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On July 29, members of the Tennessee State Fire Marshal's Office (SFMO) conducted outreach visits with members of four Middle Tennessee fire departments. The visits are part of the ongoing work by the SFMO to highlight the work of Tennessee fire departments and first responders across the Volunteer State. Pictured are Tennessee Department of Commerce & Insurance Deputy Commissioner Jennifer Peck, Tennessee Department of Commerce & Insurance Assistant Commissioner Gary Farley, and Sewanee Volunteer Fire Department Assistant Chief Doug Cameron. Photo by Andrew Diffie



Thanks to all who donated to the Treasures for the Chest Back to School Supply Drive. The supplies were distributed on July 28, at the Community Action Committee. The monetary donations will be used to buy more supplies.

Hiroshima Day Observance

At 8 a.m., Saturday Aug. 6, the Cumberland Center for Justice and Peace (CCJP) will have a Hiroshima Day Observance. Observing Hiroshima Day has been a CCJP tradition for more than 30 years. Gather at the Texas Ave entrance to Abbo's Alley a little before 8 a.m. We will then observe a period of silence from 8–8:15 a.m., in recognition of the moment between when the air raid alert was lifted and when the bomb exploded. If anyone would like to read something, they will be invited to do so at that time.

Get Ready for the First Day of School at SES

On Saturday, Aug. 6, please join the Sewanee Parent Organization for Make a Difference Day at Sewanee Elementary School from 8 a.m. to noon. Weeding flower beds, sweeping gravel off of sidewalks, spreading mulch, and more will be done to get ready for the first day of school on Aug. 8. Everyone in the community is welcome. Sign up at <<https://tinyurl.com/3u5wrntb>> or just show up that morning. Bring gloves, and a yard rake, shovel, or other implements to help with yard work. Thank you in advance for joining in what ends up being a great show of community.

Monteagle: Code, Ordinance, and Permit Violation Questions

by Leslie Lytle, Messenger Staff Writer

At the Aug. 2 meeting, the Monteagle Planning Commission confronted code, ordinance, and permit violation questions. At issue were retail units being sold as apartments, accessory dwellings on lots with a permanent residence, and the Dixie Lee Avenue/Sampley Street flooding from the RBT construction site stormwater runoff.

Building inspector Earl Geary brought to the commission's attention the Bear Hollow property, to be auctioned Aug. 6, advertised the site included seven apartments. The apartments were originally created as retail space. "They were changed from retail to living spaces with no building permit or inspection," Geary said. The new owner would need to "bring [the units] up to code before you move anyone back in." Geary stressed concerns about fire with multiple units under one roof. "If one of those catches on fire, they're all going to burn."

Geary introduced a discussion about accessory dwelling units (ADU), pointing to a circumstance where new owner Cindy Church renovated a storage building for use as a rental apartment. "Monteagle does not allow two principal structures on one lot," Geary said. "In my opinion it's a violation of zoning ordinance and can't be done."

Cooley's Rift subdivision residents noted the Cooley's Rift Homeowners' Association rules allowed accessory dwelling units.

Monteagle resident Dean Lay observed there were many accessory dwelling rentals in Monteagle.

"We've talked about accessory dwelling units a long time," said Commission Chair Iva Michelle Russell. The issue remains unresolved. Russell apologized to Church and the Cooley's Rift residents. Town Planner Annya Shalun provided the commission with information on ADU ordinances in nearby municipalities. The commission will hold a workshop to address the ADU question taking into account attached versus unattached units, lot size, whether an architectural drawing will be



Monteagle stormwater flooding in the area of Dixie Lee Highway and Sampley Street bordering the RBT construction site.

required for ADU projects, and whether the accessory unit will need to conform to the principal structure in design.

Monteagle resident Mary Beth Best presented the commission with a copy of a letter to the Monteagle Council and July 30 photographs documenting flooding from stormwater runoff at the RBT construction site. RBT has been "out of compliance close to 90 percent of the time they've held a [Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation] permit," Best said, "and they have not even started construction, yet." The letter states the violations "must be addressed before more serious and irrevocable damage is done to personal property and the health and well-being of the people of this town." Best cited hydrological studies by engineer Jim Waller, who warned the commission and

council about problems from stormwater runoff at the site. "The commission's recommendations are very important," Best said. "The council depends on you."

Waller presented the commission with a letter proposing RBT be required to submit a revised site plan since more than a year has passed since the plan was approved. Waller argued for a revised stormwater plan to prevent "contamination" of the drinking water supply at Laurel Lake. "In the past year and half, RBT earthwork polluted [the lake] with silt, mud, other contaminants and debris," Waller said. "When pollution of Laurel Lake is caused by the flushing of hydrocarbon pollutants into Monteagle's storm drainage system [from the RBT Petro truck stop] ... the effects on our water supply will be devastating."

Tennessee Sales Tax Holidays

For 2022, Tennessee's General Assembly has approved a sales tax holiday on food and food ingredients (grocery sales tax suspension) which ends at 11:59 p.m. on Wednesday, Aug. 31, 2022. During this period, food and food ingredients may be purchased tax free. Food and food ingredients purchased from a micro market or vending machine remain subject to sales tax.

For 2022-2023, the Tennessee General Assembly has approved a sales tax holiday on gun safes and safety devices that ends at 11:59 p.m. on June 30, 2023.

For complete information go to <<https://www.tn.gov/revenue/taxes/sales-and-use-tax/sales-tax-holiday.html>>.

Townsend Day Festival

The Townsend Day Festival will be from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., Saturday, Aug. 6, at the Townsend Cultural Center, 913 S. Shepard St., Winchester. This is the second annual event to honor and remember the history of Townsend Black High School that desegregated in 1966.

Vendors, pop-up shops, music and activities for children of all ages will be available. Abide Counseling from Nashville will be at the Aug. 6 event to raise awareness of the mental health crisis in the communities and among the young people.

There will be a Meet and Greet from 6–8 p.m., Friday, Aug. 5, at the Center's Event Room.

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Letters

THANK YOU MSSA

To the Editor:

Many, many thanks to the Monteagle Sunday School Assembly (MSSA) leadership and the 140th year Platform Chair for sharing such a wide range of programs this summer to enrich and inform those of us on the Plateau and beyond. For 8 weeks, were able to enjoy the Nashville songwriters, the author of “High Treason,” a talented re-enactor of Winston Churchill, a couple who has bicycled in 40 counties, the Executive of the Nashville Federal Reserve region and many, many more.

MSSA Board and Cottage Owners were most welcoming to visitors throughout the summer and we are most grateful for your hospitality.

Stephen Burnett, Sewanee

SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE THANK YOU

To the Editor:

With community support and donations, we had a successful Back to School Supply Drive to help augment the services provided by the Community Action Committee. This drive was part of the Sewanee Civic Association Treasures for the Chest initiative, a campaign to help promote community-wide service of giving time, support and donations.

We would like to thank Russell Green at the University Bookstore, Andrea Woodard-Evans at the Lemon Fair, Angie Nelson at Regions Bank, Jimmy Wilson at the Blue Chair, Bill Elder at Shenanigans, Ken Taylor at Taylor’s Mercantile and the Sewanee Mountain Messenger for agreeing to be donation sites, and for their support. We would also like to thank everyone who donated their time and money. We really do live in a wonderful and supportive community.

Millicent Foreman, Secretary, on behalf of the Sewanee Civic Association Board of Directors

University Job Opportunities

Exempt Positions: Area Coordinator, Student Life, Residential Life; Director of Digital Presence, University Advancement; Energy Specialist, Facilities Management; Project Director, Campus Sexual Assault Prevention, University Wellness Center; Purchasing Manager, Business Services; Stewardship Coordinator, Advancement; University Registrar, Student Success.

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For more information and registration, go to <www.StMarysSewanee.org>

Local Food Available

The Sewanee Gardeners’ Market is open 8–10 a.m. every Saturday at Hawkins Lane. Locally-produced fruits and vegetables, baked goods, plants and flowers will be available.

The South Cumberland Farmers’ Market has breads, fruits and vegetables, eggs, coffee and meats available. Ordering takes place each week 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 <<https://sewanee.local-lygrown.net>>.

The Franklin County Farmers’ Market is open 7 a.m. to 1 p.m., Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday in Winchester, next to the Franklin County Annex building. Follow them on Facebook for more information.



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July Lease Committee Meeting Summary

The following items were approved: June minutes; request to transfer Lease No. 749, located at 52 Finney Lane, to Huarui Jing and Zigeng Wang; backup offer received to transfer Lease No. 749, located at 52 Finney Lane, to Scotty Lee; request to transfer Lease No. 1022, located at 106 Parson’s Green Circle, to Mahi Jafri; request to transfer Lease No. 585, located at 24 University Ave., to Sewanee Village Ventures, Inc.; request to build rear deck and ramp at Lease No. 952, located at 149 Magnolia Ave.

