

Make Your Voice Heard

The Community Relations Committee of the University's board of trustees will meet on Wednesday, Oct. 9.

To submit items for the agenda, please contact Barbara Schlichting at 598-1998 by Wednesday, Sept. 25.

This committee was formed in May 1989. According to the report in the May 12, 1989, issue of the Messenger, "For the first time ever, representatives of the University of the South's board of trustees held an open meeting to hear concerns of residents and to open a channel for communication."

More than 40 citizens attended this first meeting, where the mood was described as "genial." Concerns discussed at that first meeting were leasehold appraisals and job opportunities on campus.

Since then, the Community Relations Committee has met each year with residents to address issues of mutual concern. Topics that have come before this committee in the past include affordable housing, Sewanee Elementary School, emergency services on the Domain, Emerald-Hodgson Hospital, Folks at Home, child care issues, the deer cull and downtown development.

The committee's charge is: To consider and report to the Board of Trustees on issues relative to the relationship between the University corporation and the people of the village of Sewanee. It is of concern to the Board of Trustees that it be informed of matters relating to the furnishing of municipal services by the University corporation to Sewanee.



In honor of Patriot Day on Sept. 11, Sewanee Elementary School had a flag-raising ceremony. Fifth-graders Meredith Foster and Caleb Gore (standing near flagpole) led the group in the Pledge of Allegiance. This was followed by the singing of "America" and a moment of silence. Members of the Sewanee Police Department, Sewanee Volunteer Fire Department and Emergency Medical Services were on hand for the ceremony, as well as several veterans of America's armed forces.

Franklin Co. School Board Hears About New Reading Program

by K.G. Beavers
Messenger Staff Writer

The Franklin County school board met in regular session on Sept. 16 to elect officers, hear a report on the new reading program and to discuss system goals.

Kevin Caroland was elected chairman; Cleijo Walker was elected vice chairman; and Betty Jo Drummond was elected as the Tennessee legislative network representative.

Elementary Supervisor Fineé Downing gave an hour-and-a-half presentation on the new reading program, followed by a question-and-answer session. The new reading program was implemented two weeks before the start of this school year in order to raise reading scores across the county.

In the Aug. 5 school board meeting, Rebecca Sharber, director of schools, presented the testing results. Because most schools in the county had declined in testing results, Sharber is implementing five new strategies to help reach annual measurable objec-

tives. These included more focus on instruction, especially in math and reading. A new reading program has been implemented at the elementary schools that requires 105 minutes of uninterrupted reading in all classes. In August, Sharber described this new reading program as an effort to support the schools as professional learning communities, where teachers will plan, assess, talk and collaborate on what is working well and which students are not learning. There are also instructional coaches and more help with technology.

As a district, Franklin County's reading scores ranked (on a scale of 1-5, with "5" as the best) a "1" in overall, "1" in literacy, "2" in numeracy, and "1" in literacy and numeracy on value-added effectiveness.

In Franklin County grades 3-8, the percentage of students meeting the goals for "proficient or advanced" decreased on all four TCAP tests. In reading, 47.6 percent were proficient or advanced, which is a decrease of 1.9

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At the South Cumberland Regional Land Trust meeting are (from left) Tom Sanders, Eugene Ham, Joseph Bordley, Carolyn Hoagland, Kathleen O'Donohue, Sanford McGee, Charles Whitmer and Bran Potter. Photo by Bob Hoagland

What to Do This Weekend?



Towson Engsborg and Friends will play at AngelFest on Friday night.

Across our area this weekend, there are great opportunities for live music, movies and plays, a September version of Sewanee's beloved dog show, gallery exhibitions and readings, antiques appraising, the Angel Festival in Sewanee, the Polly Crockett Festival in Cowan and more. Check out the full calendar of events on page 16 or online at <TheMountainNow.com>.



Blind Boys of Alabama will perform at Guerry Auditorium on Saturday.

Sewanee Joins "Say Yes to Education"

The University of the South has joined the Say Yes Higher Education Compact, which offers free tuition to eligible students from urban school districts. Sewanee is one of 11 new members of the compact announced on Sept. 17 in Washington, D.C., by Say Yes to Education and U.S. Senator Kirsten Gillibrand of New York.

Say Yes to Education Inc. is a national nonprofit organization that helps children in urban school districts go to and pay for college.

Based in New York City, it serves nearly 65,000 children in kindergarten through 12th grade, and has been working with the Syracuse school district since 2008 and with the schools in Buffalo since 2012. The organization expects to expand nationally in the coming years.

In addition to scholarships, the organization and its local partners provide an array of services to students and their families that are intended to eliminate any obstacles to academic success. Those services include mental health counseling, medical care,

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South Cumberland Land Trust to Add 95 Acres

The board of the South Cumberland Regional Land Trust (SCRLT) announced at its annual meeting on Sept. 14 that a gift of 95 acres of contiguous conserved land will be donated to the Trust later this year. The property, known as the Ravens Den Sanctuary, has been protected since 2007 by a conservation easement held by the Tennessee Parks and Greenways Foundation.

In 1993, the current landowners began purchasing the property with the intention of forming a land trust to protect it.

"Over the past 20 years, we have developed a relationship with the SCRLT and Jumpoff Community Land Trust and decided that this would be an excellent partnership," said Kathleen O'Donohue, one of the six land-owners.

"With the help of the Jumpoff Community Land Trust and another land trust community, we have created a lease that will allow us to live on the property and protect it for generations to come," she said.

The landowner donors are Barbara Parks, Carol Graham, Kathleen O'Donohue, Nancy Finley, Rose Norman and Susan Gorrell.

For more information about the land trusts, go to <<http://www.scrilt.org/>> and <<http://www.tennngreen.org/website/>>.

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Letters

IONA GRATITUDE

To the Editor:

Besides having the elegant paintings and photographs of artist Charley Watkins at IONA: Art Sanctuary throughout the weekend, last Sunday Pat Wiser shared her wisdom and insights about the plenitude of library books by reading from the life of Supreme Court Justice Sonia Sotomayor.

Wiser's vocal diversity in rendering the thoughts and passages indicated her enthusiasm for her subject, besides being informative.

And, David Landon once again verified his strength and magnificence as thespian-poet and professor of theater, along with six of his theater students: Elise Anderson, Charlotte La Nasa, Megan Quick, Audrey Yatdon Tchoukoua, Tia Strickland and Oliver Crawford, each of whom read poetry by great masters with superb articulation and diction, powerful clear voice projection and intense emotion.

My own innocence as a happy retiree was swept aside by all of their skillful performances, including David's talent as a teacher. For that moment I wished I was having similar creative involvements with such grand young people and colleagues like Professor Landon. Sunday afternoon was one of sheer beauty.

Thank you, readers, for giving us your amazing performances.

We look forward to the art of Kellen Mayfield and Ian Corvette, SAS graduates, at 7 p.m., Friday, Sept. 20, with readings by novelist Chris Bryan, and father and daughter—Phil White and Susan White—with short stories.

A special half-hour reading by award-winning David Coe (aka D. B. Jackson) from his new historical fantasy novel, "Thieves' Quarry," will be at 2 p.m., Sunday, Sept. 22.

Edward Carlos
Sewanee ■

CCJP PLANS FOR 2013-14

To the Editor:

Three action committees formed at the recent retreat hosted by the Cumberland Center for Justice and Peace (CCJP). It was exciting to see so much energy and enthusiasm.

The Health Care Committee will launch an information campaign to educate the public on the Affordable Care Act (ACA). Plans call for public forums and articles in local newspapers explaining the ACA and how to benefit from the programs it offers. To get involved contact Tom Phelps at (931) 581-9020 or email <tplhps52@gmail.com>.

The Diversity Awareness group will host the third annual Be the Change youth retreat, where young people from four area high schools will engage in activities directed at ending bias, bigotry, bullying and racism, and promoting constructive social interaction. To help with this project contact Connie Kelley at 598-0915 or email <jkelley934@aol.com>.

The Voting Rights Committee will address the erosion of voters' rights and disenfranchisement in Tennessee. Contact Marilyn Phelps at (615) 390-1153 or email <tplhps52@gmail.com> to join this campaign.

CCJP is a nonprofit organized exclusively for charitable purposes. To everyone on the Cumberland Plateau, thanks for caring.

Leslie Lytle, Executive Director
Cumberland Center for Justice
and Peace ■

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DOG PARK OPEN

To the Editor:

Getting the dog park up and running was a bit frustrating at times, but what it has done for my dog makes it all worth it. My dog, Rosa, has been usually shy around other dogs. After several visits with large dogs in the park, she finally got comfortable with two large black dogs and two blond Dobermans. Now she no longer shies away from the gate but runs to it.

Today, I took her in with another dog whose owner said her dog was terrified of other dogs. It took them a while, but soon they were sniffing behinds and finally romping together. Then two more dogs came in. There was a brief period of adjustment, then all four were fine together.

This should be standard operating procedure. However, owners should know to remove the leash as soon as the dog enters the park (some dogs are aggressive only with dogs on leashes) and to stay away from your dogs as much as possible so the dogs won't think they need to protect their owners.

The doggie poop bags are tricky to open but it gets easier with practice. For newbies: place your hand down into the bag and grasp the poop. Then pull your closed fist up until the bag is turned inside out with the poop inside. Tie the bag with one small knot and place it in the can under the dispenser.

Here's hoping that most Sewanee dogs are taught to behave by their fellow Sewanee dogs.

Phil White
Sewanee ■

Sign-Up For Emergency Alert System

The University and the Sewanee Police Department are moving to a new emergency alert messaging system.

To receive text and email messages from the new alert system, residents will need to register by going online to the link below. Even if you have signed up before, you will need to do it again to verify your information.

Go to <<https://public.coderedweb.com/CGE/7640BCD161D4>>.

New users will be asked to create an account and enter a password. There are a number of contact options, including text via cell phone, email and recorded telephone messages.

To participate, you must be a student or employee of the University or have a Sewanee address to receive the alerts.

Each year all contact information will be removed from the emergency alert database. To continue to receive alerts, participants must log on to the website and sign up on an annual basis. A reminder of this process will be sent from the Sewanee Police Department in June of each year.

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Police Report

Sewanee police are continuing to investigate a number of incidents of vandalism in the community. Locations where vandalism has been reported include the large Benedict parking lot, Emery Hall, Hoffman Hall, TKP House, All Saints' Chapel and the Dairy Building.

