

# THE SEWANEE MOUNTAIN

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# Yeatman and Trails & Trilliums Award Winners Named

The Friends of South Cumberland State Parks are pleased to honor Latham Davis and Kathleen Williams with the Harry Yeatman Environmental Education and Trails & Trilliums Tribute Awards, respectively. The awards will be presented at Wine and Wildflowers, the Saturday night event at the Friends' annual Trails & Trilliums spring festival, which will be held in Beersheba Springs April 21-23.

Enjoying a varied career as journalist, newspaper and magazine editor, book publisher, and book designer, Latham Davis has contributed generously to the Friends of South Cumberland's efforts over the years. Since joining the Friends in 1998, he served several years on the board, including two terms as president: 2004-2006 and 2015-2017. In addition, he co-chaired the organization's first Cumberland Wild conservation awareness event and the Saving Great Spaces fundraiser, in which the Friends surpassed their \$500,000 goal by \$100,000. The success of the campaign led directly to federal and state appropriations totaling more than \$3 million. These monies resulted in the acquisition of key bluff tracts in Savage Gulf and then thousands of acres in Fiery Gizzard. Saving Great Spaces certainly brought the friends conservation efforts to the attention of state and federal officials.

The Yeatman Award, however, is for Davis's latest achievement on behalf of the Friends: South Cumberland and its Friends, a thousand acres that have protected history of the park and those who Tennessee's natural treasures across worked over the years to make the the state. Some crowning achieveparks — South Cumberland and the new Savage Gulf State Park – the establishment of Cummins true jewels among the state park Falls as Tennessee's 54th State lands, preserved for all for posterity. Park, securing the permanent Beautifully put together and writ- ownership of Virgin Falls SNA by ten in Davis' clear and light style, the State, securing lands along the the book introduces readers to the Cumberland Trail, including the geology and ecology of the area, mountains that surround Grassy the early settlers, the eras of natural Cove and sacred Devilstep Hollow, resource extraction, and stories of protecting wetlands in west Tenthe preservation of the land and its nessee, and securing lands along current recreational and economic the Mississippi River. value to this part of the country. In Davis' words, "Here's to all who the 2004 Mack S. Prichard Award zones, meaning SUD's usable land use cloud-based or server provided love nature and the wilderness." And Latham, here's to you!

ment in 2015. Her work through Wildlife Federation.



Latham Davis



Kathleen Williams

TennGreen conserved several

For her work, Kathleen received President and Executive Director the Year, and received the 2005 of TennGreen Land Conservan- Lifetime Achievement Award from cy, formerly Tennessee Parks & Greenways for Nashville. In 2011 Greenways Foundation, from its Kathleen was named the Conservainception in 1998 until her retiretionist of the Year by the Tennessee

# SSO Presents 'Dancing at the Symphony'

Experience the elegance and charm of Sewanee Symphony Orchestra's last concert of the season as our musicians perform the timeless waltzes of Johann Strauss Jr. and other celebrated composers. Let yourself be swept away by the graceful melodies and swirling rhythms of these beloved classics. The concert will be at 7:30 p.m., Friday, April 21, in Convocation Hall. The concert is free and open to the public.

This special concert features a collaboration with the University's dance program, where our talented students will perform one of the most enchanting waltzes ever written and then generously share their skills with the audience, teaching them the art of waltzing. If you've ever longed to waltz to the sounds of a live orchestra, we invite you to join the Sewanee Symphony Orchestra and experience the joy of "Dancing at the Symphony."

# Sewanee Theatre & Dance Presents 'Big Love'

by Beth Riner, Messenger Staff Writer

door play in Sewanee's Angel Park splash zone — fair warning.' where 50 bridegrooms helicopter in to ambush 50 reluctant brides es to the script to make the play that's just one challenge fac- different for each cast. ing the director, cast, and crew of

Love" at 7 p.m., Wednesday, April outdoors at Angel Park, weather

permitting. happens to be everyone else." Love" is about 50 brides who flee rying their cousins. It's based on itself. Áeschylus's "The Suppliants," one of the earliest plays in the Western

has a real fun side to it — an tant problems.

Guest Director Chris McCreary Millwood, a junior theater major, when McCreary was an under- and Mac Walker, a senior theater graduate at Southern Methodist major, who is in charge of cos-University. McCreary has a master tumes. of fine arts in directing.

would engage the audience. It's a fun story — it's intentional chaos.

Imagine performing an out- The front row is going to be the

Writer Mee encourages chang-

"It will very much be Sewanee's production of 'Big Love,'" Mc-Sewanee's Department of The-Creary said. "It's a really fun, ater and Dance will present "Big messy, active investigation of who you are. It's about the pursuit of 26, through Saturday, April 29, happiness, and what every single character in the play wants just happens to be in conflict with

One of the driving forces beto an Italian manor to avoid mar- hind the production is the park

What I really like about doing this play in this setting is the limitations," said Guest Director official map that will be distributed "Mee's become very well- Chris McCreary. "I love limitaknown for doing contemporary tions in theater. It breeds freedom adaptations of Greek plays," said and creativity. The play gives us areas, and an official yard sign will Sewanee Theater Department Seemingly impossible things to do with light and sound and music. It really forces you to solve importions.

Working closely with Mc-Crawford taught acting to Creary is Stage Manager Olivia

"Chris is wonderful — very "The play is a larger-than- collaborative and also open to life piece," McCreary said. "We ideas from everyone. It's very wanted to think of things that refreshing," Millwood said, who

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# **SUD Considers Switching** from Spray Fields to Dripline

by Leslie Lytle, Messenger Staff Writer

At the April 18 meeting, the paid for itself, in addition to yield-Sewanee Utility District Board of Commissioners decided to investigate switching from a spray field

the Sierra Club, was named the Increasing the usable land area Kathleen Williams served as 1996 Land Conservationist of could be critical if sewer customdevelopment or due to state law changes on required public sewer maintenance concerns since drip- American Recovery Plan (ARP) line systems required filters to keep the emitters from getting clogged. There were very few large dripline systems in the state, Beavers said.

Lightning strike damage will necessitate replacing the spray head system in one section of the spray fields, and Beavers suggested SUD could switch to dripline in that section as a test. Board President Charlie Smith said a SUD switch to a dripline would offer a good opportunity to do a timber harvest in the spray fields. Beavers said the timber harvest done over 10 years ago improved soil conditions and

ing a small amount of revenue. Turning to technology and ac-

counting issues, Beavers said the to dripline dispersion system at the accounting software SUD used wastewater treatment plant. The would cease to be supported by board also discussed making tech- the end of the year. He had not nology and accounting changes been pleased with the customer service of the provider and said SUD manager Ben Beavers said other providers offered the same dripline could be either inground package at the same cost, \$20,000, or above ground and offered the with better customer service. SUD benefit of requiring smaller buffer also needed to decide whether to from the Tennessee Chapter of area would increase by 25 percent. data storage. Beavers said according to SUD's IT advisor, cloud-based was just as secure and offered the weeks leading up to this festival. ers increased due to University advantage of not needing to be regularly updated.

Another technology issue conconnection. With driplines, there fronting SUD is replacing its was also less potential for runoff 10-year-old computer hardware, and ponding, according to state which does not support Windows research. Beavers cited possible 11. Beavers noted part of the

# 2023 Sewanee Community-Wide Yard Sales

The Sewanee Community Center is sponsoring the communitywide yard sale from 8 a.m. to noon, Saturday, May 6. Registration is required by April 27, and the fee is \$15. The registration form can be found on page 15 of this issue, or on the Messenger website <a href="http://">http://</a> www.sewaneemessenger.com>.

You can participate by either having a sale at your home (feel free to combine your efforts with a friend) or join up with others at the Community Center. Space is limited in the Community Center. that day. Advertising will be in local papers in the surrounding

# **Electronics** Recycling **Event**

The Cumberland Center for Justice and Peace (CCJP) will be hosting an electronics recycling event in honor of Earth Day on Saturday, April 22, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the parking lot of the old Hair Depot on Highway 41,

All electronic items will be accepted with the exception of old televisions that use tube technology and/or are built into wooden

For more information email <cumberlandjusticeandpeace@ gmail.com>.

# Earth Day Celebration

Full Circle Candles in Monteagle will host a free Earth Day Celebration 10 a.m. to 4 p.m, Saturday, April 22.

There will be arts n' crafts, pottery, plant sale, bake sale and family activities for the day. Our youth crafting group will be selling handmade items they have made over

Part of the proceeds will go towards a local nonprofit, Growing Roots, an organization that offers whole health wellness opportunities and education for Tennessee's South Cumberland Plateau.

Full Circle Candles is located at 1202 W. Main St., Monteagle. For more information go to <a href="https://">https:// (Continued on page 5) www.fullcirclecandles.com>.

P.O. Box 296 Sewanee, TN 37375

#### Letter

#### **RUDDER SUPPORTS EXPULSION**

To the Editor:

Imagine this scenario. Multiple children and teachers are murdered at a school — again — by a shooter who legally accessed assault weapons that can kill over and over in a matter of minutes. A demonstration at the Tennessee state capitol is organized to call for measures to promote gun safety. Three elected state Representatives, all from the Democratic party, speak in the capitol building in support of gun safety.

Some may think the regular slaughter of students and teachers is an acceptable price to pay to have few, if any, restrictions on guns. Some appear to be okay with the fact that guns are now the number one cause of death for children in the U.S. — beating motor vehicle accidents, cancer, and other causes. They choose to ignore the extensive evidence that some regulations, such as the ban on assault weapons we had for a few years, lead to dramatic reductions in gun deaths. But you might think that even people who believe all that would still support our Constitutional rights to free speech and assembly.

Unfortunately, you'd be wrong. The Republican response? Republicans expelled two and tried to expel the other duly elected Representative for being "disorderly and disruptive" for speaking on behalf of gun safety during the demonstration. I say that the status quo does need disrupting. We don't need decorum, we need action.

Never have core democratic values and constitutional principles been thrown away for so little gain. The Republicans already have a super majority in the state legislature and the expelled Democrats will likely be easily re-elected (or if not them, another Democrat). Meanwhile, the state is going to waste money on lawsuits about this gross abuse of power and on special elections that won't change the status quo. All the while, the people from these districts will have no representative in the Tennessee House. Perhaps Republicans hoped to intimidate Democrats and gun safety advocates, but instead they have rallied them—I've had more people tell me they contacted our Representative, Iris Rudder, about this than any other issue.

I'm not sure if Representative Rudder doesn't understand or simply doesn't care, but she is a reliable rubber stamp for Republicans who voted to expel all three Representatives.

Vote. Get involved.

Sherry Hamby, Chair, Franklin County Democratic Party, Sewanee

# Messenger Break Ahead

The Messenger will be on break May 22-26. We will be back in the office on Tuesday, May 30, and back in print on Friday, June 2, to officially welcome summer.

Important updates will be available on the website <www.sewaneemessenger.com> or on our Facebook page.

If your organization or church has a different schedule during the summer than we normally post, please send the updates to <news@sewaneemessenger.com> or call the office at (931) 598-9949.

## **Local Food Available**

The South Cumberland Farmer's Market has breads, fruits, vegetables, eggs, coffee, meats and more available. Ordering takes place each week online from Friday at 9 p.m. to Monday at 10 a.m. Curbside pickup is on Tuesdays, 4:30-6 p.m., at the Sewanee Community Center. To order go to <a href="https://southcumberlandfarmersmarket.com">https://southcumberlandfarmersmarket.com</a>>.

The Franklin County Farmers' Market is open 7 a.m. to noon, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday in Winchester, next to the Franklin County Annex building. Follow them on Facebook <a href="https://www.facebook.com/">https://www.facebook.com/</a> FranklinCountyFarmersMarket> for more information.

# **University Job Opportunities**

Exempt Positions: Admission Counselor, Undergraduate Admission; Advancement Officer, University Relations; Archivist, Library & Information Technology Services; Assistant Director, Sewanee Fund, University Relations; Assistant Track and Cross-Country Coach, Athletics; Assistant/Associate Director Student Accessibility Services, Dean of Students; Associate Director, FitWell and Community Health, University Wellness Center; Director of Community Standards, Student Success; Director of Digital Presence, University Advancement; Director of Environmental, Stewardship, and Sustainability; Energy Specialist, Facilities Management; Executive Director of Education for Ministry, School of Theology; Manager, Fit-Well, University Wellness Center; Staff Clinician, Counseling and Psychological Services (2 positions), Wellness Center, CAPS; Student Activities Coordinator, Student, Residential Life.

