Possible Threat to the Campus Community

The University is investigating a report of non-consensual sexual intercourse. The reported incident was committed by a person unknown to the survivor on campus.

Date of Incident: 10/07/15 Time: 10:30 PM Date Reported to Police: 10/07/2015

In compliance with the provisions of the federal Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security and Campus Statistics Act of 1998 the Sewanee Police are giving notice of possible criminal activity reported to have occurred on campus. Please keep in mind that crimes are not always reported to the police department on the day or time the crime actually occurred.

Reporting Encouraged

Please help keep our community respectful and safe by reporting any sexual misconduct or other instances of misconduct to the Sewanee Police at <u>931-598-1111</u>, or to the University Dean of Students Office at <u>http://www.sewanee.edu/student-life/dean-of-students-office/report-an-incident/</u>

How to Help

- Be someone who helps educate, inform and intervene so that Sewanee is a safe and welcoming community for all.
- Be aware of options for support and care on campus; contact the University Wellness Center at ext. 1270 or the Sexual Assault Crisis Team at <u>931-636-4887</u>
- Listen, believe and support someone who discloses victimization. Never blame the victim.
- Talk to friends honestly and openly about sexual assault.
- Trust your instincts, if something looks like a bad situation, it probably is.
- Be aware if someone is deliberately trying to intoxicate, isolate or corner someone.
- Get in the way or create a distraction by creating a distraction, drawing attention or separating them.
- Consider becoming a Peer Health Educator (SWAG: Sewanee Wellness Action Group), a Residential Life staff member, a FOG team member, and a good friend to someone in need.

We all share responsibility for this community, and we can all prevent harmful acts.

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