 grade point average to qualify for Dean's List. Hoagland is a graduate of St. Andrews-Sewanee School.

Phi Beta Kappa Addition

Fifteen additional seniors in the Class of 2010 were initiated after baccalaureate services on May 15 at the University, including Melissa Manget Ortkiese, granddaughter of Clifftops resident Marjory Lyman and the late Guy Lyman.

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At the end of the 2009–10 academic year, Franklin County High School's chapter of the Health Occupations Students of America presented awards and inducted new officers. Kathleen Sturgis served as the inducting officer to recognize the new officers: president Kelsea Jackson, vice president Katy Housley, secretary/treasurer Paige Garrison and historian/reporter Juliann Taylor.

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Sports Scoreboard

Cortese Named Head Volleyball Coach

Jessica Cortese has been named the next head volleyball coach for Sewanee, according to Mark Webb, athletic director.

Cortese comes to the Mountain from the Maclay School in Tallahassee, Fla., where she was the volleyball coach and a teacher. She has compiled a 60-28 record at the helm of Maclay's squad and won three district championships, two regional championships and was the 2008 Big Bend Coach-of-the-Year.

Cortese earned an M.S. from Florida State University and was a graduate assistant coach. She is a cum laude graduate in psychology from Gettysburg College. As a player at Gettysburg, Cortese was All-American, All-Region, conference Player-of-the-Year and team captain.

The Lancaster, Penn., native attended Hempfield High School, where



she is a 2010 inductee of the Athletics Hall of Fame. She played volleyball as well as soccer. Cortese will begin her duties July 1 and plans to live in Sewanee.

"I would like to thank Mr. Webb for giving me this opportunity to join the Sewanee community as head volleyball coach," said Cortese. "I am honored to be joining such an elite academic institution and an athletic department of the highest caliber. I believe the players are committed to working hard and improving during the upcoming season, and I am excited to hit the ground running with recruiting."



Irwin Selected to All-South Region Team in Baseball

Sewanee junior Taylor Irwin of Brentwood, Tenn., has been named to the American Baseball Coaches Association All-South Region Team for his play in 2010, according to the ABCA. Irwin is a three-time All-SCAC performer.

An outfielder for the Tigers, Irwin batted .406 for the season. He led the Tigers in slugging percentage (.677), on-base percentage (.450), hits (54), RBI (36), doubles (14) and total bases (90).

Reilly Receives SCAC Award

University junior Joe Reilly of Milton, Ga., an outfielder on Sewanee's baseball team, was selected to the 2010 Southern Collegiate Athletic Conference (SCAC) Baseball All-Sportsmanship Team. Eleven players were selected for the squad from around the league.

In addition to his sportsmanship and leadership this year, Reilly batted a .303, including 27 hits. He scored 23 times and batted in 12 runs. Reilly started all 31 games for the Tigers.

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Sewanee Announces 2010 Hall of Fame Class

The 2010 class of the Sewanee Athletics Hall of Fame has been announced, according to Mark Webb, Sewanee athletic director. Five individuals and two teams have been selected for induction during the Hall of Fame Weekend of September 10-11. The inductees will be introduced at halftime during the football game between Sewanee and Washington and Lee University.

Billy Cunningham, C'70, was a three-time All-CAC baseball player for Sewanee in 1967, 1969 and 1970. He was team captain and had a career batting average over .300. Cunningham played on the CAC champion team of 1969.

Frank Greer, C'91, was a football All-American in 1990, and was a three-time All-CAC selection for the Tigers. He led the league in interceptions in 1990 with 10, which is a school record.

Hank Haynes, C'63, was a two-time wrestling Southeastern Champion for Sewanee at 123 pounds, beating wrestlers from Auburn and Georgia for the titles. Haynes earned 10 varsity letters while on the Mountain as a wrestler, baseball player and football manager. He was the outstanding male athlete at Sewanee his senior year.

Jennifer Bulkeley Staats, C'00, was a women's basketball two-time All-American (1998 and 2000), Academic All-American (1999), an NCAA Post-graduate Scholar and was a three-time All-SCAC selection. She was also a three-time SCAC Academic Honor Roll selection. While on the Mountain, Bulkeley led the SCAC in scoring, field goals made, field goal percentage, free throws made and her mark of 66.7 percent field goals made in 1999-2000 is still the all-time league record.