Leasehold information is available online at <leases.sewanee.edu> or by calling the lease office at (931) 598-1998.

Please be sure and contact the Franklin County Planning and Zoning for any needed permits as well as the local utility companies to ensure there are no issues before beginning your project.

Planning and Zoning office, (931) 967-0981; Duck River Electric Membership Corporation, (931) 598-5228; Sewanee Utility District, water and sewer, (931) 598-5611; Elk River Public Utility District, natural gas, (931) 967-2110.

Agenda items are due by the fifth of each month for Lease Committee meetings. If the fifth falls on a weekend, then items are due the following Monday. Lease Committee meetings are normally the third Tuesday of the month.

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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, come by our office, 418 St. Mary’s Ln., or send your email to <news@sewaneeemessenger.com>. —KB



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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>.

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COVID-19 Policy Update

On Aug. 2, the University announced COVID-19 policies for the 2022 Advent semester.

Each week, the state of Tennessee provides updated data on cases and hospitalizations related to COVID-19 for each county. As has been communicated previously, we have been using these data to determine our campus masking status. However, this information for our four county area has changed regularly and is likely to continue to do so. Having an on-campus masking policy tied to data that changes so frequently is quite simply untenable and would be challenging to implement with a full campus. Thus, the current policy for the 2022-23 academic year is the University recommends that individuals wear a mask based on personal preference, informed by personal level of risk. Individuals with symptoms, a positive test, or exposure to someone with COVID-19 should wear a mask. As was the case last year, the following remain in effect:

All visitors to University Health Services (UHS) must wear a mask, according to stated policies.

Faculty may choose to require masks be worn in their classes, laboratories, studios, or offices.

Staff members may require masks to be worn in their personal workspace.

For more information go to <<https://new.sewanee.edu/2019-novel-coronavirus-covid-19/>>.

Online Donations Accepted for the GC Food Bank

The Grundy County Food Bank is a nonprofit organization dedicated to helping those in need in the Grundy County area.

Due to limited resources and an isolated landscape at the top of a plateau, food insecurity is a pressing issue in our area. Our dedicated board members and volunteers work to ensure that no person goes hungry.

Online donations are accepted at PayPal Giving, <<https://www.paypal.com/US/fundraiser/charity/2410717>>. You may also mail a donation to the Grundy County Food Bank, P.O. Box 1683, Tracy City, TN 37387.

For more information and to volunteer, go to <<https://grundy-cotnfoodbank.org>>.

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End of Summer at the Hospitality Shop

In a few days, Sewanee Elementary will be opening its doors. The Hospitality Shop is stepping forward to support families as they prepare for the new school year. From Aug. 25-30, all clothes will be priced at just \$1. Come in to find everything from coats to shoes, and backpacks to blue jeans.

The Shop also has school supplies and copies of books that are recommended reading for upper elementary. There are also romance and mystery paperbacks that fit right in to a cooler for that last visit to the beach.

The Shop is bursting at the seams with new donations. Following up on suggestions from the summer community luncheon, looking for a bigger space for the Shop is continuing. Additional support staff have recently been hired. If you haven't seen the new layout of the gift shop, drop in and enjoy the ease of shopping local.

Thrift stores, according to small business analyst Brandon Gaille, are generating more customer interest than mall shopping or outlet stores. Customers are pleased that they are making environmentally sound choices and saving money at the same time. The Shop is open 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., Tuesday and Thursday, and 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Saturday, and is located at 1096 University Ave., across the street from the Sewanee Inn.

29th Annual MCCSN Walk-A-Thon is Happening Soon

The 29th annual Multi-County Cancer Support Network (MCCSN) Walk-A-Thon will be from 6–10:30 p.m., Friday, Sept. 9, 2022, at the old FCHS football stadium, 801 Dinah Shore Blvd., Winchester.

The annual community event raises funds for the MCCSN, a registered 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization that provides emotional, education and financial assistance to cancer patients residing in Bedford, Coffee, Franklin, Grundy, Lincoln, Marion, Moore and Warren Counties. There will be entertainment, food, live music and activities for attendees. Admission is free.

"Warriors Fighting Cancer" is the theme this year. Items are being collected for a silent auction, and can be dropped off at the MCCSN office, 501 W. Broad St., Decherd. The last date for team names, memorials, honorariums and sponsorships to be included in the Walk-A-Thon booklet is Tuesday, Aug. 16.

For more information call (931) 967-0904, or go to <www.mccsn.org>.

MMUMC Curbside Food Distribution

Morton Memorial United Methodist Church will conduct its monthly curbside food distribution on Saturday, Aug. 13, from 8–10 a.m. Morton Memorial UMC distributes food the second Saturday of every month, come rain, snow, sleet, or shine.

Drivers, please enter the food distribution line from behind the church where you will be directed to the loading area. Our volunteers will load your vehicle but please wear a mask if you have not been vaccinated. We supply about two full bags of groceries plus produce, so please make room in your car before coming.

Morton Memorial United Methodist Church is located at 322 West Main St., Monteagle.

Friends Offer TNP Scholarship to Teachers

Each year, the Friends of South Cumberland offer a scholarship for one local teacher — occasionally two — to participate in the Tennessee Naturalist Program free of charge.

One four hour Saturday morning class approximately every month during the school year in

roduces participants to the natural history of the South Cumberland: geology, plants, animals, and more — information that will enrich your understanding and enliven your classroom science lessons.

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Upcoming Meetings

American Legion Post 51

The American Legion meeting will be at 9 a.m., Saturday, Aug. 6, at the Legion Hall in Sewanee.

Franklin County School Board

The Franklin County School Board is scheduled to meet at 6 p.m., Monday, Aug. 8, at 215 S. College St., Winchester.

La Leche League

The La Leche League meeting (information about breastfeeding and mother-to-mother support) will be at 10:30 a.m., Tuesday, Aug. 9, at the Sewanee Community Center, 39 Ball Park Rd. For more information email Pippa Browne <lalecheleaguesewanee@gmail.com>.

Rotary Club Meeting

The Monteagle-Sewanee Rotary Club will meet at 8 a.m., Thursday, Aug. 11, at LaBella Pearl's. The guest speaker will be Associate Professor of History Nicholas Roberts, who teaches classes on the Middle East, Islam, and imperialism in the History Department and the International and Global Studies Program.

Sewanee Utility District

The Sewanee Utility District of Franklin and Marion Counties Board of Commissioners is scheduled to meet at 5 p.m., Tuesday, Aug. 16, at the utility office on Sherwood Road. If a customer is unable to attend but wishes to bring a matter to the board, call (931) 598-5611, visit the office, or call a board member. The board members are Doug Cameron, Ronnie Hoosier, Johnny Hughes, Donnie McBee and Charlie Smith.



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Church News

All Saints’ Chapel

All Saints’ Chapel is on a summer schedule of hosting one Rite 2 service of Holy Eucharist at 10 a.m.

Orientation Sunday, Aug. 21: 7 a.m., Holy Eucharist (Tennessee Laymen’s Conference), and 9 a.m., Holy Eucharist.

Sundays during the Academic Year: 8 a.m., Holy Eucharist, Rite 1, 11 a.m., Holy Eucharist, Rite 2, and 6:30 p.m., Growing in Grace.

Weekdays during the Academic Year: at St. Augustine’s Chapel; 8:30 a.m., Morning Prayer with a Chaplain, and 4 p.m., Evening Prayer. At All Saints’ Chapel, noon, Quiet Hour.

Christ Church

The Feast of the Transfiguration comes each year on Aug. 6, but, in order for more people to get to celebrate it, many churches “transfer” it to a Sunday. Christ Church will do that this year. This Sunday at 10:45 a.m., we will have the beautiful hymns associated with this celebration and the service will be Holy Communion. Bishop

Millsaps will be the preacher.

The account of Jesus being in the company of Moses and Elijah has captured the imagination of artists over the centuries. Come and join us if you can. We also wish to remind everyone that the Ribbon Cutting for the Isaiah 117 House is at 2 p.m., Wednesday, Aug. 10. There will be a shuttle from the parking lot of Christ Church. Christ Church will be open for stops, coffee and snacks. The regular Noon Service will be held on that day.

St. Mark and St. Paul

The 8:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist is in the church for those fully vaccinated plus at least 2 weeks. The 8:30 a.m. service is also livestreamed on our Facebook page. Masking is required indoors for ages 2 and up.

The 11 a.m. Holy Eucharist is outdoors if weather permits; otherwise it will be indoors with increased ventilation.

