

# The

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Exchange Club of Lake Tansi, P.O. Box 58, Crossville, TN 38557  
Club #2359 Div XII TN-KY -- Linda Carothers, Editor  
LTEC meets the 1st & 3rd Fridays of each month at 7:30 AM at the Hiawatha Center

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CAN YOU BELIEVE IT?

WHAT A WINTER WE'VE HAD HERE IN GOOD OLE TENNESSEE.  
I know March isn't here yet, but I have faith.

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February has come and gone and we can only hope the month of March is as mild.

The first meeting in February was a short one, as Jena DeMars took everyone on a tour of the Tennessee College of Applied Technology. I didn't get to make it, but I understand they had a very informative tour of the school and everyone came away impressed at the work they're doing. Thanks Jena for setting that up.

We gained a new member, Susan Dowell. Email, [su-bie@hotmail.com](mailto:su-bie@hotmail.com). Phone no., 301-452-0056. Birthday, 7/7/52, Anniversary, 5/19/79. Husband, Jeffery. Welcome, Susan. I understand she jumped right in and attended the Mid-Winter Conference the very next day in Murfreesboro.

There have been two other new members added, and I'm not sure if I've passed along their information. So, just in case:

Tammy L. Lapp, 231 Timber Trail, Sparta, TN 38583. Phone, 931-256-7729. Email, [archess03@gmail.com](mailto:archess03@gmail.com). Bdate, 3/14/64. Husband, Frank.

Stephanie A. Lilly, 2252 Brewer Road, Crossville, 38572. 931-788-6007.

[Stephanie lilly@signalcenters.org](mailto:Stephanie_lilly@signalcenters.org). Bdate 4/7/59.

## February 17, 2017.

We had two speakers at that meeting. David Giles who is with the Boys Scouts of America and has been for 45 years. He is presently Scout Master of Troop 174. What an impressive resume, and more badges than I could count. It's so great that we have people like him working with our young men of the community. Great job. He has one young man that lacks doing his project in order to become an Eagle Scout. He plans to keep us informed so that we may possibly give the young man some financial support.

Kris Burk of Star Realty spoke to us about the street lights that are being installed on Dunbar Road for our safety. What a great program and if anyone is interested in adopting a light, contact the POA office for further information. A big Thank You to Kris for his continued service to the community.

The Spaghetti dinner has been moved to April 28<sup>th</sup> in order to NOT compete with a gun show in town on the date it was originally planned. I'm sure at the next meeting, or at least the first meeting in April we will be asking for volunteers to help in the preparation and serving. Also, our own Sheriff Casey Cox will be our auctioneer for the bake sale. If you have any NICE silent auction items to donate, please contact either Judi Hartman, Jena DeMars or Linda Carothers. We can either pick them up or you can bring them to one of the meetings.

I had an email from Barb Sullins this week. Barb is having knee problems which seems to go around for folks our age, and is scheduled to have surgery there in Florida on March 31<sup>st</sup>. Please keep her in your thoughts and prayers as she goes through this. Hopefully they will get back to Tennessee shortly afterward.

I tried to find out how the Kopps are doing, but my email came back. But, hopefully they are fine and will be back with us soon.

Betty Quast will be back in town soon and will be having a meeting about our trip in July. Hope everyone is ready and making their plans.

Judi Hartman is having surgery this morning, Feb. 21<sup>st</sup>. Carpal Tunnel, as I understand. We pray things go well with her, and we will be checking in on her to

make sure she's taken care of. I was at the 19<sup>th</sup> Hole yesterday and asked if anyone had heard anything about Judi. They said someone had come in and gotten food for her , so I guess that means she's doing pretty good.

#### MARCH BIRTHDAYS:



Lena Upchurch, 3/19  
Ben Whitson, 3/3

#### ANNIVERSARIES:



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Larry and Jan Robertson 3/19 (And by the way, we miss you Larry)

#### QUOTE FOR THE MONTH:

Heroes represent the best of ourselves, respecting that we are human beings. A hero can be anyone from Gandhi to your classroom teacher, anyone who can show courage when faced with a problem. A hero is someone who is willing to help others in his or her best capacity. **Ricky Martin.**

**SEE YOU AT THE NEXT MEETING, MARCH 3,2017**