Police Chief Marie Eldridge is asking for assistance from community members and the student body about an assault on two police officers on Sept. 15 in the front yard of the SAE house. Police are trying to identify who was responsible for the incident where two police officers were struck from behind with two cans of beer.

If you have information related to either case, please contact the Sewanee Police Department at 598-1111.

University Job Opportunities

Exempt Positions—Dining Operations Manager, Sewanee Dining; Grounds Supervisor; Special Gift Officer. **Non-Exempt Positions**—Cook, Server and Utility Worker for Sewanee Dining. Descriptions of these positions are at <www.sewanee.edu/personnel/jobs>. For more information call 598-1381.

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

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

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





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Upcoming Meetings and Events

Coffee with the Coach on Monday

Coffee with the Coach, an opportunity to learn more about Se-
wanee's sports teams, will gather at 9 a.m., Monday, Sept. 23, with foot-
ball coach Tommy Laurendine and volleyball coach Shawna Lauren-
dine. Gather at the Blue Chair Tavern for free coffee and conversation.

Garden Club Gathers Sept. 23

The Sewanee Garden Club will meet at 1:30 p.m., Monday, Sept. 23,
at the home of Geri Childress, 891 Deepwoods Rd., Sewanee. Master
flower show judge Maggi Burns of Chattanooga will demonstrate
creative floral design. For more information call Judy Magavero at
(931) 924-3118.

Community Council Meets Monday

The Sewanee Community Council will meet at 7 p.m., Monday,
Sept. 23, at the Senior Center. The agenda for the meeting is: Approval
of the August Minutes; Vote on By-Law and Constitution Change
(John Swallow); Report on the Roundabout (Frank Gladu); Update
on Retirement Community Survey (Gladu); Update on the Greenhaw
Quarry (Annie Armour); Announcements and Questions.

Area Rotary Club Meetings

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

SUD Board Meets Tuesday

The Sewanee Utility District board will meet at 5 p.m., Tuesday,
Sept. 24, at the SUD office. The agenda for the meeting is: Approval
of Sept. 24 agenda; approval of the August 2013 minutes (as distrib-
uted); Unfinished business—Lake Dimmick agreement; New busi-
ness—Capital Improvement Plan; Scheduled meeting—next meeting
is Oct. 22; visitor comments, announcements and adjournment. These
meetings are open to the public.

EQB Club Meets on Wednesday

EQB Club members will gather for social time at 11:30 a.m. on
Wednesday, Sept. 25, with lunch served at noon at St. Mary's Sewanee.

Templeton Library Bridge Club

The Templeton Library duplicate bridge club plays from 1:30 p.m.
to 4:30 p.m. on Wednesdays. Refreshments are served. To play, call
598-9344.

Buddhist Sitting Group Meets Wednesdays

The Buddhist Sitting Group meets at 5:15 p.m., Wednesdays, in St.
Augustine's Chapel. Generally the meeting begins with a few short
Buddhist chants, followed by silent meditation for 40 minutes, chant-
ing again and a brief discussion, ending about 6:15 p.m. The group
has been meeting each week during the academic year since 2007 and
welcomes newcomers.

Lecture on Classical Film Theory Thursday

Professor John E. Davidson of Ohio State University will give a
lecture on classical film theory, "Ready Made Realism and the Return
of Classical Film Theory: From Dust to Dust," at 4:30 p.m., Thurs-
day, Sept. 26, in Gailor Auditorium. Davidson, C'82, is an associate
professor of Germanic languages and literatures, founding director
of the OSU Film Studies Program and executive editor of the Journal
of Short Film, a quarterly DVD publication of original artistic work.
This event is supported by the University Lectures Fund, the Film
Studies program and the German department. There will be a recep-
tion following the talk.

Dream Study Group on Thursday

A Dream Study Group will meet at 5:30 p.m., Thursday, Sept. 26, in
the community room at Trinity Episcopal Church in Winchester. For
more information contact Marsha Carnahan at (931) 626-7565 or by
email, <Mcarnehan5@gmail.com>.

Civic Association Meeting Set for Oct. 2

The next meeting of the Sewanee Civic Association (SCA) will be
Wednesday, Oct. 2, at the EQB House.

Jim Davidheiser, professor of German and department chair, will be
discussing "The Dual System of Education (Vocational) in Germany:
A Key to Germany's Economic Success."

Social time with wine begins at 6 p.m., and dinner begins at 6:30 p.m.
Dinner costs \$12 per person. The business meeting begins promptly
at 7 p.m., followed by a brief program. The program portion of the
evening is free and open to the public. Annual dues of \$10 are payable
at the door.

The menu for the October meeting is roast pork, lemon green beans,
sauteéd bok choy with broccoli, roasted sweet potatoes, salad and as-
sorted cakes and pies.

This year, the SCA is celebrating 105 years of civic opportunities in
the community. The association brings together community members
for social and community awareness.

The SCA is the sponsoring organization for Cub Scout Pack 152,
Sewanee Classifieds and the Sewanee Community Chest. Any adult
who resides in the area and shares concerns of the community is eligible
for active membership.

For more information, go to <www.sewanee.org>.

Births

Anna Marie Mosley

Anna Marie Mosley was born on
Sept. 10, 2013, to Angel and Stacy
Mosley of Cowan. She weighed 5 lbs.,
2.5 oz., and was 17 inches long. She
joins her twin brother, Stacy, and their
siblings, Destiny, Doug, Mark and
Paul. Maternal grandparents are Josi
and Mark Zimmer. Paternal grandpar-
ents are Anne and Steve Pendergrass.

Stacy Wayne Mosley Jr.

Stacy Wayne Mosley Jr. was born
on Sept. 10, 2013, to Angel and Stacy
Mosley. He weighed 4 lbs., 3.7 oz., and
was 17.5 inches long. He joins his twin
sister, Anna Marie, and their siblings
Destiny, Doug, Mark and Paul. Ma-
ternal grandparents are Josi and Mark
Zimmer. Paternal grandparents are
Anne and Steve Pendergrass.



Lynn Cimino-Hurt

Cimino-Hurt Offers Financial Literacy Series

Lynn Cimino-Hurt, principal
of the newly formed Cimino-Hurt
Financial Group, is offering a four-
part Financial Literacy Series to the
community in October. The hour-long
classes will meet at 6:30 p.m. at the
Sewanee Community Center on Oct.
3, 8, 17 and 22.

Topics to be covered are personal
budgets and debt reduction, the fun-
damentals of insurance, saving and
investing, and retirement planning.
Cimino-Hurt, a long-time member
of the Sewanee community, transi-
tioned her 15-year teaching career
to insurance and financial services
in 2008. She is an agent with New
York Life Insurance Company and a
registered representative with New
York Life Securities. The Cimino-Hurt
Financial Group's office is located in
Manchester.

This series is free, but it is important
to register. Participants may attend
one class or the whole series. For more
information or to register, contact
Cimino-Hurt at (931) 691-2703 or
email <cimino.fs@gmail.com>.



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under the age of 12 to wear a hel-
met while riding a bicycle on any
state road. University Avenue is a
state road and, therefore, subject to
the law. The act also contains provi-
sions requiring restraining seats
on bicycles for passengers who are
children under 40 pounds or who
are less than 40" tall.

Community Chest Sets \$108,000 Goal

The board of the Sewanee Civic Association has set the goal for this year's
Community Chest campaign.

"We received \$142,250 in requests from 28 organizations," said Theresa
Shackelford, community chest steward.

"We received requests for increased funding from organizations tradition-
ally supported. We also received requests from new organizations serving our
community. The Community Chest has established a goal of \$108,000 to fund
these 28 organizations and initiatives.

With solid participation from the community, we will be able to continue
to support these organizations," said Shackelford.

The campaign will begin on Friday, Sept. 20, at the third annual AngelFest.
Association members and community chest stewards will be on hand to answer
questions about the organizations and to solicit donations.

Since 1908, the Sewanee Civic Association and its precursors have believed
in the power of area citizens to help sustain community projects and programs.
Because of Sewanee's non-incorporated status, the citizens have always raised
money for many municipal improvements. Through these associations, the
community has funded many worthwhile endeavors, such as building parks and
the elementary school, helping to complete Alto Road, funding a state highway
to the Marion County line and underwriting blueprints for the stone gates.

The Sewanee Community Chest has raised tens of thousands of dollars
each year since 1943 for local groups that serve the common good. This money
is used for annual funding, not just one-time grants.

The goal of the Sewanee Community Chest is to help citizens by funding the
community, which leads to a stronger quality of life for all. The Sewanee Civic
Association is the supporting entity for the Community Chest.

Last year the Sewanee Community Chest, a 501(c)(3) non-profit organiza-
tion, supported youth sports, outreach and many community and educational
programs in the tri-county area, a total of \$99,850 in support to 26 organiza-
tions.

Watch the Messenger in coming weeks for descriptions of the various
organizations listed below to learn more about how the Community Chest's
support makes a difference in the community.

Donations are accepted at any time to P.O. Box 99, Sewanee, TN 37375.

Focus	Name	Amount
Beyond Sewanee	Blue Monarch	\$2,500
Beyond Sewanee	Franklin County Humane Society	\$3,000
Beyond Sewanee	Grundy County Food Bank	\$1,000
Beyond Sewanee	Haven of Hope	\$500
Beyond Sewanee	Mountain Goat Trail Alliance	\$1,200
Children	Boy Scout Troop 14	\$300
Children	Campora Family Resource Center	\$1,000
Children	Cub Scout Pack 152	\$600
Children	Girl Scout Troop 2107	\$200
Children	Girls Scout Troop 621	\$200
Children	Sewanee Elementary School PTO	\$20,000
Children	Sewanee Children's Center	\$12,000
Children	Sewanee Little League	\$2,500
Children	TigerSharks Swim Team	\$500
Community Aid	Cumberland Center for Justice & Peace	\$500
Community Aid	Community Action Committee	\$15,000
Community Aid	Folks at Home	\$5,000
Community Aid	Housing Sewanee	\$4,000
Community Aid	Sewanee Mountain Messenger	\$11,000
Community Aid	South Cumberland Time Bank	\$3,000
Community Aid	St. Mark's Community Center	\$500
Quality of Life	Phil White Dog Park	\$1,100
Quality of Life	Fourth of July Celebration	\$3,000
Quality of Life	Senior Citizen's Center	\$12,000
Quality of Life	Sewanee Angel Park	\$1,500
Quality of Life	Sewanee Chorale	\$625
Quality of Life	Sewanee Community Center	\$4,500
Quality of Life	Thurmond Memorial Library	\$500
Miscellaneous	Community Chest, for stamps	\$275
TOTAL:	assuming goal is met	\$108,000



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Obituaries

Maudie Lewis Kilby

Maudie Lewis Kilby, age 88 of Tracy City, died on Sept. 17, 2013, at Golden Living Nursing Home, Winchester. She was born on Sept. 23, 1924, in the White Hall Church community, and grew up in Viola, Tenn. She was a longtime member of Christ Episcopal Church in Tracy City. She was preceded in death by her husband, John E. Kilby; parents, Dudley and Lillie Lewis; brothers D.L. Lewis and Joe D. Lewis; and sister Bonnie Freeman.

