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# **County School Board Requests 7-Cent Property Tax Increase**

In an effort to solve the continuing budget crisis in the Franklin County School system, the board of education has requested a 7-cent property tax increase. The Franklin County Commission will have to decide whether to accept this recommendation.

The school board and Director of Schools Rebecca Sharber have been struggling to have a budget for the 2014–15 year that would have a \$3 million fund balance. With the proposed property tax increase, the fund balance would be approximately \$2.4 million.

At the April 7 meeting of the school board, the draft budget showed a \$1.2 million shortage, which included increases in insurance costs and retirement. At that time, the board asked Sharber to come back with a budget that had a \$3 million fund balance.

Sharber reported she was unable to get there. Since then, she has been working with system staff to reduce projected expenses. Recommending a 7-cent tax increase was required to get the fund balance closer to \$3 million. An earlier plan had recommended a 33-cent property tax increase. A majority of the county commissioners indicated they would not support such a large tax hike.

Because the school board cannot levy taxes, the final decision about the increase must be made by the commissioners. There has been no increase in appropriations from the county commission to the school system for 10 years. The Franklin County commissioners will meet again on June 16.



Susan Binkley and Steve Blount

# Blue Monarch Founder Receives Rotary Award

The South Pittsburg Rotary Club recently awarded Rotary's highest rec- of the MGTA. ognition, the Paul Harris Fellow, to Susan Binkley. This award, named for the founder of Rotary, was established to recognize those that live Rotary's motto, ports community projects and edu-"Service Above Self."

Club member Beth Duggar said, "The South Pittsburg Rotary has donated programs. For more information go to \$1,000 to Rotary International's Foundation in Susan's honor. She is the epitome of 'Service Above Self."

Binkley is the founder and executive director of Blue Monarch, a local residential nonprofit organization that provides services for women and children recovering from abuse and addiction. More than 500 women and children from 34 counties across the state of Tennessee have been served since Blue Monarch was established in 2003.

Assistant District Attorney Steve Blount, was invited to introduce Binkley. 'The costs for incarceration are huge and increase yearly," Blount said. "When we send mothers to prison, we must also pay huge sums to take care of children. We must look for alternative programs, because prison cannot be the only answer for this problem. Where do we look? We look to people who have visions of alternative programs.

"We look to people like Susan Binkley and programs like Blue Monarch, where instead of incarceration, separation, destroying the family unit, and spending larger and larger amounts of tax payer money, we attempt to keep families together, to rehabilitate, to restore and to save taxpayer money," Blount said.

'This award was a tremendous honor for me," said Binkley. "My relationships with folks from Rotary have always played critical roles in the creation and development of Blue Monarch. And it was also special to be introduced by Steve Blount. His influence and encouragement in the beginning of this journey helped to shape the way we operate today."

For more information about Blue Monarch go to <www.bluemonarch.org> or call (931) 924-8900.

### Sewanee Community Invited to Take Survey

In conjunction with the community meetings in Sewanee regarding the downtown planning process, a survey is being conducted so that the broader community can share their thoughts and opinions.

Please use the link <a href="https://">https:// sewanee.wufoo.com/forms/ sewanee-village-communitysurvey/> to access the survey and offer input for the planners. The survey is open through June 13.

Participation in this project will help as the planning moves forward.

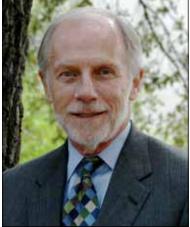
### **Local Groups** Secure Bonnaroo **Grants**

The South Cumberland Community Fund and the Mountain Goat Trail Alliance have been awarded grants from the Bonnaroo Works

The Community Fund's award of \$3,500 will support the fund's initiatives in education, cultural enrichment and community-building. "The people of the South Cumberland Plateau are creating innovative and successful programs to improve the quality of life here. The Bonnaroo Works Fund grant gives the Community Fund another way to support those programs," said Scott Parrish, Community Fund board chair.

The MGTA's grant of \$5,000 will go toward construction of Phase II of the trail from Monteagle to Sewanee. "Bonnaroo's emphasis on creating healthy communities fits right in with our mission to offer recreational and health benefits, as well received an unusually high bill due to as economic opportunity, to the area," said Janice Thomas, board president

The Bonnaroo Works Fund supcational, arts and environmental <www.bonnaroo.com/get-involved>.



Award-winning journalist Charles Bierbauer (above) will offer lectures at the Monteagle Sunday School Assembly on June 10 and June 12. For full details of the MSSA's 132nd season beginning on June 8, see story on page 2.

### St. Andrew's Chapel **Centennial Mass**

### Presiding Bishop to Preach and Celebrate

The Most Rev. Dr. Katharine Jefferts Schori, Presiding Bishop and Primate of the Episcopal Church of the United States, will preach and celebrate the Holy Eucharist at a special Centennial Mass at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School's St. Andrew's Chapel on Saturday, June 7. The presiding bishop's visit coincides with the school's Alumni Weekend [see story on page 6] and is in tribute to the Centennial Celebration of St.

Andrew's Chapel.

The service begins at 9:30 a.m. on Saturday. The Chapel doors will open to the public at 9:10 a.m. There will be a live video stream into Mc-Crory Hall for the Performing Arts for overflow seating. Guests will be seated in McCrory Hall once the Chapel has reached capacity. Holy Communion will also be offered to those seated in McCrory. Visitors are asked to park in the McCrory Hall/Gym lot.

The Rev. John Thomas, SAS head of school, said, "We are grateful to



Katharine Jefferts Schori. Photo courtesy of the Office of the Presiding Bishop

Bishop Jefferts Schori for making time in her busy schedule to be with us as we celebrate the birth of the physical manifestation of the spiritual center of our community." The Centennial Celebration also kicks off the school's Chapel Centennial Campaign to restore and renovate the much loved but well used and deteriorated building.

The cornerstone for St. Andrew's Chapel was laid in 1913 by Bishop William Alexander Guerry of South Carolina, the first Mass was sung in the Chapel on February 22, 1914, and the structure was consecrated in May of that year. Except for brief interruptions over the years for renovations, students have gathered in the Chapel at least three times a week for prayer and community. The Chapel is the setting for alumnus and Pulitzer Prize-winning author James Agee's novel, "The Morning Watch," a recounting of a young boy's experience

### **SUD Board Reviews** Water Loss; Hears Request for Adjustment

by Leslie Lytle Messenger Staff Writer

At the May 27 meeting of the Board of Commissioners of the Sewanee Utility District of Franklin and Marion Counties, the board asked Manager Ben Beavers about old supply lines being a possible cause of unaccounted-for water loss. The board also heard an appeal from a customer who a water leak.

Unaccounted-for water loss is the difference between water produced at the water plant and water recorded on customer meters. SUD's unaccountedfor water loss, 27 percent, is slightly lower than last year, although still a cause for concern. Commissioner Art Hanson speculated that supply lines no longer in use could be the source of undetected leaks if the old lines were uncapped and under pressure at the junction with in-use lines.

Beavers acknowledged old supply lines as a possible source of water loss, but said significant leaks would be visible as groundwater or result in marshy areas unless the water ran into a stream bed.

Beavers said SUD had maps dating back to 1953 showing the location of all the supply lines in use at that time, as well as maps from the 1960s, 1970s and 1980s showing the location of supply lines. However, Beavers said, until recently, no systematic records were kept indicating when lines were taken out of service and whether or not the lines were capped. SUD now caps all lines taken out of service and records their location. Beavers plans to investigate out-of-use lines as a possible cause of water loss when the meter replacement program is complete. (SUD hopes its ongoing program of replacing customer meters will help reduce unaccounted-for water loss, since old meters typically give a false low reading.)

A SUD customer whose last water bill was \$1,186 more than normal asked the board to reduce the amount

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#### **GRATEFUL FOR WWII VETS** To the Editor:

While I am writing this letter on Memorial Day, I am thinking ahead to the next issue of the Messenger in early June.

On June 6, 1944, Allied forces landed in Normandy, France and began the Nazi tyranny. It is easy to assume these you soon. days that Allied victory was a foregone conclusion. Few people remember that General Eisenhower prepared two press releases before the invasion—one announcing a successful landing but another regretting the failed attempt.

On June 15, two divisions of Malanded on the island of Saipan in the Pacific, the first successful breach of Japan's inner defense perimeter. Planned to take three days, this battle lasted for three weeks before the island was pacified. Success on Saipan led to the invasion of neighboring Tinian, where extra-long runways were built to serve the new B-29s in their sustained bombing of the Japanese islands.

Unfortunately not many World War II veterans remain to commemorate the 70th anniversaries of these battles. Sewanee lost several World War II veterans during the past year: Scott Bates, Joe Cushman and Harry Yeatman (I apologize for any omissions from this occasions, volunteered as a substitute list). Nevertheless, if you know any World War II veterans this would be a good time to thank them for their service.

Harold Goldberg Sewanee

#### **INVITATION TO ARTISTS** To the Editor:

In conjunction with Taste of the Market, 12–4 p.m., on Saturday, June 28, at the Sewanee Community Center, the Cumberland Farmer's Market (CFM) will host a gallery exhibit featuring the work of local artists.

Taste of the Market is an opportunity for the community to sample the Market's products and to meet the CFM growers and producers. CFM invites local artists to submit work to be exhibited in the gallery. Artists may offer their work for sale or for display only. Work by professional and semiprofessional artists is welcome, as well as work from children and teens who would like an opportunity to showcase their creative skills.

-Tune-ups

-Tire repair

Batteries

-Tires (any brand)

The theme of the gallery exhibit is art that depicts or is representative of items sold on the Market <www. sewanee.locallygrown.net>.

To register contact me by phone 931) 592-6594 or e-mail to< sllytle@ blomand.net > no later than June 14.

Sewanee is a community filled with liberation of Europe suffering under creative people. I hope to hear from

> Leslie Lytle Coordinator, Art in the Market

#### **SCC THANKS RUNG** To the Editor:

The Sewanee Children's Center would like to thank Lisa Rung for her rines followed by one Army division hardwork and many accomplishments as 2013–14 board president.

When the Center was faced with challenges at the beginning of the year, Lisa wisely divided duties between standing and ad hoc committees, creating a strong network of hardworking individuals to meet the Center's needs. She sensitively worked to improve salaries and benefits for teachers while addressing the parent community's interests and concerns. Loyal, dedicated and conscientious all describe Lisa aptly. She spent countless hours in meetings and behind-the-scenes preparation. She worked fund-raisers, handled promotions and on several for a sick teacher.

Thank you, Lisa, for your exceptional talents and services to the children and families in our community. We will miss you!

