

# Go Tell Crusade draws thousands

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Thousands of people are coming together for a four-day crusade at the Pulaski County High School football field. Their mission, according to a crusade organizer, “to make it hard for people to go to hell.”

Bob Boon, an organizer of the Greater Lake Cumberland GoTell Crusade in Pulaski County said the Crusade is all about reaching the lost and those who have never been saved.

“You hear a lot of churches having a revival,” Boon said. “Revivals are basically preaching to the church to get their butts in gear. A Crusade is about reaching out to the lost. It’s about helping those who haven’t been saved.”

Boon said that the crusade has been in the works for over a year, more than 40 active churches are participating in the non-denominational event, which was modeled after the Billy Graham crusades that visited major cities across the nation.

“Around 83 percent of people in this county don’t have a church,” Boon said. “Some of them might be ‘de-churched’, meaning they grew up in church but for whatever reason they no longer go. If you’re hurting, dealing with a bad relationship, divorce, addiction, anything; this crusade is for you.”

The crusade began Sunday, with more than 2,500 people present including Somerset Mayor Eddie Girdler and Pulaski County Judge Executive Barty Bullock who shared a few words with the thousands of attendees.

The crusade will run through Wednesday night and according to Boon could see crowds as large as 4,000 or more people.

“We want to make it hard for people to go to hell,” Boon said. “Accepting Jesus Christ is a life changing event that we want everyone to experience.”

The Greater Lake Cumberland GoTell Crusade is being held through Wednesday at the Pulaski County High School football field beginning at 7 p.m. and is free and open to the public.



## Crusade Speaker

Evangelist Rick Gage spoke Sunday night to a crowd of more than 2,500 people during the Greater Lake Cumberland GoTell Crusade at Pulaski County High School.

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