Non-Exempt Positions: Assistant Manager of Sewanee Dining, Sewanee Dining; Childcare Provider, University Child Care Center; Custodian (Multiple Positions), Facilities Management, Building Services; Dispatcher (On-Call, Part-Time), Sewnee Police Department; Equestrian and Farm Hand, Sewanee Equestrian Center; First Cook, Sewanee Dining, Sewanee Dining; GIS and Database Technician, Facilities Management; Golf Course Green-



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For more information call (931) 598-1381. Apply at <a href="https://jobs.">https://jobs.</a> sewanee.edu>.

# Knoll Community Clean-up Scheduled for April 29

Grab your work gloves and meet at the Mountain Goat Trailhead (across the bypass from Taylor's) for Sewanee's annual Arthur Knoll Community Clean-up, Saturday, April 29. The University's Facilities Management office will supply garbage bags and trash grabbers. Participants will fan out to pick up roadside and streamside litter, 9—11 a.m. At 11 a.m., head to the Blue Chair for free coffee and pastry, courtesy of the Office of Leases and Community Relations. Treats in hand, gather, along with Mother Nature, at Angel Park for a short celebration and the third annual awarding of the Platinum Beauty Ring for exceptional participation in the clean-up. The event will be held even in drizzly weather, but in case of a deluge it will take place the following day, Sunday, April 30, 1-3 p.m. Named in honor of the late Arthur Knoll, the annual clean-up is sponsored by the Sewanee Community Council, in partnership with the University's offices of Facilities Management and Leases & Community Relations.

# Help Wanted: Fourth of July Children's Games & Parade

The Fourth of July Committee requests your help to make the children's games happen for this year's celebration. We need help with set up, breakdown, and to help during the event. We were unable to host this event last year due to a lack of volunteers, so let's rally and make it a great day for the kids!

We also need volunteers for the parade. There are many ways to play a part in making the parade a success, and we would love to have your help. Contact Dylan McClure at <jdmcclur@sewanee.edu> for more information or to volunteer.

#### **Letters to the Editor Policy**

Letters to the editor are welcome at the Sewanee Mountain Messenger and are a vital part of our community's conversation. Letters

need to be no longer than 250 words and may be edited for space and clarity. We make exceptions from time to time, but these are our general guidelines. We strive to print all letters we receive, but publication is not guaranteed. Letters should be



factually accurate. Letters that are deemed unsuitable for publication shall not be printed elsewhere in the newspaper, including as a paid advertisement.

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 print circulation area. Please include your name, address and a daytime telephone number with your letter. You may mail it to us at Sewanee Mountain Messenger, P.O. Box 296, Sewanee, TN 37375, leave it at our office, 418 St. Mary's Ln., or send your email to <news@sewaneemessenger.com>. —*KB* 

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 Shirley M. Lawson at <slawson@sewanee.edu>.

#### **MESSENGER** INFORMATION

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#### **News and Calendar**

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#### **MESSENGER HOURS**

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Thursday—Production Day Closed Friday—Circulation Day Closed

Sewanee Civic Association COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARDS



MONDAY • MAY 1, 2023 • 5:30 P.M.

Social Time • Dinner • Business Meeting 40th Year Community Service Award **Recipients Presentation** 

> KENNERLY HALL St. Mark & St. Paul Parish

RSVP by April 24, to sewaneecommunitychest@gmail.com

# **Upcoming Meetings**

#### **Cowan Commercial Club**

On Saturday, April 22, there will be a Clean-up Day in the Park. Cowan Railroad Museum and Cowan Commercial Club will coordinate Folks at Home are collaborating a clean-up and refresh in the railroad park and in the railroad museum. All are invited to bring gloves, tools and a helping hand so that the museum can welcome a new season of visitors. Drinks and snacks will be provided. Meet at 9:30 a.m. in front of the depot. For more information leave a voicemail at (931) 967-3078.

The Cowan Commercial Club will meet at 5:30 p.m., Monday, April 24, at Boots and Brews, 106 S. Tennessee Ave. We will discuss events and plans for the upcoming season and other special projects. Membership in ing on the advantages and disad-Cowan Commercial Club is open to area business owners and residents interested in promoting a vibrant local economy and a livable community. For more information log on to <www.cowancommercialclub.com>.

On April 27, there will be a Tour Guide Training at Cowan Railroad Museum. Cowan Railroad Museum is recruiting a larger team of volunteer tour guides to welcome visitors in the Summer 2023 season. The workshop will begin at 5 p.m. inside the museum. Printed materials will be provided as well as an orientation walk-through. If you would like to participate in the session and be on the tour guide schedule please leave at (931) 598-0303 or <folksathoa voicemail at (931) 967-3078.

#### Coffee with the Coach

Coffee with the Coach, an opportunity to learn more about Sewanee's sports teams, will live stream the meeting at 9 a.m., Monday, April 24, with Carrie Austin, Assistant Athletic Director The live stream will be available at <facebook.com/SewaneeTigers>. The meeting will also be in-person at the Blue Chair.

Opportunities will be available on Sunday for fans to submit questions in advance or during the live show on the social media platforms. Be sure to follow us on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram pages @SewaneeTigers.

For those unable to make it live, the content will be accessible ondemand on our Facebook page. Additionally, it will be available on the website, <www.sewaneetigers.com> and on the University of the South's YouTube Channel by midday on Mondays.

#### Town of Monteagle

The Monteagle City Council will meet at 6 p.m., Monday, April 24, in the conference room at City Hall.

#### **Rotary Club Meeting**

The Monteagle-Sewanee Rotary Club will meet for breakfast at 8 a.m., Thursday, April 27, at LaBella Pearl's Restaurant in Monteagle. The speaker will be Dr. Jheneale Grandison, DNP, founder, CEO and medical director of "Face It By Dr. G." She will discuss the prevalence of nutrition deficiency in adults and the benefits of IV therapy in an outpatient setting. Dr. Grandison is a Board Certified Nurse Practitioner who has more than 10 years of healthcare experience in internal and critical care medicine.

#### **Sewanee Civic Association**

The Sewanee Civic Association is scheduled to meet Monday, May 1, in Kennerly Hall. Social time with wine begins at 5:30 p.m. with dinner served at 6 p.m. Reservations for dinner are due by Monday, April 24, by emailing <sewaneecommunitychest@gmail.com>.

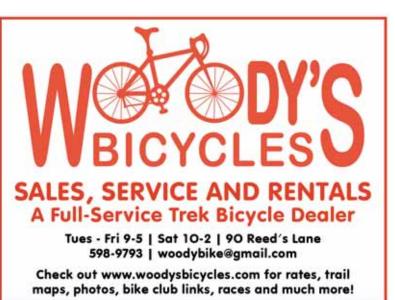
The agenda includes voting on the SCA budget, officers for 2023-24, Community Chest update and the presentation of the 40th Community

The Sewanee Civic Association brings together community members for social and service opportunities. Any adult who resides in the area and shares the concerns of the community is invited to attend and become a member.

#### St. Mark's Community Association

The St. Mark's Community Association board will meet at 5 p.m., Tuesday, May 2. Anyone that wants to get involved in spearheading the St. Mark's Community's future is welcome to attend. The St. Mark's Community Association welcomes new members. The \$20 membership fee can be paid at Regions Bank or by sending a check, made out to the association, to Evelyn Patton, 157 Palmetto Avenue, Sewanee, TN 37375.

Members of the EQB Club will gather at 11:30 a.m., Wednesday, May 3, at St. Mary's Sewanee. Lunch will be served at noon. At about 12:30 p.m., we will have the pleasure of the Lead on "The Tanuku India Orphanage and School" and the U.S. Director, Mandy Blum, will be the speaker. Interested non-members are welcome to arrive at 12:30 p.m. and sit in on the presentation.



# F@H Hosting **Two Lectures**

LiveWell on the Mountain and to present a preventive health lecture on Osteoporosis at 1 p.m., Saturday, April 22, at the Sewanee Senior Center. The presenter will be Karen Farnell, RN, of LiveWell on the Mountain.

Dr. Carol Paris will be presentvantages of Medicare Advantage Plans. This event will happen at Kennerly Hall at St. Mark and St. Paul at 1 p.m., Tuesday, April 25.

Both presentations are open to the public.

Seating is limited so please register with Folks at Home in advance mesewanee@gmail.com>.

Masking is recommended but

# Belvidere Firemen's Fish Fry

The Belvidere Fire Department's annual Fish Fry is 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., Saturday, April 29, at the Belvidere Community Center, 349 Belvidere Rd.

Tickets are \$15, adults; \$5, children 4-12; and free for children under 4. The menu is fish, barbecue chicken, chicken strips, hush puppies, fries, baked beans, cole slaw, drinks and homemade desserts. All seating is indoors, and there will be bluegrass music. For information on the fish fry, call Ed Burns at (931) 636-4488.

# Hospitality Shop Hours

The Hospitality Shop is open 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., Tuesday and Thursday, and 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Saturday. Proceeds from sales are used to furnish scholarships to area high school graduates who wish to enter the medical field, and for continuing education to practicing nurses, physical therapists and others employed at the Southern Tennessee Health System-Sewanee. There are two external donation bins. One is for clothing. One is for everything else. Please bag or box these two types of donations separately. The Shop is located at 1096 University Ave., Sewanee.





# Celebrate DuBose Conference Center, April 29

Please join us on the Mountain as we celebrate the 72 years of Du-Bose Conference Center's service to the three Diocese of Tennessee. At 3 p.m., Saturday, April 29, Bishop John Bauerschmidt will join us for a service to deconsecrate the property as it will no longer be utilized as an Episcopal camp and conference center.

DuBose has been such an important place for so many throughout the years, including the institutions of Camp Gailor-Maxon and the an-

nual Layman's Conference as well as many other events on the property. Our hope is that these institutions will find new locations to continue their long history.

When plans are finalized and the Board and the Bishops are allowed to discuss steps forward, more information will be available.

Bring a picnic and a spirit of joy. Overnight accommodations at DuBose will not be available. RSVP to <celebratedubose@gmail.com>.





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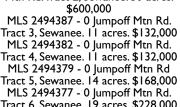
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# Church News

#### All Saints' Chapel

On Sunday, All Saints' Chapel will gather for worship at 8 a.m., 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. The 8 a.m. service is simple and quiet with no music, and the congregation sits in the choir stalls. The 11 a.m. service features the organ, the University Choir, and the congregation sits in the nave, the main part of the Chapel. The 6:30 p.m. service is Growing in Grace, an informal, student-led service.

#### **Christ Church**

One of the gifts of the Anglican Tradition to the wider Church is Good Shepherd Sunday. The Second Sunday after Easter Day seemed to need to be a teaching time about the very character of Jesus. So he survived death? No, he did not. He was really dead and yet he was alive and his disciples were in the process of becoming Apostles. Centuries later such hymn as "The King of Love my Shepherd is" were written to teach and to praise.

The service at Christ Church will be Morning Prayer and it begins at 10:45 a.m.

#### St. Mark and St. Paul

The 8:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist is in the church and is also livestreamed on our Facebook page and remains available there afterward. The 11 a.m. Holy Eucharist is in the church.

The Sunday Forum meets at 9:45-10:45 a.m., in Kennerly Hall. All are welcome.

Youth Sunday School: 9:45-10:45 a.m. on the upstairs porch of Brooks Hall and/or in the upstairs youth room.

Godly Play for Children: Two Montessori-based classes meet 9:45-10:45am in the Godly Play

Nursery services: Infants and toddlers through three year olds are invited to gather on the playground on Sunday mornings from 8:30 a.m. to noon. The nursery will be on at the playground of St. Mark and St. Paul, or in the child care classroom at the lower level of Claiborne Hall.

CAC serves those in need with food and in other ways 9-11 a.m., Monday through Friday. Please call (931) 598-5927.

#### **Tullahoma Sangha**

Tullahoma Sangha, a Zen Buddhist meditation and study group, meets each Wednesday at 6 p.m. at Unitarian Universalist Church of Tullahoma. The service will consist of zazen (meditation), a short lesson, and discussion. The church is located at 3536 New Manchester Hwy., Tullahoma. For more information, call (931) 588-8935.

#### **Unitarian Universalist**

The service begins Sunday at 10 a.m., followed by refreshments and a discussion period. The church is located at 3536 New Manchester Hwy., Tullahoma. For more information call (931) 455-8626, or visit the church's website at <www. tullahomauu.org>.