She is survived by her daughter, Vicki Kilby (Max Jr.) Geary of Brentwood; son, Ronald E. (Sharon) Kilby of Cowan; brother Harold (Bobbie) Lewis; sisters Betty Lewis and Patty (Hoover) Hancock of Viola; and four grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Sept. 19 in the funeral home chapel with Clayton Jones officiating. For complete obituary visit <www.fosterlayfuneralhome.net>.

Mary Allan Dodd Maxwell

Mary Allan Dodd Maxwell, age 84 of Cowan, died on Sept. 14, 2013, at Vanderbilt University Medical Center in Nashville. She was born Oct. 16, 1928, in Nashville to Henry Allen and Mary Jane (Kirk) Griggs. She was a member of Cowan Church of Christ. She was preceded in death by husband Ray Edward Dodd Sr.; son, Ray Edward Dodd Jr.; and brother Richard Lamar "Buddy" Griggs.

She is survived by husband Sidney Maxwell; daughter, Janice Allan Dodd (Randy) Farris of Winchester; brother Dr. John K. (Linda) Griggs of Lexington, Ky.; stepsons, David (Katrena) Maxwell of Murfreesboro, and Charles (Nassira) Maxwell of Newnan, Ga.; and many grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Sept. 18 at Winchester Church of Christ with Bro. Dan Jones and Bro. Winston Tipps officiating. Interment followed in Franklin Memorial Gardens, Winchester. For complete obituary visit <www.moore-cortner.com>.

Gloria Mabelyn Goode Talley

Gloria Mabelyn Goode Talley, age 89 of Orlando, Fla., died on Aug. 14, 2013. She was born in Rogersville, Ala., and lived in Cowan while she was growing up. She was preceded in death by her parents, Inez Hamilton Goode and Dempsey Pharus Goode; and brother, D.P. Goode.

She is survived by her daughter, Gloria Talley (Ralph) Atchley of Clermont, Fla.; sister, Joy (Eddie) Allameh of Richmond, Ky.; sister-in-law, Mary Frances Goode of Cowan; and many nieces, nephews and cousins.

A memorial service will be at 5 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 21, in the Watson-North Funeral Home chapel; visitation with the family is 4–5 p.m. Contributions in her memory may be made to Cornerstone Hospice of Central Florida, 2441 Lane Park Rd., Tavares, FL 32778.

Davis Joins St. Mary's Board

St. Mary's Sewanee: The Ayres Center for Spiritual Development is pleased to announce that Monteagle resident Bill Davis has accepted appointment to sit on its board of trustees.

"Bill brings a great deal of experience and enthusiasm to St. Mary's Sewanee. He is passionate about our mission and we are excited to have him aboard," said St. Mary's Sewanee founding trustee Bob Ayres.

Davis, a native of Golf, Ill., is a 1969 graduate of the College. He retired in 2007 after a successful career in trust and investment management. Davis served as a trustee at Sewanee and was the planned giving chairman for the Campaign for Sewanee. He served as the president of the Monteagle Sewanee Rotary Club chapter and on the steering committees for both St. Mary's Sewanee and the Community Fund for the South Cumberland Plateau.

"I am honored to serve on the St. Mary's Sewanee board," said Davis. He has been married to Anne B. Davis for 32 years. They have two adult children.



Church News

Fire on the Mountain

Fire on the Mountain will participate in the second annual Fast-a-Thon at the Islamic Center of Nashville on Saturday, Sept. 21. Participants will fast for the day and then share about their experiences with hunger. The group will also collect nonperishable items for Second Harvest Food Bank. This is part of the Sons and Daughters of Abraham Project. For more information call 598-5926.

First Baptist, Monteagle

First Baptist Church of Monteagle is hosting Friends Day on Sunday, Sept. 29. There will be a covered-dish meal and homemade ice cream following the 11 a.m. service. Music will be provided by the Blessed. All are welcome.

New Beginnings Church

New Beginnings Church is hosting a Community Day, 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 21, in the parking lot of Fred's Discount Store in Monteagle.

On Sunday, Sept. 22, Pastor Kenny Green will discuss "Changed: I've been changed. How about you?" about how God changed him from a drug addict to a preacher of the Gospel. Services will be at 9 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. The church is located at the corner of Jumpoff Mountain and Tate roads.

Otey Memorial Parish Church

Otey Parish welcomes the Rev. Pamela Snare, Canon to the Ordinary for the Episcopal Diocese of Tennessee, to its services on Sunday, Sept. 22. She will preach and celebrate at the 8:50 a.m. and 11 a.m. services.

There will be a meeting at 2 p.m., Sunday, Sept. 22, in the church. The Rt. Rev. John Bauerschmidt will address the group and will answer questions from parishioners.

Jess Wilson will talk about agriculture and sustainability at 10 a.m., Sunday, Sept. 22, as part of Otey's "Hunger: Faith in Action" series. Wilson is president of the board of the Cumberland Farmer's Market and active in food issues on the Plateau. The group will meet in the church.

The Lectionary Class and Godly Play (ages 3–11) will also meet at 10 a.m.

Nursery care is available from 8:30 a.m. until coffee hour, which follows the 11 a.m. service.

Unitarian Universalist, Tullahoma

At the 10 a.m., Sunday, Sept. 8, gathering at the Unitarian Universalist Church of Tullahoma, Lynn Webster will discuss "Harvest for an Urban Pagan."

Following the service there will be refreshments and a discussion period.

Hethcock at ECW in October

Phebe Hethcock, longtime resident, church leader and community volunteer in the community, will be the speaker for the luncheon meeting of Episcopal Church Women (ECW) on Monday, October 7. The group will gather at noon at St. James Parish in Midway.

Please note a change in the time that reservations must be made for the \$10 catered luncheon. Reservations must be made no later than 6 p.m. on the Friday before the meeting. For the October meeting, reservations must be made by 6 p.m., Friday, Oct. 4. Make reservations by calling Peggy Lines at 598-5863 or by email to <plines@sewanee.edu>. A vegetarian meal is available if requested at the time of reservation.

Continuing the ECW's study of "Notable Women of Faith," Hethcock will talk about Hilda of Whitby, (c. 614–680), an important figure in the conversion of England to Christianity. "Hild" the Peacemaker, as she was called, was abbess in several monasteries and recognized for the wisdom that drew kings to her for advice.

Hethcock, a long-time member of ECW, has been a trainer of EFM and has worked for many years in Christian education at Otey Parish. She has served terms on the vestry, including time as senior warden. She has also been a delegate to the general conventions of the diocese and was chairwoman of the Dandridge Trust Board.



Phebe Hethcock

Weekdays, Sept. 23–27

7:00 am Morning Prayer/HE, St. Mary's (not Mon)
7:30 am Morning Prayer, Otey
8:10 am Morning Prayer, Chapel of the Apostles
12:00 pm Eucharist, Chapel of the Apostles (not Thurs)
12:30 pm Noon Prayer, St. Mary's (not Mon)
4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey
5:00 pm Evening Prayer, St. Mary's (not Mon)
5:10 pm Evening Prayer, Chapel of the Apostles

Saturday, Sept. 21

Good Shepherd Catholic Church, Decherd

5:00 pm Mass

Monteagle Seventh-day Adventist Church

10:00 am Sabbath School / Bible Study
11:00 am Worship Service

St. Mary's Convent

8:00 am Morning Prayer/Holy Eucharist

Sunday, Sept. 22

All Saints' Chapel

8:00 am Holy Eucharist
11:00 am Holy Eucharist
6:30 pm Growing in Grace

Bible Baptist Church, Monteagle

11:00 am Worship Service
5:30 pm Evening Service

Christ Church Episcopal, Alto

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

Christ Church, Monteagle

10:30 am Holy Eucharist
10:45 am Children's Sunday School
12:50 pm Christian Formation class

Church of the Holy Comforter, Monteagle

9:00 am Holy Eucharist

Cowan Fellowship Church

10:00 am Sunday School
11:00 am Worship Service

Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Sewanee

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

Epiphany Episcopal Church, Sherwood

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

First Baptist Church, Monteagle • Friends Day

10:00 am Sunday School
11:00 am Worship Service - potluck follows service
6:00 pm Evening Worship

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

CHURCH CALENDAR

Holy Comforter Episcopal, Monteagle

9:00 am Holy Eucharist

Midway Baptist Church

9:45 am Sunday School
10:45 am Worship Service

6:00 pm Evening Service

Midway Church of Christ

10:00 am Bible Study

11:00 am Morning Service

6:00 pm Evening Service

Morton Memorial United Methodist, Monteagle

9:45 am Sunday School

11:00 am Worship Service

New Beginnings Church, Jump Off

9:00 am Worship Service

10:45 am Worship Service

Otey Memorial Parish

8:50 am Holy Eucharist

10:00 am Christian Formation

11:00 am Holy Eucharist

Pelham United Methodist Church

9:45 am Sunday School

11:00 am Worship Service

St. Agnes' Episcopal, Cowan

11:00 am Holy Eucharist Rite I

St. James Episcopal

9:00 am Bible story time for little ones

9:00 am Holy Eucharist

St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church, Alto

8:00 am Mass

St. Mary's Convent

8:00 am Morning Prayer/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

Wednesday, Sept. 25

6:00 am Morning Prayer, Cowan Fellowship

12:00 pm Holy Eucharist, Christ Church, Monteagle

5:00 pm Children/youth, First Baptist, Monteagle

5:30 pm Evening Worship, Bible Baptist, Monteagle

6:00 pm Prayer and study, Midway Baptist Church

6:00 pm Worship, First Baptist Church, Monteagle

6:00 pm Youth (AWANA), Tracy City First Baptist

6:30 pm Prayer Service, Harrison Chapel, Midway

7:00 pm Adult Christian Ed., Epiphany, Sherwood

7:00 pm Evening Worship, Tracy City First Baptist



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The University has taken several steps over the last three years to make a college education more accessible for students, including a 10 percent tuition reduction in 2011, a tuition freeze for current students in 2012 and guaranteeing tuition to remain level for four years for new students in 2012 and 2013.