The nursery room is in the basement of the parish hall (in Sewanee Children’s Center).

‘Spirituality of the Enneagram’ at St. Mary’s Sewanee

St. Mary’s Sewanee welcomes back the dynamic ICB Team (Institute for Conscious Being) this fall. It is not too early to plan to join Dr. Joseph Howell and the ICB staff for a weekend exploring the “Spirituality of the Enneagram,” Sept. 30 to Oct. 2. It is always an exciting weekend and rooms fill up fast.

In this retreat, you will learn much more than the fundamentals of the Enneagram ancient spiritual tool for discernment. You will experience your own soul child and how it is your connection with the Divine. But even more than these, you will have access to your soul and its qualities like never before.

To find out how to register, visit <www.stmaryssewanee.org>, or call Reservations (931) 598-5342.

Obituaries

Virginia Anne Mansfield Miller

Virginia Anne Mansfield Miller, age 87, of Las Cruces, N.M., died on July 19, 2022, at her home. She was born on May 30, 1935, in Sewanee, to Everett and Elise Mansfield. She was preceded in death by her parents; sister, Phyllis “Tish” Mansfield; first husband Richard Alexander; and second husband Vernon Miller.

She is survived by her daughter, Robin (Daniel) VanSant; brothers, David (Alice) Mansfield, and Jerry Mansfield; two granddaughters, and three great-granddaughters. No service information was available. For complete obituary go to <www.getzfuneralhome.com>.

David Greene “DeeGee” Wiseman Jr.

David Greene “DeeGee” Wiseman Jr., age 97, died on July 22, 2022, at his home. He was born on Dec. 11, 1924, in the Harmony community of Franklin County, to David G. Wiseman Sr. and Johnie Edwards Wiseman. He graduated from the Harmony Public School in 1939, and from Central High School in Winchester in 1943. He served in the Army Air Force, enrolling in February 1944, in the 507th Bomb Squadron of the 333rd Bomb Group where he was trained as a bombardment radar mechanic for B-29 Superfortresses. He was honorably discharged in March 1946. Upon returning to Franklin County, he enrolled at the University of the South, graduating in 1950 with a B.A. in English Literature; he was a member of the Order of the Gown. In 1953, he began work at AEDC, calibrating and testing instrumentation used in airplane and rocket models testing. He retired in February 1988 as manager of the Electrical and Electronics Section of the Precision Measurement Equipment Laboratory. He was a charter member of Franklin County Historical Society, and helped to establish The Old Jail Museum in Winchester. He was a member of Harmony Cumberland Presbyterian Church for 83 years, serving as teacher, deacon, and for 41 years, elder. He was preceded in death by his parents; wife of 71 years, Lorena; sister Imogene (Lloyd) Knowles; brother-in-law, Robert Lyle Custer; and many Glasner family in-laws.

He is survived by his sister Margaret Custer; children, David Greene (Christianna) Wiseman III, Rena Clare Wiseman, Robert Alexander “Bob” (Ann) Wiseman; and Jean Ann (Mark) Andrews; sister-in-law, Cora Snell; seven grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews from both sides of the family.

Funeral Services were on July 24, 2022 from the Chapel of Moore-Cortner Funeral Home. Interment followed in Harmony Cumberland Presbyterian Church Cemetery. Memorials may be made to Franklin County Historical Society, P.O. Box 130, Winchester, TN 37398-0130; or to Harmony Cumberland Presbyterian Church Cemetery Fund, c/o Mr. Billy Taylor, 11864 Lynchburg Road, Winchester, TN 37398. For complete obituary go to <www.moorecortner.com>.

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. Newcomers are welcome; please call ahead and we will have a short orientation at 5:45 p.m. The church is located at 3536 New Manchester Hwy., Tullahoma. For more information, call (931) 588-8935.

Unitarian Universalist Church

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>.

Abundant Life Assembly of God, Cowan

10:30 a.m. Worship, Sunday

All Saints’ Chapel

10 a.m. Holy Eucharist, 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

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. Morning Prayer, Sunday

noon Holy Eucharist, Wednesday

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, available 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 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

8 a.m. Mass, Sunday

10:30 a.m. Mass, Sunday

2 p.m. Spanish Mass, Sunday

5 p.m. Mass, Saturday

Goshen Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Winchester

11 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday

Grace Fellowship Church

10:30 a.m. Sunday School/Worship Service

Harrison Chapel Methodist Church, Midway

10 a.m. Sunday School

11 a.m. Sunday Morning Service

5 p.m. Sunday Evening Service

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

CAC Pantry Sunday



Pantry Sunday for the Community Action Committee (CAC) is scheduled for the second Sunday of the month. The Parish of St. Mark and St. Paul, Sewanee Cumberland Presbyterian, All Saints’ Chapel, and Monteagle Cumberland Presbyterian are participating churches. Pantry Sunday is scheduled for the first Sunday of the month at St. James (Midway). All are welcome to contribute.

Please bring your food offerings to your church for collection or deliver directly to the CAC located at 216 University Ave., Sewanee.

The typical bag of groceries includes rice, beans, pasta, macaroni and cheese, peanut butter, and cans of vegetables, fruit, and soup. The cost for a complete bag is less than \$15.

The CAC is an outreach ministry of the Parish of St. Mark and St. Paul, with generous support from the Sewanee Community Chest, other organizations and individuals across the Mountain. For more than 48 years, the CAC has provided food, financial assistance, and educational support for persons in the greater Sewanee community. For more information contact the CAC at (931) 598-5927.

Church Calendar

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

11 a.m. Worship, Saturday

Morton Memorial United Methodist, Monteagle

service available online after noon Sunday, link is at <https://www.mortonmemorialumc.com> 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 <https://www.tdworldministries.org>

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

9:45 a.m. Godly Play, until 10:45 a.m.

10 a.m. Nursery, basement of Kennerly Hall (Sewanee Children’s Center), until noon

11 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Sunday

Sewanee Church of God

10 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday

Sisters of St. Mary Convent Chapel

7:30 a.m. Morning Prayer, Tuesday–Friday;

(7 a.m., feast days; 8 a.m., Saturdays)

8 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Sundays,

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5 p.m. Evening Prayer, Tuesday–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

United Pentecostal, Monteagle

10 a.m. Sunday School, Sunday

11 a.m. Worship, Sunday

7 p.m. Worship, Wednesday

Valley Home Community Church, Pelham

10 a.m. Sunday School

11 a.m. Morning Service, Sunday

Community Chest Applications Available

Since 1908, the Sewanee Civic Association and its precursors have believed in the power of area citizens to help sustain community projects and programs. Through these associations, the community has funded many worthwhile endeavors.

Since 1942, the Sewanee Civic Association (SCA) has organized the Community Chest, which has raised more than \$1 million in the last decade for local organizations.

Sponsored by the SCA, the Sewanee Community Chest (SCC) is pleased to announce the beginning of the 2022–23 grant cycle. All nonprofits that benefit the community are encouraged to apply.

The 2022–23 funding application can be downloaded from the website at <www.sewanee.org>. The application deadline is Friday, Sept. 16, 2022. Grant funds will be distributed starting April 2023, contingent on funding availability.

This year, organizations can apply online with this form <<https://forms.gle/fxGNMW2cgSv7DsVx6>>. It does require you to have a Gmail email account.

The SCC is a nonprofit organization and relies on funding from the community in order to support charitable programs throughout the greater Sewanee area. As the 2022–23 grant cycle begins, the SCC is also kicking off its yearly fundraising campaign.

The SCA urges everyone who benefits from life in this community, whether you live, work, or visit, to give generously. Donations are tax deductible. Contributions, payroll deductions and pledges are accepted at any time at P.O. Box 99, Sewanee, TN 37375. You can also make a donation through PayPal Giving.

For more information, email <sewaneecommunitychest@gmail.com>.

Judge Delivers Decision on Truck Stop Lawsuit

by Leslie Lytle, Messenger Staff Writer

Six Monteagle residents brought suit against the Town of Monteagle, the Monteagle Planning Commission, and RBT Enterprises, alleging fault with the rezoning and approval of the site plan allowing RBT to move forward with a 21-acre truck stop at I-24 Exit 135. Marion County Chancery Court Judge Melissa Willis heard the case on April 22. Willis' findings, delivered May 12 and recently entered into the public record, addressed the actions taken by the Monteagle Town Council and the Planning Commission.

William and Janice Foehring, William and Mary Beth Best, and Ron and Sandra Terrill filed the suit. Willis said at the outset and reiterated throughout the delivery of her conclusions that her role was not to rule on the appropriateness of the decisions made by the council and planning commission. "My role is not to hear evidence or reweigh the evidence which has been presented...Whether I agree with or disagree with the decisions that the board made is immaterial."

