

# Office of Environmental Stewardship & Sustainability

## FIELD NOTES

Hey, y'all, we need a new newsletter logo and our well of creativity (on this point) has run dry. Please do us a solid and submit ideas to [oess@sewanee.edu](mailto:oess@sewanee.edu). If you submit the winning design, we'll send you a gift card to an on-Domain eatery of your choice. Whet your appetite on our dime. And thank you!

### Director's Letter



Welcome to the first edition of Field Notes! A huge thank you to Ava Hingson C'23 for her submission to our newsletter naming contest. Now that we have a new name we need a new look. For those of you who have a creative bent we are seeking submissions for a new logo design for the Field Notes branding. Creativity is encouraged but the phrase "Field Notes" must be in the design. Please submit by November 1st and the winning design(er) will also receive a gift card for the, on Domain, eatery location of their choice. Good luck and happy creating!

Amy Turner,  
Director

### Camping Upgrades

**Domain Management** - For many decades, students, staff, and alumni have been able to call and reserve a night or a weekend at the Forestry cabin. Students over the years have come to depend on the cabin and the Domain at large as an escape from the hectic day to day of central campus life. Partially due to increased ...

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### Running for Rubbish

**Sustain Sewanee** - Recently OCCU, Greenhouse and Sustain Sewanee found ourselves on the quad amongst 35+ young adults ready and willing to run for trash. These folks spent forty minutes collecting rubbish found all across campus, running with trash bags and civic courage, and brought it back for sorting, collection and the chance to win a homemade "canjo." ...

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### Goat-ly Meditations

**The University Farm** - Goat Yoga is an annual feature of student life. The Wellness Center provides instructors and contributes to goat feed while the University Farm provides temporary fencing and farm work study students wrangle some of the current year's kids for a trip to central campus.

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### Wetlands and Wildlife

**Domain Research** - Our fancy new equipment for measuring water quality parameters has been delivered, calibrated, and deployed in the constructed wetland located at the Sewanee Utility District (SUD). The suite of sensors will spend most of the next year at SUD helping ...

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### Upcoming



#### Green Innovation in Coal Country

Fri, Oct, 23 | 12-2:30p

Join Sewanee's Dr. Carter and former Governor Phil Bredesen in discussing how to develop projects that not only benefit our environment, but also invest in communities at risk of being left behind. [Learn more and register.](#)



DR. RICARDO SALVADOR  
DIRECTOR FOOD & ENVIRONMENT PROGRAM  
UNION OF CONCERNED SCIENTISTS

#### Structural & Racial Inequities in the Agrifood System

"FIXIN' OUR PLATE" SERIES  
VIRTUAL SPEAKER

26 OCTOBER 2020 | 7:30 PM CST  
ZOOM

The Exploring Food Systems series is a collaboration of Sewanee's SIFE, OCE, OESS and the Southeast TN Young Farmers

Mon, Oct, 26 | 7:30-8:45p



#### Conference on Eco Hope

Fri-Sat, Oct 23-24

For more [information and to register](#). This is a virtual conference open to all and hosted by Sewanee's School of Theology.



#### October: Sustainability Mo

TBA

Keep your eyes peeled for upcoming events such as: Haunted Hayrides, Pumpkin Carving and Compost, DIY Cleaners, and Farm S'mores. All student-led, all yet to be announced formally.