"The University of the South is delighted to join the Say Yes Higher Education Compact," said Lee Ann Backlund, Sewanee's dean of admission and financial aid. It represents one more way we can continue Sewanee's tradition of making a high-quality education possible for capable students, without regard to financial need. The support Say Yes provides to younger students and Sewanee's commitment to making higher education more accessible should be a great match for deserving students."

Along with Sewanee, the new institutions—which bring to 54 the total number in the Say Yes Higher Education Compact—are Cornell University, Hamilton College and Paul Smith's College of the Adirondacks in New York; Dartmouth College in New Hampshire; Rice University in Texas; Pomona College in California; Denison University in Ohio; Princeton University in New Jersey; and Rhodes College and Vanderbilt University in Tennessee.

The University of Pennsylvania and Syracuse University were the founding members of the Say Yes Higher Education Compact. Over the last several years the compact grew to include colleges in the Northeast and particularly New York, and in 2013 has expanded to premier private colleges and universities nationwide.

For more information about the Say Yes to Education program go to <www.sayyestoeducation.org/>.



Chuck Nabit (left), C'77, chair of the board of regents, formally presented the building to Vice-Chancellor John McCardell, who accepted it on the University's behalf. Photo courtesy of the University of the South

Sewanee Dedicates New Residence Hall

The University dedicated its newest residence hall, Lucy and Herbert Smith Hall, on Sept. 16. Regents, guests, faculty, staff and students gathered in the afternoon sunshine on the front terrace of Smith Hall, where they were welcomed by Eric Hartman, dean of students.

"Welcome to the new home for 90-plus students. Welcome to a residence hall that will help reactivate the core of campus. Welcome to outdoor study spaces," Hartman said, beginning a list of the new dormitory's benefits.

Chuck Nabit, C'77, chair of the board of regents, formally presented the building to the University. It was accepted on behalf of the institution by Vice-Chancellor John McCardell.

McCardell extended a special welcome to the Smith family members and friends who were in attendance. A multi-generational gift, made many years ago and carefully stewarded by the Smith family, made the residence hall possible.

Herbert Smith Sr., C'1903, was a member of the famed 1899 football team and a long-time Sewanee trustee. His son, Herbert Jr., C'36, took his place in the family business in Birmingham and also served his alma mater as a trustee. McCardell shared his fond recollection of meeting Herbert Smith Jr.'s widow, Elizabeth (Bibby), soon after taking office at Sewanee. The Smith family "epitomizes the never-failing succession of benefactors," said McCardell.

Smith Hall and its neighbor, the renovated Cannon Hall, are important teaching tools, as well as important to revitalizing the central campus. In addition to rooms for more than 90 students, a community kitchen and other usual amenities, the new residence hall also features indoor and outdoor classrooms, indoor bike storage, study spaces for both quiet time and group work, and easy access to Abbo's Alley and the great outdoors—all just steps from the historic Quad. It was built to exceed LEED sustainability standards.

AngelFest Features Music, Family Fun

The third annual Sewanee Angel Festival, organized by the Sewanee Business Alliance, will offer activities for community members of all ages at this year's expanded event today (Friday), Sept. 20. Children's games and family activities begin at 4 p.m. The event will be moved to Cravens Hall in case of rain.

There will be a Treasure Hunt for a treasure chest full of prizes. Bring a nonperishable food donation to the Community Action Committee's booth to get a Treasure Hunt game card. Game cards can also be purchased for a donation of \$2. Each of the businesses will stamp the card when treasure hunters stop by their booth or business. When the game card is filled, players will put the card into a Treasure Box and be eligible to win the prize.

At 5 p.m., the Phil White Dog Park is sponsoring a Dog Costume Contest at the Angel Park Pavilion. Since the Fourth of July Dog Show was canceled, dog owners have another opportunity to show off their pets. Prizes will be awarded for dog-owner look-alike, dog that looks most like an angel and most unusual dog costume.

At 7 p.m., the Angel Park turns into a concert venue, with music by Towson Engsberg and Friends and the Stagger Moon Band. Bring a lawn chair and enjoy the fun that will continue until 11 p.m.

Polly Crockett and Tennessee History Festival in Cowan

The 31st Annual Polly Crockett and Tennessee History Festival is today (Friday) through Sunday, Sept. 20–22. This year the festival features fun for the whole family, along with a traditional arts and crafts festival. Events include Crockett's Car Show, a corn hole competition, Davy's Calaboose (jail), live entertainment, Polly's Play Park, a petting zoo, horse and buggy rides and more. There will be over 90 booths participating in the festival. Everything from homemade crafts and handmade ice cream will be available for purchase. The "This 'n That Marketplace" will have retail vendors with specialty items, and local organizations will provide information on their activities.

In addition to Leonard Brown's collection of antique cars, Crockett's Car Show will feature "Honk, Rattle and Roll" car club from Murfreesboro. All antique car clubs and collectors are welcome to participate.

Polly's Stage or Davy's Stage on Tennessee Avenue is the place to watch quality local entertainment. Children will enjoy making crafts and rockets at Davy's Create and Take; then they can head to the petting zoo and ride a horse.

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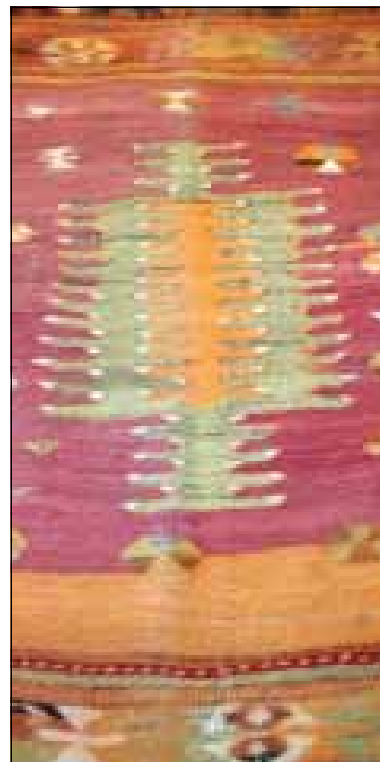
Antiques and collectibles will be available at the Harvest Moon Market in downtown Sewanee, today (Friday)–Sunday, Sept. 20–22, in the American Legion Hall. The hours are 5–9 p.m., today, Sept. 20; 11 a.m.–7 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 21; and 11 a.m.–4 p.m., Sunday, Sept. 22. The small but varied market will offer both the rare and the collectible alongside vintage items. Harvest Moon Market is also donating a portion of every sale to Animal Harbor for its new shelter.

"The challenge was to bring some of the best names in antiques and a good mix of decorative items, including jewelry. I had to find like-minded dealers who know and love the Mountain, and who were excited to give it a go," said market organizer Lucy Keeble.

Jewelry designer and decorator Blake Weeks will have hemp-and-bead creations; Weeks works with Steve McKenzie, who is sending a select number of stylish bags, moleskin field notebooks and iPad covers. Margo Fort Hall will have her semi-precious jewelry. McDonough Fine Art of Atlanta will offer antique lithographs and engravings.

There will be an Appraiser's Table. For a \$10 donation to Animal Harbor, an antiques "expert" will offer an off-the-cuff assessment of treasures brought in. Each day of the Market, Animal Harbor will be out front with merchandise and adoptable pets.

MorningSide Rugs and Art (Keeble's business) will bring antique, vintage and more contemporary Persian and Turkish rugs and kilim pillows to the market, along with other choice decorative items.



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SAS students invest time and energy on the farm to make the campus more sustainable. Photo by St. Andrew's-Sewanee School

SAS Welcomes New Leaders of Farming Project

With the increasing costs for transportation and the current interest in organic and local foods, St. Andrew's-Sewanee School continues to support farming on its campus.

Rachel Jenkins and Travis Tindell are the new contract farmers for SAS. Both will continue to help produce organic food for the SAS dining hall and engage students with an afternoon program highlighting the 'seed to plate' process. SAS students in the afternoon farming program will have the opportunity to learn some basic principles of sustainable and biodynamic land practices. Jenkins and Tindell have experience working on organic farms, most recently with Jess Wilson of In-Town Organics in Monteagle.

Immediate plans for the farm include increasing the soil fertility through cover crops, crop rotation and the addition of compost.

"This will make the vegetables we grow taste delicious and be nutritious, and create harmony in the entire area," said Jenkins. "This is one of my main goals as a farmer, to make a good balance of the environment so that the creatures in it, from rabbits to wasps to micro-organisms, keep each other in check in a healthy, beneficial way."

The long-term goals include expanding the garden with more beds, adding chickens to help with soil fertility and producing usable compost.

"Travis and I really hope to make the farm an open and meaningful place for the entire SAS community. There is the idea in 'permaculture' (permanent and agriculture) that we are all students of the land. We are eager to connect the farm with SAS academics and life in general," said Jenkins.

The 550-acre SAS campus is on what was once known as Colmore Farm. Robert Lionel Colmore, bursar and general manager of the University of the South in the 1800s, owned a large tract of land adjacent to the University Domain where he and his family lived and farmed. In 1905, the Colmores sold the property to the Order of the Holy Cross, a monastic order from New York seeking to establish St. Andrew's, an Episcopal school for Mountain boys.

For years the students at St. Andrew's continued to work the Colmore Farm, raising food for themselves and their livestock. The Colmore name endures on the campus with one of the most popular student houses named in memory of Josh Colmore, '95, the fifth generation of Colmores to be educated on the Mountain, but the farm ceased operation years ago.

In 2008, SAS offered to provide land and support to a grower to produce organic food for the dining hall. Former SAS staff members Vivian Gray and her husband, Ron Ramsey, began work on the farm and established the afternoon program.

Three of the school's senior student farmers—Katelyn Howard, Tieta Keetle and Marisa Wilson—have been maintaining the farm during the personnel transition. The students harvested lettuce, tomatoes and basil for sale over the summer.

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Senior Center News

Covered-Dish Luncheon on Saturday

Cricket & Snail will be the musical guests at the next covered-dish luncheon, 11:45 a.m., Saturday, Sept. 21, at the Senior Center. Bring a dish to share and enjoy the fun. All are welcome.

