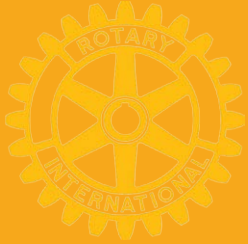


# Rotary



## Club of Crestwood-Sunset Hills



### Julie Nicolai, Author - Underground Railroad in Missouri

Wednesday, March 19, 2025

#### Club Leaders



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Julie Nicolai is a local St. Louis historian and has been studying the Underground Railroad in Missouri, Illinois and Kansas for twenty-five years. She has a BA and MA in art history and archeology from Washington University in St. Louis and has written articles for the Missouri Historical Society, New York Silver Society and the Morse-Libby Mansion. She is currently working on a book on the silver in the Missouri Historical Society's collections. She lives in St. Louis and loves to travel anywhere to experience the Underground Railroad.



Jim B. Simpson  
iPast  
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# Crestwood Sunset Hills Rotary



## Events

March 26th

**Club Assembly**

April 16th

**Anne-Marie Berger -  
Senior Producer,  
NinePBS KETC-TV**

April 23rd

**Susanne Mertens,  
Manchester United  
Church Bike Rehab**

April 30th

**Tim Halls - Danforth  
Plant Science Center**

May 14th

**Dave Sapenaro with  
AARP**

May 28th

**Bob Tiemann,  
Author - St. Louis  
Cardinals World  
Championships**

June 4th

**Rotary Barbeque at  
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Chuck Weed**

June 18th

**Jan Jacobi, Author -  
Lincoln and Douglas**

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**RotaCrest Bulletin**

The Crestwood - Sunset Hills Rotary Club met at the Sunset Hills Community Center at 12:00 Noon on March 19, 2025. The meeting opened with the Pledge of Allegiance. There were 13 members in attendance and 2 guests – our speaker Julie Nicolai and Kari Lenz, who is going to be a new member of our club. Kari is the wife of club member Dave Lenz. Welcome, Kari!

John Haasis presided at the meeting.

### **Announcements:**

Next Wednesday is Club Assembly.

We will be inducting two new members into our Rotary Club next week – Kari Lenz and Michael Coulter. Welcome to both, and we are glad to have you in our club.

**Birthday:** No birthday person today. Charlie Wolter will be our birthday person next week.

**Happy Bucks:** George Brand, Jr, Dan Cerone, Jim Simpson

**Raffle:** No raffle was held today. Don Bee was MIA. That gave us a chance to talk about him.

The meeting closed with our Four-Way Test. | Submitted by: Randy Martin

Plant Science Center

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