Addressing the question of whether or not the council erred for rezoning without referencing the general plan as called for in Monteagle codes, since Monteagle had no "general plan," Willis said, by Tennessee code, "a plan is not a requirement...the town's power to rezone is established by Tennessee statute." The basis for the rezoning decision was supported by "sufficient material evidence...They [the council] weighed the statements that were made and in their judgement they gave more weight in favor of moving forward with the rezoning."

Central in the objection to the planning commission's approval of the truck stop site plan, the plaintiffs argued the commission approved the site plan "illegally, arbitrarily" and "capriciously," and in doing exposed the community to "public health risks," particularly with regard to "water drainage." Counsel for the plaintiffs contended, "Even if the plan is found to address collection of the water, it failed to address treatment of the water or methods of treatment." Willis similarly ruled, "The planning commission weighed everything that was before it" including "competing statements and competing opinions" and "accepted that the site plan contained wetland and buffer areas that would filter pollutants." Willis went on to point out Monteagle's "ordinance does not specify what type of treatment, only that there be treatment."

A third complaint argued the planning commission meeting violated the Tennessee Open Meeting Act statute since the commissioners talked among themselves during the meeting. Willis viewed the video recording of the meeting. She acknowledged "there were times that conversations were inaudible" due to the "heated exchanges and parties talking over each other." Willis concluded, however, "I do not find the commission attempted to act in secret." She also noted the plaintiffs were represented by counsel at the meeting, and "No one objected or made statements they couldn't hear."

Finally, in response to charges Planning Commission Chair Iva Michelle Russell was biased, Willis said, "Those issues should have been raised at the time of the meeting."

In conclusion Willis stated, "The Planning Commission weighed all the evidence and found that same was sufficient for conditional approval of the site plan."

Commenting on the Willis' decision, plaintiff Will Foehring said, "We are currently filing an appeal and following the proper process afforded to citizens in order to redress our government."

Monteagle Mayor Marilyn Campbell Rodman announced at the June 27 council meeting that the judge's findings would be posted on the Town of Monteagle website <<https://www.townofmonteagle-tn.gov>>.

Herbarium Events

The Sewanee Herbarium events are now following a seasonal schedule. Spring and summer offerings will be wildflower walks. Fall will bring various activities focused on art, and winter's events will be instructional, i.e., plant identification using field guides. Nature journaling will be an on-going, year-round offering.

Foster Falls, Saturday, Aug. 20, 9 a.m., with Mary Priestley. This has long been a favorite spot for late season wildflowers that thrive in the open sun, such as blazing star and numerous asters. Meet at the Foster Falls parking area for this one-to-two-hour easy walk in the power line right-of-way above the gorge with optional short but steep trek to the bottom of the falls and back to see some trees and ferns. Contact the South Cumberland State Park Visitors' Center for directions (931) 924-2980. Want to take a dip after the walk? Bring your suit. Foster Falls is also a wonderful place for a picnic.

Mountain Goat Trail, Saturday, Aug. 27, 9 a.m., with Yolande Gottfried. The Mountain Goat Trail is a paved walking/biking trail following an old railroad bed. We will walk a short section of it to spot late summer wildflowers. Meet in the parking lot of the Franklin County/Sewanee Airport at 262 Airport Road.

Nature Journaling, A group meets for nature journaling Thursdays from 9–11 a.m. Come try it out – stick with it if you like. Bring an unlined journal (or a few sheets of unlined paper) and a pen or pencil. No experience needed. For more information email <mpriestley0150@gmail.com>. All times are CST or CDT.

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

For more information on these or other Sewanee Herbarium events, please get in touch with Yolande Gottfried by email at <ygottfri@sewanee.edu>.

Animal Harbor Bone Drop

Animal Harbor is hosting its annual Bone Drop on Saturday, Aug. 6. Participants purchase a bone for \$100 for a chance to win \$3,000. This year's event will help raise money to support the work at the shelter.

The drop will be at 5–7 p.m., on Aug. 6, at the shelter, 56 Nor-Nan Rd., Winchester. The bones will be dropped from 50 feet in the air, using a Duck River Electric bucket truck. The bone that falls closest to the center of a target wins up to \$3,000. The second closest to the bullseye will win \$1,500 and the third closest to the bullseye will win \$500. Participants do not have to be present to win. Entries must be received by noon, Aug. 5.

There will also be family entertainment, food and a celebration for the Anne Giles Canine Enrichment Agility Course.

For more information or to purchase a bone, go to the shelter, call (931) 308-8785 or email <executivedirector@animalharbor.org>. The sign up form is available at <<https://www.animalharbor.org>>.

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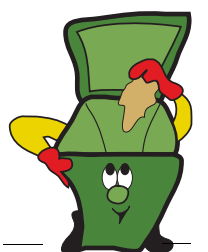
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SENIOR CENTER NEWS

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, Aug. 8: Salmon patty, white beans, turnip greens, cornbread.

Tuesday, Aug. 9: Chicken spinach gnocchi soup, garlic sticks, dessert.

Wednesday, Aug. 10: Steak, gravy, mashed potatoes, broccoli/cheese, roll.

Thursday, Aug. 11: Chef salad, crackers.

Friday, Aug. 12: Ham, scalloped potatoes, green beans, roll.

Chair exercise with Ruth Wendling is from 10:30–11:45 a.m. on Mondays and Wednesdays.

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.



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'Twice Over Forty' at In-Town Gallery

In-Town Gallery presents a showing of photographs and heirloom furniture created by Chattanooga area photographer and woodworker, William Johnson. The title of his show, "Twice Over Forty," refers to the fact that Johnson has reached his 80th birthday. To celebrate this milestone, his show will feature large scale photographs, custom designed and crafted heirloom quality furniture as well as other smaller finely crafted wood pieces. Beginning with a reception 5–8 p.m., Friday, Aug. 5, the show will run until Aug. 31.

Johnson has pursued photography since the age of 14 when his dad set up a dark room. Then in his 40s, his lifelong joy in building things morphed into designing and building fine furniture. Combining functionality with a clean elegant look, his pieces are strongly influenced by Shaker designs and the Arts-and-Crafts era. The major furniture piece in this show will be a Hall Table made from Brazilian Cherry.

In addition to his furniture, "Twice Over Forty" will also feature large-scale black and white photographs such as "Standing Ready," as well as Johnson's bold color photographs, taken both locally and in his travels.

William Johnson grew up in New Jersey but spent much of his life on the west coast working in Silicon Valley before coming to the Chattanooga area. He and his wife Sherry settled in Cleveland, Tenn., in 2003.

In-Town Gallery is a cooperative gallery located on Chattanooga's North Shore at 26A Frazier Avenue. The gallery is closed on Tuesday, open from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday, Wednesday–Saturday, and 1–5 p.m. on Sunday. Our artists offer a diverse range of original art and fine craft, including paintings in various media, sculpture, flame-worked glass, pottery, works in wood and metal, jewelry and fine art photography. Visit us at <www.intowngallery.com> or follow us on Facebook and Instagram.

'Retrospective Exhibition' at Artisan Depot

"Retrospective Exhibition, Early Art through Quarantine" by Sunday Perkins is at the Artisan Depot at 204 Cumberland St. E in Cowan. It will run through Aug. 28.

Sunday Perkins is a native of Franklin County, and a longtime resident and art teacher. However, during the 'Great Migration' she went with her parents up to Ohio where she attended Elyria High School and then went on to graduate from Kent State with a K-12 teaching degree in Art and Social Studies.

Perkins taught Art in Ohio for 8 years before returning to Franklin County, where she taught for 30 years until her retirement in 2017. Sunday says that even when she was busy teaching art, she never stopped making art.

Although Perkins mostly does portrait commissions of animals and people her natural inclination is to create abstract/abstract expressionist pieces which are often inspired by Aboriginal dreamtime art. In these pieces she desires to fire a spark in the imagination of the viewer.

While at college, Sunday channeled frustration with her painting professor into the physical act of creating sculpture from marble and clay. She feels that this foray into 3 dimensional pieces ultimately supported her painting practice and gave her another channel through which she could explore her expression.

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Instagram Contest Kicks Off Tennessee Craft Week Plans

Tennessee Craft announces a Tennessee Craft Week Instagram Photo Contest through Aug. 31, 2022. This contest is open to all craft artists in the state of Tennessee. Winning photos will credit the artist (and photographer, if noted). Photos will be shared via Tennessee Craft social media platforms and in print to generate excitement and public interest in the eighth annual Tennessee Craft Week (TCW), held Oct. 2–10, 2022.