Sewanee Children's Center Board of Directors: Sandy Baird, Peggy Bonds, Natasha Brunton, Amy Donald, Heather Eslick, Jeff Frazier, Jennifer Lewin, Amy Neubauer, Carolyn O'Connor, Brian Owens, Jennifer Raulston, Betsy Sandlin, Larry Sims and Chris Van De Ven

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At the St. Andrew's-Sewanee School Honors Day Fritz Stine (above) received the academic award for Algebra II. Fritz, a rising 10th-grader from Sewanee, will attend the Vanderbilt Summer Academy for a three-week Fibonacci sequence camp

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# MSSA Opens 132nd **Season Sunday**

open free of charge to the public.

Anyone interested in a full schedule of the Monteagle Assembly's 2014 program may get one at the Assembly Office or go to the Assembly's website

The first week of the season features two keynote lectures by Charles Bierbauer, formerly CNN's senior White House correspondent for nine years during the Reagan and Bush administrations and currently dean of the College of Mass Communications and Information Studies at the University of South Carolina. On Tuesday, June 10, at 8:15 p.m., he will lecture on "Media and Politics 2014. "On Thursday, June 12, at 11 a.m., his topic will be "A Tale of Three Cities: Post-War Reflections on Berlin, St. Petersburg and Havana." Bierbauer

On Thursday evening, June 12, Lilli Steele, head of conservation at the Phil $lips\ Collection, will\ present\ a\ lecture\ on\ ``The\ Phillips\ Collection:\ Edgar\ Degas's$ Dancers at the Barre." She has published and lectured widely on the materials and techniques of Pierre-Auguste Renoir, Edgar Degas, Honore Daumier, Arthur Dove, Vassily Kandinsky, Jackson Pollock and Vincent van Gogh.

Monday, June 9—The University of the South School of Theology, Courtney Cowart, "An American Awakening: From Ground Zero to Katrina, the People We Are Free to Be"; Tuesday, June 10—Lost Boys Foundation, Dee Flower and Phillips Garang, "My Life as a Refugee in the United States by a Lost Boy of Sudan"; Wednesday, June 11—Director of Grundy County Food Bank Sandy Spies, "Feeding the Hungry as a Community Project"; Friday, June 13—Author Ridley Wills, "Lost Nashville Companies and Their Stories."

The Monteagle Sunday School Assembly opens its 132nd consecutive summer season of enrichment with an interdenominational worship service at 11 a.m., Sunday, June 8, in the Assembly's Warren Chapel. The eight-week season will continue through Sunday, Aug. 3, featuring numerous visiting lecturers who will present morning and evening programs in Warren Chapel that are

at <www.mssa1882.org>

# has had an award-winning, globe-trotting journalism career.

Additional free public lectures, all at 11 a.m. in Warren Chapel, during the first week of the Monteagle Assembly's 2014 season include:

### Summer Dining on Campus

McClurg Dining Hall will be open for summer hours (with the exception of June 6–8, when it will be closed until 5 p.m., Sunday, June 8).

Breakfast is served from 7 a.m. to 9 a.m. Lunch is served from 11 a.m. Wellness Coordinator; IT Administo 1 p.m. Dinner is served from 5 p.m. trator, School of Theology; Program-

The Globe is closed for the summer and will reopen on Saturday, Aug. 23. The Pub is closed for the summer and will reopen on Thursday, Aug. 28.

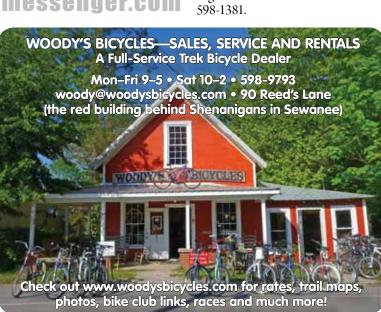
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To apply online or learn more go to <a href="http://hr.sewanee.edu/job\_post-">http://hr.sewanee.edu/job\_post-</a> ings>. For more information call



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

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



### Letters to the Editor Policy

Letters to the editor are welcome at the Sewanee Mountain Messenger and are a vital part of our community's conversation. Letters need to be no longer than 250 words and may be edited for space and clarity.

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The Sewanee Utility District of Franklin and Marion Counties 2013 Water Quality Report will be published in the Sewanee Mountain Messenger on Friday, June 13. This report will not be direct-mailed to customers, but you may request a copy by calling (931) 598-5611. The report will also be available online at http://www.sewaneeutility. org/2013\_SUD\_WQR.pdf.

### **Upcoming Events** & Meetings

### Cowan Market Opens Saturday

The first Cowan Market of the season will be Saturday, June 7. Local farmers and gardeners will be selling farm-fresh eggs, produce, plants and more from 7 a.m. to 12 p.m. in the area behind the Cowan

#### Elam at Academy of Lifelong Learning Thurday

The Academy of Lifelong Learning will gather at 12 p.m., Thursday, June 12, at St. Mary's Sewanee. Dr. Roy Elam will talk about "Mindfulness: Search Inside Yourself."

Elam is a Sewanee graduate and has been an internist at Vanderbilt for many years. He is the medical director for the Center for Integrative Medicine at Vanderbilt. As a student of "mind-body medicine," Elam has developed a program using mindfulness techniques to help patients suffering from chronic pain. He will share techniques that everyone can use in their daily lives that improve all aspects of health. To order a box lunch (\$10) call 598-5342 or email <reservations@stmaryssewanee. org>. For more information about the Academy for Lifelong Learning, call Anne Davis at (931) 924-4465.

#### **Community Meeting on Cat Spaying Options**

Community members are invited to provide input at town meetings around Franklin County on spay/neuter options for free-roaming, feral and owned cats. The group will meet at 7:15 p.m., Thursday, June 12, in the American Legion Hall in Sewanee.

Animal Harbor and Franklin County Animal Control have organized meetings across the county. PetSmart Charities is offering grants to help communities promote spay/neuter programs to reduce pet overpopulation, slow the spread of feline illness, prevent the suffering of homeless cats and kittens, and lower the euthanasia rate in the county. To apply for this grant, information on the stray cat populations in various parts of the county is needed, as well as the number of pet owners who need help funding a spay/neuter for their cats. For more information call (931) 636-0388.

#### Friends of South Cumberland Annual Meeting June 14

Members and others interested in the Friends of the South Cumberland (FSC) will gather at 12 p.m., Saturday, June 14, at the park visitor center in Monteagle for FSC's annual meeting. The gathering will begin with a potluck picnic (fried chicken and beverages will be provided). At this event, the Jim Prince Memorial Award will be presented to someone for outstanding service to the park. There will also be a guest speaker from the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation and music by Bazzania. For more information or to volunteer to help with the event, email Rhonda Pilkington at <scsra@comcast.net>.

# Grundy Historical Society Annual Meeting

of the Grundy County Historical of Our Past." Society will be at 2 p.m., Saturday, June 14, in the Heritage Center. The public

Catelina Jordon Alvarez will be about the Grundy Area Arts Counthis year. She also serves on the decil's production of "The Other Side velopment/museum committee. For of the Mountain." Alvarez wrote a many years Parrott was clerk of the play adapted from a 1931 novel by circuit court of Grundy County and local author May Justus with students is active in several organizations, at Coalmont Elementary School. The including the Southeast Tennessee project was sponsored by Grundy Area Tourism Board. Arts Council and funded by South Cumberland Community Fund.

The following persons will be nommeeting. Additional nominations may be made from the floor:

For vice president—Lanny Bell. Bell lives in Tracy City and is now a director at large from membership, a position he will vacate if elected vice president. He also serves on the an engineer with Arnold Engineering Development Center.

Consolidated Coal Company Library is nominated to succeed himself for and Research Center Committee— Janelle L. Taylor of Pelham. She is cur-Publications and Publicity Commitrently serving as acting chairperson tee format, organize and publish the of the committee and is nominated to fill that position for a three-year term. the archivist for the Tennessee Confer-She has served as the immediate past ence of the United Methodist Church president of the organization. Taylor has extensive archival experience and steered the publication of "The Heri- 465 Railroad Ave., Tracy City.

The annual meeting of members tage of Grundy County" and "Pictures

For chairperson of the Publications and Publicity Committee—Sue Bouldin Parrott of Tracy City. She has been a devoted worker on the cemetery showing her videos, including one book scheduled for publication later

For director at large from membership—Michael Brady. He resides in Tarlton Valley and is nominated to fill inated as candidates for election at the the remaining term (June 2014) upon election of Lanny Bell as vice president. He is an elected Grundy County commissioner from the 1st district. He chairs Grundy First, an organization dedicated to improvement of the economy of Grundy County and the quality of life of its citizens. Brady is finance committee. He is retired as employed in the office of the assessor of Grundy County.

For director at large from commu-For chairperson of the Tennessee nity—Von Unruh of Monteagle. He a three-year term. He is helping the forthcoming cemetery book. Unruh is in Nashville.

The Heritage Center is located at

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#### Rosemary Anne Penman

Rosemary Anne Penman was born on Friday, May 23, 2014, at Touro Hospital in New Orleans to Avery Sampson Penman and Martin Douglas Penman.

Maternal parents are Carol and Drew Sampson of Sewanee.

### "Behold How Good" **Celebration** on Sunday

Community members and Sewanee alumni, faculty and friends will gather at 1:30 p.m., Sunday, June 8, for the "Behold How Good" celebration and fund-raiser.

The event is in response to a recent decision by the University chancellor, vice-chancellor, Episcopal bishops on the board of regents and the University chaplain to allow a same-sex couple to receive a blessing in All Saints' Chapel.

At 1:30 p.m., the group will gather in front of duPont Library and walk to All Saints' Chapel for silent reflection and a short prayer in the chapel. After that, the group will walk to the Angel Park. Participants will be encouraged to make donations to the Sewanee Ănnual Fund and to the Rainbow Fund, an endowment fund at the University that will provide financial aid for a student who supports equality for all, including gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgendered persons.

For more information go to <www.facebook.com/groups/ 1502835356602496/>.

### **SES Summer** Reading Program

The Sewanee Parent Organization and the Sewanee Elementary School library are sponsoring the SES "Summer Super Reader" reading incentive program.

Students who will be in first through fifth grades next year are encouraged to read frequently this summer and keep a record of the books they read. In the fall, special prizes will be awarded to students in each grade who read the most.

Summer reading logs can be found on the website of Sewanee Elementary School, < www.edline.net/pages/se wanee elementary schoo

> We're glad you're reading the Messenger.

### June is Busting Out All Over A Dinner at



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## Obituaries

#### Lucy M. Rowe Bright

Lucy M. Rowe Bright, age 57 of Cowan, died on May 28, 2014. She was born on Oct. 5, 1956. She was preceded in death by her father, Johnny Rowe.

