



# ROTA NEWS

Rotary Club of Fairfield Glade

Club - 3856

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Facebook: Rotary Club of Fairfield Glade

## December 2018



December 6 Christmas Party as the first meeting of the month.

### Meetings

Tuesdays Legends at Druid Hills Country Club in Fairfield Glade. Lunch starting at 11:30 a.m., Meeting 12:00 p.m. to 1 p.m.

### Officers

- President - Tessi Gilmer
- Vice President Colleen Mall
- Secretary - Mary Jane Ware
- Treasurer - Bob Weber
- Past President – Jack Williams
- President Elect- Deb Birdsall
- Sgt at Arms - Jack Baggett

### Board of Directors

Officers plus

- Dick Sammer- Service
- Crystal Davis- Membership
- Bill Collins - Foundation
- Tessi Gilmer - Youth Services
- Charles Lusso - Administration
- Jeff Townsend - Public Relations
- Chris Celik - At Large





## Highlights

Christmas Party

Bell ringing for Salvation Army



*A special Gift exchange*



## Future Programs

- Jan 8 T. Shepherd -Christian Counselling of Cumberland County
- Jan 15 Pam Burris-KIDS ON THE RISE
- Jan 22 D. Beatty- Principal of Crab Orchard Elem School
- Jan 29 Mike Williams Public Safety



## Dates to Remember

- Jan 29 Bread of Life Luncheon service  
By volunteers
- March 19 Royal Hounds Concert Palace Theater
- Apr 27 Wine On The Plateau
- Sept 14 Music Festival



## Club Assembly

Up-dates on EAGALA, ROTARACT Crossville, The Rotary Foundation, and The Fairfield Glade Rotary Foundation

EAGALA has one more adult session and then will hold children sessions on Saturdays until March when the Grant will be closed out. Attendance has been about 3 per weekly session. Ideas for sustaining the program are being investigated. Those who participated as clients found the program to very beneficial.

## Rotary Connections

Rotary International

[rotary.org](http://rotary.org)

Rotary District 6880

[rotarydistrict6780](http://rotarydistrict6780)

Rotary Club of Fairfield Glade

[ffgrotary.org](http://ffgrotary.org)

Rotary Club of Fairfield Glade

[facebook](https://www.facebook.com/rotarycluboffairfieldglade)

Must have facebook account to follow info posted weekly

DaCdb data base

[DaCdb](http://DaCdb)

DaCdb user name is your e-mail address

Password is your Rotary ID number shown in membership list

You can edit your own data

The new community based Rotaract Club at Roane State is set up and will be bringing in members in the new year. This is being sponsored by all three Cumberland County Rotary Clubs.

An overview of The Rotary Foundation was given to encourage donations and in particular to encourage members to donate via TRF Direct to reduce work involved in tracking Foundation donations via the club and make it easier for members to make their donations to The Rotary Foundation. The use of QCD (Qualified Charitable Distribution) directly from IRA was also put forward as a great way to make a donation without any taxes on IRA distributions required after age 70 1/2.

The following were elected to fill open Officer/Director positions for 2019-20

President Nominee:	John Kindschi
Sergeant-At-Arms:	Marcie Loffredo
Foundation Chair:	Jeff Townsend
Administration Chair:	Charles Lusso
Youth Chair	: Kennetha Wattenbarger



Len Stark gave us a great Christmas Song to prepare us for The Christmas Season.

Mary Coates, Executive Director Adult Reading Council receiving a donation from Jane Aversa before she spoke about the work of the Council.





Penny Smith receiving donation to Helping Hands Ministry before she spoke on the work they do in the community.



Bob Weber receiving his PHF +5



Ringing Bells at Food City for Salvation Army

