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Monteagle Sunday School Assembly

October 2018

The Monteagle Sunday School Assembly was organized by Charter issued by the State of Tennessee on October 4, 1882 for the purpose of: "...the advancement of science, literary attainment, Sunday School interests, and the promotion of the broadest popular culture in the interest of Christianity without regard to sect or denomination.

The mission of the Monteagle Sunday School Assembly is to be a welcoming community of Christian faith where people gather to engage in spiritual growth and renewal, life-long inquiry and learning, recreational and cultural enrichment, while being good stewards of our natural resources and our Assembly heritage.

2018-19 MSSA Calendar

MSSA Board Meetings
October 20
November 28
February 16

Sewanee Homecoming
October 25-28

Mountain Voices
Ann Ewing, editor
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layout

Deadline to submit items for the next issue is October 25.
Send articles to Ann Ewing at
aewing62@gmail.com

From the President

I am happy and honored to have been chosen to lead the MSSA Board of Trustees. I would like to begin by thanking our past president Barry Moody for his leadership and service to the Assembly.

A lot has happened during this transition, so I want to share some updates about activity since the end of the season:

MSSA had a large water leak in July and August and is grateful to the Town of Monteagle for its support and help in locating the leak.

Virginia Curry submitted her resignation as platform superintendent on Aug 24. We are grateful to her for a job well done!

In September, Lisa Hammett graciously agreed to serve as interim platform superintendent.

A search committee consisting of Meghan Hudgins, Morgan Merrill, Anne Worthen, Margaret Rixham and Scott Parrish was established to begin the process of hiring a new platform superintendent with a target date of February 2019.

All committee chairs have been named, and a request to finalize each committee's membership was issued on September 6.

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MSSA is Seeking Applications for Platform Superintendent

Please follow the link below to see the position description.

<http://files.constantcontact.com/41c9e071701/1eb4fa3b-bf56-4d4c-9686-aa769b8c19e1.pdf>

From the President

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The property committee has met with local emergency services personnel to gather information about areas of concern related to fire safety issues and emergency response.

We have identified specific needs and areas for the Assembly-wide hardscape project and are in the process of soliciting proposals

and bids for Phase I of the stonework. A big thank you to Anne Waring for her work in getting the project to this point and to the contributors to the annual fund for their support of this project.

I hope to see you on the mountain soon. Be sure to see the Around the Mountain article as you make your plans. And remember, Thanksgiving is a beautiful time in Montecagle, and the potluck on Friday almost feels like a summer day in the dining hall!

Best regards,
Bill Cox
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Everyone Invited to Day After Thanksgiving Potluck

Plan now to come join your summer friends for a Thanksgiving Holiday Celebration.

Get away from the shopping and crowds at home! The food is always wonderful and plentiful! Bring a dish to share...the fun starts at noon.

The dessert table is unbelievable!

Pay Fees Quickly & Easily

Beginning October 2018, MSSA will offer ACH Bank Draft processing for the payment of your monthly account charges. It is simple, secure, efficient and will keep you in the good graces of Crystal Hill, our bookkeeper.



Please read the letter at this link for more information. You will probably have to copy and paste the link into your search engine.

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Around the Mountain October Will Be Busy!

We have a busy month coming up!



October 6
Christ Presbyterian Choir
(5 cottages rented or loaned)
Using Harton Hall

October 12
Leadership Nashville
Using Harton Hall & the Chapel

October 20
The Catherine Tuck Foundation/ The
Gathering
Using the Mall and Auditorium

October 25-28
Sewanee Homecoming
(9 Cottages rented or loaned....so far)

Gym News

The Gym will be closed for six weeks beginning in October for floor work.



In Our Prayers

We are sad to report the death of Terry Rolon, husband of Christie Ewing Rolon, brother in law of Kent Ballow, Ann Ewing and Andrew

Ewing, and son in law of Ann Tharp. Terry died on Sept 29. Please keep the family in your prayers.



Cottages Available for Transfer:



#6	Windcrest	\$550,000
#11	Stone Court	\$390,000
#15	Bridgepoint	\$625,000
#56	Southern Comfort	\$450,000
#58	Fleur de Lis	\$330,000
#82	Veranda	\$385,000
#129	Hallelujah	\$495,000

To arrange a tour or for more information contact: W. Scott Parrish, General Manager
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News Bulletin

MSSA is accepting applications for the 2019 Youth Staff. If you know of anyone interested, a link to the application is below.

http://mssa1882.net/index.php?option=com_dashboard&view=dashboard&id=90&Itemid=809

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ARC Project Submission Deadlines

Planning a renovation project? The Architectural Review Committee will accept projects for review and recommendation to the Board of Trust for approval four times per year. Questions about possible projects, the process, and necessary requirements should be referred to the General Manager. Projects submitted by the following dates will be reviewed and presented at the board meeting following the submission.

January 15 May 1 July 15 September 30

The ARC is available throughout the year to advise members on their project planning prior to submission of a request. Not sure if you need ARC approval? Check with the General Manager first.

MSSA Alcohol Policy

The possession or use of alcohol or controlled substances on public grounds, in public places, or at public functions on the Assembly grounds is prohibited and subjects the offender to disciplinary action by the board of trustees.

Reminder: **No Smoking** is allowed within fifty feet of any Assembly public building.