

## Once Upon a Time in Randolph County — \$94,000 Raised for Randolph County’s Children!

What a night, Randolph County. On April 18, 2026, more than 200 guests came together at the Randolph County Agricultural Center Event Center for the Gala for the Children 2026 — Once Upon a Time in Randolph County — and together raised over \$94,000 for children and families right here in our community.

The evening was filled with catered dining by Black Powder Smokehouse, three themed sections of silent auction, a spirited live auction, the Revolving Raffle, Rock Paper Scissors, and the Blessing Board — all leading up to the Fund-A-Need moment that brought the whole room together in support of Dolly Parton’s Imagination Library.



The Fund-A-Need was sparked by \$8,000 in matching dollars from our Gala Chairs, Modern Woodmen of America, and a few generous anonymous donors — and Randolph County answered with open hearts and raised paddles.

\$94,000 is more than a number. It is books on doorsteps. It is families supported. It is a child walking into kindergarten ready to read, ready to learn, ready to grow. It is the next chapter — and Randolph County wrote it together.



[Read the Full Recap!](#)

Want to be part of the Gala for the Children 2027? Contact Kim Radcliffe at [kradcliffe@randolphkids.org](mailto:kradcliffe@randolphkids.org) or (336) 629-2128 ext. 112.



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