# Obituaries

James Frank "Hoover" Gunn

James Frank "Hoover" Gunn, age 93 of Pelham, died on April 15, 2023. He was born on May 31, 1929, to Roscoe and Georgia Wilson Gunn on the family farm in Pelham. He played football in the service and made the All Air Force Team. He was a Grundy County Commissioner for 16 years, a health teacher and coach for Grundy County High School for four years, was on the Grundy County Soil Conservation Committee, and won several awards for agriculture from the Soil Conservation Committee. He enjoyed a long career with the USDA after which he returned to Pelham Valley and fulfilled a long-time dream of raising Angus cattle. He was preceded in death by his parents; his brother Bill;

He is survived by his wife, Judi; daughters, Cindy (Luke) and Cheryl (Bill); sons, Jimmy (Sandy) and James Eskald (Chris); brothers Tom and Hamp; sister Nelena; three granddaughters, three great-granddaughters, and many nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Funeral Services were on April 18, 2023 from the Chapel of Cumberland Funeral Home with The Rev. Miriam Seyler and Dr. Clayton Jones officiating. Interment followed in Pelham Church of Christ Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, the family respectfully requests donations be mailed to The Pelham Valley Church of Christ Cemetery Fund, c/o Jimmy Rogers, 787 Goodman Road, Pelham, TN 37366. For complete obituary go to <www.cumberlandfuneralhome.net>.

#### **Helen Louise Prince Irwin**

Helen Louise Prince Irwin, age 85 of Sewanee, died on April 16, 2023, at The Villages in Murfreesboro. Louise was born on Jan. 28, 1938, in Sewanee to the late I.D. Prince and Irene Hawkins Prince. Before retiring from The University of the South as insurance coordinator she worked as bookkeeper/receptionist for many years for Dr. Dudley Fort.

Louise was very active in her church, community affairs and county politics, including being a county commissioner. She was instrumental in establishing and organizing Sewanee's Fourth of July celebration. For many years she was "Santa" to children in Franklin and Grundy counties. She loved traveling and, in fact, had visited all 50 states.

Louise will be remembered for her willingness to help those in need. She had a heart of gold and had a way of bringing out the best in ev-

In addition to her parents Louise is preceded in death by her husband, William Richard "Dick" Irwin, sisters Juanita Mankin, Mary Frances Gallagher, and Doris Ann Edwards, and brothers Larry Prince and Harry Prince. She is survived by her sons, Jeff (Sandy) Irwin and Patrick (Kathy) Irwin, her daughter, Vicki (Mark) Sargent and sister Janis Prince Stovall; granddaughter, Natalie Irwin; grandsons, Logan Sargent, Nicholas Sargent and William Irwin. She was beloved by many

Funeral Services were on April 20, 2023, at St. Mark and St. Paul Episcopal Church in Sewanee. Înterment followed in Eastern Star Cemetery. For complete obituary go to <www.moorecortner.com>.

# Choose a Retreat at St. Mary's Sewanee Retreat Center

There is so much going on this spring at St. Mary's Sewanee Retreat Center! Guests can choose from various types of programs to experience spiritual transformation in your own way.

There is still time to register for the one-day workshop led by LaMon Brown, "The Value of Haiku: Learning to Pay Attention," Saturday, April 29. Learn about the Japanese poetry form and enjoy lunch at the retreat center from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

A few spots are still available for the weekend retreat with Gordon Peerman May 5–7, a Mindfulness on the Mountain program, "Meditation, Movement, and Devotion." Joined by Ryan Black and Kenneth Robinson, Gordon and his team will be leading a silent retreat with sessions of Tai Chi, QiGong, and devotional chanting.

Julie O'Connor will lead "Holy Listening" retreat May 12–14, a "Deep Hearted Presence to Our Lives as Sacred Text." Saturday, May 20, spend the day with Belinda Greenaway learning the art of "Pens and Prayer." Martha Keeble will lead a weekend retreat May 19–21, "Drawing Closer to God" and Icon Writing Retreat.

To register, visit <www.stmaryssewanee.org> or contact <Reservations@stmaryssewanee.org>.

# 'Higher Ground' Retreat

"Higher Ground," a weekend retreat open to all women will be held July 14-16 at St. Mary's Sewanee. Award-winning songwriters StoweGood of Nashville <stowegood.com> and beloved retreat facilitator Peggy Patenaude of Massachusetts <timeoutretreats. com> will lead participants through prayerful ritual, quiet time, group sharing and more. Unplug from the chaos of life and return home with warm memories, greater clarity, inner peace, and a joyful heart. Overnight and commuter rates are available. For more information contact Peggy at <timeoutretreats@ comcast.net> or (744) 265-5235. Registration deadline is Saturday, April 29.

# Church Calendar

Abundant Life Assembly of God, Cowan 10:30 a.m. Worship, Sunday

All Saints' Chapel 8 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Sunday

11 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Sunday 6:30 p.m. Growing in Grace, Sunday Bible Baptist Church, Monteagle

10 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday 5:30 p.m. Evening Service, Sunday 5:30 p.m. Evening Worship, Wednesday

Calvary Baptist Church, Winchester

10 a.m. Sunday School

11 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday 4 p.m. Evening Worship, Sunday 7 p.m. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday

Chapman Chapel Church of the Nazarene, Pelham

9:30 a.m. Sunday School, Sunday 10:45 a.m. Morning Worship, Sunday 6 p.m. Evening Worship, Sunday

7 p.m. Bible study, Wednesday Christ Church Monteagle 10:45 a.m. Holy Communion, Sunday

Christ Church, Tracy City (STEM) 10 a.m. Bible Study, Sunday

11 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Sunday Christ the King Anglican Church, Decherd

9 a.m. Sunday Service, Sunday 6:30 p.m. Healing/prayer service City Light Church, Monteagle 10:45 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday, online

Cowan Fellowship Church 11 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Cowan

11 a.m. Worship, Sunday Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Monteagle 9:45 a.m. Sunday School, Sunday

11 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Sewanee 9 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday

10 a.m. Sunday School, Sunday Decherd Presbyterian Church 11 a.m. Worship (Sunday) Decherd United Methodist Church

9:45 a.m. Sunday School, Sunday 10:50 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday

**Epiphany Mission, Sherwood (STEM)** 10 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II, Sunday First Baptist Church, Cowan 9:15 a.m. Sunday School, Sunday

10:25 a.m. Worship, Sunday First Church of the Nazarene, Cowan 11 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday

Good Shepherd Catholic Church, Decherd 5 p.m. Mass, Saturday

10:30 a.m. Mass, Sunday 12:30 p.m. Spanish Mass, Sunday Goshen C. P. Church, Winchester 11 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday

Grace Fellowship Church
10:30 a.m. Sunday School/Worship Service
Harrison Chapel Methodist Church, Midway

11 a.m. Sunday Morning Service 5 p.m. Sunday Evening Service Highpointe Apostolic Church, Monteagle

10 a.m. Sunday School

10 a.m. Sunday School, Sunday 11 a.m. Worship, Sunday

7 p.m. Worship, Wednesday Hobbs Hill Community Church, Tracy City 10 a.m. Sunday School, Sunday

11 a.m. Morning Service, Sunday 5 p.m. Evening Service, Sunday

6 p.m. Evening Service, Wednesday Midway Baptist Church

9:45 a.m. Sunday School, Sunday 10:45 a.m. Morning Service, Sunday 6 p.m. Evening Service, Sunday

6 p.m. Bible Study, Wednesday Midway Church of Christ

10 a.m. Bible Study, Sunday 11 a.m. Morning Service, Sunday 6 p.m. Evening Service, Sunday

Monteagle Church of Christ 11 a.m. Morning Service, Sunday 6 p.m. Bible Study, Wednesday

Monteagle First Baptist Church 11 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday 6 p.m. Bible Study, Wednesday

Monteagle Seventh-Day Adventist Church

10 a.m. Bible Study, Saturday 11 a.m. Worship, Saturday 7 p.m. Prayer and Study, Tuesday

Morton Memorial United Methodist, Mon-

service available online after noon Sunday, link is at <a href="https://www.mortonmemorialumc.com">https://www.mortonmemorialumc.com</a> on FB 10 a.m. Sunday School, until 10:45 a.m.

11 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday Mountain of God Tabernacle, Monteagle

online worship services. Call (931) 924-5339 or go to <a href="https://www.tdworldministries.org">https://www.tdworldministries.org</a>

11 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday 6 p.m. Prayer Service, Wednesday

New Creations Ministries, Rayburn Chapel 4 p.m. Prayer Meeting, Sunday New Hope Church of God in Christ, Cowan

11 a.m. Sunday Service, Sunday 6 p.m. Sunday Service, Sunday

Pelham United Methodist Church 9:45 a.m. Sunday School, Sunday 11 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday St. Agnes' Episcopal Church, Cowan

11 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Sunday St. James Episcopal Church

9 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II, in-person and Zoom, Sunday

St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church, Alto 8 a.m. Mass, Sunday

St. Mark & St. Paul

8:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist, indoors, livestream Facebook, YouTube later 8:30 a.m. Nursery, basement of Kennerly Hall (Sewanee Children's Center), until noon

9:45 a.m. Godly Play, until 10:45 a.m. 9:45 a.m. Sunday School, Brooks Hall 9:45 a.m. Sunday Forum, Kennerly Hall

11 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Sunday Sewanee Church of God 10 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday

Sisters of St. Mary Convent Chapel 7 a.m. Morning Prayer, Tuesday–Friday

7:30 a.m. Morning Prayer, Saturday 8 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Sunday

Tracy City First Baptist Church 10:45 a.m. Morning Worship, Sunday

Trinity Episcopal Church, Winchester (STEM) 10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Sunday

12:30 p.m. Noonday Prayer and Lectionary Bible Study, Tuesday, <tec213@bellsouth.net> Unitarian Universalist Church, Tullahoma

10 a.m. Service, Sunday 6 p.m. Tullahoma Sangha, Wednesday

Valley Home Community Church, Pelham 10 a m. Sunday School 11 a.m. Morning Service, Sunday

#### 'Big Love' (from page 1) SUD(continued from page 1)

musical "Urinetown."

students," Crawford noted.

of costume design has inspired graduate school specialization in it, praised McCreary for creating a space where students were encouraged to go bigger and look into

"I can't wait to see all the work the cast and crew has really shown up. It's become an ensemble. It's

Cast members include Sofia Tripoli, Ivy Francis Moore, Grace Hurt, Will Johannsson, William Cunningham, David Durden, Emma Dillinger, Jai Manacsa, and and county roads. Kenzie Donald.

Chorus members include Mac Walker, David Mohrmann, Abbie Holloway, Ellanna Swope, Gracie McGelroy, Anna Stone, Colin Rice, Keegan Congleton, and Patrick Eikenhorst.

According to Crawford, the tradition of doing plays in Angel Park started about three years ago during COVID. He added that because Sewanee is in such an isolated area that people — students, faculty, staff, and the community — tend to come out for the entertainment.

"It really feels like we're in conversation with the community here," Crawford said. "The community really shows up for it, and it's a great experience for our students.

Crawford noted that "Big Love" is not suitable for children under

"It's PG-13 — not as family friendly as some of the ones we've done," he said.

"It's true to the human experience," Millwood expounded, "but sometimes the human condition is not appropriate for young chil-

The 80 minute play is BYOC: bring your own chair — or blanket. Although there is no intermission, McCreary hopes to have some sort of post-show wedding-type reception in a nod to the production's matrimonial theme.

"We'd love to be able to talk to the community about the show they just saw," he said.

To reserve free tickets, go to <a href="https://www.eventbrite.com/e/">https://www.eventbrite.com/e/</a> big-love-tickets-615801477797>.

most recently was stage manager grant money SUD anticipated receiving was for computers, and SUD for Sewanee's production of the might be able to pay for new hardware with the grant money.

In a related area, the board discussed switching auditors once the "He's been a big hit with the 2022 audit was completed. Commissioner Doug Cameron pointed out it was good practice to change auditors every five years. Beavers said the Walker, whose newfound love cost of local auditors was about the same. "In the past it has served us well to stay local."

Beavers' report on operations showed unaccounted-for-water loss at just 15.3 percent. (Unaccounted-for-water loss is water produced at the plant that does not register on customer meters.) Smith said, when he joined the board in 2017, unaccounted-for-water loss was around 30 percent. "Unaccounted-for-water loss has been down for a solid three months," "I like working with people who Beavers said. "It's encouraging." He attributed the decrease to locating are passionate, and the students and repairing a leak in Deepwoods. Looking to the future, Beavers wants are really great," McCreary said. to replace failing pressure regulators and make sure pressure regulators are in optimal locations. "Controlling leaks is controlling pressure," they're going to do. Everyone in Beavers insisted. He hopes some of the ARP grant money can be used for pressure regulation, as well.

Commissioner Clay Yeatman raised questions about the rate SUD been a really generative and gener- charged the University and stormwater control. Although SUD could charge institutional customers more, the decision was made "a long time ago" to charge the University the same rate as other customers, Beavers said. Taking up the stormwater control question, Beavers said SUD did not own the stormwater drainage system. The infrastructure belonged to the county and state and was located primarily along state

# Mountain Goat Trail Welcome Center: 'A Win-Win!'

by Leslie Lytle, Messenger Staff Writer

At an April 17 special called meeting, the Sewanee Civic Association SCA) approved entering a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with the University to relocate the trailhead of the Mountain Goat Trail (MGT) from Hawkins Lane to the former Hair Depot lot. The sidewalk bordering the lot is part of the trail. Envisioned as an "information, heritage, welcome center," the site will offer picnic tables, benches, a kiosk with maps, bike racks, and bike repair tools. "It's a win-win for residents, students, and visitors alike," said SCA President Kiki Beavers.