She is survived by her mother, Bonnie Powell of Cowan; sons, Anthony Bright Jr. and Quincy Russell, both of Cowan; sister, Karen (Michael) Taylor of Decherd; and one granddaughter and many other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were on May 31 in the funeral home chapel. Interment followed in Watson-North Memorial Park, Winchester. For complete obituary go to <www.watsonnorth.com>.

#### Jimmy Gilliam

Jimmy Gilliam, age 67 of Pelham, died on May 31, 2014, at his home. He was born on March 21, 1947, in Franklin County to Robert and Clarcie Mae Meeks Gilliam. He was a member of Roarks Cove Baptist Church. He was preceded in death by his wife, Mary Ann; and sisters Lucille, Nurvie and Della.

He is survived by his sons, Jimmy Gilliam Jr. of Hillsboro and Timmy Gilliam of Pelham; daughter, Sue Ann (Max) Owens of Arkansas; brothers, Harold, Ronnie, Robert, David and Bill; sisters Unis, Dede Mae and Stella; and two grandchildren, one great-grandchild, and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were on June 3 at Roarks Cove Baptist Church with the Rev. David McGee officiating. Interment followed in Hill Cemetery, Alto. For complete obituary go to <www. moorecortner.com>.

#### Bradley "Soldier" Wade Melton

Bradley "Soldier" Wade Melton, age 41 of Decherd, died on May 24, 2014, at Centennial Hospital in Nashville. He was preceded in death by his mother, Joan Sawyer.

His is survived by his father, Donald Melton of Decherd; sister, Mindy Melton of Monteagle; brother, Timothy Melton of Alto; and three nephews and one niece. A private memorial service will be at a later date. For complete obituary go to <www.davesculbertsonfuneralhome.com>.

### Cheri Maxine Garner Miller

Cheri Maxine Garner Miller, age 70 of Tullahoma, died on May 23 2014, at Harton Regional Medical Center. She was born in Sherwood to Pearl Edith Garner and Floyd Damon Garner Sr. She was a teacher in the Franklin County School System for

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many years. She was a lifelong member Huntsville Hospital. He was born on of Sherwood Emmanuel Apostolic Sept. 29, 1925 in West Point, Miss. He Church. She was preceded in death by her parents and brother Ralph Taylor

She is survived by her son, Clifton Guard and the Merchant Marines. He N. (Joanna) Miller of Tullahoma; sisters, Virginia A. Burns of Fayetteville and Edith Ann Besheres of Manchester; brothers Floyd Damon Garner Jr. of Madison, Ala., and Forrest Allen Garner of Athens, Texas; and three grandchildren.

Funeral services were on May 26 at Moore Cortner Funeral Home. Interment followed in Franklin Memorial Gardens. For complete obituary go to <www.moorecortner.com>.

#### June B. Peters

June B. Peters, age 91, died on May 22, 2014, at home in Sewanee. She was born on June 3, 1923, in Chicago, Ill., and retired to Sewanee in 1986 with her husband. She was preceded in death by her parents; and husband, Robert. She loved the natural beauty of the Cumberland Plateau.

She is survived by children, Linda C. Peters of Sewanee, Christopher J. (Laura) Peters of Hoffman Estates, Ill., and James R. (Cheri) Peters of Sewanee; and three grandchildren.

A private memorial service will be held with the Rev. Joe Novenson, Presbyterian Church officiating. In and their families. lieu of flowers, those who wish to do so may make a donation to a charity of choice in her name. For complete obituary go to <www.cumberlandfuneralhome.net>.

#### **Charles William Syler**

Charles William Syler, age 77 of Cowan, died on May 25, 2014, at Harton Regional Medical Center. He had served in the U.S. Navy and was a supervisor at AEDC. He was preceded in death by his parents, Charles Wilburn Syler and Effie Roark Syler; wife, Elizabeth M. Syler; and stepson, Ronny Knott.

He is survived by his son, Darryl Rhonda) Syler of Dublin, Ohio; daughter-in-law, Debbie Knott of Smyrna; and eight grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were on May 27 in the funeral home chapel with the Rev. Tim Brown officiating. Interment followed in Cowan Montgomery Cemetery. For complete obituary go to <www.moorecortner.com>.

### Jo John Williams Jr.

Jo John Williams Jr., age 88 of Stevenson, Ala., died on May 28, 2014, in

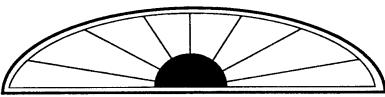
### **UPCOMING RETREATS**

### **One Day Centering Prayer** Workshop

Saturday, July 26 The Rev. Tom Ward, presenter \$50, Lunch included

### **Introduction to Dreamwork: Unopened Letters from God**

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# **Church News**

### Christ Church, Monteagle

Christ Church, Monteagle, will celebrate the Feast of Pentecost on Sunday, June 8. Pentecost is a major Holy Day, and Christ Church will celebrate it with prayers at sunset on Saturday and a few fireworks! On Sunday they will also celebrate the completion of some repairs on the Johannus organ. The service begins at 10:30 a.m.; lunch is served about 12 p.m.

#### First Baptist Church, Monteagle

The First Baptist Church in Monteagle is hosting a benefit waffle supper for Gail Harris of Monteagle, 4–7 p.m., Thursday, June 19, at the church. All donations will be greatly appreciated.

#### **Otey Memorial Parish Church**

Otey Parish will have a family Eucharist, followed by a picnic potluck supper at 5 p.m., Sunday, June 22. Worship will be a come-as-you-are service with a short homily and a few hymns. The parish will provide fried chicken and beverages. Please RSVP for supper to Pratt Paterson at <prattpaterson@ gmail.com>. Subsequent dates will be July 13 and Aug. 10.

#### **Vacation Bible School Meeting**

There will be a planning meeting for this summer's Vacation Bible phone 598-9949 with the theme, time, date and place, plus specific details that School at 10 a.m., Saturday, June 14, senior pastor of Lookout Mountain might be important to area children in the St. James parish hall. "Workshop of Wonders—Imagine and Build with

God" is the theme for the communitywide VBS hosted by St. James, July 7-11. Children age 4 (who have had structured preschool) to those entering grade five are welcome as campers. Youth entering grades six through 12 are welcome as guides and helpers. Sponsoring churches are St. James, Southeastern Tennessee Episcopal Ministries and Otey Parish.

Volunteers are needed for music leader (DVD provided), crafts, outdoor activities, snacks, group guides, science activity related to the scripture for the day and Bible storyteller.

For more information contact the Rev. Linda Hutton by email, <just linda@charter.net>.

#### St. James Episcopal Church

Bring the family and friends at 5:30 p.m., Friday, June 6, to St. James Episcopal Church on Midway Road for "First Friday Fun." Bring potluck goodies to share and prepare to laugh and enjoy the fellowship.

All are welcome.

#### **Unitarian Universalist**

At the 10 a.m., Sunday, June 8, gathering at the Unitarian Universalist Church of Tullahoma, Nathan Payne will talk about "The State of Electricity, Local and Abroad, Current and Future." For more information call (931) 455-8626 or go to <www.uutul lahoma.org>.

#### Monday–Friday, June 9–13

was preceded in death by his parents;

and wife Dorothy "Dot" Mae McCoy

Williams. He served in the U.S. Coast

sat on the Alabama Farmers Co-op

board, the First Southern State Bank

board and the Federal Reserve Bank

James (Jeanne) Williams of Hol-

lywood, Ala.; and two grandchildren.

30. Interment was in Stevenson City

Cemetery. For complete obituary go

to <www.rudderfuneralhomes.com>.

VBS:

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His survivors include his son,

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advisory board.

7:00 am Morning Prayer, St. Mary's (not Monday)

7:30 am Morning Prayer, Otey

8:00 am Holy Eucharist, St. Mary's (not Monday)

12:30 pm Noon Prayer, St. Mary's (not Monday)

4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey

5:00 pm Evening Prayer, St. Mary's (not Monday)

### Saturday, June 7

7:30 am Morning Prayer, St. Mary's 8:00 am Holy Eucharist, St. Mary's

9:30 am Holy Eucharist, St. Andrew's-Sewanee Chapel 10:00 am Monteagle 7th Day Adventist Sabbath School

11:00 am Monteagle 7th Day Adventist Worship Service 5:00 pm Evening Prayer, St. Mary's

#### Sunday, June 8 • Pentecost Sunday All Saints' Chapel

8:00 am Holy Eucharist Bible Baptist Church, Monteagle

10:00 am Morning Service

5:30 pm Evening Service

Christ Church, Monteagle

10:30 am Holy Eucharist

10:45 am Children's Sunday School

12:50 pm Christian formation class

Christ Church Episcopal, Alto

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

Christ Church Episcopal, Tracy City

11:00 am Holy Eucharist

11:00 am Children's Sunday School

Church of the Holy Comforter, Monteagle

9:00 am Holy Eucharist Cowan Fellowship Church

10:00 am Sunday School

11:00 am Worship Service Cowan Montgomery Cemetery

6:30 am Community Sunrise Service

Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Sewanee

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

Decherd United Methodist Church

9:45 am Sunday School

10:50 am Worship Epiphany Episcopal Church, Sherwood

10:30 am Children's Sunday School

10:45 am Holy Eucharist

First United Methodist Church, Tracy City

8:30 am Worship Service 9:45 am Sunday School

11:00 am Worship Service 6:00 pm Bible study, prayer meeting

Good Shepherd Catholic Church, Decherd 10:30 am Mass

Grace Fellowship 10:30 am Sunday School/Worship Service

### **Harrison Chapel Methodist**

10:00 am Sunday School

11:00 am Worship Service 5:00 pm Evening Worship Service

Midway Baptist Church

10:00 am Sunday School

11:00 am Morning Service

6:00 pm Evening Service

Midway Church of Christ

10:00 am Bible Study 11:00 am Morning Service

6:00 pm Evening Service

Morton Memorial United Methodist, Monteagle

9:45 am Sunday School

11:00 am Worship Service

New Beginnings Church, Jump Off

10:30 am Worship Service

Otey Memorial Parish 8:50 am Holy Eucharist

10:00 am Lectionary Class, Brooks Hall

11:00 am Holy Eucharist

**Pelham United Methodist Church** 9:45 am Sunday School

11:00 am Worship Service

St. Agnes' Episcopal, Cowan

11:00 am Holy Eucharist Rite I St. James Episcopal

9:00 am Holy Eucharist Rite II

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

St. Mary's Convent

8:00 am Holy Eucharist

5:00 pm Evensong

Sewanee Church of God 10:00 am Sunday School

11:00 am Morning Service

6:00 pm Evening Service Society of Friends

9:30 am Meeting, 598-5031

Tracy City First Baptist Church 9:45 am Sunday School

10:45 am Morning Worship 5:30 pm Youth

6:00 pm Evening Worship **Trinity Episcopal, Winchester** 

9:00 am Holy Eucharist

10:00 am Children's Sunday School

### Wednesday, June 11 • Feast of St. Barnabas

6:00 am Morning Prayer, Cowan Fellowship

12:00 pm Holy Eucharist, Christ Church, Monteagle

5:30 pm Evening Worship, Bible Baptist, Monteagle 5:30 pm Youth Fellowship, 1st United Methodist, Tracy

6:00 pm Youth (AWANA), Tracy City First Baptist 6:30 pm Evening Prayer, Trinity, Winchester

7:00 pm Evening Worship, Harrison Chapel, Midway 7:00 pm Adult Christian Ed, Epiphany, Sherwood

7:00 pm Evening Worship, Tracy City First Baptist



Charles W. Clowdis of Monteagle (right) was the keynote speaker at the Shale Rail Summit in Calgary, Canada, in May. The group met to discuss the rapidly growing transport of crude oil via railroads. Clowdis is the managing director of global trade and transport for IHS, a global market information and analytics company.