Artists are invited to take a photo of their craft in a Tennessee-themed setting. This landscape should reflect the beauty and richness of our geographically and culturally diverse state while bringing the focus on artisan work made in Tennessee.

Winning photos will be announced to the public on Thursday, Sept. 8. The Grand Prize winner will receive a \$200 gift certificate from Blick Art Materials. First, second and third place winners will be awarded gift certificates from Blick Art Materials and Cheap Joe's Art Stuff. All winning photographs and Honorable Mention photos will be used to promote the 2022 Tennessee Craft Week, which celebrates fine craft. Awards will be distributed on Oct. 17.

Rules for Participation:

Artists must follow @TennesseeCraft, @BlickArtMaterials and @CheapJoesArtStuff on Instagram and include #TNCraftWeek with submitted photos.

All entries with the correct hashtag and "follows," posted through Aug. 31, 2022, will be eligible for the contest.

Photographs should have a clear focus, good color, and thoughtful composition in a 1:1 (square) ratio. Photos must be taken in high-resolution for printing purposes.

The focus of the photo should be the artwork, with a landscape in the background. Only original photographs are accepted.

By participating in the contest, artists/photographers agree to the use of their photos to promote Tennessee Craft Week.

Details and rules for the Instagram Contest will be posted online to @TennesseeCraft Instagram and Facebook accounts, and on the TCW webpage <https://tennesseecraft.org/tennessee-craft-week/>.

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From left to right: Talia Dillard, Zoe Stinson, Eliza Griffey, Caleb Heath, Gianna Afflerbaugh and Alyssa Freeze. Photo by RMS Photography and Design

‘Catch Me If You Can’ at Manchester Arts Center

The Teen Actors Guild brings the high-flying musical comedy “Catch Me If You Can” to the stage at the Manchester Arts Center beginning Aug. 5. Based on the hit movie starring Leonardo DiCaprio and Tom Hanks, the incredible true story is all about chasing your dreams... and not getting caught.

Seeking fame and fortune, precocious teenager Frank Abagnale, Jr., played by Caleb Heath, runs away from home with nothing more than boyish charm, a big imagination, and millions of dollars in forged checks, successfully posing as a pilot, a doctor and a lawyer — living the high life until his lies catch the attention of FBI agent Carl Hanratty (Tucker Johnson).

Director Travis Lawson’s cast includes Carter Jernigan, Zoe Stinson, Lorelei Petty, Aubrey Crosslin, Jackson Eaton, Gianna Afflerbaugh, Talia Dillard, Cassie Douglas, Alyssa Freeze, Eliza Griffey, Jeffery Hale, Jonah Hernandez, Elsie Lazalier, Luis Reyes, Giovanni Salazar, Ta’Nasia Thomas, Abby Troyer, Jaxen Waggoner, Kohen West and Levi Willow. “Catch Me If You Can” runs Aug. 5–7 and Aug. 12–14, Fridays and Saturdays at 7:30 p.m. and Sundays 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 MAC is located just off the Manchester square at 128 E. Main St.

The FCAG Community Art Shows Announced

The Franklin County Arts Guild (FCAG) offers six Community Art Shows each year to promote the arts in Franklin County and the surrounding area. The Franklin County Arts Guild invites original contributions from artists of all ages in any media for inclusion in its Community Arts Shows at the Artisan Depot. Individuals wishing to submit work for a community show should submit their work at the Artisan Depot on published intake dates during gallery operating hours. Each artist is free to interpret the theme of each show as they wish. All work must be submitted ready for display. Membership in the Guild and gallery fees are not required for these shows but members can participate. Works can be submitted for sale or not for sale (NFS). Commissions for works sold are 25 percent of sale price.

Community Art Shows include:

“The Cowan of Times Past,” Aug. 4–Oct. 2, opening reception, 5–7 p.m., Friday, Aug. 19.

“Marvelous and Magical

Masks,” Oct. 6–Nov. 27, intake dates, Sept. 29–Oct. 2, opening reception, Friday, Oct. 21.

“Recycled and Reimagined,” Dec. 1–Jan. 29, intake dates, Nov. 24–27, opening reception, Friday, Dec. 16.

“Languages of Love,” Feb. 2–April 2, intake dates, Jan. 26–29, opening reception, Friday, Feb. 16.

“Being a Flower is a Big Responsibility,” April 6–May 29, intake dates, March 30–April 1, opening reception, Friday, April 21.

“Something for Children,” June 1–July 30, intake dates, May 25–28, opening reception, Friday, June 16.

The Artisan Depot is operated by the Franklin County Arts Guild and is located at 204 Cumberland St. East, Cowan. Gallery hours are noon to 5 p.m. on Thursdays, Fridays, and Sundays and 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturdays. More information can be found at <http://www.franklincoarts.org/>.

tnAchieves Needs 7,500 Mentors by Oct. 21, 2022

tnAchieves needs more than 7,500 mentors by Oct. 21, 2022 to ensure every student in the TN Promise Class of 2023 has access to local mentor support. In 2023, tnAchieves is returning to in-person, mandatory meetings to allow all volunteers a high-impact, structured environment in which they can establish a stronger connection with their students.

“The entire tnAchieves team is eager to return to in-person mentor/student meetings,” said tnAchieves Senior Director of Mentors Tyler Ford. “After nearly three years of virtual or hybrid mentoring, we recognize that there is no replacement for gathering a group of students in-person to establish an initial connection.”

As Tennessee works to rebound from a nine-percentage point decline in college going during the pandemic, this return to in-person meetings partnered with the support of volunteer mentors will be a true difference-maker for students.

“Before talking with my mentor, I wasn’t sure what I was going to do at all. I was avoiding thinking about the future and making a plan because I was unsure and scared,” said Ava, a 2022 TN Promise Student. “When my mentor contacted me, she helped me sort out the things I needed to do and helped me decide on a college. Because my mentor contacted me, I feel more at ease about the months and years to come. I am not stressing about college anymore and I feel confident in my choice!”

By giving one hour per month, tnAchieves mentors provide critical support and encouragement for high school seniors in their community. All volunteers are provided a training as well as ongoing support from the tnAchieves team. Those interested in applying or learning more can visit <https://tnAchieves.org/mentors>.

tnAchieves is a privately-funded scholarship and mentoring program that seeks to provide an opportunity for every Tennessee student to earn a post-secondary degree. If you have questions about the tnAchieves mentoring program, please contact Tyler Ford at (309) 945-3446 or <tyler@tnAchieves.org>.

SES MENUS

Monday–Friday,
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Monday, Aug. 8: Oven-roasted chicken, PBJ sandwich, cheesy broccoli, mashed potatoes, dinner roll, fruit, milk.

Tuesday, Aug. 9: Hamburger/cheeseburger, turkey sandwich, French fries, baked beans, carrot dippers, fruit, milk.

Wednesday, Aug. 10: Spaghetti, meat sauce, yogurt bag, potato bites, garden salad, dinner roll, fruit, milk.

Thursday, Aug. 11: Macaroni and cheese, chef salad, green beans, sweet potato fries, fruit, milk.

Friday, Aug. 12: Pizza, bento box, pinto beans, buttered corn, cookie, fruit, milk.

BREAKFAST

Each day, students select one or two items.

Monday, Aug. 8: Breakfast pizza, fruit, fruit juice, milk.

Tuesday, Aug. 9: Yogurt/Grahams, fruit, fruit juice, milk.

Wednesday, Aug. 10: Pancake wrap, fruit, fruit juice, milk.

Thursday, Aug. 11: Breakfast meal kit, fruit, milk.

Friday, Aug. 12: Meat biscuit, fruit, fruit juice, milk.

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

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Aug. 5, First Day of School, Grundy County, Marion County

Aug. 5, Administrative Day, Franklin County

Aug. 8, First Day of School, Franklin County

Aug. 10, Finding Your Place, College

Aug. 12–21, Orientation, School of Theology

Aug. 20–23, Orientation for New Students, College

Aug. 20, Opening Weekend, SAS

Aug. 22, Classes Begin, SAS

Aug. 22, Quiet Day, School of Theology

Aug. 23, First Day of Classes, School of Theology

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16th Annual Grundy County Lions Golf Tournament

The Grundy County Lions Club is excited to host the 16th annual Grundy County Lions Club Golf Tournament. Tournament Director Mike Birdwell, from Sequachee Valley Electric Cooperative, renamed the annual event in honor of the memory of one of our finest and most devoted volunteers. The tournament is now known as the Samantha Dykes Memorial Tournament.

The tournament is scheduled for Saturday, Aug. 20, 2022 at Fall Creek Falls State Park. The tournament will have a shotgun start at 8 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. The first teams to sign up were offered their choice of morning or evening. Anyone signing up from here on out will be on the 1:30 p.m. shotgun start. Register now because there are only a few spots available.