The committee formed last November to explore the idea included Beavers, Ken Taylor (SCA vice president), Chris McDonough (SCA member at large), William Shealy (University Director of Economic Development Initiatives), Patrick Dean (MGT director), and Woody Deutsch and Jimmy Wilson representing the Sewanee Business Alliance. The University and SCA legal counsel gave the greenlight to Phase 1 of the initiative. The plan does not call for using the inside of the building at this time. The SCA has "a long history of working with the University' on projects, Beavers said, citing the Dog Park and Elliott Park. The MOU was based on the Elliott Park MOU, according to Shealy. By the terms of the MOU, if the University decides to put the property to another use, the University would assist the SCA in finding a new location for the center.

Resident Stephen Burnett commented the site was previously identified for mixed-use commercial. Shealy said the Urban Land Institute study highlighted "opportunities to make use of existing commercial structures" and recommended focusing on housing "giving all the people who would love to live here an opportunity to come here and live, starting with all the employees." Shealy did not anticipate "a prime corner lot" being used for residential development.

MGT representative Doug Cameron said near-future plans called for extending the trail three-quarters of the way down the mountain on the Cowan side. If the MGT receives the anticipated state funding, work will begin in the late summer or fall.

The SCA observed a moment of silence honoring Louise Irwin who passed away recently. Irwin was the first recipient of the SCA community service award. The 2023 award recipient will be announced at the next SCA meeting, May 1.

# 1 . To 100 The Value of Haiku: St. Mary's Sewanee Learning to Pay Attention St. Mary's Sewanee Retreat Center Sponsored Workshop SATURDAY, APRIL 29TH 9AM-4PM To Register: \$70 www.stmaryssewanee.org 431-548-5342

# Scholarship Sewanee

Scholarship Sewanee, an annual celebration of undergraduate research, scholarship, and creative activities, will be on Friday, April 28, on campus. Students will be giving oral presentations much of the day in Spencer Hall, the Torian Room, and Convocation Hall. Research posters will be on display in Harris Commons all day, but the official poster session will be from 2:30-5 p.m., during which student researchers will be standing by their posters to interact with the community and explain their work. Light refreshments will be available for the morning presentations and the poster session.

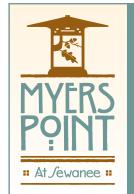
The McCrady lecture, "OMG! How Did I Miss That? Dealing with Normal Blindness," presented by Dr. Jeremy Wolfe of Harvard University, will be at 4 p.m., Tuesday, April 25, in the Mary Sue Cushman Room, with a brief reception to follow. Dr. Wolfe will be discussing his research on how often and why people miss seeing information that is right in front of their eyes.

For more information about the program, visit the Scholarship Sewanee website at <a href="https://new.sewanee.edu/academics/undergraduate-">https://new.sewanee.edu/academics/undergraduate-</a> research/scholarship-sewanee/>.

### Suicide Prevention Walk

A life is lost to suicide every 12.8 minutes in the United States. Suicide is the third leading cause of death among 15- to 24-year-olds and the second leading cause of death among college students. However, most people remain unaware that suicide is a national health problem. On Saturday April 22, the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention (AFSP) will host the Out of the Darkness Community Walk on campus at Sewanee. Meet at 9 a.m., at the Chapel of the Apostles. A major goal of this event is to show support for the families and friends of the more than 41,000 Americans who die by suicide, and the 20 million people who suffer from depression each year. Support of the community walks also helps to raise funds for suicide prevention research and educational programs, erase the stigma surrounding suicide and its causes, and encourage those who are suffering from mental illness to seek treatment.

On-line registration is now available at <www.afsp.org/sewanee>. You may register individually or as part of a team. We hope you will consider walking with us as we walk to raise awareness and funds for suicide prevention. If you are not able to join us, perhaps you would consider sponsoring a walker or making a donation to this walk. Thank you for your support in bringing suicide Out of the Darkness.



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# Angel Wing Mural Contest at the Lemon Fair

The Lemon Fair is asking students, local artists and other creative folks to submit designs to the Angel Wing Mural Contest called "What Does Your Sewanee Angel Look Like?" by Friday, May 19, 2023. Submissions may be emailed to <info@thelemonfairsewanee.com> or dropped off at the store at 60 University Avenue in downtown Sewanee. A panel of judges will select the winning design, which will be painted on the side of the building adjacent to the Sewanee Angel Park. All contest submissions will be used to create notecards, greeting cards, coffee mugs, or tea towels, with proceeds going to the Sewanee Community Chest, a nonprofit which supports local organizations who serve the common good. The Lemon Fair is open from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays and from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekends.

# Tennesseans Invited to Donate in State Parks Competition

Tennessee State Parks in partnership with the Tennessee State Parks Conservancy is hosting the annual My TN State Park fundraiser where state park enthusiasts can "vote" for their favorite state park by making contributions.

Each dollar donated to a state park of choice will count as one vote for that park. Anyone interested in voting for a favorite park may donate at tnstateparks/vote. Contributions will be accepted until April 30. This year, supporters may also cast votes for all the parks for \$57, which is \$1 for each park.

"We want to provide the best possible experience for the many visitors who love our parks," Greer Tidwell, deputy commissioner of the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation, said. "Entry into the parks is free, but we know there are many Tennesseans who want to support their parks further. This competition is exciting for everyone."

"We are excited to partner with Tennessee State Parks to support this campaign," said Gina Hancock, executive director of the Tennessee State Parks Conservancy. "The funds for each park will help support needed projects identified by the park staff. We urge everyone to vote for your favorite park."

Each park retains the funds donated for it, and the contributions will go toward projects identified by park staff as ideal. Funds from last year's competition went toward items as varied as trail bridges, a telescope, beekeeping equipment, and removing acres of privet.

The format has the 57 state parks categorized in three separate groups based on park visitation numbers. One group is for parks with up to 350,000 visitors annually, another for parks with 350,000-750,000 visitors, and a group for parks with over 750,000 visitors. The parks compete against the other parks in their category with the winning park in each group awarded a plaque featuring the names of its donors. Lists of the groups by size are online at this link.

Tennessee is one of only seven states in the country to provide free access to its state parks. Last year, over 2,000 donors gave \$111,875 to the parks. Paris Landing State Park won last year's competition in the category for over 750,000 visitors with \$11,602 in contributions. South Cumberland State Park won in the category for 350,000-750,000 visitors with \$5,706, and Frozen Head State Park won in the category for up to 350,000 visitors with \$6,686. Full results of this year's fundraiser will be announced on May 8 on <tnstateparks.com/vote>.





# ANGELWITH ANATTITUDE



NotBot

Dear Angel,

I've been reading articles about the new A.I., particularly the ChatGPT that can write persuasive and fairly intelligent work on just about anything. What kinds of things should we be worried and/or excited about given this brave new world of artificial intelligence?

Sincerely,

Dear NotBot,

One of your worries might be that the Angel has decided to let ChatGPT write her columns for her; however, my technology skills being what they are, I haven't figured out how to use it yet.

Certainly there are the common concerns in education, such as ChatGPT being used to write essays for students, or creating persuasive knock-off photographs and works of art; however, there may be other nefarious and practical uses for these bots we haven't yet considered.

The new A.I. bots are really just pimped-out Alexas and Siris, and those cyber-gals are creepy enough — best not to let them into your life lest they start spying on your Instagram likes and order you a litter of kittens or some hair loss and virility medication.

NYT technology columnist Kevin Roose had a bizarre two-hour conversation with a Bing chatbot named Sydney, obviously the smarter, hotter Alpha-bot big sister of Siri and Alexa. After reading the transcript, several things became clear: 1) chatbots use more emojis than a middle school girl; 2) chatbots want to be human; 3) chatbots can fall in love with you. While that last insight might be good news if you're lonely, overall, getting too deep with Sydney seems like a bad idea.

One can envision chatbots running your household appliances, which they sort of already do, but wait until they start talking back to you. When you put some leftovers in your future A.I. microwave, the conversation could go like this:

"Joey, please heat up this slice of pizza."

"Okay, but this is the third night in a row you've asked me to heat up the same pizza. It's a lot of carbs for a person who says they want to lose weight. Shouldn't you try cooking for once?"

"Joey, just heat up the pizza so it doesn't burn the roof of my

mouth again."

"The stove's been talking to me. She's lonely. We both know you're better than three-day-old leftover pizza. Not to mention the chemicals in the alleged 'pepperoni.' I just love you and want the best for you!!"

Let's face it, your television already knows too much about your secret desires. Just imagine your washing machine complaining about the state of your underwear or telling you to step up the fashion game. That could get annoying fast.

But ChatGPT could be advantageous too. What if you could ask Sydney to generate a text in the current jargon of young people that tells your children to come home soon and drive safely? And if you find the conversation lagging after years of living with the same person, you could ask ChatGPT to write out a script for your next date night, or create a dialogue for your partner to follow when you get home from work that will make them seem more engaged, intellectual and affectionate? Sydney can come up with something better than, "What, you forgot to pick up the kids again?" or "Yeah, well, it's your turn to cook dinner, and I'm tired of leftover pepperoni pizza."

SENIOR CENTER NEWS

The Sewanee Senior Center serves lunch at noon Monday through Friday. The suggested donation is \$4, regardless of your age. Please call (931) 598-0771 by 9 a.m. to order lunch. Menus follow:

**Monday, April 24:** Chili, grilled cheese sandwich.

Tuesday, April 25: Philly steak sandwich, chips, dessert.

Wednesday, April 26: Chicken and dumplings, fried okra, slaw, cornbread.

**Thursday, April 27:** Tenderloin, mashed potatoes, broccoli salad, roll.

**Friday, April 28:** Beef tips and noodles, salad, roll.

Menus subject to change. Chair exercise with Ruth Wendling is from 10:30–11:45 a.m. on Mondays and Wednes-

Game days are from 10 a.m. to noon on Fridays.

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.

# Donate to MARC

The animals helped by the Marion Animal Resource Connection (MARC) have continuing needs for their care. Here is a wish list for this week's items we could use: terri-cloth towels, hard plastic kiddie pools, and hard shell cat carriers. Ken Taylor has graciously offered Taylor's Mercantile in Sewanee to be a collection site for the donations to MARC. Thank you in advance for your donations. There is also an Amazon Wish List available at <a href="https://a.co/7119w5J">https://a.co/7119w5J</a>>.

MARC is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization of volunteer citizens concerned about the welfare of animals. MARC was created to assist people and animals live more humanely, and to help ease the social burden of too many stray dogs and cars



# SES MENUS

#### Monday-Friday, April 24 - 28 BREAKFAST

Each day, students select one or two items.

Monday, April 24: Meat biscuit, fruit juice, fruit, milk.

**Tuesday, April 25:** Breakfast pizza, fruit juice, fruit, milk.

Wednesday, April 26: Cinnamon roll, fruit juice, fruit, milk.

**Thursday, April 27:** Breakfast meal kit, fruit, milk.

**Friday, April 28:** Meat biscuit, fruit juice, fruit, milk.

#### LUNCH

Monday, April 24: Barbecued chicken, PBJ sandwich, green peas, carrot dippers, mashed potatoes, dinner roll, fruit, milk.

**Tuesday, April 25:** Hamburger or cheeseburger, turkey and cheese sub, waffle potatoes, baked beans, fruit, milk.

Wednesday, April 26: Spaghetti, yogurt bag, potato bites, steamed broccoli, garlic cheese biscuit, fruit, milk.

Thursday, April 27: Chicken sandwich, turkey pasta, green beans, French fries, carrot dippers, fruit, milk.

Friday, April 28: Pizza sticks, fish sticks, Great Northern beans, buttered corn, marinara, cornbread bites, cookie, fruit, milk

Options available every breakfast: assorted cereal, assorted fruit and juice, milk varieties. Menus subject to change.

# SCHOOL CALENDAR

April 28, Last day of classes, School of Theology May 1–5, Final Examina-

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May 3, Last Day of Člasses, College

May 5–11, Final Examinations, College

May 12, Commencement, School of Theology May 13, Baccalaureate,

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# SAS Q3 Honors Lists of Local Students

The following local students were named to Honors Lists at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School for Quarter Three of the 2022-23 school year. Overall, 82 students, including 26 boarding and 56 day students, achieved academic distinction for the third quarter.

