

# Rotary



## Club of Crossville Noon



### Speakers

**April 03, 2025**

Pam Burris

Kids on the Rise

**April 10, 2025**

Jeff Townsend

Rotary Foundation

### Events

No Events found

### Birthdays

Holly A. Hanson

April 21st

Brian McLaughlin

April 23rd

### Wedding Anniversaries

Oscar A. Perron

April 7th

Charlotte A Goodwin

April 8th

Brock Hill

April 22nd

### Club Officers



Brooke T. Shaffer  
President



Sarah L. Hazelton  
President-Elect



Debbie Albin  
President-Nominee  
Vice President



Ron Cronwell  
Secretary

Tuesday, April 1, 2025

Crossville

Meets at The Crossville Depot Community Room

Time: Thursday at 12:00 PM

## FIRST MOVIE THURSDAY

The first of a series of movies at the Palace Theater, sponsored by the club, will be Thursday night. "Sleepless in Seattle" will be shown starting at 7 p.m. Doors will open at 6 p.m.

The cost is \$5. After getting \$250 to cover the cost of the theater use, the remaining proceeds will go to the club.

Come to the movie and bring lots of friends.

## DANA GAMBY TELLS CLUB ALL ABOUT SCOUTS

What used to be the Boy Scouts of America is now Scouting America.

It's open to both boys and girls.

Club member Dana Gamby is Eagle Creek District executive for the Great Smoky Mountain Council of Scouting America.

Scouting includes Cub Scouts, ages 5 to 12, Scouts BSA, ages 11 to 17, Sea Scouts, ages 14 to 20, Venturing BSA and Exploring Clubs, ages 10 to 20, Dana told the club last week.

Sea Scouts focus on water-related activities, Venturing Scouts focus on real-life adventures and Exploring Scouts focus on real-world activities, she said.

There are also STEM Scouts that focus on labs for science, technology, engineering and math, she added.

The Eagle Creek District includes Cumberland, Fentress, Morgan, Pickett, Roane and Scott counties, Dana said.

It serves 11 Scouting units (troops and packs) with 450 Scouts and 100 volunteers. Cumberland County has four units (three Scout troops and 1 Cub Scout pack), and she's looking to start one more pack, she said. There are 86 kids in the Cumberland County units, she said.

In her job, Dana helps Scouting units recruit Scouts and adult leaders, manages the volunteers and helps with fund-raising, she said.

She said she hopes to raise \$76,500 for the district this year, including \$43,500 for Cumberland County.

If you'd like to help with or contribute to Scouting, contact Dana at [dana.gamby@scouting.org](mailto:dana.gamby@scouting.org).

## FARRAGUT

March 30, 2025

### Rotarians Build 56 Beds for Children in Need

Farragut (#3857)





[Virginia Dyer](#)  
Treasurer



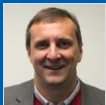
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Officer



### Six clubs join in Build Day for Sleep in Heavenly Peace

More than 130 Rotarians and their families came out to Farragut Community Center on Saturday morning to pitch in and build beds for underprivileged children in Knoxville and everyone had a blast.

The idea for the combined club event surfaced during a recent meeting of Knoxville club presidents, when President **Scott Bertini** suggested this activity as a World Rotary Day service project. As a result, six Rotary clubs – Farragut, Knoxville, Bearden, Knoxville Breakfast, Knoxville Volunteer and Maryville – teamed up with the funds and the people power to support Sleep in Heavenly Peace.

Next Saturday, April 5, members of our club can participate in delivering the new beds to children and their families.

As President Scott said, “The real magic comes next week when we deliver the beds. Seeing the joy in those kids makes it special.”

Past President **Jim O’Brien** remembers this being the fourth build for our club, which has resulted in more than 200 beds built and delivered in the community.

Watch [HERE](#) for TV coverage on WBIR.

Watch several interviews at the event by clicking [HERE](#).