The entry fee is \$340 per 4-person team (this includes one mulligan and one red-tee per player, or two mulligans for the ladies, and a wonderful lunch or dinner). Organizers already have 32 teams signed up. Cash prizes will be given in each flight (number of flights determined by the number of teams) and all of the door prizes will be cash. The club purchases insurance to offer a \$15,000 prize for a hole in one on No. 5. There is a winner take all putting contest. Each golfer will be given a sleeve of balls donated by Carl and Kathy Prater in honor of their grandson and Glaucoma Awareness.

We are requiring pre-registration and pre-payment. (All checks will be held until after the event.) The deadline of Monday, Aug. 8 is fast approaching to enter and pay. Door prizes will be drawn in advance through a Facebook live drawing and the checks will be in your registration packet. The driving range will be available. There will not be a scoreboard. As your team finishes, drop off your scorecard at the Pro Shop and pick up your lunch or dinner. We will do a Facebook live post of the flight winners and send checks out to the team captain in the mail.

The golf tournament is the only fundraising event that the club has annually. The club is seeking sponsorship at \$100 for a hole sponsor and \$300 snack cart sponsorship, and the premier sponsorship of \$2,000.

“These two companies fully believe in reinvestment in the communities they serve, and we are thankful that they have agreed to place the Grundy County Lions Club on their long list of beneficiaries,” said Gayle VanHooser. There are many businesses in the area that have been a mainstay in the support of the Grundy County Lions Club, and the club is only able to help others through these loyal supporters and our loyal golfers. Please call VanHooser for more information at (931) 205-7115.



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Fun Biking for Everyone

Sewanee has been a well-kept secret for biking of all kinds but is starting to grow a large community of people of all ages with diverse biking interests, types of riding, and skill levels. From mountain biking on trails, road riding, paved trails, to everything in between, there is an option to interest any type of biker. There are many fun and engaging ways to become involved in biking in Sewanee.

For girls and women, two groups support skill development and empowering trail rides for ages seven and up. Little Bellas <www.littlebellas.com>, a national organization with a local presence in Sewanee, provides a fun skill- and confidence-building half-day camp for girls ages 7-11 during the early part of June. Sewanee GoGirls MTB is a local group dedicated to getting more girls and women riding bikes on trails with twice-monthly rides and skills-based learning opportunities. Sewanee GoGirls MTB rides are regularly scheduled on the first and third Sundays of every month, starting at 3 p.m. from the Lake Cheston parking lot. Rides are accessible for anyone with basic trail experience, with adjustments for age, duration, and skill level as appropriate. Mountain bikes are recommended for all trail rides.

For families, new riders, and anyone interested in biking a short distance with social time afterwards at a local restaurant, there is a monthly Community Bike Ride on the paved Mountain Goat Trail (MGT) every first Saturday of the month starting at 4 p.m. from the gravel parking lot in Sewanee. This is a great ride for younger children and families. Riders who prefer biking on dirt trails also have the option of riding a short MGT section before exiting and riding to Lake Dimmick and back, then joining in social hour afterwards. To learn more about the Mountain Goat Trail, go to <mountaingoattrail.org> or email <info@mountaingoattrail.org>.

Sewanee Elementary School (SES) has a group called Tigers Don't Leave Tracks (TDLT) with a mission to improve environmental sustainability, partly through biking to school. This group uses resources from the community to provide opportunities for learning bike safety, basic maintenance, and creating safe ride routes from town to campus and trails in the area, with parental supervision and group organization through TDLT. A similar effort to improve bicycling safety and promote bike commuting in Sewanee and our surrounding area is currently led by Shelley MacLaren, director of the University Art Gallery, who has created bike advocacy programming through her work on the University Art Gallery exhibition Action By Design: Sustainability Planning in Sewanee and her connection with community planners and university leaders.

For middle school and high school students attending St. Andrew's-Sewanee school or schools in the Murfreesboro, Nashville, and Chattanooga areas, there are interscholastic mountain biking teams competing in the Tennessee Interscholastic Cycling League, part of the National Interscholastic Cycling Association (NICA). More information about these teams and the national organization can be found at <www.sasweb.org>, <www.tennesseeemtb.org>, and <www.nationalmtb.org>.

For road riding fans, the University of the South's SOP <https://new.sewanee.edu/campus-life/sewanee-outing-program/> has both road and mountain biking opportunities for college students and there is a loose community group for adult riders to connect via text message for weekend co-ed road rides of 25-75 miles in length (with communication coordinated by Jeff Heitzenrater).

Bike rentals (including E-bikes) suitable for riding on smooth trails and on the paved Mountain Goat Trail are available at Woody's Bicycles, with sizes for kids and adults. Drop by Woody's Bicycles in downtown and check out their rental fleet and friendly bike repair service.

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Baseball Wins Sixth Straight ABCA Team Academic Excellence Award

The American Baseball Coaches Association (ABCA) released on Wednesday afternoon the 2021-22 ABCA Team Academic Excellence Award winners.

The University of the South baseball team secured the award for the sixth straight season (2017-18-19-20-21-22). The Tigers posted a 3.336 GPA over the course of the 2021-22 academic year.

The American Baseball Coaches Association is proud to recognize the nearly 700 member college and high school programs from across the country that have been awarded the 2021-22 ABCA Team Academic Excellence Award, which is presented by Sports Attack. Teams from every level of college and high school baseball were honored with this year's award, which highlights programs coached by ABCA members that posted a GPA of 3.0 or above on a 4.0 scale for the entire 2021-22 academic year.

More than 420 collegiate programs were recognized with this year's award. Division III institutions saw 156 schools named to the award.

From the Southern Athletic Association (SAA), Berry, Birmingham-Southern, Centre, Millsaps, Oglethorpe and Sewanee were listed on the award.

HOME GAMES

5:30 p.m., Thursday, Aug. 18, SAS Varsity Girls' Soccer vs. Huntland

5:30 p.m., Tuesday, Aug. 23, SAS Middle School Girls' Soccer vs. Liberty

5:30 p.m., Thursday, Aug. 25, SAS Varsity Girls' Soccer vs. Boyd Buchanan

5:30 p.m., Thursday, Aug. 25, SAS Varsity Volleyball vs. Grundy County High School

6:30 p.m., Thursday, Sept. 1, Women's Soccer vs. Covenant

Saturday, Sept. 3, University Football vs. St. Scholastica, Hall of Fame Weekend

1 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 3, Men's Soccer vs. Piedmont

6 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 3, Women's Soccer vs. Mount St. Joseph, Sewanee Soccer Tournament

noon, Sunday, Sept. 4, Women's Soccer vs. Adrian

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Russell Secures Srixon/ Cleveland Golf All- America Scholar for Second Straight Year

The Golf Coaches Association of America (GCAA) announced the Division III Srixon/Cleveland Golf All-America Scholars for the 2021-22 season on Thursday. Zack Russell, C'22, of the University of the South men's golf team earns the honor for the second straight season.

The Charlottesville, Va., native finished second on the team in scoring with a 74.96 stroke average in 24 rounds. He secured a fifth place finish at the Jekyll Island Collegiate with a 54-hole score of 209 as the Tigers won the team championship.

Additionally, he finished 16th at the SAA Championships (231) and 19th at the NCAA Championships (297).

Earning a Bachelor of Arts in Economics with a Business minor, Russell was named the recipient of the Barron-Cravens Cup, also known as the Male Senior Athlete of the Year Award for the University of the South.

To be eligible for the Division III Srixon/Cleveland Golf All-America Scholar nomination, an individual must be a sophomore, junior or senior both academically and athletically. In addition, they must participate in 50 percent of their team's competitive rounds, have a stroke average under 79.0 and maintain a minimum cumulative career grade-point average of 3.2. A recipient must also be of high moral character and be in good standing at his college or university.

One hundred and forty NCAA Division III athletes from 56 schools earned 2021-22 Srixon/Cleveland Golf All-America Scholar honors.

A total of seven golfers from the Southern Athletic Association (SAA) were selected to the listing from four league schools: Berry, Hendrix, Oglethorpe and Sewanee.

Women's Soccer Receives United Soccer Coaches Team Academic Award

Announced by the United Soccer Coaches, the University of the South women's soccer program was recognized on the College Team Academic Award.

A total of 783 soccer teams (488 women) posted a team grade point average of 3.0 or higher, thereby earning the United Soccer Coaches Team Academic Award for the 2021-22 academic year.