Mary Missbach Turner, C'00, was All-American in singles tennis two times and doubles once. She was All-SCAC 1998 and 2000 doubles, ITA South Region Player to Watch in 1998, ITA South Region Arthur Ashe Sportsmanship Award winner in 1999, ITA South Region Senior Player of the Year 2000 and the ITA National Senior Player of the Year 2000.

The 1953-54 cross-country teams were undefeated and untied, earning wins over Maryville (2), Bryan (2), Tennessee Tech, Tusculum, Berea, Oglethorpe and Emory. Members of the teams included Doug Crane, Don Crane, Kent Rea, Ken Barrett, George Pope, Jim Bradner, Ed McHenry, Bob Marsdarf, Alan Morrow, Jim Bradner, Harvey Koch, Ralph Patston, Bill Buchly, Art Worrall and Stetson Fleming. Both teams were coached by Earl Shotwell.

The CAC Champion 1963 football team was undefeated and untied (8-0-0) and outscored its opponents 275-45. The '63 Tigers were coached by Shirley Majors and captained by Bob Davis.

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Women's Lacrosse Honors

The Intercollegiate Women's Lacrosse Coaches Association announced its 2010 All-Region teams this week, and Sewanee midfielder Megan Welton of Germantown, Tenn., was named first team All Region for the West Region, while Steffi Renninger of Darnestown, Md., and Hanna Moran of Towson, Md., received second team honors.

Additionally, Renninger was selected to participate in the 2010 IWLCA/Under Armour North-South Senior All-Star Game. The game will be held at United Sports Training Center on Saturday, June 12, in Downingtown, Pa. The IWLCA and Under Armour jointly sponsor this event, which showcases the nation's top seniors.

Welton set Sewanee all-time game records this year with seven goals against Birmingham-Southern and season records of 54 goals, 27 assists, 81 points, and season draw controls with 74—more than double the previous record. She also had 30 ground balls and 21 caused turnovers.

Renninger set the single game point record for Sewanee with 10 against BSC (6 goals, 4 assists) and season caused turnover record with 33. She finished first for the Tigers in caused turnovers (33), second in ground balls (31), second in points (72) and third in goals (47), and added 25 assists and 25 draw controls.

Moran anchored the Sewanee defense this year, finishing the season as the team leader in ground balls (32) and second in draw controls (27). The 13-4 Tigers are currently 4th in the country in scoring offense at 18.18 goals per game, 5th in total points at 476, and 17th in draw controls at 15.65 per game.

"We had a tremendous year, and our record of 13-4 would not have been accomplished without a tremendous team effort," said head coach Michele Dombrowski. "It is always an honor to have a player receive All-Region recognition, and these three are well-deserving. As terrific as they are individually, it is their ability to bring out the best in their teammates that is key to the continued success of our program. Each player honored is a member of a different class and that bodes well for continued success in the future. We will certainly miss senior Steffi Renninger and value all she and her classmates have done to set the standards for our program."

Winchester's Dogwood Golf Classic Planned for June 25

Winchester's 5th Annual International Dogwood Golf Classic 4-Person Scramble will be held on Friday, June 25, in Tims Ford State Park at the Bear Trace Golf Course. The tournament begins at noon with a shotgun start. Lunch will be served at 11 a.m. Entry fee is \$400 per team and is limited to 36 four-person teams. Mulligans

will be sold. Applications can be downloaded at <www.winchesterdogwoodfestival.com> or call Teena Waggoner, Winchester City Hall, at 967-2532 or 967-4771.

Prizes include \$5,000 in car maintenance from Stan McNabb of Tulsa, a Honda Foreman from Pioneer Motors or \$10,000 cash.

Adventure Day Camp June 21-25

In response to requests from several parents, the St. Andrew's-Sewanee School Adventure Day Camp will now enroll students entering grades 5-9. The camp, which runs June 21-25, offers rock climbing, rappelling, hiking, camping and survival skills under the guidance of SAS outing instructors Patrick Dean and Ron Ramsey. This is a day camp, but will culminate in an overnight camping trip. The camp fee is \$300 and includes lunch.

To register online go to <www.sasweb.org/summer/index.aspx>. For information contact Patrick Dean at <pdean@sasweb.org>.

All-Sports Camp Deadline June 21

Sewanee All-Sports Camp will be held at the Fowler Sport and Fitness Center on the University campus Monday through Thursday, July 5-8. The camp will run from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. and is open to rising 1st- to 6th-graders.