### May Lease Report

At the May 2014 Lease Committee meeting, the following items were approved: a request to convert a porch into an interior room on Lease No. 600, 31 Hawkins Lane; request to transfer Lease No. 1040 (Ott), 101 John Allin Dr., to Terry Papillon; request to extend the new wooden platform, install another removable sun shade and remove cedar trees (pending the domain manager's approval) in the front yard of the Blue Chair Tavern, 35 University Ave.; and a request from Folks at Home to sublease space from Southern Community Bank, Lease No. 912, 141 University Ave.

Leasehold information is available online at <leases.sewanee.edu> or by calling the lease office at 598-1998. The next meeting is scheduled for June 17. Agenda items are due by June 10.

# **Senior Center** News

#### Volunteer Help Needed

The Sewanee Senior Center is in desperate need of volunteers to help with the lunch preparation and dishes on Tuesdays and Thursdays in June. If you can help, please contact the center.

#### Annual Meeting and Luncheon June 21

The June covered-dish luncheon will be at 12 p.m., Saturday, June 21. Following the luncheon, the center will have its annual business meeting and elect new board members and officers. All are welcome.

#### **Senior Menus**

The Sewanee Senior Center serves lunch at noon on weekdays. The suggested donation is \$3 (50 or older) or \$5 (under 50). Please call by 9 a.m. to order lunch. If you have made a reservation for lunch but do not come eat, please be prepared to pay for your meal. Menus may vary.

**June 9:** Bacon cheeseburger, tater tots, cottage cheese, peaches,

**June 10:** Philly steak sandwich, chips, dessert.

**June 11:** Stuffed tomato with tuna or chicken salad, crackers, dessert. June 12: White beans and ham, turnip greens, fried potatoes, corn-

**June 13:** Pork chop, macaroni and cheese, green beans, roll, dessert.

#### **Summer Activities**

The Senior Center will have many continuing activities this summer. Please note that chair exercises will not meet again until September. On Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m., the group plays bingo with prizes. Wednesdays at 10 a.m., the writing group gathers at 212 Sherwood Rd. Fridays at 10 a.m. is game day.

#### Participation at the Center

The Sewanee Senior Center does not charge any membership fee. All persons 50 or older who take part in any of the activities are considered members of the Sewanee Senior Center organization. All are welcome to attend board meetings and the quarterly covered-dish lunches.

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

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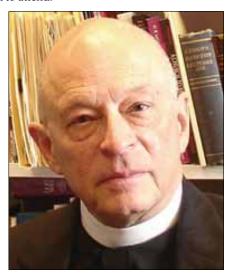
<ads@sewaneemessenger.com> to learn more.

### "The Anglican Liturgical Future" Lecture

Louis Weil will lecture on the "Challenges and Possibilities in the Anglican Liturgical Future" at 7 p.m., Wednesday, June 18, in Hamilton Hall's Hargrove Auditorium. The public is invited to attend.

Weil will be in Sewanee as a guest instructor for the School of Theology's 2014 Advanced Degrees Program session. There will be a reception immediately following the lecture, where Weil will sign copies of his books.

Weil is the Hodges-Haynes Professor Emeritus of Liturgics at the Church Divinity School of the Pacific, where he began teaching in 1988. Prior to that, he had taught for seventeen years at Nashotah House in Wisconsin. He began teaching in 1961 as a member of the faculty of El Seminario Episcopal del Caribe, in Carolina, Puerto Rico. He is a priest of the Episcopal Diocese of California.



Louis Weil

In the field of liturgical studies, Weil's interests have been wide-ranging, with a primary focus upon the sacraments of initiation and the Eucharist. Other interests have included the place of children in the worshipping community, and the relation of the arts to Christian faith and practice. In 2013 the North American Academy of Liturgy named Weil the recipient of its Berakah Award for his contributions to liturgical studies.

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7:00pm SSMF at Cowan

uesday, July 15

8:15pm SSMF at

School Assembly

Monteagle Sunday



7:30pm Faculty Artist

7:30pm Faculty Artist Series

Wednesday, July 16

7:00pm Student

Showcase (FREE)

8:30pm Documentary

showing: 'Béla Fleck:

How to Write a Banjo

Concerto'\*

Thursday, July 10 8:15pm Cumberland Orchestra at Monteagle Sunday School Assembly (FREE)

Avent Concerto

Concert\*

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Thursday, July 17 Friday, July 18 4:00pm Bassoon 7:30pm Jacqueline

Zoom VII (FREE) 7:30pm Student **Chamber Concert**  Saturday, June 28 4:00pm Student **Chamber Concert** 7:30pm Faculty Artist

Friday, July 04 Saturday, July 05

2:00pm SSMF 4:00pm Student Strolling Band (4th of **Chamber Concert** July parade - FREE) (FREE)

7:30pm Faculty Artist 7:00pm Fourth of July Series Patriotic Celebration Concert (FREE)

> Saturday, July 12 4:00pm Student **Chamber Concert**

> > (FREE) 7:30pm Faculty Artist Series

Saturday, July 19 4:00pm Student Chamber Concert (FREE) 7:30pm Faculty Artist

Series - world premiere of a work by Béla Fleck\* 10:00pm Festival Brass

Concert (FREE)

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Sunday, July 20 Week 4 Concerts

2:30pm Cumberland Orchestra

3:30pm Sewanee Symphony featuring Béla Fleck, banjo\*

Please Note: Calendar starts on Monday, all times are Central Standard Time

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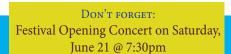












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### **SUD** (from page 1)

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SUD Board President Cliff Huffman said the board would "need to rewrite the policy" to authorize an adjustment to the customer's bill. According to SUD's bill adjustment policy for water leaks, leaks between the meter and the foundation of a home qualify for a 50 percent bill reduction, but the policy does not provide for bill adjustment for leaks within the residence.

Beavers said SUD could provide relief in the form of "payments for as long as you need with no interest and no penalty."

Offering especially pertinent advice to SUD customers who plan to go on vacation in the coming months, commissioner Karen Singer said, "When you leave town, we recommend you turn off your water."

The SUD board will not meet in June. The next regular business meeting is scheduled for July 8.

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Creighton's Store

### Creighton's Store in Coalmont Benefit June 14

Mark your calendar for Saturday, June 14, and plan to help save an important piece of Grundy County history at a "Summer Fling" at the historic Creighton's Store in Coalmont. Starting at 10 a.m., there will be a bake sale, yard sale, live entertainment throughout the day, and other activities until 10 p.m.

This little country store was always much more than a place to buy groceries. Creighton's Store, located on Highway 56 in Coalmont, just before the UT Extension office, was the oldest business in Coalmont when it closed in April 2012 after the death of Sam Creighton. Sam was the third generation of storekeepers, following his father, Robert A. "Bob" Creighton, and grandfather William "Pappy" Creighton. The Creighton family touched many lives and were major benefactors to those in need for several generations.

Donations of baked goods, yard sale items and cash are appreciated. Call Lyn at (931) 592-9360 or (865) 696-1344 to arrange donation pickup or delivery. All proceeds go toward restoring, repurposing and preserving this historic site, which has held a special place in the hearts of many on the plateau for nearly a century.

### St. Andrew's-Sewanee School Welcomes Alumni and Friends

St. Andrew's-Sewanee will welcome several hundred alumni for the school's annual Alumni Weekend, June 6–8. St. Andrew's-Sewanee, formed by the merger of Sewanee Academy and St. Andrew's School in 1981, also welcomes the alumni of its parent schools, including St. Mary's School and the Sewanee Military Academy (SMA). Milestone reunions this year are from the class years ending in 4 and 9, but many SAS alumni and their families make this an annual pilgrimage.

The weekend begins today (Friday), June 6, with the SAS Golf Classic. In the evening there will be dinner under the tent on the SAS Quad accompanied by a jazz trio led by Herschel Van Dyke, '03. The evening will end with a bonfire.

On Saturday, June 7, will be the Centennial Chapel Celebration Mass with the Most Rev. Dr. Katharine Jefferts Schori, Presiding Bishop of the Episcopal Church in the United States.

Saturday continues with the Champagne Awards and Medallion Brunch, where this year's Distinguished Alumni Award will be given to Richard Manship, SMA'64. Manship has had a successful career in print and broadcast media. He is president and chief executive officer of Louisiana Television Broadcasting LLC (WBRZ-TV) and Mobile Video Tapes Inc. (KRGV-TV) and former president of the Advocate and the St. Andrew's-Sewanee School board of trustees. Members of the 50th reunion classes will receive their medallions.

Following Saturday's brunch, two sandstone benches will be dedicated. Academy alumni will convene for their annual memorial service at Sewanee's Chapel of the Apostles. At 1:30 p.m. in the St. Andrew's Chapel, the Rev. William S. Wade, former head of school, will present a lecture on his research of St. Andrew's School history. At 2:45 p.m. University alumnus Nathan Shults will present a talk on SMA history at the Chapel of the Apostles. The history lectures are open to the public.

After a variety of parties across campus early Saturday evening, all alumni reconvene under the tent for dinner and entertainment. Chris Behre, StA '77, will perform a wide range of cover tunes and original music.

If you live anywhere near Tennessee Avenue, expect to be awakened Sunday morning at 9 a.m. by the sounds of the Highlander Pipes and Drums Corps. Led

by the 50th reunion class, former cadets will re-enact their weekly march from Quintard to All Saints' Chapel. This is a highlight of the weekend for the SMA alumni, and residents of Sewanee often come out to welcome the marchers along the route.

The weekend concludes with a 10 a.m. Holy Eucharist service in St. Andrew's Chapel, followed by the Farewell Brunch.