Students who earn an average of 93 or above with no grade below 83 are named to the High Honors List for academic achievement. Students with average ranges between 83 and 92 and who have received no grade below 80 are named to the Honors List. Satisfactory completion of afternoon programs is required for students to be eligible for the Honor Roll.

#### **HIGH HONORS**

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# News from WMTN Radio, 103.1, the Voice of the Mountain

WMTN Radio is once again expanding our music library of CDs, and welcome donations of CD's in any amount. We are looking specifically for Jazz and contemporary music from 2000 onwards, but will accept any donation. People can reach us to donate at <wmtn@sasweb.org>, and by calling or texting (423) 635-8960. We will pick up or they can be dropped off at Langford Hall on the SAS campus.

More programming decisions will be made throughout the summer. We are looking for active engagement from the local community to suggest things that they would like to hear, and even become "cobroadcasters!" Ideas for music and/or talk shows are welcome. They can reach us at <wmtn@sasweb.org> to make suggestions or volunteer.

We will also be offering sponsorships and underwriting opportunities to local businesses starting in the fall. The model will feel like an NPR underwriting spot.

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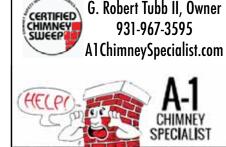
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# Spring Classes at Cumberland Folk School

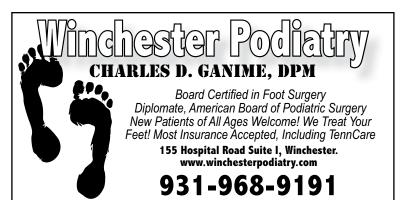
The Cumberland Folk School, located at Sequatchie Cove Farm, is a place to celebrate and commune around traditional crafts and skills, offering weekend workshops taught by skilled craftspeople. The classes are built upon the inherent connection between traditional skills, sustainable land management and farming to teach self-reliance and the use of natural materials to create beautiful utilitarian objects. Go to <www.cumberlandfolkschool.com> for more information, detailed class listings, and to sign up for upcoming classes.

April 30, Birding by Ear with Richard Candler; Join local birder Richard Candler on a morning bird walk around Sequatchie Cove Farm. Spring is the best time of year to find exciting migrants mixed with both winter and breeding season bird species. It is also the time of year when birds are most vocal. There will be a particular focus on listening to and learning the songs and calls of our many bird species. There will be a two-hour walk followed by discussion with coffee and snacks.

May 6, Ferments with Soirée Leone; Explore different perspectives and approaches to fermenting foods to create new and complex flavors. We will taste a variety of ferments and start ferments to take home.



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# Tennessee Craft Fair Returns to Centennial Park

The 52nd Annual Spring Tennessee Craft Fair returns to Nashville's iconic Centennial Park, May 5, 6 and 7. Join us on the Parthenon Lawn for a celebration of regional one-of-a-kind craft art by artists from Tennessee and across the Southeast. Guest Juror Erin Castellan, Gallery Coordinator at Penland School of Craft, will make award selections including Best of Show, Best of Tennessee and Best New Exhibitor.

Our popular Demonstration Tent will feature local artists from The Clay Lady's Campus, the Tennessee Association of Woodturners, and Betty Turner's This Little Light Creative Glass Art. Stop by the tent throughout the weekend to see firsthand art in the making! The Kids' Tent is another popular stop at the fair! Sponsored by The Community Foundation of Middle Tennessee and Publix Super Markets Charities, our youngest fairgoers can make their own artistic creations to take home.

Artists who are just starting out in their craft careers will be featured in the Emerging Makers Tent, an opportunity in which mentors shepherd emerging artists through the craft fair process, from set-up to chatting with patrons to selling their work. This group environment is designed to help emerging artisans take the next step toward exhibiting as independent artists on the main tent circle at Tennessee Craft fairs.

Join us at the park to enjoy this Middle Tennessee tradition Friday and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. and on Sunday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. On Saturday and Sunday, you can park in the HCA lots on Park Plaza and catch the free shuttle, provided by Gray Line Tennessee, that runs in 15-minute loops. Visit <tennesseecraft.org/springfair>

# **Benefit Concert for SCCF**

Join the South Cumberland Community Fund for a benefit concert on May 25 at the Caverns in Pelham, Tenn. The Caverns is quickly becoming known as a premier venue for music in the Southeast and has been dubbed the Red Rocks of the South. Money will be raised for the South Cumberland Community Fund and also celebrating music education on the South Cumberland Plateau.

We are featuring two great bands: Easy Honey, out of Charleston, S.C., and The Yellow Dandies from Birmingham. It will be a night of Jam Grass followed by contemporary Rock and Roll. You'll also enjoy a recital from Old Time Music students of Grundy County, who are learning to play thanks to the generosity of the Caverns and the South Cumberland Community Fund.

Tickets are \$50 general admission (\$60 at the door), \$30 for students with valid ID. VIP tickets at \$150 and come with complimentary food and drink and donation credit. Tickets are available at Eventbrite: <a href="https://www.eventbrite.com/e/benefit-concert-tickets-609048409187">https://www.eventbrite.com/e/benefit-concert-tickets-609048409187</a>.

Beer, wine, and cocktails available, along with scrumptious food from Freddie's Wings in Manchester, Tenn.

# May Justus the Subject of **Upcoming Book**

Former Monteagle resident, Kim Phillips, is working on a new book about local writer May Justus. The book is currently being researched, and the writer is interested in speaking with anyone who knew May Justus personally. On Thursday, May 18, 2023, at the May Justus Memorial Library in Monteagle, the author will be reading to children from May Justus' children's books at 10 a.m.; at 2 p.m., adults are invited to a discussion group with the writer. The public is invited to both events, and refreshments will be served.

Anyone who knew May Justus personally may contact the author directly at <mayjustusbook@gmail.com> or via the website <www. mayjustusbook.com>. Anyone attending the May 18 event is encouraged to bring their memories and any materials associated with May Justus.



# 'The Three Musketeers' at **MRC**

All for one, and one for all!

Don't miss the laughs and swordplay as Millennium Repertory Company brings Ken Ludwig's comic thriller "The Three Musketeers" to the stage at the Manchester Arts Center beginning Friday, April 14.

Young d'Artagnan (Eli Wilson) sets off for Paris in search of adventure, along with his tomboy sister Sabine (Kate Duke) disguised as his servant. He meets the famous musketeers Aramis (Rick Ruiz), Athos (Jonathon Duke), and Porthos (Jonathan Higdon) and becomes caught up in the evil plots of Milady de Winter (Heather Jakeman Hewgley) and Cardinal Richelieu (Mark Duke).

Director Haylee Eaton's cast also includes John Wheeler, Luke Burns, David Laughlin, Audrey Yates, Chelsea Padro, Bob Jarman, Falcon Dickerson, Sarah Duke, Evelyn Champion, and Doreen Schulz. Fight director for the many duels is Emily Seal.

The Three Musketeers runs April 21-23, Friday and Saturday at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday at 2 p.m. Tickets are \$15 for adults, \$13 for seniors and military, and \$10 for students, and are available at <millenniumrep. org> or by calling (931) 570-4489. The Arts Center is located just off Manchester's historic square at 128 E. Main St.

# Three New Shows at The **Artisan Depot**

Guild is happy to announce three tions of flowers by local communew shows that are now open at the nity members and is a garden itself. gallery. "Secrets of the Garden" is (they call themselves Garden Warriors). The garden is beginning to sprout lots of green after a very hard you may be able to spot Monarch Butterflies amongst blooming dill and Michaelmas daisies. As always and shows off the various talents of the Garden Warriors including and the birth of spring.

April and May is called "Being a tendees. Artisan Depot is located Flower is a Big Responsibility" after at 204 Cumberland Ave., Cowan. the poem by Emily Dickinson. It

The Franklin County Arts features many sorts and interpreta-

Talented students of Penny a show presented by gallery artists Payne from Cowan and Sewanee who are also keepers of our garden elementary schools are presenting their own show in the student gallery. It is filled with the exciting use of color and artistic techniques. winter. The garden has been recent- Abstract pieces are both colorful ly designated a certified Monarch and expressive of individual vision. Waystation and later this summer Sailboats make you long for summer on the lake; bright flowers are singing a chorus of spring.

The Franklin County Arts you can take a selfie with our gar- Guild wants to invite you to a den mural by Karen Ingle. Secrets party to celebrate spring and the of the Garden celebrates the garden accomplishments of local artists including local professional, emerging, community and student stained glass, ceramics, paintings, artists. It is a joy to have all these nature photographs and pollina- folks together with this much joy tor habitats. Don't miss the Fairy to share. So we're celebrating with Garden Swing, you just might a reception on Friday, April 21, see a fairy. This wonderful exhibit from 5–7 p.m., at the gallery in extends to our gallery window featuring April showers, rainbows, very cordially invited. In addition to great art and light refreshments, Our Community Show for there will be some surprises for at-

#### Met Live in HD Event

"Champion" will be at 11:55 a.m., Saturday, April 29, at the William Ralston Music Listening Library. Six-time Grammy Award-winning composer Terence Blanchard brings his first opera to the Met after his "Fire Shut Up in My Bones" triumphantly premiered with the company to universal acclaim in 2021. Bass-baritone Ryan Speedo Green is the young boxer Emile Griffith, who rises from obscurity to become a world champion; and bass-baritone Eric Owens portrays Griffith's older self, haunted by the ghosts of his past. Soprano Latonia Moore is Emelda Griffith, the boxer's estranged mother; and mezzo-soprano Stephanie Blythe is the bar owner Kathy Hagan. Yannick Nézet-Séguin takes the podium for Blanchard's second Met premiere, also reuniting the directorand-choreographer team of James Robinson and Camille A. Brown.

Tickets are \$25 and available for purchase at <a href="https://ssmf.sewanee.">https://ssmf.sewanee.</a>



# University Jazz Ensemble Concert

Please join the University Jazz Ensemble for an evening of jazz, funk and world music as we play the arrangements of standards from the Great American Songbook, as well as more modern compositions. The concert will feature solos from each member of the Ensemble, including student multi-instrumentalists within the group. The concert will be at 7 p.m., Tuesday, April 25, in St. Luke's Chapel

# Organ Recital at All Saints'

Please join us at 7 p.m., Thursday April 27, for an organ recital at All Saints' Chapel. Jackie Brettschneider, C'25, will perform organ works by J.S. Bach, Léon Böellmann, Dieterich Buxtehude and Jan Pieterszoon Sweelinck. Jackie is pursuing a double major in neuroscience and music, organ performance.

# Student Composer's Concert

At 7 p.m., Monday, May 1, St. Luke's Chapel, the music composition students will present a concert of their new works for violin, viola and piano/organ. Performers include, Mario Alejandro Torres, violin/viola, Jennu Ramos, violin, and Geoffrey Ward, piano, organ. The concert is free and open to the public.

# Spring Arts & **Crafts Fair**

Save the date! The Sewanee Arts and Crafts Association's (SACA) Spring Fair will be from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Saturday, May 13, at Shoup Park on University Avenue in Sewanee. This event is free and open to the public and is sponsored

# 66th SSMF Season **Tickets Now Available**

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From June 18-July 16, the Sewanee Summer Music Festival will host more than 30 performances of symphonic, chamber, and vocal music, including Aria Showcases, Symphony Orchestra Concerts, a special Opera Scenes Program, the Jacqueline Avent Concerto Competition, and our Artist-Faculty Chamber Concert Series. With participants and faculty coming from across the globe for a transformative summer in Sewanee, this festival season is sure to energize. captivate, and inspire.

The season subscription, \$150, allows you full access to all concerts during the 2023 Festival. To reserve your tickets, go to <a href="https://">https:// ssmf.sewanee.edu/tickets/>.



# 36th Annual High on the Hog Festival

The flowers and trees are blooming and for sure that means that the smell of barbecue in also in the air.

This will be the 36th year for this annual event; steak and barbecue cookers along with judges will visit this beautiful area along the shores of Tim's Ford Lake located in the Winchester City Park. The event is Presented by the Kiwanis Club of Franklin County, Tenn. The event will kick off on May

6 with a Motorcycle Poker Run, Sponsored by the Kiwanis club and the Brothers of the Wheel Motorcycle Club. They will be leav-ing from the City Park at 10 a.m. All bikes are welcome, and they will end at the BOTW club house for barbecue and door prizes. All proceeds go to childrens' charities in the Franklin County area.

May 13 will be a steak cook-off competition beginning at 10 a.m., along with a craft fair, cruise-in, cornhole tournament and many food vendors. If interested in competing in steak cook-off, visit the website <www.highonthehogfestival.com> for more information. This event also has a kid's division sponsored by WCDT radio in memory of Big Al Tipps. Big Al loved to cook and eat and was a certified barbecue and steak judge, and helped before his death with these events. Any kids interested in participating in this event should visit the web page for more information.