Activities will include wiffle ball, floor hockey, battleball, basketball, soccer and recreational swimming. Registration forms are due by June 21, and can be found at the Fowler Center front desk or at the University athletic department website at <www.sewaneetigers.com>; click on summer camps. For information contact Jeff Heitzenrater at 598-1285 or <jheitzen@sewanee.edu>.

Fowler Summer Memberships

The Fowler Athletic Center is offering summer memberships beginning now through Aug. 1, 2010. Individual memberships are \$150; family, \$200. For information call 598-1323.

SAS Summer Camp Offerings

In addition to an Adventure Day Camp, St. Andrew's-Sewanee School will again be offering a varied and exciting group of day camp programs for area youth.

Soccer Camp (June 14-18) teaches boys and girls in 1st-8th grades ball-handling skills and game strategy. The PeeWee Camp (1st-2nd-graders) meets 9-11:30 a.m. The Junior Camp (3rd-5th graders) and Youth Camp (6th-8th graders) both meet from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. The cost is \$85 for PeeWee Camp and \$190 for Junior and Youth Camp.

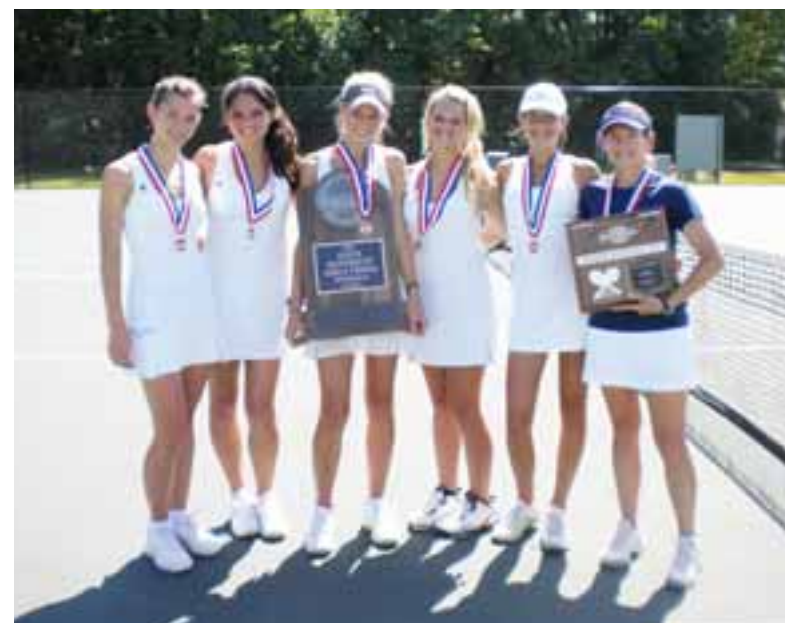
Volleyball Camp (July 5-9) is for girls and boys in 3rd-8th grades who want to build a solid foundation of the fundamentals of the game. The players work in stations each day, focusing on passing, digging, serving, setting and hitting. The campers will use these skills in game situations and live play. The camp will meet from 9 a.m. to noon. The cost is \$85.

SAS Summer also includes Shakerag Workshops, a residential arts program for adults.

Registration is available at <www.sasweb.org/summer> or by calling 598-5651.

Fowler Center Pool Hours

Now through July 31, the Fowler Center pool will be open Monday-Friday: 12-1 p.m., lap swim only; 1-5 p.m., limited lap lanes; 5-6 p.m., classes (limited lap lanes); 6-7 p.m., open swim; Saturday and Sunday: 2-6 p.m., open swim. The pool will be closed all day on Sunday, July 4, and Saturday, July 17. On Friday, July 16, the pool will close at 4 p.m.



SAS Girls' Tennis Takes Second at State Tournament

The St. Andrew's-Sewanee School girls' tennis team finished second in the Division IIA State Tournament on May 26, falling to the Webb School of Knoxville, 0-4. This was the team's third straight year to compete at the state tournament. The SAS team was state champion in 2008.

On its road to the final, the SAS team defeated St. Mary's Episcopal School, 5-2, and last year's state champion, St. George's School, 4-3. The girls' strong tournament play capped a stellar 13-4 season.

In individual play, Sadie Shackelford was the Division IIA State runner-up after falling to Christine Gwodog of King's Academy, 6-2, 6-3. In the quarterfinal, Sadie topped Carley Stein of Lausanne, 6-0, 6-0, and then went on to defeat Niki Rollhauser of Webb School, 6-1, 3-6, 6-2, in the semifinal. This was Sadie's third straight state appearance as an individual; she was the state champion in 2008 and 2009.