Senior Menus

The Sewanee Senior Center serves lunch at noon on weekdays. The suggested donation is \$3 (\$0 or older) or \$5 (under 50). Please call by 9 a.m. to order lunch.

Sept. 23: Pecan-crusted pork loin, mashed potatoes, green beans, roll, dessert.

Sept 24: Chicken casserole, slaw, broccoli, dessert.

Sept 25: Beef tips, rice, salad, roll, dessert.

Sept 26: Steak, gravy, mashed potatoes, green peas, roll, dessert.

Sept 27: Chef salad, crackers, dessert.

Menus may vary.

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

Coat Drive in Sewanee

Mountain TOP, a nonprofit organization in Grundy County, will host a Fall Festival in October where they will give away food, clothing and shoes, and other items, to people in need. Last year they had about 500 people and are expecting even more. The organization that usually gives them coats to donate to families cannot participate this year, so Mountain TOP needs help.

Callie Sadler, associate coordinator of outreach ministries at the University, and Gaby Spangenberg, a student in the College, are organizing a coat drive.

They are looking for donations of gently used coats. Please, no holes, stains, or tears. All shapes, sizes, and styles are welcome. Children's coats are needed, too.

To help, contact Gaby at <spanggn0@sewanee.edu> or Callie at <cosadler@sewanee.edu> or 598-3201.

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SES Menus

**Monday–Friday
Sept. 23–27**

LUNCH

MON: Chicken nuggets, tuna sandwich, chips, green beans, mashed potatoes, garden salad, canned fruit or fruit juice, roll.

TUE: Mini corn dogs, peanut butter and jelly sandwich, pretzel, turnip greens, corn, baby carrots and dip, canned or fresh fruit, cookie.

WED: Hamburger or cheeseburger, yogurt, cheese stick, muffin, tuna chef salad, baked beans, french fries, sandwich trimmings, canned or fresh fruit.

THU: Taco, peanut butter and jelly sandwich, pinto beans, garden salad, tater tots, canned or fresh fruit, tortilla chips, smart cookies.

FRI: Pizza, pork chop, Oriental chicken salad, garden salad, orange-glazed sweet potatoes, black beans and corn, canned fruit or fruit juice, breadstick.

BREAKFAST

Students select 1–2 items

MON: Breakfast bar, breakfast pizza, mini pancakes.

TUE: Biscuit, sausage, gravy, jelly.

WED: Yogurt, graham crackers.

THU: Breakfast bar, cheese stick, breakfast pizza.

FRI: Biscuit, chicken patty, gravy, jelly.

Options available every breakfast: Assorted cereal, assorted fruit and juice, milk varieties.

Menus subject to change.

Reading (from page 1)

percent over last year. In math, 42.9 percent of students were proficient or advanced, a decrease of 1.7 percent over last year. In science, 61.8 percent of the students were proficient or advanced, down 1.6 percent over last year. In social studies, 85.6 percent were proficient or advanced, a decrease of 1.4 percent over last year.

The new reading program, created by Pearson Education, is called “Reading Street.” This program “supports achievement, is researched-based, scientifically proven and aligned with the Common Core,” said Downing.

“The program is designed to teach, improve and enrich reading/language arts, writing, science and social studies,” she said. “This is a program that needs to be implemented with fidelity.”

As part of this new program, elementary students in grades K–5 have reading class 105 minutes a day. The 105 minutes is broken down into sections, including 30 minutes where the teacher reads the script to the children, 45 minutes of center activities and another 30 minutes of teacher interaction. Lesson plans are available to the teachers, but the materials for the workstation learning centers are not.

“This program was rolled out rather hastily, and we won’t know until the end of the year whether we will see results or not,” said Chris McDonough, school board member. “I think a solution may have been to implement this program at the schools that are not doing well, not across the board, in order to get concrete evidence.”

“I do understand that something had to be done to raise achievement scores,” McDonough said, “but teachers have had a lot thrown at them in the last couple of years. There have been so many things changing in our education system, from evaluations to changes in tenure and salaries, and the way they are supposed to teach. They feel as if the rug has been pulled out



Franklin County kindergartners, second-graders and fourth-graders are participating in health screenings during the early weeks of the school year. Students are checked in the areas of vision, hearing, blood pressure, and BMI. Referral letters are mailed to the parents/guardians of any student found to have an area of concern after the screenings. SES student Layla Gilliam (above left) is having her hearing checked by a Franklin County High School student as part of the Health Occupations class at FCHS.

from under them,” he said.

“I am worried about teacher morale at this point. This is something you need to be aware of. It is a chastisement to what they have always done,” said McDonough.

The question I have is how do we all get on the same page?” said McDonough.

Sharber noted that the county school system would have to figure out a way to make this work. “Principals have been asked if they need help with instructional supplies money,” said Sharber. “The teachers do have support from instructional coaches.”

“There are those who don’t want the new program to work, and all I can ask is you do your best to help our children,” said Sharber.

“The first year of a program is the toughest year. We should really see an impact in three to five years. But we will see progress at the end of the year,” said Downing.

“The timing was not good to roll out another program,” said Chris Guess, school board member.

“Maybe we need more time. If we can’t meet a specific goal in two months, we need to make sure we are addressing those concerns,” said Caroland.

“This program is time-consuming and expensive when teachers have to make their own centers,” said Drum-

mond. “I hope this does not affect their teacher value-added score at the end of the year.”

Guess asked if feedback was being given from administrators and teachers that could be used to enhance the program. Drummond noted, “nothing we are hearing could be used to enhance the program.”

A teacher in the audience said after the meeting, “I am a teacher with 40 years of experience, and I am being treated as if I were a first-year teacher. Most teachers don’t have a problem with the reading program or because they are afraid to work hard. The way the program is implemented is the problem. We are being treated as if we don’t know how to teach.”

System goals for 2013–14 include that all students will reach high standards, at a minimum of attaining proficiency or better in reading/language arts and math; and that all students will experience academic growth.

See <[http://www.boarddocs.com/tn/franklin/Board.nsf/files/9BESSA6B9C1E/\\$file/Adoption%20%26%20Approval%20of%20System%20Goals.pdf](http://www.boarddocs.com/tn/franklin/Board.nsf/files/9BESSA6B9C1E/$file/Adoption%20%26%20Approval%20of%20System%20Goals.pdf)> for more information on the system goals.

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SES Book Fair Begins

The PTO of Sewanee Elementary School is sponsoring a book fair Monday–Friday, Sept. 23–Sept. 27. The fair will be open 3–6 p.m., on Monday, Sept. 23, during parent/teacher conferences. For the rest of the week, the fair will be open from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

A wide selection of reading materials for students pre-K to upper elementary school is offered. Other education-related items will also be available.

Cash, check and credit cards accepted. All proceeds benefit the library of SES.

FCHS Homecoming Set For Sept. 27

Franklin County High School Homecoming is Friday, Sept. 27, when the Rebels are pitted against the Marshall County Tigers.

The homecoming parade will begin at 1 p.m. on the Bypass with the Rebel Pride Marching Band and cheerleaders joining the route at the old high school parking lot. The parade will proceed up Dinah Shore Boulevard and around the square, where the band will perform a few numbers. The parade will end at the Franklin County Board of Education office.

Game time is 7 p.m., with the Homecoming queen’s coronation ceremony at halftime. The Homecoming theme this year is “Together, We Are Rebels.”

GCHS Fall Carnival Oct. 3

Grundy County High School will host a Fall Carnival from 4 to 8 p.m. on Thursday, Oct. 3, at the high school.

There will be many activities—bounce houses, teen inflatables, games, a cake walk, silent and live auctions, as well as carnival food such as hot dogs and cotton candy.

Armbands and tickets will go on sale Monday, Sept. 23, and will be sold before school each morning until Oct. 3. Arm bands are \$10 and are good for all booths except the Cake Walk, which will require one ticket (tickets are 25¢ each or 5 for \$1.)

The Carnival is sponsored by the Grundy County High School Parent-Teacher organization, faculty and staff, with booth and food assistance from First National Bank and Citizens’ Tri-County Bank.



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The Great Gatsby (2013)

Rated PG-13 • 143 minutes

This 2013 adaptation of the classic Fitzgerald novel by director Baz Luhrmann is garishly loud and overblown. In this version, Leonardo DiCaprio is Gatsby to Carey Mulligan's Daisy, and Tobey Maguire's Nick. With eye-popping sets and modern music imposed on the 1920s scene, it is typical Luhrmann ("Moulin Rouge"). Peter Travers wrote about this film, "Shush. Listen. That's F. Scott Fitzgerald turning in his grave." Rated PG-13 for some violent images, sexual content, smoking, partying and brief language.

CINEMA GUILD

Wednesday, Sept. 25, 7:30 p.m.

The Good, the Bad, and the Ugly (1966)

Unrated • 161 minutes • Free

Sergio Leone's classic western was Clint Eastwood's movie breakout role. The story is simple: a mysterious stranger who joins forces with a notorious outlaw to protect a beautiful widow from an assassin working for the railroad. What keeps us coming back to watch it is Leone's amazing technical work with the camera and his careful, slow storytelling. Unrated, but contains violence and strong language.

SEWANEE UNION THEATRE

Thursday–Sunday, Sept. 26–29, 7:30 p.m.

Iron Man 3 (2013)

Rated PG-13 • 130 minutes

"Iron Man 3" was a big box-office hit in early summer, and I know I saw it, but for the life of me, I cannot remember what it was about. Do we go to these comic book-based movies for the plot or to just enjoy the experience? I think the latter. So, know that Tony Stark and Pepper Potts (played by Robert Downey Jr. and Gwyneth Paltrow) are back again, trying to keep the world safe from an unknown enemy. And trust that they will be cute and charming, there will be action and mayhem as Iron Man battles his enemies, and that the entire story will be wrapped up in about two hours, just enough time to enjoy some popcorn and a Coke. Rated PG-13 for sequences of intense sci-fi action and violence throughout, and brief suggestive content.

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SUT & Cinema Guild Announce Upcoming Films

Oct. 2 • *Frances Ha*

Oct. 3–6 • *This is the End*

Oct. 9 • *Bonnie and Clyde*

Oct. 10–13 • *Much Ado About Nothing*



Theatre students of David Landon reading at IONA: Art Sanctuary.
Photo by Charley Watkins

IONA Series Continues

The Autumn Assembly of Authors at IONA: Art Sanctuary continues with a full slate of readings and art exhibits. The public is welcome, all events are free, parking is available, and refreshments are served.

