

# Rotary



# Club of Oak Ridge Sunset

## Club Meeting

Oak Ridge Sunset Meets at Emory Valley Center  
723 Emory Valley Road  
Oak Ridge, TN 37830  
Time: Monday at 05:30 PM

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## Speakers

**August 05, 2024**  
District Governor Rob Dansereau  
District Governor's Official Visit

**August 12, 2024**  
Ada Hernández-Bell  
United Way

**August 19, 2024**  
Linda McGhee  
Oak Ridge Senior Center

## Member Birthdays

Alexander Nicoll  
August 5th  
Lawrence Vance  
August 6th

## Announcements

### Club Meetings:

We will be meeting in person at the Emory Valley Center while using the Meeting Owl for a hybrid meeting experience. The door access code is **00890**. District Governor Rob Dansereau will be making his official visit to the Club. Board members should be prepared for a brief board meeting beginning at 5:00PM to discuss Club business with DG Rob.

The Zoom meeting information is below for those that cannot attend in person.

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83764253063?pwd=R1pxT0QxKzFjSjNUb0JSVHIyeThCdz09>

Meeting ID: 837 6425 3063  
Passcode: 124150

## Upcoming Rotary District 6780 Events

There are two important Rotary District 6780 events coming up in August. The first event is the annual Pack the Park to End Polio Now with the Tennessee Smokies on Tuesday, August 6th. This will be the last Pack the Park to End Polio Now at the Smokies Stadium in Kodak as the new stadium being built in Knoxville will open for the 2025 season. The Smokies will be playing the Chattanooga Lookouts with the game starting at 7:00 PM. Tickets are \$15/person, with \$6.50 from each ticket sold going to The Rotary Foundation PolioPlus Fund. Each ticket will also include a \$6.00 stadium credit voucher to be used at concessions or stadium vendors. Please let Devrin know if you will be attending the game, and he will get the game vouchers from the District. Please pay the Club for any tickets.

The second event is the Vibrant Clubs workshop on Saturday, August 10th, at Pellissippi State Community College's Hardin Valley campus in Knoxville. This is an informational half-day (morning only) free event open for Club leaders, committee chairs, and members to learn more about Rotary as it applies to their role and the District. The District is asking attendees to RSVP for the Vibrant Clubs Workshop by using the following link <https://www.IsMyRotaryClub.org/RSVP/Index.cfm?EventID=77762743>.

## Rotary Direct

The Rotary Direct method of giving to The Rotary Foundation is a way to make recurring scheduled contributions. This FAQ document is a resource for anyone interested. [https://www.dacdb.com/Rotary/Accounts/6780/Downloads/79732/rotary\\_direct\\_faq\\_en.pdf](https://www.dacdb.com/Rotary/Accounts/6780/Downloads/79732/rotary_direct_faq_en.pdf)

## Club Mailing Address

If you would like to contribute to the Ukraine Refugee aid, The Rotary Foundation through the Club, or pay dues, the mailing address for the Club is:

The Rotary Club of Oak Ridge Sunset  
969 Oak Ridge Turnpike, PMB 234  
Oak Ridge, TN 37830-8832

## Membership

The service projects are opportunities to invite others to experience how Rotary serves our community. If you know of someone with good moral character and a penchant for serving others, invite them to join us on a project or for a meeting, online or in person. Together we can make a difference.

A fillable PDF version of the [membership proposal form](#) has been uploaded to the Club's public share in DACDB.

## Would you like an announcement in the Sunsetter?

If you have pictures, information, or announcements that you'd like to share with the rest of the club, please email them to **Devrin Kuipers** at [devrin@devrin.com](mailto:devrin@devrin.com).

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August 21st

David G Stanley  
August 25th

### Member Anniversaries

Emily DeJarnett  
08-16-2017  
7 Years

### Club Leaders

**Addison Koella**  
President

**Tricia Jaffery**  
President-Elect

**Devrin A Kuipers**  
Bulletin Editor  
Secretary  
Webmaster

**Maria Calcagno**  
Treasurer

**James Dodson**  
Public Image Chair

**Lawrence Vance**  
Vice President

**Chase Brown**  
Club Admin Chair  
Past President

**Bonnie Hebert**  
Club Membership  
Chair

**Alexander Nicoll**  
Club Rotary  
Foundation Chair

**Emily DeJarnett**  
Club Service Chair

**Sasha Little**  
Club Service Chair  
iPast President

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**Becky Dodson**  
Club Youth Services  
Chair

## Duty Roster

### August 5, 2024

Invocation: Sasha Little  
Greeter: Garrett Little  
Snacks: Emily DeJarnett

### August 12, 2024

Invocation: Jay Mullis  
Greeter: Sasha Little  
Snacks: Jessica Orak

### August 19, 2024

Invocation: Alex Nicoll  
Greeter: Jay Mullis  
Snacks: Bruce Easley

### August 26, 2024

Invocation: Jess Orak  
Greeter: Alex Nicoll  
Snacks: Maria Calcagno

## Vibrant Clubs Workshops - August 10 & August 17

Do you want your club to be a Vibrant Club? What is a Vibrant Club? Are there things you would like to change or improve with your club? Do you have some great ideas your club has that you would like to share?

These are questions many may be asking after receiving an email about Vibrant Clubs. We have a great opportunity for club presidents, presidents-elects, presidents-nominees, Foundation Chairs, Membership Chairs, Public Image Chairs, Youth Chairs, and anyone who would like to learn more or get more involved with your Rotary Club. We have four workshops planned around our district over two weekends to give everyone an opportunity to participate. Come meet fellow Rotarians in your area and work with them to learn more about your club and how to be a more vibrant club.

PLEASE NOTE THAT WE ARE ASKING YOU TO RSVP YOUR INTENTION TO ATTEND THE WORKSHOP SO WE HAVE A HEAD COUNT FOR HANDS OUT, ETC. THE LINK TO RSVP IS NEXT TO EACH LOCATION. THIS IS A DIFFERENT PROCESS THAN REGISTERING AND IS QUITE EASY AND NO SIGN-IN IS REQUIRED. IF YOU HAVE ALREADY RSVP'D, NO NEED TO DO SO AGAIN. THANK YOU.

The first set of workshops will be on Saturday, August 10th from 8:00 am to noon local time. The locations are:

Manchester Conference Center - [RSVP](#)  
147 Hospitality Blvd  
Manchester TN 37355

Pellissippi State Community College - [RSVP](#)  
Goins Auditorium  
10915 Hardin Valley Rd  
Knoxville TN 37932

The second weekend of workshops will be Saturday, August 17, 2024, from 8:00 a.m. to noon local time. The locations are:

Cumberland University - [RSVP](#)  
1 Cumberland Dr  
Lebanon TN 37087

Cleveland/Bradley County Chamber of Commerce - [RSVP](#)  
225 Keith St SW  
Cleveland TN 37311

We hope that you will make plans and bring a team from your club to have an exciting workshop, fellowship with other Rotarians, and learn more about Vibrant Clubs.

Looking forward to great workshops.

Cindy

THIS IS AN IN-PERSON EVENT ONLY.



**District Leaders**



Rob Dansereau  
District Governor



David R. Carroll  
DG-Elect



Deborah Lea Birdsall  
DG-Nominee