On the boys' side, Diego Perezcano lost in the quarterfinals to Nic Wiseman of Evangelical Christian School, 6-0, 6-2. "Our state competitors fought hard every step of the way and faced tough competition to make it to the state level. Their focused play at the

state tournament was a great way to punctuate an outstanding season," said coach Kelley Black.

Little Girls' Cheerleading

The Franklin County High School varsity cheerleaders are having a Little Girls' Cheerleading Clinic on July 14, 15 and 16. The deadline is June 27 to register your child or be a sponsor.

Sign up your child by contacting one of the varsity cheerleaders or coaches—Celina Benere, 649-2563 or 607-7170; Angela Barnes, 308-3847; or Melissa Knight, (615) 305-3526.

The fee is \$50 to sponsor the clinic, and your company name will be printed on the back of each Little Girls' Cheerleading Clinic T-shirt, to be worn by all participants.

Fowler Center Summer Hours

Now through Aug. 21, the Fowler Center will be open Monday-Friday, 6 a.m.-8 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday, 11 a.m.-7 p.m. The center will be closed all day on July 4. Regular hours will resume on Sunday, Aug. 22.

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Nature Notes

Unusual Water Lilies in Lake Cheston

On June 3, Harry and Jean Yeatman and Joy dog went to Lake Cheston to observe the blooming water lilies. These are beautiful, with floating leaves and yellow blooms on stalks extending above the leaves. The flowers are much like other water lilies, but only about one inch in width. A few specimens of leaves and flowers were collected for identification.



They proved to be *Nymphaea mexicana*, which has been reported as rare in Florida, North Carolina and Texas, but unreported for Tennessee. Perhaps someone had dumped their aquarium water and plants into Lake Cheston, because the species has not

been seen there before this spring. The plant resembles the water-nymph, *Nymphaea odorata*, but has small yellow flowers and doesn't have a sweet smell. The flowers of *N. odorata* are much larger and white and fragrant. Both of these plants have large underwater rootlike stems that furnish food for aquatic vertebrates, such as geese, muskrats, some fish, etc. This colony can be reached by parking at the lower road by the dam, and walking on the dam and trail along the lake, past the wooden bridge and to the iron bridge. The plants are on the left.



F.C. Humane Society Pets of the Week

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State Park Offerings

Friday, June 11

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Weather

DAY	DATE	HI	LO
Mon	May 17	72	63
Tue	May 18	74	58
Wed	May 19	66	50
Thu	May 20	69	55
Fri	May 21	75	60
Sat	May 22	76	63
Sun	May 23	82	61

Week's Stats:

Avg max temp =	73
Avg min temp =	59
Avg temp =	60
Precipitation =	1.29"

DAY	DATE	HI	LO
Mon	May 24	84	65
Tue	May 25	85	63
Wed	May 26	77	67
Thu	May 27	80	61
Fri	May 28	81	67
Sat	May 29	77	64
Sun	May 30	76	63

Week's Stats:

Avg max temp =	80
Avg min temp =	64
Avg temp =	67
Precipitation =	0.33"

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Today, June 10

3:30 pm Mtntop Tumblers, ages 5–7,
Sew Cmty Ctr, till 4:30
3:30 pm Yoga w/Hadley, St Marys Sewanee
4:30 pm Mtntop Tumblers, Sew Cmty Ctr,
ages 8 and up, till 5:30
6:30 pm FC Bd of Ed reg mtg, Bd of Ed ofc

Friday, June 11

7:00 am AA, (open), Holy Comforter, M'eagle
9:30 am CAC open, Otey, till 11:30
10:00 am Game day, Sr Cit Ctr, till 11:45
12:00 pm Men Bible study, Otey
5:00 pm MESSENGER Display ad dline
7:00 pm AA, Christ Church, Tracy City
7:30 pm ACOA, Otey parish hall

Saturday, June 12

7:00 am Outreach vols leave for Huntsville
CASA garden, BC, back by 3 p.m.
8:00 am Gardeners' Market, Hawkins Lane
10:30 am Mtntop Tumblers, Sew Cmty Ctr,
beginners, till 11:30
11:30 am Mtntop Tumblers, Sew Cmty Ctr,
intermediate/advanced, till 12:30
2:00 pm Green 50th Anniv celeb, Legion Hall

