

# ROUND TOWNERS *Review*

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## Meetings Schedule

### Membership Meeting

Monday, August 11 5:30pm – social; 6:15pm – meeting  
Larkin's on the River

### Board Meeting

Monday, August 25 6:00pm – Cheers Food & Spirits

## Upcoming Events

### *Rhythm on the River*

May 15 through  
September 4

### *Beach Ball*

August 23

### *Adopt A Highway*

September 6

### *Euphoria (Southern Exposure)*

September 11-14

### *Art in the Park*

September 19-21

### *Big Dig*

October 3

## Volunteer Opportunities

### Rhythm on the River

Come on down and enjoy the fun every Thursday during the summer! This month's dates are **August 7, 14, 21, and 28**. Please contact **Bill Bowen** at 246 1735 if you want to volunteer or if you have any questions.

### Adopt a Highway (AAH)

The next Adopt-A-Highway is scheduled for **Saturday, September 6**. Volunteers are asked to meet at 9am at the small parking area just south of where Highway 11 crosses over US 25. Water, rubber gloves, pick-up sticks, and lunch will be provided for those who participate. To sign up, call **Ken Somers** at 234 0690 or email him at [adoptahighway@roundtowners.org](mailto:adoptahighway@roundtowners.org).

### Beach Ball

Volunteers are needed for all shifts for the Beach Ball, August 23. In addition, people are needed to set up Thursday, Friday, and Saturday prior to event. Because of the nature of set up, the work required on these days will be more suitable for men. Volunteers who work setup will be given a free ticket to the Beach Ball, which is a \$150 value.

Volunteer Orientation is Tuesday, August 19 at 6:00 pm at the Hartness Estate. Sign-up sheets will be at the July and August meetings. Captains are **Judy Swilley** and **Lisa Hughes**. If you would like to volunteer, please contact Volunteer Coordinator, **Lois Blackwelder**, by calling 275-2159, or by email [loisblackwelder@hotmail.com](mailto:loisblackwelder@hotmail.com).

### Euphoria, A Southern Exposure Experience

The name may have changed, but the experience will remain the same. Euphoria will take place September 11-14. There will be more details available with regard to the event as well as volunteer opportunities at the membership meeting and in next month's newsletter. For more information, please contact **Lisa Hughes**, Volunteer Coordinator, at 864 325 9711 or email her at [firstvp@roundtowners.org](mailto:firstvp@roundtowners.org).

### Art in the Park

The 17th Annual Art in The Park, presented by Upstate Visual Arts, will be held September 19-21 at Fluor Field in the West End. This is the first festival to be held in this location. Volunteers are needed on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday. Sign-up sheets will be available at the July 14 membership meeting. Please volunteer for this festival and support your local arts community by contacting **Penny Jones**, Volunteer Coordinator, at 864 843 3275 or emailing [secondvp@roundtowners.org](mailto:secondvp@roundtowners.org).

### Big Dig

There will be more information on this event at the August membership meeting and in the next edition of the newsletter.

## From the President

A special thanks to all volunteers who braved the hot summer heat to volunteer for Adopt A Highway and Rhythm on the River this past month and also to those who will brave the heat of August to work the Beach Ball and Rhythm on the River. Many of us were looking forward to the Jimmy Buffet party but it has been postponed due to Charles' out of town work schedule. It will be rescheduled in September. Welcome new members, Gail Pang and Susan Nigt, and returning member, Dan Herren. – *Karen Stone*

Quote: *Our lives are not determined by what happens to us but by how we react to what happens, not by what life brings to us, but by the attitude we bring to life. A positive attitude causes a chain reaction of positive thoughts, events, and outcomes. It is a catalyst, a spark that creates extraordinary results.* Anonymous

## Upcoming Social Activities

### *August Social – Two Possibilities*

With the cancellation of the Jimmy Buffet party, there are two alternatives to our August social. The first is scheduled for Thursday, August 14 - the Commerce Club Networking/happy hour. We will meet at 5:45pm in the downstairs lobby (near the red chairs) of the Commerce Club (17<sup>th</sup> floor, One Liberty Square), 55 Beattie Place, Greenville, and enjoy house drinks and a food buffet until 7pm. The activity will be FREE to Cindy Cohn's guests who sign up in advance.

We will meet in the room allocated for the Vintner's Club, Wednesday, August 20, also at the Commerce Club (17<sup>th</sup> floor, One Liberty Square). A selection of wines will be available for sampling as the speaker gives information about them. This event costs \$10 per person and payment (cash or check) must be received by Tuesday, August 19 (the membership meeting would be perfect). There are no refunds once the reservation is made. Call Cindy Cohn, 848-9556 to make your reservation, to get directions and dress code information.

September 29 – 7pm      October 29 – 7pm      November – TBD      December – TBD

## August 2008

RT Events, Meetings, Birthdays, Socials, Holidays

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 <i>Alexandra Walden</i>	2 <i>Valerie Vaillancourt</i>
3	4	5	6	7 Rhythm on the River <i>Betty Shurley</i>	8	9
10	11 <i>Membership Mtg</i>	12	13	14 Rhythm on the River	15	16
17	18	19 <i>Elizabeth Walsh</i>	20	21 Rhythm on the River <i>Lois Blackwelder</i>	22	23 Beach Ball <i>Cindy Moses</i>
24	25 <i>Board Mtg James Cox</i>	26	27	28 Rhythm on the River <i>Kelly Hunter</i>	29	30
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## Meeting News, Event Recap, Announcements

### Membership Meeting – July 14

The Drawing – \$42 – was won by Alexandra Walden  
 Notecards – Ken Somers  
 Fragrance sachet packs – Eddie Plaxco  
 \$25 Larkins Gift Certificates for volunteer activities won by Fran O’Neil and Alan Seale  
 \$25 Larkins Gift Certificate July Birthday winner won by Vera Pickens

Notepad/level – Phil Walden  
 Beer opener – Cindy Cohn  
 Piggy shakers – Dianne McCurley

### Charitable Giving

Our third charitable donation for the year will be to the Cancer Society of Greenville. Joyce Boyette, Director of the Cancer Society, will attend the August 11 Membership Meeting to accept our donation. – *Bill Bowen*

### Information Sharing

“Tell Us About Yourself” is a relatively new feature at RoundTowner meetings and gives up to three members the opportunity to share information in a two minute presentation. If you would like to give a presentation at one of the monthly membership meetings, please let any board member know or contact Stan McKinney by emailing [stanheadman@bellsouth.net](mailto:stanheadman@bellsouth.net) or by calling 864 901 0404.

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