For the women, it is the fifth time the team has achieved this award (2002-10-16-19-21). The Tigers recorded a 3.59 GPA for the academic year. Leading the athletic department in GPA in the Easter Semester with a 3.665, the program posted the fifth-best GPA during the Advent Semester (3.506).

The Tigers set a new record for SAA Academic Honor Roll members with 31 back in the fall.

From the Southern Athletic Association (SAA), Birmingham-Southern joined Sewanee on the list.

The women's soccer team will look to improve on their SAA Tournament Finalist appearance last season with the program's 2022 season opener on Sept. 1 versus Covenant.

Men's Soccer Earns United Soccer Coaches Team Academic Award

Announced by the United Soccer Coaches, the University of the South men's soccer program was recognized on the College Team Academic Award.

A total of 783 soccer teams (295 men) posted a team grade point average of 3.0 or higher, thereby earning the United Soccer Coaches Team Academic Award for the 2021-22 academic year.

For the men, it is the sixth time the team has achieved this award (2003-11-12-16-19-21). The Tigers recorded a 3.11 GPA for the academic year.

The Tigers saw 18 student-athletes named to SAA Fall Academic Honor Roll members.

From the Southern Athletic Association (SAA), Berry, Birmingham-Southern and Rhodes joined Sewanee on the list.

The men's soccer team will open the 2022 season on the road at Maryville College on Sept. 1.

Volleyball Program Wins USMC/AVCA Team Academic Award

Announced by the American Volleyball Coaches Association (AVCA), the University of the South volleyball program was listed as one of the 212 NCAA Division III institutions named to the United States Marine Corps (USMC)/AVCA Team Academic Award for the 2021-22 academic year.

The Tigers posted a 3.567 grade point average in both semesters. Additionally, the program shared the top GPA for the department during the Advent Semester, and they secured the second-highest GPA in the Easter Semester.

Sewanee secures the academic award for the fifth time in program history and the third time in as many years.

A total of 1,204 collegiate and high school volleyball teams were named to the award for the academic year.

The award, initiated in the 1992-93 academic year, honors volleyball teams that maintain a year-long grade-point average of 3.30 on a 4.0 scale or 4.10 on a 5.0 scale.

The Southern Athletic Association (SAA) saw seven of the eight teams represented: Berry, Birmingham-Southern, Hendrix, Millsaps, Oglethorpe, Rhodes and Sewanee.

Women's Lacrosse Earns IWLCA Academic Awards

Announced by the Intercollegiate Women's Lacrosse Coaches Association (IWLCA), the University of the South women's lacrosse team was recognized for their success in the classroom during the 2022 season.

The program was selected to the Academic Honor Squad for the 11th time in history, including nine straight years. The Tigers posted a 3.218 grade point average (GPA) for the Advent Semester and 3.25 for the Easter Semester.

The IWLCA has named 295 schools across Division I, II, III, and NAIA as IWLCA Academic Honor Squads for the 2021-22 academic year. To qualify for this prestigious honor, the women's lacrosse team must have posted a 3.2 or higher team GPA for the academic year.

In addition, a program-best eight student-athletes were named to the IWLCA Academic Honor Roll, breaking the 2019 and 2021 record of seven.

Hattie Fogarty, Sarah Hughes, Hadley Meadows, Molly Morris, Jocelyn Riopel, Ellie Tate Schutte, Jessica Southworth and Casey Thomsen were all listed on the award.

Fogarty, Hughes, Meadows and Riopel earned the award for the second straight year. The program has now 14 student-athletes who were two-time members of the IWLCA National Academic Honor Roll.

The IWLCA honored 977 student-athletes from 183 different institutions on the 2022 IWLCA Division III Academic Honor Roll. To be eligible for this honor, student-athletes must be a junior, senior, or graduate student and have earned a cumulative academic GPA of 3.50 or greater.

From the Southern Athletic Association (SAA), Sewanee led all league schools in individualists with eight, followed by Rhodes (5), Centre (3) and Berry (1). All four schools mentioned were included on the Academic Honor Squad.

Sewanee finished the 2022 season with a 14-5 overall record and finished as a finalist in the SAA Tournament.

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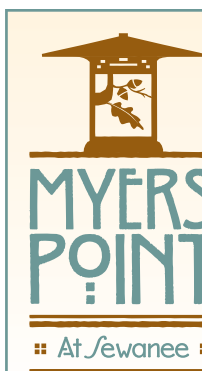
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Giant Silk Moths and a Weasel

National Moth Week last week brought some impressive sightings. **Teesha Tiller** found three Imperial moths on her porch and a Polyphemus. That same day I found both those species on my porch plus another large, colorful Regal moth. These are all members of the Saturniid or giant silk moth family of moths, named for the rings around the eyespots of some of them, compared with the rings around the planet Saturn. The adults of moths in this family do not eat and therefore live only a short time, their purpose only to reproduce. The Imperial moths have impressive cryptic coloration and can look just like a browning tulip poplar or other leaf. Polyphemus moths are named for the one-eyed giant cyclops in Greek mythology. Teesha noted that the eyespots are transparent and that the feathery antennae of the male are larger than those of the female. All these moths have large, colorful caterpillars with knobs or spines. The caterpillar of the Regal moth is known as the Hickory Horned Devil and is especially impressive.

Valerie Lorenz reported on Sunday: "I saw a weasel two days ago. I was swimming along the shoreline Tims Ford lake, and it was scurrying along the waters edge...That was a first for me, and I have been swimming in the lake since it was created!"

Annual 'Picture the Park' Photo Contest Open

Area photographers are invited to submit their most picturesque photos of the South Cumberland State Park (SCSP) to the annual Picture the Park photo contest sponsored by the Friends of South Cumberland (FOSC).

The photos will be used on the Friends' website, in printed literature, in physical products offered in exchange for donations to the Friends, or to sell in order to raise money for projects facilitated for the SCSP.

Deadline to submit photos is midnight on Sept. 7. More information, submission requirements and categories are available at <www.friendsofsouthcumberland.org>.

FOSC is a group of volunteer citizens dedicated to supporting the SCSP, which, at 30,837 acres, is the state's largest. As a 501(c)(3) nonprofit membership corporation, funding for the Friends is derived from individual and corporate memberships and from private donations. Visit the website to learn more.

State Park Offerings

Please note: To confirm that these events will occur as listed go to <<https://tnstateparks.com/parks/events/south-cumberland/#/?park=south-cumberland>> or call (931) 924-2980.

Friday, Aug. 5

Climbers Loop & Foster Falls Hike (Free)—Meet Interpreter Allen Reynolds at 8:45 a.m. at Fiery Gizzard South Trailhead, 498 Foster Falls Rd., Sequatchie, for a roughly 2-mile, rated moderately difficult, guided hike around the Climbers Loop and down to Foster Falls. Closed-toe shoes and at least two liters of water required. Over-ankle hiking shoes, long hiking pants, hats, snacks, and sunscreen recommended. A change of shoes and clothes is acceptable if you wish to hop into the falls after the hike.

Saturday, Aug. 6

Sunset Hike (Free)—Meet Interpreter Allen Reynolds at 7:15 p.m., at the Denny Cove Trailhead, 5949 TN-150 Scenic, Sequatchie, for a guided hike to the Denny Cove Overlook to witness the sunset over the Cumberland Valley. The hike from the Denny Cove Trailhead to the Overlook is about 15 minutes long and considered easy. Closed-toe shoes, water, and folding chairs are recommended, and snacks are welcome. Note: Hiking after dark is only accepted at South Cumberland during a guided hike by a park employee. Please do not try this hike on your own!

Sunday, Aug. 7

7-Mile Trail Run (Free)—Meet Seasonal Interpreter JD Dickerson at 6:45 a.m. at Stone Door Ranger Station, 1183 Stone Door Rd., Beersheba Springs, for an intermediate-level approximately 7-mile trail run. The relatively flat route stays entirely on the Cumberland Plateau. There is not a specific pace we plan to run, just what is comfortable for everyone in the group. Please bring comfortable running shoes, attire, water and any other needed items. Notice: you will be treading areas around overlooks, and these locations can be treacherous. The potential to slip and fall exists, and extreme care is needed.

Thursday, Aug. 11

Werner Point Overlook Hike (Free)—Meet Interpreter Allen Reynolds at 8:45 a.m. at North Fiery Gizzard Trailhead, 131 Fiery Gizzard Rd., Tracy City, for an approximately 5-mile, moderate-to-strenuous guided hike to one of the highest band best views on the Fiery Gizzard Trail, Werner Point Overlook, which allows a great view of the Cumberland Gap. Closed-toed shoes, at least two liters of water, and a packed lunch is required. Over-ankle hiking boots, hiking pants, hiking stick and a hat are recommended,

Friday, Aug. 12

Full Moon Night Hike to Great Stone Door (Hike is limited to the first 10 people to register; pre-register at link above)(\$10)—Meet Ranger Spencer Baxter at 7:45 a.m. at Stone Door Ranger Station, 1183 Stone Door Rd., Beersheba Springs, for a 2-mile roundtrip night hike to several overlooks to experience the night sky and full moon in beautiful Savage Gulf State Natural Area. Bring your own headlamp, sturdy hiking boots, appropriate clothing for the weather, and your spirit of adventure.