7:00 pm NA, Decherd United Methodist

7:30 pm AA (open), Otey parish hall

Sunday, June 13

COL summer school, thru July 25

UNIV School of Letters (SOL), thru July 23

4:00 pm Adult yoga w/Helen, Sew Cmty Ctr
4:00 pm Women Bible study, Otey
6:30 pm AA (open), H Comforter, M'eagle

Monday, June 14

8:30 am Body Recall, Sew Cmty Ctr
11:00 am Chair exercise, Sr Cit Ctr, till 11:45
5:00 pm MESSENGER news/event deadline
5:00 pm Women 12-step, Otey parish hall
6:00 pm T'ai Chi w/Lance, Sew Cmty Ctr
7:00 pm AA, Christ Church, Tracy City
7:00 pm Centering prayer, Otey sanctuary
7:30 pm Shakerag fac talk, McQueen, Bohls,
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community calendar

Tuesday, June 15

9:00 am Yoga w/Hadley, St Marys Sew
10:30 am Bingo, Sr Cit Ctr, till 11:45
10:30 am Outreach vols building raised beds,
Sew Sr Cit Ctr, till 12:30
10:30 am Tai Chi w/Kat, Sew Cmty Ctr
12:00 pm MESSENGER Classified ad dline
3:00 pm Sort/pack groceries, CAC, Otey
4:00 pm Centering prayer, St Marys, till 5:30
7:00 pm NA, Decherd United Methodist
7:30 pm AA (open), Otey parish hall
7:30 pm Shakerag fac talk, Watz, Lundberg,
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Wednesday, June 16

Lease Committee meeting

9:30 am CAC open, Otey, till 11:30
10:30 am Quilting class, Sr Cit Ctr
12:00 pm NA, Otey
4:30 pm SOL fiction reading, Cassella, Gailor
5:00 pm Adult yoga w/Helen, Sew Cmty Ctr
7:30 pm AA (open), H Comforter, M'eagle
7:30 pm Shakerag artist lec, Chanin, SAS
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Thursday, June 17

8:30 am Body Recall, Sew Cmty Ctr
9:30 am CAC open, Otey, till 2
11:00 am Chair exercise, Sr Cit Ctr, till 11:45
12:00 pm AA (open), 924-3493 for location
12:30 pm EPF, Otey parish hall
3:30 pm Mtntop Tumblers, ages 5–7,
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3:30 pm Yoga w/Hadley, St Marys Sewanee
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7:30 pm Shakerag fac talk, Essig, Flint, SAS
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CHURCH SERVICES

This Evening, June 10

4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey
5:00 pm Evening Prayer, St Marys
6:30 pm Worship svc, Church of God

Friday, June 11

7:00 am Morning Prayer/HE, St Marys
7:30 am Morning Prayer, Otey
4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey
5:00 pm Evening Prayer, St Marys

Saturday, June 12

8:00 am Holy Eucharist, St Marys

Sunday, June 13

All Saints' Chapel

8:00 am Holy Eucharist
Cumberland Presbyterian

9:00 am Worship Service

10:00 am Sunday School

Grace Fellowship

10:30 am Sunday School/Worship Service

Harrison Chapel Methodist

10:00 am Sunday School

11:00 am Worship Service

Jump-Off Baptist

10:00 am Sunday School

11:00 am Worship Service

6:00 pm Worship Service

Midway Baptist

10:00 am Sunday School

11:00 am Morning Service

6:00 pm Evening Service

Midway Church of Christ

10:00 am Bible Study

11:00 am Morning Service

6:00 pm Evening Service

Otey Memorial Church

8:50 am Holy Eucharist

10:00 am Lectionary class, Brooks Hall

11:00 am Holy Eucharist

St. James Episcopal

9:00 am Worship and Fellowship

9:00 am Children Church School

St. Mary's Convent

8:00 am Holy Eucharist

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

Monday, June 14

7:00 am Morning Prayer/HE, St Marys

7:30 am Morning Prayer, Otey

4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey

5:00 pm Evening Prayer, St Marys

Tuesday, June 15

7:00 am Morning Prayer/HE, St Marys

7:30 am Morning Prayer, Otey

4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey

5:00 pm Evening Prayer, St Marys

Wednesday, June 16

7:30 am Morning Prayer, Otey

4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey

Thursday, June 17

7:00 am Morning Prayer/HE, St Marys

7:30 am Morning Prayer, Otey

4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey

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