Throughout the weekend there will be activities for children, swimming and canoeing at the Res, late night bonfires

The Chapel Centennial Celebration, history lectures, Sunday march, and church service are free and open to the public. Area alumni are encouraged to register online on the school's main website at <www.sasweb.org> or by contacting the Alumni Office by email to <sasalumni@sasweb.org>. Registration will also be available on-site Friday and Saturday.

### Summer Conferences This Week at Sewanee

At the University of the South, conferences run throughout the summer months from May 15 to August 4. The following are the conferences that are beginning June 5–9.

**Tiger Tennis Camp** has four sessions in the month of June. This week's session will be June 8–13. The Junior Tennis Camps are divided into the Camp of Champions and Tiger Tennis Camp. The Camp of Champions is for state and sectionally ranked junior players who want high intensity training. Tiger Tennis Camp is for players whose levels range from beginners and intermediates through high school athletes.

**Summer School** runs from June 8 to July 20. It offers an opportunity for College students to take special courses not normally available during the academic year to broaden their academic program.

**Summer in Spain** is June 8–18. It explores the phenomenon of pilgrimage—in particular, the medieval pilgrimage route to Santiago de Compostela in Spain—as a means of understanding medieval Spanish literature and art. The group spends 10 days in Sewanee, two weeks in Madrid and the surrounding area, and three-and-one-half weeks traversing the north of Spain along the pilgrimage road itself.

**Delta Kappa Gamma** has its annual meeting June 5–7 on campus. This professional honorary society of women educators promotes professional and personal growth of its members and excellence in education. This will be Delta Kappa Gamma's 64th gathering at Sewanee, which makes theirs the longest-standing summer conference.

**Sewanee School of Letters** takes place from June 8 to July 18 and is a summer program in Literature and Creative Writing, offering the Master of Arts and the Master of Fine Arts degrees. It is a high-quality graduate program for students who have only summers to devote to study.

The School of Theology Advanced Degrees Program is June 9—to June 27. This post-ordination graduate degree program offers the Doctor of Ministry (D.Min.) in Liturgy and Preaching and Master of Sacred Theology with an optional Anglican Studies track.



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### KILLINGTHYME

by Buck Gorrell



Lately, I've been reciting a popular line from Monty Python. "Bring out your dead!" has been ringing in my head since the emergence of the foliage this spring. I doubt anyone will argue this winter was a killer, and the dead are now obvious. Some things were not much of a surprise, while others were not only a surprise but very disappointing.

The greatest surprise was the huge rosemary at the corner of what is now University Realty. Although rosemary is notoriously fragile, this particular one was a behemoth when I first relocated to Sewanee in 1998. Obviously, it had several winters under its belt, some of which saw weeks of single digits. This year, however, it succumbed.

I'm curious whose rosemary has survived and why. This specimen was ideally located on the southeast corner of a brick building with good strong light and radiant heat from the brick. That location undoubtedly gave it some berth in past winters. For those who wish to plant rosemary, "Arp" is a cultivar with a reputation for hardiness beyond its kin. Drainage is always an issue with any rosemary, so prepare a large spot.

Another surprise was a redbud I transplanted as a twig (with permission always) about six years ago. It and its sibling have grown to 15 feet tall with trunks about 4 inches at the base. The sibling fared fine just a few yards away, but the plant in question died to the ground. It has spit out several new branches from the base, however. A hard pruning, of the one-cut at-the-ground variety, will get rid of the ugly.

My fig tree, which topped my roof with trunks the size of my leg at the base, also died to the ground. I pruned everything back to chest height very early this spring to get it out of the eaves and optimize harvesting height. Warmer weather brought great consternation, as no buds appeared. I feared the pruning had something to do with it but knew the fig might have been winter-killed despite excellent siting by previous owners. As I was beginning to mourn, multiple sprouts appeared from the base.

Crepe myrtles and even a beautyberry around town have suffered the same as my fig and redbud: empty stalks that sometimes sport new growth at the base. Several such crepe myrtles adorn the front of Cooley's Rift. Again, cutting them down and starting over is the only solution short of replacement.

All of this is to say that keeping one's eyes open never fails to offer an educational opportunity. Looking around right now will provide great information for future plant selections. Plants have done all they can to show signs of life, so prune at will.

# **NEW TO THE AREA?**

Go to www.TheMountainNow.com to learn more about your new hometown. Information about Cowan, Monteagle, Sewanee and Tracy City.

### Serbian Leaders Study Area Schools

Four young academics from Serbian universities visited Franklin County in May to study how students in the United States are prepared for employment through the educational system. They were here through the Open World program that brings young civic leaders from Russia, Serbia, Ukraine, Kosovo and other countries for short-term professional trips.

Friendship Force of South Central Tennessee served as the group's local sponsor. Connie Kelley of Sewanee and Crocia Roberson of Winchester assisted as coordinators for activities at Franklin County High School and at the University of the South.

Although the Serbian higher education system has undergone reformation in the past several years, it is focused on more innovative employment practices and ideas, particularly for young people facing near 50 percent unemployment levels. Education leaders wish to modernize by including new curricula and responding to their labor market needs.

As part of their tour, the group met with Lee Brannon to learn about the facilities and programs offered at Franklin County High School. They visited Sewanee, where Nate Wilson, domain manager, and college student Lydia Brown gave them a tour of the Domain. Economics professor Mare St. Pierre met with them and described the economics academic program. Kim Heitzenrater, director of career and leadership development at Sewanee, explained the programs of that office. In addition to learning more about Sewanee and FCHS, the group also met with representatives from many other colleges and technical schools across the state of Tennessee.



Trevor York (left) with Lynn Cimino-Hurt and Khylee Harshman

### Monteagle Sewanee Rotary Club Awards Scholarships

This year's Monteagle Sewanee Rotary Scholarship award winners at Grundy County High School are Khylee Harshman and Trevor York. Lynn Cimino-Hurt, the club's administrator, presented the \$1,000 awards on May 23 at the school's award ceremony.

Khylee Harsham is the daughter of Tammy Banks of Manchester and Brian Harshman of Pelham, and Trevor York is the grandson of Jerry Johnson of Tracy City and the son of Daphne Whitehead of Troy, Tenn.

This fall, Khylee will be entering Tennessee Tech University in Cookeville, and Trevor will be entering Lee University in Cleveland, Tenn.



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Zephan Wiley and Austin Cash performed at the SES Talent Show in May.

Sophia Carlos;

McKeon Whitsett.

Knoll

4th grade—Landon Barnes and

**5th grade**—Jenna Black, Sarah

Brooks Donald and John Turner

**BUG Club** 

(students who <u>b</u>rought <u>up</u> grades

without letting any go down)

4th grade—Trey Cash, Tanner

King, Avery Milford, Namtso Norbu,

Aidan Patterson, Michael Poggi,

Sage Pool, Elijah Seavey, Eden Sells,

Kennedi Thomas, Autumn Welch and

Citizenship Award

(selected by their teachers)

**K**—Lilly Crigger and Eliza Griffey;

Roberts; 2nd grade—Kaleb Jacobs

and Kaden King; **3rd grade**—Spears

**grade**—Rhys Fricker and Skyla Scott;

Templeton Award

(selected by their peers as most

exemplifying the character trait

"responsibility")

Cassell and Will Turrell; 1st grade—

Lilly Evans and Dixon Poggi; 2nd

grade—Drew DeLorme and Brianna

Garner; **3rd grade**—Kyler Cantrell

and Madeline Sumpter; **4th grade**—

Riley Burnette and Trey Cash; **5th** 

grade—Sarah Grace Burns and

Lauren Ostrowski.

Pre-K—Brady Hall; K—Jack

**1st grade**—Sienna Barry and Ellie

Pre-K-Sean Adam Carlos;

**3rd grade**—Eddie McBee;

### **SES Honor Rolls & Awards**

Sewanee Elementary School Laken Laurendine, Eddie McBee, principal Mike Maxon announced Caleb Palmertree, Elizabeth Taylor, honor rolls and award recipients Hunter Weaver, Alex Waldrup and for the final six-week period of the Haley Wallace; 2013-14 school year.

#### First Honor Roll

3rd grade—Spears Askew, Emily Bailey, Kierra Buchanan, Kyler Cantrell, Ava Carlos, Lucy Cassell, Laura Crigger, David Dolack, Jenny Hammer, Madison King, Samantha Lu, Luca Malde, Libby Neubauer, Ryan Ostrowski, Edie Paterson, McKee Paterson, Isabel Patterson, Ava Sanson, Beth Stevenson, Madeline Sumpter and Ada Watkins;

**4th grade**—Riley Burnette, Trey Cash, Gus Croom, Mac Croom, Logan Davis, Michaela Gifford, Tanner King, Dallon Marshall, Michael Poggi and McKeon Whitsett;

5th grade—Myers Gorrell, Nathan King, Porter Neubauer and Justine Rogers.

### Second Honor Roll

3rd grade—Noah Cowan, Eliza Donald, Daniel Habbick, Min Xi Huskey, Morgan Jackson and Michael Pongdee;

4th grade—Avery Milford, Namtso Norbu, Sage Pool, Elijah Seavey, Eden Sells, Eli Thompson and Autumn Welch;

**5th grade**—Haley Cash, Camden Eslick, Meredith Foster, Hunter Hoosier, Calem Knight, Zolon Knoll, Lauren Ostrowski, Diana Rung, Emma Stevenson, Allie Vaughn and Sean Willis.

#### ABBA BABBA Club

(all As and Bs)

3rdgrade—Samuel Dykes, Victor Eichler, Landon Havner, Charlie King,

### Sewanee Numerous local residents received degrees at the University's 2014 commencement ceremonies on May 11, while others were named to the Dean's List.

Graduates: William Crawford Anderson was awarded a B.A. in German. He is the son of Katherine M. Anderson of Monteagle.

**Students** 

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Lacey Leigh Oliver was awarded a B.A. in English, cum laude. She is the daughter of Michael C. Oliver of Pelham.

William Thomas Noggle was awarded a B.S. in Environmental Studies: Ecology and Biodiversity; and in German, magna cum laude. Grace Burns, Abbi Cassell, Mary
He is the son of Joanne Filchock

> Erik Joseph Obermiller was awarded a B.S. in mathematics. He is the son of Max Obermiller of Sewanee and of Regina and Keith Childress of Sewanee.

Benjamin Stapleton Calder was awarded a B.A. in Environmental Studies: Natural Resources and the Environment. He is the son of Sarah H. Stapleton of Sewanee.

Martin Alexander Knoll of Sewanee was awarded a B.A. in psychology. He is the son of Marion and Martin Albert Knoll of Sewanee.

Dean's List (a minimum GPA of 3.625 on a 4.0 scale):

Laurel Elise Anderson, daughter of Katherine M. Anderson of Mon-Askew and Michael Pongdee; 4th teagle.