This week's guest artists are Kellen Mayfield and Ian Corvette, both graduates of St. Andrew's-Sewanee School who are studying at Watkins College of Art, Design & Film in Nashville. At 7 p.m., Friday, Sept. 20, their works will be on display to accompany readings by Chris Bryan, Phil White and Susan White. Bryan will read from his novel "Siding Star," while the father-daughter Whites will read short stories.

At 2 p.m., Sunday, Sept. 22, award-winning writer David Coe (aka D. B. Jackson) will read from his most recent work, including some unpublished stories.

IONA: Art Sanctuary exists "to offer a place for writers and artists to share their creative work with each other and the community, and our emphasis is the source: creativity and spirituality," according to Edward Carlos. It is located at 630 Garnertown Rd. in Sewanee.

Monteagle Chili Cook-Off and Car Show Sept. 28

The first annual Fire on the Mountain Chili Cook-Off and Car Show will be on Saturday, Sept. 28, at Hannah Pickett Park located behind Monteagle City Hall.

The Tracy City Street Rodders will host a Car Show, 10 a.m.–4 p.m., with more than 100 cars participating. The event is free, but there is a fee to enter your car in the show.

The chili cook-off will be open for tasting at noon, and the public can sample as many as they want for \$5. Chili cook-off teams will include representatives from some of the Mountain's finest restaurants, businesses and community groups. Each group will

cook up their tastiest batch of chili to compete for Best Chili or People's Choice Best Chili. Each first-place winner will receive \$250 and a trophy.

In addition to these events, there will be arts and crafts booths, food vendors, and music and prizes throughout the day.

Proceeds will go to support the Mike Price Toys for Tots and the Monteagle Mountain Chamber of Commerce.

For more information about the car show and to download the rules and application for the chili cook-off, go to <www.monteaglechamber.com> or call (931) 924-5353.

Gallery Walk & Blind Boys of Alabama Close Sewanee Arts Festival

An after-hours campus gallery walk and food pairings will be 4:30–7 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 21, featuring three exhibitions of contemporary photography with a distinct food and drink pairing in each gallery.

The event will take place in the Carlos Gallery (Clay Jordan photographs), Archives and Special Collections (William Eggleston), and the University Art Gallery (Pradip Malde).

Jordan, whose show "Transmission" is up until Sept. 30, is a photographer and musician who was born in Augusta, Ga., in 1975. He currently splits his time between Athens, Ga., and New York City. In addition to his photography practice, he plays in the band pacificUV.

The 16 photographs by Eggleston are from the collection of university regent Chris Hehmeyer, C'77.

Malde's show, "The Third Heaven, Photographs from Haiti, 2006-2012" contains beautiful color photographs grouped in long strips applied directly to the Gallery walls, fostering a complex, immersive and empathetic experience for the viewer. In Malde's words, "the problem of Haiti matters to all of us."

A map of the gallery walk is located at <http://news.sewanee.edu/assets/uploads/gallery_walk_map.pdf>.


The festival closes with the Performing Arts Series presentation of the Blind Boys of Alabama at 7:30 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 21, in Guerry Auditorium. Tickets are \$25 for adults, \$20 for seniors and \$10 for non-Sewanee students.

"Abbey's Alley Anecdotes"

Sewanee senior theatre majors Oliver Crawford, Andy Philpo, Hyatt Pyle, Beckett Scott, Cody Snead, Sarah Weldon and Pagie Wilson will present a theatrical collage of historical anecdotes in and about Sewanee's popular ravine gardens titled "Abbo's Alley Anecdotes," on Saturday, Sept. 21, with performances at 10 a.m. and 11:30 a.m.

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The study group will meet from 6:30 to 8 p.m. on the Thursday evenings from September 26 to November 21, meeting at the Fellowship Church, located on East Cumberland Street in Cowan.

The study leader will be Sherwood Ebey, who is an Elder in the Presbyterian Church and a retired professor of the University of the South.

If you wish to accept this invitation to participate in this Thursday evening Bible Study Group, please contact Sherwood Ebey (598-5883) or by e-mail at <sebey@cafes.net>.

Don't leave the area for entertainment and fun. Go to **www.TheMountainNow.com** for a full listing of events and activities for all ages.

Sherwood Documentary Premieres Saturday

The premiere of a new film, "Sherwood, Tennessee: Shadows of the Cumberland" will be at 7 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 21, at Epiphany Mission in Sherwood. Filmmaker John Lynch has been working on this project with people from Sherwood and across the state. Lynch grew up in Sherwood and is a graduate of the University of the South.

Crumbling buildings are all that is left of the Gager Lime Company in Sherwood, Lynch writes. At one time, it was a busy community with more than 1,700 inhabitants. Now, the last store in town is closed, and the closest gas station is 30 minutes away. The lime company has been closed for more than 60 years, but there's more there than crumbling buildings. The post office is still open. There are three churches, a volunteer fire station and a community center.

Lynch gives this reason for producing the hour-long documentary about his hometown, Sherwood. "For thirty years I have been haunted by ghosts, by their sights and sounds. They don't go bump in the night. Instead, there's a constant, metallic, industrial clanking. Cars are white with limestone dust. People far outnumber automobiles.

"Loafers sit on the store porch or the loading platform of the train depot. They laugh, spit tobacco and reduce cedar sticks to aromatic piles of shavings. The faint whistle of a steam locomotive still echoes from the mountainsides. A laughing, shoving, shouting line of schoolchildren moves up Highway 56 from the old white wooden school house on the hill. Part of me hopes that the sights and sounds remain hidden from the grinding wheels of progress, but another part of me is driven to reveal these spirits that lie invisible beneath the shadows of the Cumberland Plateau."

To see the film's trailer, go to <www.youtube.com/watch?v=K1bhCzITKX0>.



Foster Falls

Foster Falls Hike with Priestley

Foster Falls has long been a favorite spot for fall wildflowers but this is a first as a herbarium-sponsored walk. Meet at 1:30 p.m., Sunday, Sept. 29, at the Foster Falls parking area for this one-to-two hour easy walk with Mary Priestley in the powerline right-of-way above the gorge.

Contact the South Cumberland State Park Visitors' Center for directions at (931) 924-2980.

Wear appropriate shoes on all of these walks. Risks involved in hiking include physical exertion, rough terrain, forces of nature and other hazards not present in everyday life. Picking flowers and digging plants are prohibited in all of the above-mentioned natural areas.

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Sunday, September 29

Hike to Laurel Gorge—

Meet at 8 a.m. at the Foster Falls parking area for a moderate 5.5 mile hike to the Laurel Gorge and back. Bring a camera to capture the beauty of the overlooks and wear sturdy shoes. Bring water and snacks as necessary.

Backcountry Cooking—Come to the Visitors' Center at 1 p.m. for a demonstration on how to cook for yourself or a group while hiking. Bring an appetite. Call ahead for reservations, (931) 924-2956.

Grundy Lakes Canoe Float—Meet Ranger Park at 3 p.m. at the Grundy Lakes parking lot for a fun time paddling around the lakes. Wear clothes you can get wet. Call ahead for reservations, (931) 924-2956.

The South Cumberland State Park Visitors' Center is located on Highway 41 South between Monteagle and Tracy City and is open 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. seven days a week. For more information call (931) 924-2980 or visit <www.friendsofscsra.org>.

Game Night in Cowan

Franklin County Arts Guild will have its third annual "Come Out and Play" Games Night, beginning at 6 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 28. Admission is \$10 and includes drinks and snacks, including pizza.

Bring a favorite game or play popular games like Scrabble, Rook, Hearts and many more. There will also be a silent auction and an opportunity to learn to create ACEO Artist Trading Cards.

For folks who just want to relax and catch up with friends, there will be a Gossip Bench and a Liar's Table. The event will be held at the Cowan Center for the Arts building, located at 301 Montgomery St. in Cowan (turn left on Hodges Street off of Cumberland). For more information call (931) 308-4130 or pick up tickets at the Artisan Depot in Cowan, Whiffenpoof's Vintage & Costuming or Winchester Antique Mall in Winchester.

For more information about the Cowan Center for the Arts go to <www.cowancenterforthearts.org>. For information about the Franklin County Arts Guild contact Diana Lamb at (931) 308-4130 or visit <www.fcguildwordpress.com>.

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MS Football Drops Opener

On Sept. 12, the St. Andrew's-Sewanee School middle school boys' football team was defeated by Riverside Christian Academy, 44-8.

The only score for the Mountain Lions came in the second quarter when quarterback Dustin Stensby hit receiver Blaise Zeitler on a 40-yard pass. The two-point conversion was good, with Stensby throwing to Zeitler.

Other outstanding performances included Ben Matthews with 20 yards rushing and James Hudson with 34 yards rushing.

Middle School Soccer Battles in Two Games on the Road

The St. Andrew's-Sewanee middle school girls' soccer team traveled to take on Webb School on Sept. 12 in a district match-up. SAS came out fast, controlling most of the possession and creating numerous goal-scoring chances. Unfortunately, just before halftime, the game was halted because of thunder and lightning. The weather did not let up and the game was recorded as a 0-0 draw.

SAS traveled to Huntland Sept. 17 in their last road game of the regular season. The game started off with both

teams possessing the ball well. However, Huntland pounced on three big mistakes in the SAS back line to gain a 3-0 advantage heading into halftime. SAS came out fast after the break and controlled the game. A goal finally came for SAS when seventh-grader Mariel Rinck headed a beautiful through ball to fellow seventh-grader Kate Butler, who fired the ball into the corner. That was not enough, however, and Huntland sealed the win with a fourth goal late in the half. The game ended 4-1.



SAS middle school soccer player Lucy Lancaster going up the field against Webb. Photo by Paul Klekotta



SAS middle school soccer players (in dark jerseys) show some teamwork against Huntland. Photo by Paul Klekotta

SAS Volleyball Finishes in Fourth

The St. Andrew's-Sewanee varsity volleyball team played in the Southern Slam Tournament at Coffee County, finishing in the top four out of eight teams on Sept. 16.

The Mountain Lions defeated Warren County 25-8, 8-25, 15-10; defeated Franklin County 25-14, 25-15; lost to Coffee County 25-23, 25-21; defeated Tullahoma 25-18, 25-9; lost to Eagleville 25-14, 25-17; and lost to Harpeth (Kingston Springs, Tenn.) 25-20, 25-17. Outstanding tournament play was turned by Sam Stine, Madison Culpepper and Lexie Laurendine.