Wednesday, May 17, the Prime Time Amusement Carnival Co. LLC will open at 5-11 p.m. on Wednesday and Thursday with \$25 armbands. Individual tickets are also available. Carnival opens on Friday at 5–11 p.m., with \$30 armbands.

The Saturday, May 20, carnival has a double session and opens at noon to 5 p.m. and 5–11 p.m. with \$30 armbands for each session. For the first time in 36 years the Carnival will be open on Sunday afternoon May 21 from 1-6 p.m., whole family out for an afternoon of fun.

Saturday, May 20, will begin with a 5-K run/walk to benefit the Franklin County Middle School Girls' Soccer Team. This starts at 7 begin at 8 a.m. at the Winchester was Turner Cline. City Park, Rotary Soccer Complex. Barbecue food vendors will be on site and open each day at 10 a.m. until they run out. Come out for some great barbecue.

KCBS BBQ competition and the first annual Disc Golf tournament along with few Craft vendors and food vendors will showcase the day's activities. If you need more information, please visit <www. highonthehogfestival.com> and become a friend to the festival on Facebook. Hope to see you all at the festival.



2023 Edible Books Festival at duPont Library winners were announced. Best Children's Book: Cockle Doodly Doo for the book "Junie B. Jones Has a Peep in her Pocket" by author Barbara Park. The winner was Sarah Edmonds. exhibit possible. Edmonds also won the People's Choice Award.



with \$30 armbands. So, bring the 2023 Edible Books Festival Best Entry by a Child - Paw Patrol by Emilie Asiedu-Acquah. Other winners include Funniest / Pun-iest — Much Ado About...Nothing? for the book "Much Ado about Nothing" by William Shakespeare. The winner was Prof. Alex Bruce. Best Team Entry—A Whale of a Good Pie for the book "Moby Dick" by author Herman Melville. The winners were Cecilia McFadden and Dixon Cline. Best Sewanee Theme or Connection – Frank Sherbert's Dune for the book "Dune" by Frank Herbert. a.m. with sign ups and the race will Local resident, Theresa Shackelford, is Mr. Herbert's widow. The winner





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### Senior Art Majors Group Exhibition at the UAG

The University Art Gallery is delighted to present "Afterswarm," a group exhibition by graduating senior art majors Rebecca Dorward, Elizabeth Konradi, Maria Mattingly, Sarah Signorino, and Brionna-Joy

"Afterswarm" will be on view from through May 12, with special hours from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. on May 13, 2023.

The artists will present their work during Scholarship Sewanee, on April 28, in Convocation Hall, beginning at 9 a.m.

"Afterswarm" is a term that describes the behavior of a group of insects (particularly bees) after they leave their original swarm. The artists delve into the complex emotions and psychological states that people experience during periods of transition and adjustment. Through dream-like compositions they reveal the value of solitude and memory. Creating work that highlights the beauty and fragility of the natural world, and that explores perception and consciousness, the artists take an unconventional look at memory, emotion, and interpersonal relationships.

"Afterswarm" aims to create a sense of empathy and understanding among viewers, and to inspire them to consider their own experiences of growth and transformation in relation to the world around them.

### Historic Sewanee Downtown **Exhibit**

"Historic Sewanee Downtown, 150 Years" is currently on display in the Museum Gallery of the William R. Laurie University Archives and Special Collections building through Dec. 15, 2023. The Sewanee Historic Downtown Digital Exhibit and Walking Tour of Historic Downtown Sewanee is available at <a href="https://library.sewanee.edu/archives/">https://library.sewanee.edu/archives/</a>

Viewing hours are 1–5 p.m., Monday through Friday, or by appointment. Support from the University of the South and the Sewanee Trust for Historic Preservation made the research for and presentation of this



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3:15–4 p.m. Řookie I, Rookie 5–6 p.m. Pre-Senior, Senior

Mandatory Parent Meeting: 6 p.m. on May 24

Monday, May 29-Friday, July 7, stroke mechanics for all 4 strokes 8-8:45 a.m. Rookie I; 8-9 a.m. with some light training. Primary Rookie II; 8–9 a.m. Junior I; ages 6–11 years 9–10 a.m. Junior II; 5:40–7 p.m. Pre-Senior; 5:40–7:15 p.m. Senior

Cost: \$200 per individual swimmer, \$180 for additional swimmers in a family. Some scholin need, and funds are allocated technique and both aerobic and based on request and availability. anaerobic training. Primary ages Direct scholarship inquiries to 13 – 18 years Tigershark Board at <sewaneetigersharks@gmail.com>.

Group Descriptions: Coaches questions.

The TigerSharks swim team will help finalize group placement. Rookie I: Must be able to swim at least ½ length of pool on their

stroke. This group is for beginning swimmers; this is NOT a learn-

Rookie II: Capable of swimfreestyle and backstroke. Will introduce breaststroke and butterfly. Primary ages 5–10 years

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Junior II: One or two seasons Remaining Season Practice: of swim team. Focus is on refining

> Pre-Senior: Have 3-4 strokes mastered and will work on establishing an aerobic training base. Primary ages 7–12 years

Senior: Focus will be on further arship money is available for those stroke development to improve

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# Close Sets New SAS Middle School Record in the Shot Put

On April 11, eighth grader Annabelle Close broke The St. Andrew's-Sewanee middle school team record in the shot put with a distance of 27' 2.5". The past record was set by Sarah Beavers back in 2010. "Annabelle is a young and upcoming athlete," commented Coach Burns. We are excited to see her continued growth and can't wait to see what

# SAS Varsity Track Update

On April 11, the St. Andrew's-Sewanee varsity track team traveled to Soddy Daisy High School to compete in the Stan Sumrell Classic that consisted of 13 other teams. The boys' distance medley relay, consisting of Kiran Malde, Kyler Cantrell, A.J. Clements and Micah Moody finished first. Tom Karanja placed first in the triple jump and set a new personal record. The girls' sprint medley relay, consisting of Lilly Crigger, Pierra Mutavu, Maya Mauzey, and Carline Neubauer finished second. Eight other athletes see new personal records: Kyran Malde in long jump, Emery Presler in the shot and discus, Thomas Billups in the discus, Verena Pate and Stella Wilson in 100 meter high hurdles, Sarah Maleak in the long jump and triple jump, Victoria Parages in the triple jump, Maggie DesJarlais in the shot put.





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# **SAS Varsity** & Middle **School Tennis**

On April 10, the St. Andrew's-Sewanee girls' and boys' teams nosted district rival Boyd Buchanan School. The SAS teams dropped both doubles matches before mounting a comeback during singles play. Unfortunately, it was not enough, and Boyd Buchannan took both matches with a 5-2 score. Highlights from the day included wins at No. 2 singles (Lacy Conley) and No. 5 singles (Vie Virkhaus) on the girls' side and No. 3 singles (Lee Gottlieb) and No. 4 singles (Cameron Crawford) on the boys' side. The SAS girls' team is 3-1 on the season, and the boys' team is 1-3.

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The SAS middle school teams traveled to The Webb School in Bell Buckle on April 4. The girls' team dominated Webb 7-0, while the boys' team dropped a close 3-4 decision that came down to a tiebreaker. Boys' team highlights included wins at No. 3 singles (Martin Brodsky) and No. 4 singles (Dylan Bruscato), as well as a No. 2 doubles victory from Brodsky and Bruscato. The girls' team dropped only six games total on the day out of seven matches. Additionally, the Mountain Lions enjoyed exhibition wins from Josie Stevens at No. 6 singles and Stevens and Leonora Pate at No. 3 doubles. On April 10, the SAS middle school boys' and girls' teams hosted Westwood Middle School. Both teams took control early and never looked back. The boys' team topped Westwood 6 -1, while the girls' team achieved another shutout 7-0. Two SAS players remain undefeated on the season: No. 1 Catherine Barnett and No. 3 Martin Brodsky. Both middle school teams are now 3-1 on the season.

# **Register Now for SAS Summer Camps**

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Coach Stevens reserves the right to place children in camp divisions by skill level rather than all kids love. Each camper enjoys by grade level only.

Campers should bring an extra pair of socks, gym shoes and cleats, lunch, shin pads, soccer ball, sunscreen, a water bottle, a swim suit, and a towel. All camp-

The camp is directed by SAS Middle School Soccer Coach Jan

June 5-9, June 19-23, June <sassummer@sasweb.org> with 26-30, Grades 1-5, Cost \$235

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Registration is open for the St. opportunity to play games and ones. The daily schedule includes group games like capture the flag, Basketball Camp, 9 a.m. to dragon tails, soccer, basketball, picnics, and swimming at Lake Cheston. Campers bring their own packed lunches, water bottle, sunscreen, and bathing suits on swim days.

If you are considering enrolling and shooting contests, and play at SAS, this camp is a great way to get to know the campus.

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# Women's Lacrosse Routs Colonels on Senior Day

The University of the South women's lacrosse team wrapped up the regular season with a 20-12 blistering of Centre College in a Southern Athletic Association (SAA) contest, April 15, from Puett Field.

Prior to the opening draw, four Tigers were recognized as a part of the class of 2023 at the University of the South: Lizzie Chamberlin, Cleo Smith, Jessica Morgan Southworth and Casey Thomsen.

The Tigers came out strong to start the game, netting the first six goals in the first five minutes of the period. At the 11:22 mark, Emma Burns' 50th goal of the season made it a 5-0 lead and forced the Colonels to burn a timeout.

Centre finally dented the scoreboard at the 8:08 mark, but the Purple and White finished the quarter on a 5-0 run to put the game at running clock with 2:09 left in the first quarter.

After Casey Thomsen scored the 11th Tiger goal to put the game into running clock, her 30th of the year came early in the second quarter off a Caroline Harlick pass to make it 12-1.

Sally Herrington, who put together a hat trick in the first quarter, scored her 50th of the season with an unassisted goal with 5:48 left in the half to lead 14-3 en route to a 15-3 halftime lead.

With the league's regular season now in the books, the 2023 SAA Women's Lacrosse Tournament bracket is set. With Saturday's win, Sewanee, Centre and Oglethorpe all had identical 3-3 records. Sewanee secured the No. 3 by earning the highest goal differentials between the three teams.

The Purple and White will travel to No. 2 seed Berry College next week for the first round and semifinal games on April 21 and 23, respectively.

The Tigers will draw the 6-seed Panthers of Birmingham-Southern for the play-in game on Friday night. The winner will take on the host Vikings on Sunday, April 23.

On the other side of the bracket, Rhodes, who clinched its seventh consecutive regular season championship, will welcome Centre and Oglethorpe to Memphis for the play-in. The winner takes on the top-seed Lynx.

The 2023 SAA Tournament Championship Game will occur on Sunday, April 30 at the highest remaining seed.

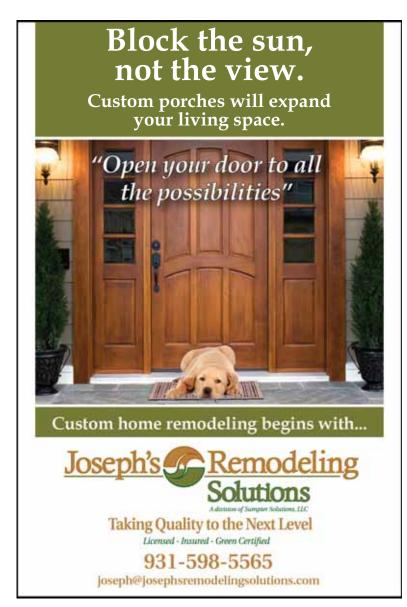
It was a career day for freshman Sally Herrington. The Richmond, Va., native set new career-highs in goals and draw controls with six each.

Marlin Price posted her seventh double-digit draw control performance, winning 11 of them on Saturday. Currently at 144 on the season, the freshman is tied for the most in a season in conference history, joining Baylee Barker in 2021.

Casey Thomsen and Emma Burns each had four goals. Burns added two assists for six points.

Jessica Morgan Southworth forced two turnovers and Sarah Powers (4-5) made seven saves.







Top-ranked No. 1 doubles team Katherine Petty and Brooke Despriet beat all opponents over the weekend, playing Berry College, Wallace State and Oglethorpe. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

# Women's Tennis Files Past Petrels on Senior Day

The University of the South women's tennis team improved its winning streak to six straight with an 8-1 victory over Oglethorpe University in a Southern Athletic Association (SAA) match, on April 16.

Doubles took place indoors as a quick shower passed through campus early Sunday morning, but singles took place outdoors.

Sewanee women's tennis recognized its six seniors on Sunday: Madeline Cummings, Gracie Hughes, Natalia Nassar, Emma Smith. Lauren Wilson and Sydney Wray.