Margaret Emerson Oliver, daugh-5th grade—Nathan King and Zolon ter of Katie and Parker Oliver of Se-

> Margaret Evans Koella, daughter of Elizabeth and Louis E. Koella of Sewanee.

> Samuel Pierce Myers, son of Annwn and Dixon Myers of Sewanee.

> William Thomas Noggle, son of Joanne Filchock of Sewanee.

> Virginia Tillman Flowers of Sewanee, daughter of Lauren Farrington Flowers, and Carole and Douglass Taylor Flowers.

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**~Contract/Release Stretching and Fascial Release Classes** will meet at noon on Friday.

Classes are \$12 per single class, \$10 if purchased in monthly blocks. Discounts for attending four or more classes per week. **Contact Kim Butters, PMA Pilates Instructor** and AFAA Personal Trainer (423) 322-1443 or kim\_butters59@hotmail.com

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## **ATTEMOVIES**

**SEWANEE UNION THEATRE** Friday–Monday, June 6–9, 7:30 p.m. The LEGO Movie

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If you think LEGO means "kid movie," you will miss out on one of the spring's best films, albeit an animated one that uses plastic figures to tell its story. "The LEGO Movie" is a simple story: a regular guy (well, a LEGO minifigure) learns he is the key to saving the world. The movie follows his hilarious and surprising response to his new calling. With great voice casting (Will Arnett, Will Ferrell, Morgan Freeman, Elizabeth Banks and Chris Pratt), this is one fun and wonderful movie not to miss. Rated PG for mild action and rude humor.

#### SEWANEE UNION THEATRE Thursday-Monday, June 12-16, 7:30 p.m. The Monuments Men

Rated PG-13 • 118 minutes

George Clooney's latest project, "The Monuments Men," is the mostly true story of how a group of unlikely soldiers save art masterpieces from the Nazis in World War II. Clooney adapted the book, directed, stars in (and probably paid for) the film, along with his buddies, Matt Damon, Bill Murray, John Goodman, Bob Balaban and Cate Blanchett. There's nothing wrong with a Clooney film/party, but "Monuments Men" misses the opportunity to be a great movie and ends up feeling a little dull. Still, there's lots of eye candy for women of a certain age. Rated PG-13 for some images of war violence and historical smoking.

#### Coming up at the SUT:

- "Divergent" (PG-13) June 19–23
- "Muppets Most Wanted" (PG) June 26–30 "Captain America: The Winter Soldier" (PG-13) July 10–14



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### Shakerag Workshops Welcome **Author and Illustrator**

The Shakerag Lecture Series sponsors a presentation by a special visiting artist for each of the two Shakerag Workshop sessions, June 8–14 and June 15–21. The first Shakerag Lecturer is award-winning author and illustrator Debra Frasier. She will talk at 7:30 p.m., Wednesday, June 11, in McCrory Hall for the Performing Arts on the campus of St. Andrew's-Sewanee School. She will talk about the creative process in her lecture "The Country of Lost." The event is open to the public. A reception will follow in the SAS gallery honoring Frasier and the Shakerag faculty artists.

Frasier is an author and illustrator of such children's classics as "On the Day You Were Born," "Miss Alaineus," "A Vocabulary Disaster" and most recently "SPIKE, Ugliest Dog in the Universe." Originally trained in textiles, Frasier's illustrations often use cloth techniques. In addition, she speaks to children, teachers and artists across the country about the creative process. Frasier believes that all people have "moments of feeling lost: for ideas, for direction, for the right path." In her lecture Frasier will discuss "practices that help navigate the creative person's landscape of doubts and questions."

Shakerag faculty members give brief presentations about their work on other weekday evenings at 7:15 p.m. in McCrory Hall, and these lectures are also open to the

public. The first session faculty talks are:



Debra Frasier

Monday, June 9—Jody Alexander, book-making; Bob Ebendorf, jewelry; and Catharine Ellis, natural dyeing. Tuesday, June 10—Connie Norman, pottery; Erica Spitzer Rasmussen, papermaking and sculpture; and Saul Becker, painting.

Thursday, June 12—Linda McFarling, pottery, and Greg Pond, digital arts.

Each June since 2004, St. Andrew's-Sewanee School has welcomed accomplished and aspiring artists to Shakerag Workshops for two one-week sessions of studio classes and lectures. Shakerag 2014 focuses on multiple media including paper sculpturing, sculptural weaving, electronic media, drawing, painting, textiles, paper cutting, clay, making books, photography, printmaking, and natural dyeing. For more information go to <www.shakerag.org> or contact Claire Reishman at (931) 598-5651, ext. 3165.

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# Auditions for Tullahoma Country Show

Auditions for the 35th Annual "South Jackson Goes Country" Show will be at 2 p.m., Sunday, June 15, and at 6 p.m., Monday, June 16, at the South Jackson Civic Center Auditorium in

Event organizers are looking for comedians, writers, singers, dancers, duos, quartets and ventriloquists. Show dates will be Aug. 8–10. Entertainers should go to the audition prepared with two selections to perform.

The "South Jackson Goes Country" band will be under the direction of Tim Hedge and Kenny Wrinn. If you have written band charts with the number system, please plan to leave a copy with them.

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## **Angel Park** Announces Summer **Events**

The dates and musicians for this summer's Sewanee Angel Park concerts have been set. All the concerts will be 7:30 p.m.-9:30 p.m., on four Friday nights. University Avenue will be closed to through traffic, and local restaurants will have food and drink for purchase.

On Friday, June 20, Towson Engsberg & Friends will perform; June 27, Southern Proof; July 11, Hard Times Band; and July 18, Boy Named Banjo. Plan to bring a blanket or lawn chair and come enjoy music with community friends. These concerts are organized and sponsored by the Sewanee Business Alliance.

### Tutus and Tiaras Dance Camp

Alabama Youth Ballet-Sewanee camps, June 9–13 (ages 3–5) and July 14–18 (ages 5–7), under the direction of David Herriott, AYB-Sewanee Dance Conservatory artistic director.

"Tutus and Tiaras" is the perfect introduction to dance. The first camp will run from 9:30 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. each day in the dance studio in the Fowler Center. The second camp will run from 3:15 to 5:30 p.m. each day.

The June course will be taught by Mary Ann Peterson, who has worked many years in Mississippi, Alabama, Georgia and Tennessee. The July camp will be taught by Nicole Onuszkanycz, who has worked for many schools and companies throughout the Tennessee Valley region.

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

### **SAS Arts & Outdoors** Camp

Space is still available for the St. Andrew's-Sewanee School's Arts and Outdoors Camp, June 16-20. Designed for boys and girls who are rising fourth- through seventh-grade students, the camp meets 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. each day.

Combining art, education and the outdoors, this camp will engage students in the expansive natural environment of the SAS campus. Students will explore, imagine and create by working with traditional art media, found objects, and natural fibers.

The camp is directed by SAS faculty members and artists Natasha Brunton and Molly Schaefer. The camp fee is \$125. For more information call 598-5651.



### School of Letters Reading by Quatro on Wednesday

Writer Jamie Quatro will give a public reading at 4:30 p.m., Wednesday, June 11, in Gailor Auditorium. A reception will follow and books will be available. This event is part of the Sewanee School of Letters public readings that will take place each Wednesday afternoon through July 16.

Quatro's debut fiction collection, "I Want To Show You More" (Grove 2013), is a New York Times Notable Book, NPR Best Book of 2013, Indie Next Pick and New York Times Editors' Choice.

James Wood in the New Yorker wrote about Quatro's work: "Passionate, sensuous, savagely intense, and remarkable . Moves between carnality and spirit like some. modernized Flannery O'Connor..."

She has also published in Tin House, Ploughshares, the Kenyon Review, McSweeney's, AGNI, the New York Times and the New York Times Book Review. She is the recipient of fellowships from Yaddo and The MacDowell Colony, as



Jamie Quatro

well as a 2013 fellowship from the Sewanee Writers' Conference. Her stories are anthologized in the O. Henry Prize Stories 2013 and in the 9th edition of "The Story and Its Writer."

Quatro holds graduate degrees from the College of William and Mary Dance Conservatory will offer two and the Bennington College Writing Seminars, and is a contributing editor at "Tutus and Tiaras" summer dance Oxford American magazine. She lives with her family in Lookout Mountain,





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I watched a "60 Minutes" episode about Wolfgang Beltracchi, called the most successful art forger of our time. He does not recreate an existing work of art. What is fascinating is that he creates original paintings in the style of the artists, works he thought the artists would have done if they had the time or had thought about it.

These paintings found their way into art galleries, museums and private collections. Beltracchi made millions of dollars during a 40-year period. He was caught because he used the wrong titanium white on a Max Ernst creation that sold for \$7 million. The buyer liked it so much he kept it, flawed and all.

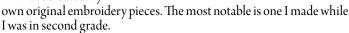
What is amazing is how Beltracchi created art for art's sake.

While I can paint only if it involves four walls and some trim in a room, I still appreciate the creative process. Going to art galleries is one of my favorite things to do. I do not always understand the painting of artists such as Dali or Picasso or even Pollock. I still like to look at them and hear the artist say, "There is not just one answer to what is beautiful."

I do have a knack for creating with needlepoint. I just finished my latest embroidery piece [pictured at right]. It measures 2'x3' and took me three years to complete. Í finished, took a photo, rolled it up and placed it with the other 20 or so pieces I have created during the years.

The original is hanging in some museum in Denmark.

I have created my



The "Fly Away" [pictured below] won some sort of award, and the unframed version actually hung in the Art Institute of Chicago almost 43 years ago. It is in a frame now because my mother did so to preserve its importance. I like to think she did so to preserve its expressive

At the time I created this piece, my family lived in an apartment on South Sacramento Avenue in Chicago. We did not have flowers or a dog. The only birds I saw were blackbirds. Even then, somewhere in the back of my mind's eye, I knew a place I would like to be and created it.



As I hung up "Fly Away" in the house, my son asked, "Really?" "Dogs don't fly, mom."

I looked at the crazy colors and the lopsided stitches trying to see what he saw. I still think it is beautiful.

*Watch the whole "Con Artist" episode at < http://www.cbsnews.com/* news/art-forger-wolfgang-beltracchis-multimillion-dollar-scam/>.



For news and information go to TheMountainNow.Com



### **Knoll Competes in Brentwood Swim Meet**

Zolon Knoll of Sewanee, age 10, competed in Excel Aquatics' Stars and Stripes swim meet in Brentwood on May 31 and June 1. He swam personal bests in all seven of his 10-and-under events. He finished first in the 100-meter breaststroke with a time of 1:45.75, third in the 50-meter breaststroke with a time of 48.83, and fourth in both the 50-meter butterfly and 50-meter freestyle with times of 40.28 and 36.12, respectively. He swam the 100-meter butterfly in a time of 1:43.18 and the 200-meter freestyle in a time of 3:06.33, both for sixth-place finishes. He finished the meet with a time of 1:24.85 and seventhplace finish in the 100-meter freestyle.