Coach Rob Zeitler said, "I am proud of how our team competed against some strong competition. They continue to work hard and grow as a team."

SAS Varsity Soccer Update

The St. Andrew's-Sewanee varsity girls' soccer team took on the Franklin County High School Rebelettes on home turf in a game abbreviated due to grim weather on Sept. 12. In the first half, SAS and FCHS battled for control of the midfield; FCHS defenders adapted well to a new style of play, engaging SAS midfielders by mounting their attack up the sides of the field. The SAS back line put up a strong defense, led by seniors Marisa Wilson, Lucy Howick and Eliza McNair, who also adapted quickly to a stopper position in response to the FCHS attack.

However, taking advantage of defensive lapses, the Rebelettes were able to put away two solid goals to put them ahead of the Mountain Lions, with two more as insurance. Though the Mountain Lions took the field in the second half with renewed energy, the game was called due to lightning, and the official score stood at 4-0.

Donelson Christian Academy played SAS on Sept. 17. DCA came out strong, and despite the best efforts of the Mountain Lion's defense, the Wildcats were able to score five goals in the first half. Center midfielder McNair did an excellent job of tying the midfield together and hustling to every ball that came in her direction.

After halftime SAS retook the field with renewed vigor. Early in the second half Wilson was able to put one in the back of the net by way of a well-placed penalty kick. On top of this goal, Wilson had a great game on the back line. Katelyn Howard fought hard outside, pushing up the line at every opportunity, but the Wildcat defense gave her very few chances to work it into the middle. The final score was 9-1 in favor of Donelson Christian Academy.



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Tigers Lose on the Road

A late touchdown lifted host Willamette to a 33-28 victory over the Sewanee football team on Sept. 14 at McCulloch Stadium in Salem, Ore.

With the loss, the Tigers evened their record to 1-1, while the Bearcats improved to 2-0.

After an opening touchdown drive by Willamette midway through the first quarter, Sewanee responded with its first scoring drive.

After marching 65 yards on seven plays, fullback Andy Moots capped off the drive with a 26-yard touchdown run with 8:12 left in the quarter. Because the Bearcats missed its extra point after their touchdown, Callum Wishart gave Sewanee a 7-6 lead with his point after.

After Willamette responded with back-to-back touchdowns in the second quarter, Sewanee cut its deficit to five late in the half.

With just 22 seconds before the intermission, quarterback Cody Daniel found receiver Stephen Jackson in the back of the end zone to cut the lead to 19-14.

Early in the second half, Sewanee's offense continued to play well. After the Tigers held Willamette to a three and out, the Tigers capped off their opening second-half possession with a 12-play, 67-yard touchdown drive that took 6:43 off the clock.

Down 21-19 to start the fourth quarter, Willamette responded. On a third and 16 from the Sewanee 32-yard line, quarterback Josh Dean tossed a touchdown pass to receiver Erik Baker with 11:04 to play.

On the ensuing possession, Sewanee stayed aggressive. Facing a third and 13 from its own 23, Powers Spencer raced 72 yards to the Willamette five. Three plays later, quarterback Curtis Johnson finished the drive with a one-yard touchdown run.

Unfortunately, that was when the tide turned in favor of Willamette. The Bearcats retook the lead when Dean found Beau Smith from the 36-yard line with 6:46 left.

Sewanee did have one final chance to score, however, a fourth-and-eight pass by Daniel fell incomplete from the Willamette 23-yard line with 1:36 on the clock.



The Purple Haze Rugby Club won their first home match of the semester, over Covenant College on Saturday, Sept. 14. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

Sewanee Men's Soccer Wins

A goal by Walker Ueland helped the Sewanee men's soccer team to its first win of the season on Sept. 14, as the Tigers defeated LaGrange, 1-0.

After both teams failed to score in the first half, Ueland took a pass from Brian Maloney and fired in the game-winner to open the second half.

Sewanee dominated the statistics. Sewanee led in shots, 21-9, and in corner kicks by a 7-0 margin.

William White led the attack with five shots. Ueland and Griffin Smith took four attempts, while Solly Thomas fired two shots.

In goal, Holden Foster finished with five saves for the shutout win.

A second-half goal by Maloney pushed the Sewanee men's soccer team past LeTourneau on Sept. 15.

With the win, the Tigers have won two matches in a row and improved their overall record to 2-3-2.

After putting up nine shots in the first half, Sewanee kept taking the fight to LeTourneau after the intermission. After two shots from Chris Haberstroth, the Tigers had their sixth corner kick of the match.

On the ensuing play, Maloney found a lost ball and fired in the game-winner in the 62nd minute.

Overall, Sewanee edged out LeTourneau in shots, 16-15. Additionally, the Tigers won the corner kick battle, 8-3.

Maloney and William White each finished with a game-high five shots. Harrison Williams, Ford Emerson and Haberstroth also played well, with two shots each.

In goal, Foster earned his second career victory after he finished the shutout with seven saves.

Sports Briefs

Cross Country

Jason Grimes and Amy Lee both ran well on Sept. 14, as the Sewanee men's and women's cross country teams wrapped up the tough Commodore Classic.

Grimes led the Tigers with a 40th-place finish. Grimes's time of 27:41.68 was only three minutes off the pace set by winner Scott Wietecha.

Lee led the way with a 20th-place finish, with a time of 19:59.22.

Women's Soccer

Despite goals by Shelby Meckstroth and Tyler Edell, the Sewanee women's soccer team fell for the first time this season with a 4-2 loss at Mississippi College on Sept. 13.

After losing its first match of the season, the Sewanee women's soccer team responded with a 2-0 win over East Texas Baptist on Sept. 14.

With the victory, Sewanee improved to 4-1-1.

Home Games

Today, Sept. 20

ITA South Regional Men's

Tennis Tourney, through Sept. 22

7 pm Tigers Men's Soccer

v Tennessee Temple

7 pm FCHS V Football v Tullahoma

Saturday, Sept. 21

1 pm Tigers Football v Maryville TN

Sunday, Sept. 22

12 pm Tigers Women's Soccer

v Roanoke

Monday, Sept. 23

5 pm FCHS JV Volleyball

v Marion County HS

5 pm SAS JV Volleyball

v Mt. Juliet Christian Academy

6 pm SAS V Volleyball

v Tullahoma HS

6:30 pm FCHS 9th-gr Football

v GCHS

7 pm FCHS V Volleyball

v Marion County HS

Tuesday, Sept. 24

5 pm FCHS JV Volleyball

v Lawrence County HS

7 pm FCHS V Volleyball

v Lawrence County HS

Thursday, Sept. 26

4 pm SAS JV Volleyball

v Mt. Juliet Christian Academy

4:30 pm GCHS JV Volleyball

v Bledsoe County HS

5 pm SAS V Volleyball

v Mt. Juliet Christian Academy

5:30 pm GCHS V Volleyball

v Bledsoe County HS

Friday, Sept. 27

2 pm FCHS V Football

v Marshall County HS

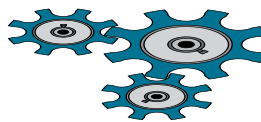
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OUTSIDEIN

by Patrick Dean

The weather was windy with a chance of rain, so we drove down to AEDC for some mountain biking. The mid-September light was yellow and contemplative; I could sense the transition in the air.

We're into shoulder season, where outdoor conditions vacillate and no activity can be ruled out for very long. There are plenty of sunny, wind-free days for road biking, but they're mixed with days like this one. It's time to get ready for climbing, as the bugs and poison ivy retreat for the cold times; however, that definitely doesn't mean you can put away the shorts and flip-flops.

We've even had a morning in the 40s this month, though it was 62 as I pulled into the trail parking lot. We rolled into the woods as the advancing front pushed around the tops of the trees; the sumacs were already showing blood-purple.

As we wove our way through tight turns between young pines and swooped down and up swales, it occurred to me that this was like bike riding as an 8-year-old: pedaling furiously and then pausing, taking sharp turns and small jumps. I flashed back to a day from about that time in my life, when my buddies and I spent most of a day at a construction site.

I remember riding down into a huge (to me) hole, an excavated dirt pit, and back out. Next to the pit was the excavated mound of dirt, which we climbed on our Schwinn Stingrays and early-70s "English racers." I made it home at dusk, filthy and exhilarated.

Back on the mountain-bike trail, I realized another pertinent fact about this kind of riding: it's a full-body sport. You lean around turns, contort past leaning trunks, lift over gnarled roots. If you're after some exercise for your core, this is for you.

We crossed a fire lane, stood up for a few steep, rocky climbs, and were back in the parking lot. The sky darkened and dead leaves skittered and crackled as we loaded our bikes and made lunch plans.

Summer felt so last season.

Continuing Life Lessons from Mountain Biking:

- Your tires will go over most obstacles if you let them, and if you don't overinflate them.
- When approaching an obstacle (tree root, rock), try to meet it with your tire as perpendicular as possible, not at an angle.
- If your front tire does hit something and go askew, there's more time than you think to correct the situation.
- If you're approaching a bend in the trail too fast, slow before you begin to turn; if you try to brake and turn at the same time, you're more likely to skid.
- Once you place your hands on the handlebars, you gain pretty much nothing by gripping them more tightly.
- If you choose a bike with only one gear, the ride will be simpler, but you'll occasionally have to work harder.
- Look directly in front of you, but also look farther down the trail.

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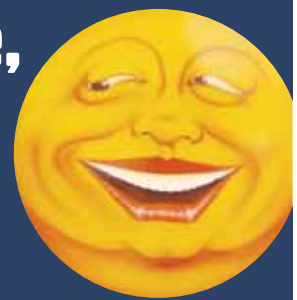
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NATURENOTES

By Harry and Jean Yeatman



Juvenile female cardinal

Cardinals and Towhees

Jean Yeatman reports, "On Sept. 15, I looked from our deck into a clump of farkleberry bushes below, and saw two strangely colored birds. I got my binoculars and realized they were two young cardinals that still had their black bills. The young male was a mottled red and light beige, just getting his beautiful red coat. The female was a light beige and just getting a light reddish cast to her wings.

"Then," she continued, "two more birds flew up. The first was brown with white outer tail feathers. This one really had me puzzled until the fourth bird flew in. When I saw that it had some black on its back and rufous color on its sides, I realized these were two young towhees. I found it so interesting that as adults, these two species come to our feeder together all winter long. And here they are, teaming up at such an early age."

