

### **This Week at Rotary —**

United Way Kick-off at the Bridge  
(First United Methodist Church Anniston)  
with Joe Webster, motivational speaker  
Doors open 11:30; buffet 11:45

*No Rotary meeting at Anniston Country Club*



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### **UPCOMING PROGRAMS**

Aug. 21 David McCormack  
CEO, Regional Medical Center

Aug. 28 Jennifer Maddox  
Topic: Trip to India

Sept. 4 The club will not meet.

Sept. 11 Special Program  
Anniston Rotary Birthday Celebration

Sept. 18 Tim Garrett  
ANCDF Site Project Manger  
Topic: Update and future of demil site

### **WEEK OF AUGUST 7**

#### **GUESTS OF MEMBERS:**

Joe Bynum, Raymond James; David Dethrage, Home Realty/Housing Auth. Board; Mayor Gene Robinson; Chirlee Brown, Housing Auth. Admin. Asst; Jennifer Pool, Admin. Asst., Raymond James, guests of Richard Thompson; Jonathan Scott, MetLife, proposed for membership; Kim Curtis, MetLife, guest of Glenn Hurd; Kristen Duncan, Delta Homecare, guest of Jonathan Mosley; Jay Jenkins, Monroe & Jenkins, guest of Cheryl Bragg

#### **GUESTS OF CLUB:**

Speaker, Kathy Dreyer, Board Chairman, Anniston Housing Authority

#### **MAKE-UPS RECEIVED:**

Brock Watkins, Anniston Morning 7/27/12;  
Paula Watkins, Gadsden Rotary 5/10/12

**Total: 65**

### **CONGRATULATIONS TO**

**Kathy Dreyer, New Paul Harris Fellow**

Chartered September 7, 1917

**AT THE MEETING . . . August 7, 2012**



Kathy Dreyer looks in surprise at her husband Richard Thompson as he announces that she is the club's newest Paul Harris Fellow. She was given this honor in recognition of her years of service to the less fortunate at Legal Services and on the board of the Anniston Housing Authority. Kathy was also the speaker at the meeting.



Lucile Bodenheimer and guest, Mayor Gene Robinson



Linda Jenkins and Jan Hurd



Cheryl Bragg, guest Jay Jenkins (standing), and Rusty Hughes



Anne Carruth and Joan Sanders



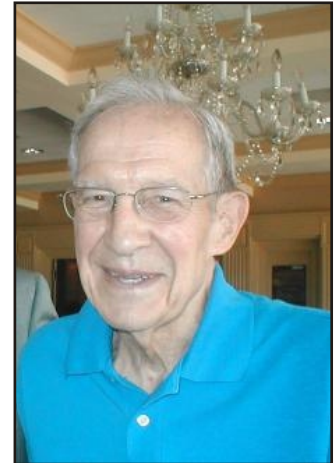
Guests Jennifer Pool and Chirlee Brown



Guest Kristen Duncan and Sheila Gilbert

*In Memoriam*

Thomas G. Coleman, Jr.  
Anniston Rotary Club 1952 - 2012  
President 1958 - 1959



"He made you feel so much better after seeing him. Tom was always a gracious and selfless individual," said Glen Franklin of his friend and fellow Rotarian Tom Coleman, who passed away recently. Tom was the longest term member of the club, 60 years, who, like his father and later his son, served as club president. He was also involved in the community and his church, serving on various committees and boards.

Tom's professional life included banking and the movie theater business. He was in the U.S. Navy in an amphibious boat division.

Tom's commitment to Rotary encompassed many areas, including walking around the park in the first Walk Around the Park held in 2011. Tom, then 84, joined many Rotarians and community members in a walk to raise thousand of dollars for area charities. As Tom said in "Who Is This Rotarian?" (April 19, 2011 issue of *Roto-Pep*), this club has had a very big impact on him at every stage of his life. And Tom has had an enduring impact on the club he cherished as well.

—John Childs