Knoll swims for the Sewanee TigerSharks in the summer and the newly formed Mountain Aquatic Club during the school year. He is the son of Marion



### **Sewanee Athletics** Names Hall of Fame Inductees for 2014

### Six Athletes & 1999 Women's Tennis Team

The Sewanee Athletic Department and Athletic Director Mark Webb announced Wednesday that six individuals and one team have been selected for induction into the Sewanee Athletics Hall of Fame.

The Class of 2014 will be honored at Hall of Fame Weekend events on Sept. 12–13. The class will also be introduced at halftime during the Tigers' second  $football game\ of\ the\ season\ on\ Saturday, Sept.\ 13, against\ \ Washington\ and\ Lee.$ The 2014 Class inductees are:

Blane Brooks, C'83—Lettered for four seasons in men's basketball and men's tennis. Led Sewanee to the 1980, 1981 and 1982 Collegiate Athletic Conference (CAC) Tennis Championship. Won the CAC No. 4 singles titles in 1980 and 1981. Ranks fourth on the men's basketball all-time scoring list with 1,470 points. Was the program's all-time scoring leader when he graduated. Finished with 474 rebounds and an 84.8 free-throw percentage.

Frank Faulkinberry, C'1910 (deceased)—Four-time All-Southern football player from 1907–10. During his career, Sewanee finished with a 26-4-3 record and outscored its opponents 715-114. Coached and taught at Middle Tennessee State University (MTSU). Led the MTSU's women's basketball team to the 1929 National Championship. Also coached football at MTSU. Faulkinberry Drive, a street on the MTSU campus, is named in his honor.

**Amy Owensby**, C'04—The Southern Collegiate Athletic Conference (SCAC) Pitcher of the Year in 2003 and 2004. Ended her career as the SCAC's all-time leader in wins (52) and innings pitched (726.2). Posted a career ERA of 2.70 (11th all-time in the SCAC) with 371 strikeouts (second all-time). Also led the league in wins for three straight seasons (2002–04). Was named to the SCAC All-Tournament team three times in her career, including 2004, when nis student-athlete Avery Schober she led the Tigers to their only SCAC title. During that tourney run, Owensby became the first and only pitcher in league history to win four games at the postseason event. Also holds school records in wins, strikeouts, innings pitched

Frank Pinney, C'63—The captain of the 1963 wrestling team. Was the NCAA runner-up in the 1963 NCAA Wrestling Championships in the 177-pound weight class. Is the highest individual finisher for a Sewanee studentathlete at an NCAA event. Was named a 1963 NCAA All-American, Sewanee's only All-American in wrestling. Won the 1963 Southeast Intercollegiate Wrestling Association title at 177 pounds.

**Ben Tuck**, C'03—Played football for the Tigers from 1999 to 2002. Was an NCAA Post-Graduate Scholar. Named a two-time NCAA Academic All-American in 2001 and 2002. On the field, Tuck was named a 2002 All-American. Scored a school record 51 points in 2002. Holds the school record of the Year topped Sprinkel, 6-4. for the longest field goal at 48 yards (Centre, 2002). Ranks seventh in the SCAC record book in scoring (183 points). Is eighth all-time in the SCAC record book in total field goals (28). Two-time All-SCAC selection.

John Turner, C'63—Played under Hall of Fame coach Shirley Majors, 1958–62. Co-captain in 1962. Played offensive and defensive tackle. Started for three seasons on both sides of the ball. Was a 1962 First-Team All-CAC selection. Played with current Hall of Famers Jody Gee and Bob Davis.

**1999 Women's Tennis Team**—Finished with a 22-4 record. Had a final NCAA ranking of No. 7. Had ranked wins over Williams, Washington and Lee, Mary Washington, College of New Jersey, Rhodes and DePauw. Only losses were against Amherst, Trinity, Skidmore and Emory. Mary Missbach and Sara Cameron were All-Americans and were nationally ranked. Jenny Coleman was also nationally ranked. Had the 1999 Atlantic South Senior Player of the Year, Arthur Ashe Award winner and Player to Watch winners. Rolex singles, doubles and team champion. Finished with three All-SCAC players. Posted five of the top 13 all-time single-season winning percentage records. Katherine Crook and Emily Allen finished 15-1 in doubles, which set the school record for doubles single-season winning percentage. Team members were head coach Conchie Shackelford, Missbach, Kathy North, Crook, Jackie North, Kathryn Pender, Natalie Wallace, Allen, Cameron, Coleman and Nicki Garsombke.

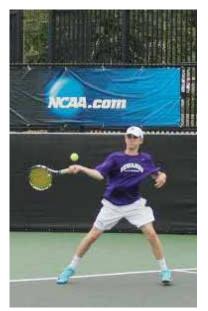
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Avery Schober

### Freshman Earns All-**American** Honors

Sewanee freshman men's tenof Dallas, Texas, earned his first All-American honor with an NCAA Men's Tennis Round of 32 win on May 22 on the campus of Claremont-Mudd-

Schober opened his first-ever NCAA tournament with a comefrom-behind victory against Noah Sprinkel of Coe. After losing the first set, 2-6, Schober rallied back in the second with a 6-1 victory. In the third and final frame, the Southern Athletic Association Player and Newcomer

# Tiger Sharks Schedule

The TigerSharks swim team announces the following important

The TigerSharks summer swim team practice is Monday-Friday until July 12. This program is designed to be a developmental progression for a competitive swimmer, ages 4-18 years. There will be five swim meets during the summer and a championship meet on July 12. The cost is \$175 and \$145 for each additional family member.

Practice times, now through July 11: Silver, ages 4-10, 8-9 a.m., emphasis on teaching swimming skills; Gold, ages 9-18, 9-10:40 a.m., emphasis on swim training.

Evening practices are offered Monday through Wednesday, 4:30-5:30 p.m., for those able to swim three strokes, one length each.

Summer swim lessons will be held at the Fowler Center June 16–26.

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# Women's Tennis Players Named All-Americans

Sewanee women's tennis student-athletes Bronte Goodhue and Lindsey Liles earned individual All-American honors after each won their Round of 32 contest at the NCAA Women's Tennis Championships on the campus of Claremont-Mudd-Scripps.

May 22 marked the second straight season that Sewanee has had more than one All-American. In 2013 Liles and her sister, Jenny, played their way to that same honor, while Goodhue ranked No. 20 nationally, which also earned her All-American accolades.

Goodhue opened her bid for a National Championship with a convincing 6-3, 6-2 straight set win over Nancy Benda of Hope College.

At the same time, Liles dominated her Round of 32 match against Rebekah Kitto of Cal Tech. After winning the first set 6-1, Liles took the second set, 6-2.

Goodhue and Liles played and lost in their Round of 16 singles' matches and in their Round of 16 doubles'

### Sewanee All-**Sports Camp**

Sewanee's annual All-Sports Camp will be 9 a.m.-3 p.m., June 30-July 3, at the Fowler Center.

The camp is designed for boys and girls entering grades one to six. Activities include basketball, soccer, recreational swimming. Lunch is provided in McClurg Dining Hall.

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### **New Assistant Named** for Women's Lacrosse and Field Hockey

Mark Webb, Sewanee athletic director, and Michele Dombrowski, head romen's lacrosse and field hockey coach, have named Laura "Mac" McIntyre as the new assistant women's lacrosse and field hockey coach.

"I am extremely excited to have Mac join our programs," said Dombrowski. "It was evident during the interview process that she is passionate about both sports, as well as the student-athlete experience. Her attention to detail and

knowledge will immediately benefit both teams. Mac's experiences within competitive academic and athletic programs give her great insights into our players and recruits."

McIntyre comes to Sewanee after spending the last three years as an assistant coach at McDaniel College in Westminster, Md. She helped coach the team to the Eastern College Athletic Conference (ECAC) field hockey tournament in 2011 and 2012; McDaniel College was also an ECAC women's lacrosse finalist in 2013 and semifinalist in 2014.

Prior to her coaching career, McIntyre was a goalkeeper for the Gettys-



Laura "Mac" McIntyre

burg College women's lacrosse team, which won the 2011 NCAA Division III National Championship. Playing alongside an all-conference teammate in goal each year, McIntyre played in 34 games with 12 starts. In nearly 886 minutes in goal, she allowed 85 goals and made 104 saves. Her 5.76 career goals-against average is second all-time in program history, while her .550 save percentage is 11th all-time. She recorded a perfect 12-0 record in cage, including a 7-0 mark in 2011.

On the field hockey team, she played in 44 matches with 37 starts in the midfield. A 2010 captain, she led the team with seven defensive saves in 2010. During her time, Gettysburg posted a 47-27 record, including a 30-10 mark in conference play and advancing to the conference playoffs all four years.

"I am very excited to join the Sewanee community," said McIntyre. "I floor hockey, kickball, wiffle ball and have had a wonderful experience here at McDaniel, working with wonderful mentors in Melissa Miranda Jones, Muffie Bliss and Kristin Ramey. I believe that my experiences as a player and coach in the Centennial Conference have prepared me well for a new challenge. I am looking forward to the opportunity to work with coach Dombrowski and the field hockey and women's lacrosse teams at Sewanee."

> McIntyre earned a B.A. in psychology from Gettysburg College in 2011. She also completed an M.A. in counseling from McDaniel College earlier this



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### **OUTSIDE** N by Patrick Dean

"Breathe in.

"Breathe out.

"Stop breathing."

That last command always amuses me — even, or maybe especially, because I'm in the middle of a PET scan when I hear it. You'd think that the doctors would prefer you not stop taking in air and letting it out.

I'm about halfway through a five-hour process of getting poked with needles, being weighed, measured, and examined, and in between all that, waiting.

Then, finally, it's done. We drive to my nephew's house, change clothes, and head to a local walking and running path.

The path is mainly in woods, although a golf course, parking lots and roads can be glimpsed without too much effort. The wide, harddirt and gravel surface is obviously well-used, and there are water fountains (with dog bowls) every so often — along with, sadly, call boxes and signs telling users to always walk with someone.

We're in a major college town, so on the path we encounter all sorts of people. Two women in floppy hats gesticulating vividly as they stride briskly along. Serious runners, scantily clad, lean, somber and fast. Professional types. Large, hefty men huffing and puffing with headphones on. Dogs on leashes. Retired-professor types, such as the thin gentleman in khaki pants and khaki short-sleeved shirt who quickly passed us seemingly without exertion.