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Mays is a graduate of the English Gardening School in London. She has designed or consulted on more than 100 gardens of all kinds and sizes.

The price of admission is a \$20 donation to the St. Mary's Convent for their Labyrinth Prayer Garden. Bring a folding chair. Come early for a good seat and for time to browse her extensive garden library.

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Ignore GPS instructions via Natural Bridge Road, as you will be directed through someone's pasture. Instead turn on Rattlesnake Springs Road. (about 500 feet before Natural Bridge Road) and follow the above instructions.



In June Mays' garden



Gidget



Clementine

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Weather

DAY	DATE	HI	LO
Mon	Sep 09	84	65
Tue	Sep 10	86	67
Wed	Sep 11	85	67
Thu	Sep 12	86	66
Fri	Sep 13	85	68
Sat	Sep 14	81	64
Sun	Sep 15	75	48

Week's Stats:
Avg max temp = 83
Avg min temp = 64
Avg temp = 67
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Reported by
Nicole Nunley
Forestry Technician

"Change" Challenge Begins

Similar to last year's Dimes for Dogs and Cats campaign, this year's Change Challenge asks community members to collect dimes, nickels, quarters and dollars for Animal Harbor.

The Change Challenge starts on Friday, Sept. 20. To participate, get a paw-print bag at Joseph's Remodeling Solutions' booth at the Sewanee Angel Festival on Friday night. Only those who register at the booth at the Angel Festival can participate in the challenge.

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- 4:30pm Donna's School of Dance for all ages ~ Angel Park Pavilion
- 5:00pm Dog Costume Contest: Dog & Owner Look-Alike, Angel & Most Unusual Dog Costume Contest~ Angel Park Pavilion
- Treasure Hunt Game Cards ~ CAC booth
- Mr. Twister Balloon Animals ~ Julia's Fine Food
- Face Painting ~ IvyWild Restaurant
- Bounce House ~ Locals Gallery
- Animal Harbor Change Challenge Hot Air Balloon Ride Contest ~ Joseph's Remodeling Solutions booth
- Coloring Table ~ Harvest Moon Market
- Make It & Take It Art ~ Blue Chair Bakery & Coffee Shop
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Community Calendar

Today, Sept. 20

Curbside recycling, before 7:30 am

Harvest Moon Market, American Legion Hall, through Sunday

Polly Crockett Festival, Cowan, through Sunday

- 8:00 am GC Clothing Bank open, old GCHS, until 12
- 9:00 am CAC office open, until 11 am
- 10:00 am Game day, Senior Center
- 12:00 pm Contract/release stretching with Kim, Fowler
- 3:30 pm Creative movement, age 4–6, Comm Center
- 4:00 pm AngelFest, activities, Angel Park, until 7
- 4:30 pm Creative movement, age 7 & up, Comm Center
- 5:00 pm AngelFest Dog Costume contest, Angel Park
- 7:00 pm Towson Engsberg, Stagger Moon Band, Angel Park
- 7:00 pm Film, "Percy Jackson, Sea of Monsters," Alma Mater
- 7:00 pm IONA, readings and art, 630 Garnertown Rd.
- 7:30 pm Film, "The Great Gatsby" (2013), SUT

Saturday, Sept. 21

Harvest Moon Market, American Legion Hall, through Sunday

Polly Crockett Festival, Cowan, through Sunday

- 8:00 am Sewanee Gardeners' Market, until 10 am
- 9:00 am Tracy City Farmers' Market open, until noon
- 9:30 am Mtntop Tumblers, 5 and under, Comm Ctr
- 10:00 am "Abbo's Alley Anecdotes," Abbo's Alley
- 10:00 am FC Arts Guild Sidewalk Show/Bake Sale, Cowan
- 10:00 am Hospitality Shop open, until noon
- 10:30 am Mtntop Tumblers, boys, all ages, Comm Ctr
- 11:00 am New Beginnings Community Day, Fred's, Monteagle
- 11:30 am "Abbo's Alley Anecdotes," Abbo's Alley
- 11:45 am Potluck luncheon, Senior Center
- 4:30 pm Campus gallery walk/food pairings, until 7
- 7:00 pm Film, "Percy Jackson, Sea of Monsters," Alma Mater
- 7:00 pm "Shadows of the Cumberland," Epiphany, Sherwood
- 7:30 pm Concert, Blind Boys of Alabama, Guerry Auditorium
- 7:30 pm Film, "The Great Gatsby" (2013), SUT

Sunday, Sept. 22

Harvest Moon Market, American Legion Hall, through Sunday

Polly Crockett Festival, Cowan

- 2:00 pm IONA, readings and art, 630 Garnertown Rd.
- 2:00 pm Otey Parish meeting, Bauerschmidt, Sanctuary
- 3:00 pm Film, "Percy Jackson, Sea of Monsters," Alma Mater
- 4:00 pm Bible study, Otey Parish
- 4:00 pm Yoga with Helen, Community Center
- 5:00 pm Women's Bible study, Midway Baptist
- 7:30 pm Film, "The Great Gatsby" (2013), SUT

Monday, Sept. 23

- 9:00 am CAC office open, until 11 am
- 9:00 am Coffee with Coaches Laurendine, Blue Chair Tavern
- 10:30 am Chair exercise, Senior Center
- 1:30 pm Sewanee Garden Club, 891 Deepwoods Rd.
- 3:00 pm SES Book Fair, SES Library, until 6
- 3:00 pm SES Parent-Teacher conferences, until 6
- 4:30 pm Slow Flow & Yin Yoga with Sarah, Fowler
- 5:00 pm Women's 12-Step, Brooks Hall, Otey
- 5:30 pm Yoga for Healing with Lucie, Community Center
- 6:00 pm Power Yoga with Sarah, Fowler
- 6:30 pm FC Dem Women, Oasis, Winchester
- 7:00 pm Community Council, Senior Center
- 7:00 pm Centering Prayer, Otey sanctuary
- 7:00 pm Sewanee Chorale rehearsal, Hamilton Hall "Pit"

Tuesday, Sept. 24

- 6:30 am Flow & Go Yoga with Sarah, Fowler
- 8:00 am Grundy County Food Bank open, until 10 am
- 8:00 am SES Book Fair, SES Library, until 3
- 9:00 am CAC office open, until 11 am
- 9:30 am Blood pressure checks, Sewanee Senior Center
- 9:30 am Hospitality Shop open, until 2 pm
- 9:30 am Pilates with Kim, inter/adv, Fowler
- 10:00 am Crafting Ladies, Morton Memorial, Monteagle
- 10:30 am Bingo, Sewanee Senior Center
- 10:30 am Pilates with Kim, beginners, Fowler Center
- 11:30 am Grundy Co. Rotary, Dutch Maid, Tracy City
- 3:00 pm FCHS Parent-Teacher conferences, until 6
- 3:30 pm Centering prayer, St. Mary's Sewanee
- 5:00 pm Sewanee Utility District board meeting, Utility office
- 6:15 pm Bible study, Monteagle Seventh Day Adventist Church
- 7:00 pm Sewanee Symphony Orchestra rehearsal, Guerry

Wednesday, Sept. 25

Trustees' Community Relations Committee agenda deadline, 598-1998

GCHS progress reports

- 6:50 am Monteagle Sewanee Rotary Club, Smoke House
- 8:00 am SES Book Fair, SES Library, until 3
- 9:00 am CAC pantry day, until 11 am; 1–3 pm
- 10:00 am Senior Center writing group, Kelley home
- 12:00 pm EQB Club, St. Mary's Sewanee
- 1:30 pm Duplicate bridge, Templeton Library, call 598-9344
- 5:15 pm Buddhist sitting group, St. Augustine's Chapel
- 5:30 pm Yoga with Helen, Community Center
- 7:00 pm Catechumenate, Women's Center
- 7:30 pm Film, "The Good, the Bad & the Ugly," (free) SUT

Thursday, Sept. 26

- 8:00 am GC Clothing Bank open, Old GCHS, until noon
- 8:00 am SES Book Fair, SES Library, until 3
- 9:00 am CAC office open, until 11 am
- 9:00 am Nature journaling, meet at Stirling's
- 9:30 am Hospitality Shop open, until 2 pm
- 9:30 am Pilates with Kim, inter/adv, Fowler
- 10:30 am Chair exercise, Senior Center
- 10:30 am Pilates with Kim, beginners, Fowler Center
- 10:30 am Tai Chi with Kathleen, adv, Comm Center
- 11:00 am Body Recall, Monteagle City Hall
- 12:00 pm Monteagle Sewanee Rotary, Blue Chair Tavern
- 12:30 pm Episcopal Peace Fellowship, Brooks Hall, Otey
- 1:30 pm F@H support group, Brooks Hall conference room
- 2:00 pm Tracy City Farmers' Market open, until 5 pm
- 3:00 pm South MS Parent-Teacher conferences, until 6
- 3:30 pm Mountaintop Tumblers, beg/inter, Comm Ctr
- 4:30 pm Film theory lecture, Davidson, Gailor Auditorium
- 4:30 pm Mountaintop Tumblers, adv, Comm Ctr
- 5:00 pm Weight Watchers, St. Joseph's, St. Mary's, weigh-in 4:30
- 6:00 pm Karate, youth, American Legion Hall; adults, 7:30
- 7:00 pm Abuse survivors group, 330 W. Main, Monteagle
- 7:30 pm Film, "Iron Man 3," SUT
- 7:30 pm Ramsey Midwood Band, VFW Post 9586, Monteagle

Friday, Sept. 27

FCHS Homecoming

SAS Upper School Family Weekend

- 8:00 am GC Clothing Bank open, old GCHS, until 12
- 8:00 am SES Book Fair, SES Library, until 3
- 9:00 am CAC office open, until 11 am
- 10:00 am Game day, Senior Center
- 12:00 pm Contract/release stretching with Kim, Fowler
- 3:30 pm Creative movement, age 4–6, Comm Center
- 4:30 pm Creative movement, age 7 & up, Comm Center
- 5:30 pm World Healing meditation, Community Center
- 6:30 pm Faith and Film at Otey, "Babette's Feast"
- 7:00 pm IONA: readings and art, 630 Garnertown Rd
- 7:30 pm Film, "Iron Man 3," 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
- 7:00 pm AA, closed, Big Book study, St. James
- 7:30 pm ACA, Brooks Hall, Otey

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