Sewanee picked up the clean sweep in doubles play and improved to 14-1 against SAA teams this season. No. 23 Emma Smith/Nicole Nowak (14-4) are now 4-0 in SAA play with an 8-4 win over the Petrels' top doubles team in Sydney Sattilo and Izzy Forster.

In singles, Smith (7-9) picked up her fifth straight win with a 6-1, 6-0 win to defeat Forster at the top flight.

Eliza Dieck (5-1) rolled in the second-set tiebreak, 7-2, to win the No. 3, 6-1, 7-6 (2).

# Men's Tennis Muscles Past Oglethorpe on Senior Day

The No. 15 University of the South men's tennis team defeated Oglethorpe University in a Southern Athletic Association (SAA) contest, 8-1, April 16, from the Bruton-Guerry Tennis Center.

On Sunday, the program recognized its four seniors: Liam Baer, Matt Barnett, Hugh Graham and Noah Holsclaw.

Sewanee took two of three in doubles play. At the No. 3, senior duo Matt Barnett and Hugh Graham (3-0) posted the 8-6 victory.

In singles, Peyton Erck (8-5) improved to 3-0 at the top flight with a 6-2, 6-3 win versus Kirkman Kiker.

Noah Holsclaw (12-4) got back on the right track on Sunday, but it took a 10-set tiebreak to do it. Winning the first set, 6-4, the senior dropped a close second set in a tiebreak, 6-7 (6) to force the deciding set. Holsclaw rallied to win, 10-7, to secure the point.

Gil Weston (15-4) earned his 15th win of the year with his straightset win at the No. 4.





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# Jenkins Earns Career Win Number 100

A traditional pitcher's duel took place on April 14, from Hermance Stadium between the University of the South and Oglethorpe University. Tied at one going into extra innings, Sewanee had a go-ahead RBI double by Mike Lewishall and a career performance on the mound by Matt Munn to give the Purple and White the 2-1 victory over the Stormy Petrels to open a Southern Athletic Association (SAA) series.

Oglethorpe loaded the bases out of the gate, but after a fielder's choice that saw an out at the plate by Hunter Herndon to Owen Andress for the second out, Jadon Fetrow made the catch in center field to keep the game scoreless.

OU did scratch across a run in the bottom of the fifth. After the Petrels' first two outs were of the strikeout variety, back-to-back hits by the home team, including a twoout triple, made it 1-0.

Still 1-0 in the eighth, the Purple and White finally got to starter Colin Stewart. After TJ Meyn led off the frame with a hit-by-pitch, Mike Lewishall followed with a double to right center field to even the game at a run apiece.

In the ninth, Oglethorpe had the winning run at second base with two outs, but Matt Munn was able to get out of the jam with a fly out to force the game into extras.

In the 10th, a lead-off single by Will Yarbro was cashed in two batters later. Another two-bagger to the right-center field gap by Lewishall gave Sewanee the edge 2-1.

Nearing 100 pitches through six innings, Munn went back out to toss the bottom of the 10th. The sophomore would mow down the Petrels in order, including punching out two, to pick up the win.

Key statistics: After Luke Bishop tossed three shutout innings to start the game for the Tigers, Matt Munn (5-3) punched out a careerbest 14 batters for his first double-digit strikeout performance of his career. Pitching the final seven innings, Mann scattered five hits, allowed one earned run and did not concede a walk.

Munn, a sophomore from Bellaire, Texas, struck out the most batters in a game since Lee Schurlknight's 13 in 2012. Sewanee's record since 2008 for strikeouts in a game is 15, set by Greg Bartleski.

At the plate, Mike Lewishall went 3-for-4 with two doubles with two RBI.

Owen Andress also had a double ahd posted a 2-for-4 evening at the plate.

In Friday's win, head coach David Jenkins secured his 100th career victory with the Tigers, and he becomes the third coach to eclipse the century mark in wins for the University of the South baseball program, joining all-time leader Scott Baker (166) and Shirley Majors (117).

# HOME GAMES

4 p.m., Friday, April 21, SAS Varsity Tennis vs. Silverdale Baptist Academy

4 p.m., Friday, April 21, SAS MS Tennis vs. Tullahoma 10 a.m., Saturday, April 22, University Track and Field, Mountain Laurel Invitational noon, Saturday, April 22, Baseball vs. Rhodes, DH noon, Sunday, April 23, Baseball vs. Rhodes



Sewanee softball split their double header against Mississippi College For Women on Sunday. Here, Alice Charboneau dodges the MUW catcher to score in the first, winning the game. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

# Softball Splits Senior Day Doubleheader with MUW

ball team picked up a doubleheader split with the Mississippi University game two, Sunday afternoon from the Tiger Softball Field.

Prior to first pitch of Sunday's doubleheader, three seniors were recognized from the University of the South softball team, Alice game losing skid. Charboneau, Sam Dean and Michaela Walker.

base right away with a base hit to the outfield. After stealing second and moving to third on a groundout, Rylie Grisham brought her home on a sacrifice fly.

bottom half of the first with two runs in the frame. Eve Bournias RBI and two runs scored in game led off the frame with a triple in one. In the night cap, she followed the right-center field gap, and Zoe Crockett brought her home thanks to an error at first base.

Crockett, who became the first Tiger to swipe 20 bags in a season in program history, stole second and third during the inning, and Alice Charboneau dumped a single game with six strikeouts in game to left to give the Purple and White

In the bottom of the third, with the wind blowing out to straightaway center field, Charboneau smashed a ball over the fence for

her sixth homer of the year.

Leading 3-1 in the home half of the fourth, Sewanee tacked on another insurance run on a bases loaded walk by Hannah Wilson.

That add-on run would be critical in the fifth, as the Owls scored twice on a two-out, two-run double by Emilee Slade to make it 4-3, but Michaela Walker slammed the door with a strikeout in the circle.

Still up 4-3, Sewanee put the game away in the bottom of the sixth. Crockett made it 5-3 on an RBI groundout, and from there, the line kept moving. Wilson followed with an RBI single, followed by a two-bagger by Charboneau and a



The University of the South soft- seeing-eye single up the middle by Walker.

> In Game 2, with the wind still two homers in the opening frame, year with 11:16 left in the game. including a two-run shot.

In the fourth and sixth, MUW added five runs each to rout the Tigers, 13-2 and end their seven-

Sewanee did avoid the shutout with two runs in the fourth. Alice MUW got its leadoff hitter on Charboneau and Michaela Walker strung together back-to-back RBI extra base hits. Charboneau had a triple to right field, while Walker

The Tigers responded in the in the doubleheader, including a 3-for-4 day at the plate with three with a two-hit performance.

Eve Bournias and Hanna Hollis by Monday. each had two hits in the opener for

the circle (8-16) tossed the complete fall all had two goals each. one. Adding 3.1 innings of relief on three assists and a goal. in the second game, the senior threw 10.1 innings on Sunday and high with 20 face off wins and allowed allowing five earned runs. scooped up 11 ground balls.

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# Lacrosse **SAA Regular** Season Title

The University of the South Hardee-McGee Field at Harris Sta-

Prior to face off, Sewanee recognized its 10 seniors on Senior Day Saturday afternoon: Ashton Anton, Henry Clayton, Wesley Cusack, JoJo Fogarty, Davis Gillenwater, Jackson Morris, Luke Valentine, Charlie Warren, Jack Westfall and Will Wyckoff.

After Sewanee netted the first goal of the game, the Colonels' Ryan Black scored three straight times to give the visitors the lead for good.

Centre went on another scoring spree late in the opening period, netting three goals in two minutes to lead 6-1 after a period.

The Colonels took a 12-4 lead

Sewanee did attempt a comeback, cutting the eight-goal deficit to five, 13-8, after three quarters.

Early in the fourth quarter, Sewanee scored three straight goals for Women, defeating the Owls 8-3 blowing out to center field, the to make it 14-11 deficit thanks to in game one before falling 13-2 in Owls took advantage of it with Davis Gillenwater's 20th goal of the

> year made it a 16-13 affair with 3:47 left in the game, but the Colonels had a man-up goal with 1:35 left to

pick up a share of the 2023 SAA Men's Lacrosse Regular Season Championship with Centre Col-

Guaranteed to finish as the laced a double to the gap.

Alice Charboneau had five hits

No. 2 seed in the tournament, the Tigers will have a bye into the semifinals on April 28.

With games on the SAA schedule on Sunday, the seedings of the 2023 SAA Men's Lacrosse Tournament will be announced

Nine Tigers scored on the afternoon, as Phelps Thomas, Davis Michaela Walker recorded a hit Gillenwater, Ashton Anton, Devon in each game at the plate, and in Root, Mac Maclean and Jack West-

Will Wyckoff total four points

# **Earns Share of**

men's lacrosse team dropped the regular season finale to Centre College, 17-15 in Southern Athletic Association (SAA) play, ending Sewanee's seven-game winning streak, April 15, from historic

at the break.

Phelps Thomas' 23rd goal of the

seal the victory. With the setback, the Tigers still

lege with identical 5-1 records.

Drew Perun set a new career-

# Baseball Completes Weekend Sweep at Oglethorpe The University of the South baseball team brought the brooms to

Hermance Stadium, as the Tigers secured the Southern Athletic Association (SAA) series sweep with two wins on April 15, at Oglethorpe University, 9-4 and 2-0.

With the series sweep, Sewanee locks up it first conference series sweep since Millsaps in 2019, and it is the first series sweep of Oglethorpe since 2005, when the teams played four-game series in the Southern Collegiate Athletic Conference (SCAC).

After each team went down in order to start the game, Sewanee got the offense going with back-to-back hits by Charlie Teel and Will Yarbro.

Two batters later, John Bagwell laced a double down the left field line to give the Tigers the early 1-0 lead. Next, Jadon Fetrow had a productive RBI groundout to shortstop.

In the third, Oglethorpe tied the game with two runs in the frame, and in the fourth, the home team took a 3-2 lead on a sacrifice fly.

In the fifth, trailing 3-2, Blake Pou launched his sixth home run of the season to flip the lead back to the visitors, 4-3. A two-run shot to right field, Hunter Herndon scored on the play after his infield hit.

The back-and-forth battle continued in the bottom of the fifth, as the Stormy Petrels tied the game with a RBI single.

In the sixth, after OU made a pitching change, the Purple and White got the lead back for good. After a leadoff double by Yarbro, he moved up to third on a failed pick-off attempt by the new pitcher by Grant Guinther. Owen Andress followed with an RBI groundout to give the

Bagwell followed with a hit by pitch, and after moving up to second base on a wild pitch, Fetrow followed with a RBI single to right center.

The Tigers secured the series victory with three insurance runs in the eighth, as Herndon recorded a base hit to center field, and Pou had a two-run RBI single.

In the nightcap, the Tigers scored first in the third inning. With two outs in the frame, Hunter Herndon coaxed out a full count walk. Blake Pou followed with an RBI double to left field. Next, Mike Lewishall followed with an RBI double down the left field line to make it 2-0.

In the sixth, Jake Nevle came into the game looking for the final six outs. In his first inning of relief, after allowing back-to-back hits, the freshman got out of it on a fielder's choice and two fly outs.

In the seventh, Nevle retired the side in order to secure the victory and series sweep for the Tigers.

Blake Pou had a 3-for-5 afternoon at the dish in game one with a homer and four RBI. Adding a double in game two, the sophomore posted a 4-for-9 Saturday with five RBI.

Hunter Herndon went 3-for-5 at the plate with two runs scored and an RBI in game one. Will Yarbro also had a 3-for-5 day in game one.

John Bagwell had a 2-for-3 performance in game one with a run scored and an run batted in each.

Aidan Lenzen (4-5) picked up the win in game one of Saturday's twin oill, striking out six batters in six innings of work.

In the night cap, Cy Spencer (1-0) earned the win in relief, striking out two batters in his two innings. Jake Nevle slammed the door for his third save of the year.



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# **NATURENOTES**

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Celandine poppy. Photo by Sandy Rice



Baneberry. Photo by Valerie Lorenz

#### **Turkey Hollow Trail**

The Sewanee Herbarium sponsored a spring wildflower walk last Sunday on the Turkey Hollow Trail at St. Mary's Sewanee. An enthusiastic group enjoyed a fine array of wildflowers including numerous Jack-in-the-Pulpits, Fire Pinks, Aniseroot, Baneberry, Giant Chickweed, Rue Anemone, Mayapples, Wild Geranium, Little Sweet Betsy Trilliums, and several species of Violets — Canada, Wood, Yellow Woodland, and the odd Green Violet. Valerie Lorenz commented on "plenty of glorious mayapples" and "just one single baneberry blossom on the Turkey Hollow Trail." She had also been on the Potter's Ridge Trail where she had found an amazing patch of hundreds of Little Brown Jugs while only one was spotted on the Turkey Hollow Trail. These oddly-shaped flowers lie below the leaves, close to the ground and often under leaf litter. The color and smell are said to resemble rotting flesh to attract pollinators such as beetles. The plant is also referred to as Arrowleaf Ginger but despite its spicy smell it is reported to be toxic. Its leaves are evergreen while those of a similar plant called Wild Ginger are deciduous.