The path crosses several creeks (or perhaps the same creek several times), and we stop to lean over the rail and look for wildlife. All we see are the occasional tennis ball or water bottle, until we reach a longer wooden bridge over a restored wetland. There we spy turtles large and small, some perched on tree limbs protruding just above the water, others hovering on the surface.

Below us on the other side of the bridge a snake sits curled atop a pile of brush — flotsam from some recent storm. We debate its type until another walker looks over the side and says, "Black snake!"

A half-mile or so later we are back in the parking lot, having walked almost three miles and worked up a late-spring sweat.

As it turned out, we had good news from the checkup, so our mood was relief and enjoyment of the day. But even if there had been a different outcome of the tests and scans, getting outside would have been one of the best ways to deal with the stress, uncertainty and physical discomfort involved.

Walking—moving—is so good for our psyches, no matter what we're dealing with. I was glad that we instinctively had made the choice to leave the artificial, high-tech world of diagnostic medicine and head straight outside.

That evening we sit on the screened porch and see the first fireflies of the year. The next morning we will drive back home to the Mountain, but that night we can listen to the evening birdsong, enjoy fresh watermelon and look back on a day which had been improved so profoundly by a simple walk.





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By Jean Yeatman



#### The Unwelcome Visitor

"Three weeks ago," reports **Jean Yeatman**, "Sally and Jimmy Hardy discovered a beaver swimming in Lake Eva. This was bad news, because several years ago beavers had come to the lake and had been very destructive. They had built a lodge over the Bates' pump for their water line. Beavers can't resist the sound of running water. The lodge had to be removed by a backhoe, which tore up the line and pump, requiring both to be replaced. Then the beavers moved to the dam and dug a large den, which had be rocked in.

"Buddy Hoosier set out to see what this beaver was doing," she continued. "It had cut down two large maple trees, and had built two lodges at different sites on the lakeshore. These were constructed of small sticks from shrubs cut at the site. One of the large maple trees was left in the water at the site of cutting. After going out to the lake in the evenings, as that is when beavers come out to work, and sitting watching the lake, no one saw the beavers for a week. Everyone hoped the beaver was caught by a coyote or had moved away to another site, but that turns out not to be the case. It was spotted on June 3, working on its lodge.

"Young beavers spread out in the spring in search of new territory," she concluded. "Beavers eat the fresh inner bark of trees and also water plants. They mate for life, and this could have been a young beaver in search of a mate."

#### Close Encounter with a Titmouse

Twice recently while Sally Hubbard had coffee and breakfast on the front porch and her collie, Sabina, slept behind the other rocking chair, a tufted titmouse has hopped up cautiously and pulled hair out of Sabina's tail ... then onto her hip for the long silky back hair ... then onto her knee for tummy hair—always just accumulating more in her beak. Sabina finally raised her head and looked at me, and the bird exited. Today Mama Titmouse availed herself of a wad of hair out of Sabina's brush and flew back to the holly tree.

### **Big Birds-Little Birds**

John Bordley reports that baby pigeons hatched on May 4. Twenty days later, on May 24 (photo at right), they were still "in their nest," he said, "such as it is, on the parapet of the carillon tower." They are about 8 inches



Baby cardinals hatched on May 12. May 19 was a big day. In the morning (photo below, left) they were still huddled in their

nest, their mother having been sitting on them during the nights. In the afternoon, they were leaving the nest (photo below, right) and moving on.







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### Hike'Em All **Continues**

#### Fiery Gizzard to Foster Falls

Meet at the Grundy Forest picnic shelter at 9 a.m., Saturday, June 7, and shuttle to the starting point at Foster Falls for this 12.3-mile moderate hike. At 60 feet, Foster Falls is the largest by volume of any waterfall on the Cumberland Plateau. There are great views from Raven Point and Fiery Gizzard. Tennessee Naturalists Marietta Poteet and Naullain Kendrick will lead the hike.

In February the Friends of South Cumberland initiated the "Hike All 14 in 2014" Challenge to introduce people to each of the 14 hikes listed in Mary Priestley's guide to hiking in the South Cumberland State Park, "Hike 'Em All."

Hikes will be offered throughout the year, with multiple chances for each trail. Hikers who have not yet entered the challenge can begin at any point. For more information go to <www.friendsofscsra.org>.





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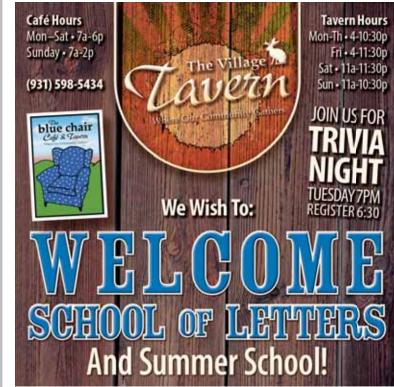
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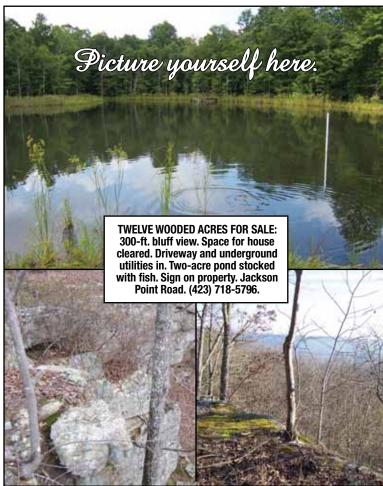
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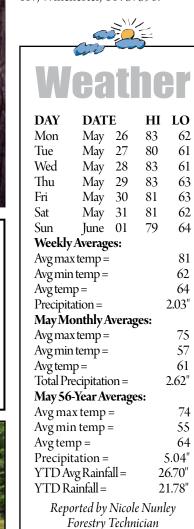
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# **Community Calendar**

#### Today, June 6

Curbside recycling, before 7 am

8:00 am GC Clothing Bank open, old GCHS, until noon

8:30 am Yin Yoga with Carolyn, Community Center 9:00 am CAC office open, until 11 am

10:00 am Game day, Senior Center

5:30 pm First Friday Family Night Fun, St. James, Midway

7:00 pm Bible study, Mtn of God Tabernacle, Monteagle 7:00 pm Film, "Maleficent," Alma Mater, Tracy City

7:30 pm Film, "The LEGO Movie," SUT

#### Saturday, June 7

7:00 am Cowan Market, Cowan Welcome Center, until 12

8:00 am Sewanee Gardeners' Market, Hawkins Lane

9:00 am Hike 'Em All #9, meet at Grundy Forest picnic shelter

9:30 am St. Andrew's Chapel celebration with Presiding Bishop

10:00 am Silver Threads, St. Mary's Convent

1:30 pm Wade lecture about St. Andrew's School, SAS Chapel

2:45 pm Shults talk about Sewanee Military Academy,

SAS Chapel

6:30 pm Dance lessons, Cowan Center for the Arts

7:00 pm Film, "Maleficent," Alma Mater, Tracy City

7:30 pm Film, "The LEGO Movie," SUT

#### Sunday, June 8

9:00 am Sewanee Academy Alumni march from

Quintard Hall to All Saints' Chapel

1:30 pm Behold How Good celebration, meet at duPont Library

3:00 pm Film, "Maleficent," Alma Mater, Tracy City 4:00 pm Yoga with Helen, Community Center

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

7:30 pm Film, "The LEGO Movie," SUT

#### Monday, June 9

11:00 am MSSA lecture, Mary Hance, Warren Chapel

6:00 pm Karate, youth, American Legion Hall

7:00 pm Centering Prayer support group, Otey sanctuary

7:30 pm Karate, adult, American Legion Hall

7:00 pm Film, "Maleficent," Alma Mater, Tracy City

7:00 pm Film, "The LEGO Movie," SUT

#### Tuesday, June 10

Agenda items due for June 17 Lease Committee Meeting

8:30 am Yin Yoga with Carolyn, Community Center

9:00 am CAC office open, until 11 am

10:30 am Bingo, Sewanee Senior Center

11:00 am MSSA lecture, Dee Flower, Warren Chapel

11:30 am Grundy County Rotary, Dutch Maid, Tracy City

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

8:15 pm MSSA lecture, Charles Bierbauer, Warren Chapel

#### Wednesday, June 11

Free Fishing Day in Tennessee

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

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

11:00 am MSSA lecture, Sandy Spies, Warren Chapel. 1:30 pm Duplicate bridge, Templeton; call 598-9344

4:30 pm Reading, Quatro, Gailor, reception follows

5:30 pm Yoga with Helen, Community Center

7:00 pm Bible study, Midway Baptist Church 7:30 pm Shakerag lecture, Frasier, SAS McCrory Hall

#### Thursday, June 12

8:00 am GC Clothing bank open, old GCHS, until noon

9:00 am CAC office open, until 11 am

9:00 am Nature journaling, Abbo's Alley gazebo, until 11 10:00 am Summer reading program, May Justus Library

11:00 am Body Recall with Judy, Monteagle City Hall

11:00 am MSSA lecture, Charles Bierbauer, Warren Chapel

12:00 pm Monteagle Sewanee Rotary, Blue Chair Tavern

12:00 pm Academy Lifelong Learning, Elam,

St. Mary's Sewanee

12:30 pm Episcopal Peace Fellowship, Brooks Hall, Otey 1:00 pm Computer class, May Justus Library, Monteagle

1:30 pm F@H care partners' support group, 598-0303

5:00 pm Weight Watchers, weigh-in 4:30 pm 7:00 pm Abuse survivors group, 330 W. Main, Monteagle

7:15 pm Town meeting re: cat spay, American Legion Hall

7:30 pm Film, "The Monuments Men," SUT

8:15 pm MSSA lecture, Lilli Steele, Warren Chapel

#### Friday, June 13

8:00 am GC Clothing Bank open, old GCHS, until noon

8:30 am Yin Yoga with Carolyn, Community Center

9:00 am CAC office open, until 11 am

10:00 am Game day, Senior Center 11:00 am MSSA lecture, Ridley Wills, Warren Chapel

5:30 pm World healing meditation, Community Center

7:00 pm Bible study, Mtn of God Tabernacle, Monteagle

7:00 pm Film, "Maleficent," Alma Mater, Tracy City

7:30 pm Film, "The Monuments Men," SUT

### **LOCAL 12-STEP MEETINGS**

#### Friday

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

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

Saturday

7:30 pm NA, open, Decherd United Methodist

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

Sunday

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

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

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

Tuesday

7:00 pm AA, open, First Baptist, Altamont 7:30 pm AA, open, Brooks Hall, Otey

Wednesday

10:00 am AA, closed, Clifftops, (931) 924-3493

7:00 pm NA, open, Decherd United Methodist

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

12:00 pm AA, (931) 924-3493 for location

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