Grundy Day Loop Hike (Free)—Join Interpreter Allen Reynolds at 9:45 a.m. at North Fiery Gizzard Trailhead, 131 Fiery Gizzard Rd., Tracy City, for a 1.9-mile roundtrip easy-to-moderate hike on the Grundy Day Loop. Over-ankle hiking shoes and at least one liter of water are required. Long pants, a hiking stick, and bug spray are recommended.

Saturday, Aug. 13

Full Day Loop Guided Hike (free)—Meet Seasonal Interpreter JD Dickerson at Stone Door Ranger Station, 1183 Stone Door Rd., Beersheba Springs, for an approximately 8-mile intermediate-level hike that will last a good portion of the day. You will begin and end at Stone Door Ranger Station, and will experience the Great Stone Door and several overlooks into Savage Gulf. Please bring all needed gear—backpack, packed lunch, additional snacks, plenty of water, sturdy shoes suitable for hiking, and any other needed items. There is not a great deal of elevation change, as the route is on the Plateau. As always, caution is needed around overlooks, as the footing can be slippery.

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NOTICE: The Monteagle Regional Planning Commission will have a workshop on Aug. 29, 2022 at 12:30 p.m. with Planning Commission Members And City Council Members in the Conference Room at City Hall.

NOTICE: The Monteagle City Council Will Have the regular monthly meeting Aug. 29, 2022 at 6 p.m. in the Conference Room at City Hall

NOTICE: The Monteagle Regional Planning Commission will have their Regular Meeting on Sept. 15, 2022 at 6 p.m. and the Workshop at 5:30 p.m.



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FROM BARD TO VERSE

by Robin Bates

Aug. 8, First Day of School

I love to rise in a summer morn,
When the birds sing on every tree;
The distant huntsman winds his horn,
And the skylark sings with me.
O! what sweet company.
But to go to school in a summer morn
O: it drives all joy away;
Under a cruel eye outworn.
The little ones spend the day,
In sighing and dismay.
Ah! then at times I drooping sit.
And spend many an anxious hour.
Nor in my book can I take delight,
Nor sit in learnings bower.
Worn thro' with the dreary shower.
How can the bird that is born for joy,
Sit in a cage and sing.
How can a child, when fears annoy,
But droop his tender wing.
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Community Calendar

Friday, Aug. 5

Administrative Day, FC Schools

First Day of Classes, GC, MC Schools

- 9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m.
- 10 a.m. Game Day, Senior Center, until noon
- 10:45 a.m. MSSA Lecture, Women & Diversity at NASA, Lindstrom, Auditorium
- noon Animal Harbor Bone Drop entry deadline, (931) 308-8785 or email <executivedirector@animalharbor.com>
- 6 p.m. Townsend Day Festival Meet & Greet, Townsend Cultural Center Event Room, 913 S. Shepard St., Winchester, until 8 p.m.

Saturday, Aug. 6

- 7:45 a.m. CCJP Hiroshima Day Observance, meet at Texas Avenue entrance to Abbo's Alley
- 8 a.m. SES SPO Make a Difference Day, SES, until noon
- 8 a.m. Sewanee Gardeners' Market, Hawkins Lane, until 10 a.m.
- 8:30 a.m. Gentle Flow Yoga, Robie, Community Center, until 9:45 a.m.
- 9 a.m. American Legion Post 51, Legion Hall, Sewanee
- 9:30 a.m. Flow Yoga, Anneli, High Vibes, Country Mart, Monteagle, until 10:45 a.m.
- 10 a.m. Hospitality Shop open, until 2 p.m.
- 10 a.m. Townsend Day Festival, Townsend Cultural Center, 913 S. Shepard St., Winchester, until 6 p.m.
- 4 p.m. Sewanee Community Bike Ride, leaves from MGT parking lot, Hawkins Lane, Sewanee; email <bethprideford@gmail.com> if attending
- 5 p.m. Animal Harbor Annual Bone Drop Fundraiser, 56 Nor-Nan Rd., Winchester, until 7 p.m.

Sunday, Aug. 7 • CAC Pantry Sunday, St. James

- 1 p.m. You Fit, Betsy, Community Center, and 2:30 p.m.
- 3 p.m. Sewanee GoGirls MTB Ride, leaves from Lake Cheston parking lot; email <bethprideford@gmail.com> if attending
- 4 p.m. Hatha Yoga, Helen, Community Center

Monday, Aug. 8

First Day of Classes, FC Schools

- 9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m.
- 9 a.m. Pilates, intermediate, Kim, 293 Ball Park Rd.
- 9 a.m. Tai Chi, Shaonian, High Vibes Studio, Country Mart, Monteagle
- 10:30 a.m. Chair Exercise, Ruth, Senior Center, until 11:45 a.m.
- 4 p.m. Flow Yoga, Anneli, High Vibes, Country Mart, Monteagle, until 5:15 p.m.
- 5:30 p.m. Pilates, intermediate, Kim, 293 Ball Park Rd.
- 6 p.m. FC School Board, 215 S. College St., Winchester

Tuesday, Aug. 9

- 8 a.m. GC Food Bank, Tracy City, 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, Kim, 293 Ball Park Rd.
- 10 a.m. Hospitality Shop open, until 1 p.m.
- noon Pilates, intermediate, Kim, 293 Ball Park Rd.
- 10:30 a.m. La Leche League, Sewanee Community Center, 39 Ball Park Rd., more info email <LaLecheLeaguesewanee@gmail.com>
- 4:30 p.m. S. Cumberland Farmers' Market pickup, Community Center, until 6:30 p.m.
- 5 p.m. Vinyasa Yoga, High Vibes, Country Mart, Monteagle, until 6:15 p.m.

- 5:30 p.m. Gentle Flow Yoga, Robie, 293 Ball Park Rd.
- 5:45 p.m. Zumba, Ren, Tenacity Fitness, Tracy City
- 6:30 p.m. Social Dance class, Lorenz, Community Center

Wednesday, Aug. 10

- 9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m.
- 9 a.m. Pilates, intermediate, Kim, 293 Ball Park Rd.
- 9 a.m. Tai Chi, Shaonian, High Vibes, Country Mart, Monteagle, until 10 a.m.
- 10:30 a.m. Chair Exercise, Ruth, Senior Center, until 11:45 a.m.
- 11 a.m. Folks@Home Caregivers' Group, Brooks Hall, St. Mark & St. Paul
- 5:30 p.m. Hatha Yoga, Helen, Community Center
- 5:30 p.m. Pilates, intermediate, Kim, 293 Ball Park Rd.

Thursday, Aug. 11

- 8 a.m. Flow Yoga, Anneli, High Vibes, Country Mart, Monteagle, until 9:15 a.m.
- 8 a.m. Monteagle-Sewanee Rotary, LaBella Pearl's
- 9 a.m. Nature Journaling, until 11 a.m.; more info: <mpriestley0150@gmail.com>
- 9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m.
- 9 a.m. Pilates, beginner, Kim, 293 Ball Park Rd.
- 10 a.m. Hospitality Shop open, until 1 p.m.
- 10 a.m. Kundalini Yoga Pippa, Zoom, <pippabrowne@yahoo.com>
- noon Pilates, intermediate, Kim, 293 Ball Park Rd.
- 5 p.m. SVEC Annual Meeting, 717 Elm St., South Pittsburg
- 5:30 p.m. Ecstatic Dance, Anneli, High Vibes, Country Mart, Monteagle, until 6:30 p.m.
- 5:45 p.m. Zumba, Beginners, Ren, Tenacity Fitness, Tracy City, until 6:45 p.m.

Friday, Aug. 12

Orientation, School of Theology, through Aug. 21

- 9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m.
- 10 a.m. Game Day, Senior Center, until noon

Local 12-Step Meetings

Friday

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

Saturday

7 p.m., NA, open, Decherd United Methodist

Sunday

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

Monday

5 p.m., Women in Recovery, Brooks Hall, call (931) 636-8412 for more info

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

Tuesday

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

Wednesday

10 a.m., AA, closed, Clifftops, (931) 924-3493

7 p.m., NA, Decherd United Methodist

Thursday

7 p.m., Al-Anon, First UMC, Winchester

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