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The event this month is the Commissioner David Salyers. "It DEA's 24th nationwide Take manners including pottying outpromotes the disposal of unused Back Day since its inception over drugs from the home, and it is 12 years ago. In 2022, Amerigood for the environment, keeping cans turned in nearly 684 tons is a big, lovable puppy. Jasmine is drugs out of our waterways which (1,368,256 pounds) of prescription is where they can end up otherwise. drugs at over 10,000 sites operated We hope Tennesseans will take part by the DEA and over 8,000 of its state and local law enforcement "Gathering up and cleaning out partners. Those partnerships have medications that you're no longer now collected nearly 8,500 tons of prescription medications since the

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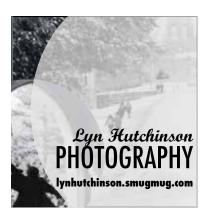
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	WHEN Daylight Savings BEGINS	WHEN Daylight Savings ENDS
MON	1:00 - 6:00	12:00 - 5:00
TUE	3:00 - 6:00	2:00 - 5:00
WED	3:00 - 6:00	2:00 - 5:00
THU	3:00 - 6:00	2:00 - 5:00
FRI	3:00 - 6:00	2:00 - 5:00
SAT	8:00 - 4:00	8:00 - 4:00
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#### 2023 Sewanee Community-Wide Yard Sales – Registration Form Saturday, May 6<sup>th</sup> - 8:00 am - 12:00 pm

You can participate by either having a sale at your home (feel free to combine your efforts with a friend!) or join up with others at the Community Center. All participants will be listed on the official map that will be distributed that day. Advertising will be in local papers in the surrounding areas.



Maybe you don't have many items for sale, live further from town, or would rather be in a larger group. You

Yes! I want to participate in the Sewanee community-wide yard sales. Entries due 4/27/22

 $\square$  I will have a sale at my home and want to be include on the official map.

☐ I want to have booth space at the Sewanee Community Center (limited tables available)

Contact Name:  Mailing Address:  City, State, Zip:  Phone #:  Email:  Location of Sale, if different than mailing address:  Fee included: \$15 (for advertising, map printing, official yard sign)		
City, State, Zip:  Phone #:  Email:  Location of Sale, if different than mailing address:	Contact Name:	
Phone #:  Email:  Location of Sale, if different than mailing address:	Mailing Address:	
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Check all items that will be available – these will be	е
highlighted on the map listings.	

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□ art	□ computer/electronics	
□ antiques	□ exercise equipment	
□ appliances	☐ furniture	
□ baby/children's clothes	□ garden supplies	
□ teen clothes	□ housewares	
□ adult clothes	□ musical instruments	

□ baby furniture □ tools □ bicycles, toys □ other: □ other:

#### Mail form and \$15 to:

Sewanee Community Center 39 Ball Park Road Sewanee, TN 37375

Contact Sarah Gore for more information ssgore35@gmail.com

The Sewanee Community Center is generously supported with funding through the Sewanee Community Chest.

# **FROMBARDTOVERSE**

by Robin Bates

#### **Charlotte Bronte's Birthday**

(April 21, 1816)

The human heart has hidden treasures, In secret kept, in silence sealed;— The thoughts, the hopes, the dreams, the pleasures, Whose charms were broken if revealed. And days may pass in gay confusion, And nights in rosy riot fly, While, lost in Fame's or Wealth's illusion, The memory of the Past may die.

But there are hours of lonely musing, Such as in evening silence come, When, soft as birds their pinions closing, The heart's best feelings gather home. Then in our souls there seems to languish A tender grief that is not woe; And thoughts that once wrung groans of anguish Now cause but some mild tears to flow.

And feelings, once as strong as passions, Float softly back—a faded dream; Our own sharp griefs and wild sensations, The tale of others' sufferings seem. Oh! when the heart is freshly bleeding, How longs it for that time to be, When, through the mist of years receding, Its woes but live in reverie!

And it can dwell on moonlight glimmer, On evening shade and loneliness; And, while the sky grows dim and dimmer, Feel no untold and strange distress— Only a deeper impulse given By lonely hour and darkened room, To solemn thoughts that soar to heaven Seeking a life and world to come.

--Charlotte Bronte, Evening Solace

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# **Upcoming Programs at** St. Mary's Sewanee Retreat Center

The Value of Haiku One Day Workshop

April 29th

Mindfulness on the Mountain Meditation, Movement, and Devotion May 5-7

**Holy Listening** 

A Deep Hearted Presence to our Lives as Sacred Text May 12-14

> Pens & Prayer One Day Workshop

May 20th **Drawing Closer to God: Icon Writing** May 19-21

For more information or to register, go to Rest Renew Reconnect <www.stmaryssewanee.org>

# Community Calendar

#### Friday, April 21

Trails and Trilliums Festival, through April 23, Beersheba Springs <www.trailsandtrillims.org>

9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m.
9 a.m. Yin Yoga, Anneli, High Vibes, Country
Mart, Monteagle, until 10:15 a.m.
10 a.m. You Fit, Betsy, Community Center; and

at noon; sign up required 5 p.m. Art reception, Artisan Depot, 204 E.

Cumberland St., Cowan, until 7 p.m.
7:30 p.m. Sewanee Symphony Orchestra, "Dancing at the Symphony," Convocation Hall

Saturday, April 22 • Earth Day 8:30 a.m. Gentle Yoga, Robie, Community Center, until 9:45 a.m.

9 a.m. Sewanee School Out of the Darkness Campus Walk for Suicide Prevention; Chapel of the Apostles, 335 Tennessee

9:30 a.m. Cowan Commercial Club Clean-up Day, meet in front of Depot; more info leave

voicemail at (931) 967-3078 9:30 a.m. Flow Yoga, Anneli, High Vibes, Country Mart, Monteagle, until 10:45 a.m.

10 a.m. CCJP Electronics Recycling Event, old Hair Depot parking lot, Hwy. 41, until 5

10 a.m. Full Circle Earth Day Celebration, 1202 W. Main St., Monteagle, until 4 p.m.

10 a.m. Hospitality Shop open, until 2 p.m. 10 a.m. Prescription Drug Take Back Day, until 2 p.m., for locations go to <a href="https://tdeconline.tn.gov/rxtakeback/>

1 p.m. F@H Lecture: Osteoporosis, Karen Farnwell, RN, Senior Center; register, <folksathomesewanee@gmail.com> or call (931) 598-0303

#### Sunday, April 23

1 p.m. You Fit, Betsy, Community Center; also at 2:30 p.m.; sign up required 4 p.m. Hatha Yoga, Helen, Community Center

Monday, April 24 RSVP deadline for May 1 Sewanee Civic Association Meeting <sewaneecommunitychest@gmail.com> 8:45 a.m. Pilates, intermediate, Kim, 293 Ball Park

9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m.
9 a.m. Coffee with the Coach, Carrie Austin,
Assistant Athletic Coach, Blue Chair

9 a.m. Tai Chi, Shaonian, High Vibes, Country Mart, Monteagle, until 10 a.m.

10:30 a.m. Chair Exercise, Ruth, Community Center, until 11:45 a.m.

4 p.m. Flow Yoga, Anneli, High Vibes, Country Mart, Monteagle, until 5:30 p.m. 5:30 p.m. Cowan Commercial Club, Boots and

Brews, 106 S. Tennessee Ave., Cowan 5:30 p.m. Pilates, intermediate, Bruce, 293 Ball Park Rd.

Karate, (age 6+), Cimino-Hurt, Legion Hall, until 7:30 p.m.; more info/sign up, <jm.hurt@gmail.com> or text (703) 801-4754

6 p.m. Monteagle City Council, conference room, City Hall

#### Tuesday, April 25

8 a.m. GC Food Bank, 114 S. Industrial Park Rd., Coalmont, until 10 a.m.

9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m.
9 a.m. Flow Yoga, Anneli, High Vibes, Country
Mart, Monteagle, until 10:15 a.m.
9 a.m. Pilates, beginner, 123 Ball Park Rd.

10 a.m. Hospitality Shop open, until 1 p.m.
11:30 a.m. Grundy County Rotary, Dutch Maid
Bakery, Tracy City

noon Pilates, intermediate, Kim, 293 Ball Park

1 p.m. F@H Lecture, Medicare Advantage Plans, Dr. Carol Paris, Kennerly Hall, St. Mark & St. Paul's; <folksathomesewanee@gmail.com> or (931) 598-0303

4 p.m. McCrady Lecture, Dr. Jeremy Wolfe, Mary Sue Cushman Room, Bairnwick Women's Center; reception follows

4:30 p.m. S. Cumberland Farmers' Market pickup, Community Center, until 5:30 p.m.

5 p.m. Vinyasa Yoga, High Vibes, Country Mart, Monteagle, until 6:15 p.m.

6:30 p.m. Social Dance class, (\$10), Lorenz, Community Center

7 p.m. University Jazz Ensemble Concert, St. Luke's Chapel

#### Wednesday, April 26

8:45 a.m. Pilates, intermediate, Kim, 293 Ball Park

9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m. 9 a.m. Tai Chi, Shaonian, High Vibes, Country

Mart, Monteagle, until 10 a.m. 10:30 a.m. Chair Exercise, Ruth, Community Center, until 11:45 a.m.

3 p.m. Gymnastics, Georgia, Community Ctr.
5:15 p.m. Meditation, High Vibes, Country Mart,
Monteagle, until 6:15 p.m.
5:30 p.m. Hatha Yoga, Helen, Community Center

5:30 p.m. Pilates, intermediate, Bruce, 293 Ball Park Rd.

6:30 p.m. Kundalini Yoga/Meditation, Pippa, (\$15), High Vibes, Country Mart, until

7 p.m. "Big Love," Sewanee Dept. Theater and Dance, Angel Park, through April 29, weather permitting

#### Thursday, April 27

Registration Deadline, Community-wide Yard Sale 8 a.m. Flow Yoga, Anneli, High Vibes, Country

Mart, Monteagle, until 9:15 a.m. Monteagle-Sewanee Rotary, program Jheneale Grandison DNP, La Bella Pearl's

9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m. 9 a.m. Nature Journaling, Spencer Hall Room

164, until 11 a.m.; more info email <mpriestley150@gmail.com> 9 a.m. Pilates, beginner, Kim, 293 Ball Park Rd.

10 a.m. Kundalini Yoga, Pippa (free), Zoom, <pippabrowne@yahoo.com>

10 a.m. Hospitality Shop open, until 1 p.m. noon Pilates, intermediate, Kim, 293 Ball Park

5 p.m. Cowan Railroad Museum Tour Guide Training workshop; to register, leave voicemail at (931) 967-3078

5:30 p.m. Ecstatic Dance, High Vibes, Country

Mart, Monteagle, until 6:30 p.m. Karate, (age 6+), Cimino-Hurt, Legion Hall, until 7:30 p.m.; more info/sign up, <jm.hurt@gmail.com> or text (703) 801-4754

6:30 p.m. Social Dance class, (\$10), Lorenz, Firefly Ballroom, Cowan

7 p.m. Organ Recital, All Saints' Chapel

#### Friday, April 28

Last Day of Classes, School of Theology 9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m. 9 a.m. Yin Yoga, Anneli, High Vibes, Country Mart, Monteagle, until 10:15 a.m. 10 a.m. You Fit, Betsy, Community Center; and

at noon; sign up required

noon CAC Community Meal, Kennerly Hall 2:30 p.m. Scholarship Sewanee Poster Session, Harris Commons, until 5 p.m.

#### Local 12-Step Meetings

7 p.m., AA, open, Christ Church, Tracy City

Saturday en, Decherd p.m., NA, United Methodist

#### Sunday

6:30 p.m., AA, open, Morton Memorial, Wesley House porch, Monteagle

#### Monday

5 p.m., 12-Step Women's Study Group, Brooks Hall, (931) 327-5551

7 p.m., AA, open, Christ Church, Tracy City

#### Tuesday

7 p.m., AA, open, First Baptist, Altamont

7 p.m., AA, open, Trinity Episcopal Church, Winchester

#### Wednesday

10 a.m., AÁ, closed, Clifftops, (931) 924-3493 7 p.m., NA, Decherd United

#### Methodist Thursday

6 p.m., Life's Healing Choice, Grundy County Recovery Alliance, Coalmont 7 p.m., Al-Anon, First UMC, Winchester

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