

# Strong Knoxville Chapter

### of the Tennessee Society of CPAs

February 2003

www.tscpa.com/chapter/knoxville

#### Feb. 4 Chapter Events

#### Mini-Seminar

4:00 - 6:00 p.m. Time: Location: City County Building

Speaker: Tom McKay

"Four Roles of Leadership" Topic:

\$10 for members Fee:

\$20 for nonmembers

Subj. Code: M CPE Hours: 2 hours

#### **Chapter Meeting**

Time: 6:00 p.m. - Cash Bar

6:30 p.m. - Dinner Location: Calhoun's on the River Speaker: Anne McKinney, JD

Topic: "Estate Taxes" Fee: No charge for members

\$20 for nonmembers

Subj. Code: T CPE Hours: 1 hour

Menu: grilled lemon chicken, mixed vegetable casserole, Jack Daniels pie

#### Register by Fri., Jan. 31, at noon.

Register online at www.tscpa.com/chapter/knoxville or call 800/762-0272.

Members will be billed for dinner or the mini-seminar when they fail to attend an event without properly cancelling.

#### Proposed Slate of 2003-2004 Officers **Knoxville Chapter Positions**

#### President

Brian Tankersley, Brian Tankersley, CPA, CITP

#### President-Elect

Bryan Dove, Anderson News

#### **VP-Education**

Lee Sherbakoff, The Trust Company

#### **VP-Membership**

Linda Jo Pomerance

Arthur Carpentier, Team Health

Kevin McCollum, Coulter & Justus

#### **Assistant Treasurer**

Mike Heffner, Pugh & Company

#### **Newsletter Editor**

Amy Brasfield Marlow, Van Elkins & Assoc., CPAs

#### Directors-at-Large

Ricky Jackson, Coulter & Justus Doug Arnold, Pershing & Yoakley

#### Finance/Budget Committee

Lee Letsinger, Samuel E. Letsinger, CPA Bill Synder, Bible Harris Smith, PC

#### **Nominating Committee**

Scott Dotson, Croley, Davidson, & Huie Ann Long, Van Elkins & Assoc., CPAs

#### Chapter Representative to the TSCPA BOD

Sam Letsinger, Samuel E. Letsinger, CPA - 07/01/03 - 06/30/05

#### Chapter Representative to the TSCPA State **Nominating Committee**

Karen Hellmund, Van Elkins & Assoc., CPAs -07/01/03 - 06/30/05

#### Council Members (7/1/03 - 06/30/05)

Wes Edmondson, HG & A Associates, PC Van Elkins, Van Elkins & Assoc., CPAs Shirley Harris, Bible Harris Smith, PC Karen Hellmund, Van Elkins & Assoc., CPAs Jim McPhetridge, James L. McPhetridge, CPA

#### **President's Message**



Dear Members,

At our January meeting, Ernie Baugh Jr., CPA gave an outstanding accounting and auditing update to the 177 members present. Special thanks go to George Coode and Becker CPA Review for providing the video projector and screen for the dinner meeting, as well as for numerous past mini-seminars. This service has saved the chapter thousands of dollars over the past few years.

Regarding chapter expenditures, in this newsletter you will see the proposed 2004 budget. Also included is the current list of officer nominations. The chapter budget and officers for fiscal year 2004 will be voted on at the March membership meeting. Please review both of these items and let me know of any questions or concerns you may have.

Last month, I promised to follow-up on some tax season volunteer opportunities. Volunteering yields many rewards. It is more than just giving to others. The volunteer often receives as much or more in return. Such rewards include getting to know fellow professionals, gaining new friends and learning new skills key to your professional development. The Knoxville News Sentinel has asked that chapter members write tax related articles for a Q&A column beginning the first week of February. Also, the PBS station has asked members to man a tax hotline from 4 - 6 p.m. on Feb. 23. If you want to volunteer for either of these opportunities, please e-mail TSCPA Communications Manager Jennifer Goggin at jgoggin@tscpa.com.

I encourage you to take advantage of at least one of these opportunities. If you have any questions, comments or other matters to be addressed by the board, feel free to contact me at doveb@andersonnews.com or 865-584-9765, ext. 1310.

Thank you,

#### Bryan Dove

#### Tom McKay Mini-Seminar Speaker

Tom McKay graduated from the U.S. Naval Academy in 1965 with a degree in engineering. He received his MBA from George Washington University in 1971.

He served as a Marine Corps officer, achieving the rank of captain. He served as executive, manager or sales person for, among others, NCR, AT&T, Corning Glass Works, McQueen & Brown LC and Venture Alliance. He is presently employed as a sales representative for The Business Machines Company of East Tennessee (BMC) in Knoxville. He represents the company in downtown Knoxville. McKay is an experienced, hands-on executive known as a strong, results-oriented manager. The Franklin Covey Company trained him as a facilitator for the "Seven Habits of Highly Effective People," "First Things First" and "Four Roles of Leadership" seminars. He is married to Erline McKay, an artist and member of The Foothills Craft Guilde. They have four sons, three daughters-in-law and three grandchildren.

#### Anne McKinney, JD Chapter Meeting Speaker

Anne M. McKinney is an attorney who concentrates her practice in matters of taxation, estate planning and probate.

McKinney has served as adjunct associate professor of law in estate planning and wealth transfer tax at the University of Tennessee College of Law, and formerly served as adjunct professor in business law at the University of Tennessee Undergraduate School.

McKinney has 25 years of legal and tax experience and currently has her own law firm, Anne M. McKinney, PC. She previously served as an estate and gift tax attorney with the Internal Revenue Service. McKinney lectures frequently before professional and civic groups on the subjects of estate planning and taxation, personal motivation and success. She co-authored Estate Planning

McKinney graduated from the University of North Carolina School of Law, and received her undergraduate degree from Duke University.

She lives in Knoxville, Tenn. with her husband, Michael, her son, Rand, two Siamese cats and an occasional stray.

Note: Tennessee certifies specialists in Estate Planning. Anne McKinney is not certified as a specialist.



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Knoxville Chapter Meeting	Tues., Feb.	4, 2003						
TO FAX: Fax this page with mailing label intact to 615/377-3904 by 12:00 noon on Friday, Jan. 31. Make corrections for our files as necessary on the mailing label.								
NOTICE OF CANCELLATIONS: If you must cancel, please do so by 5 p.m. the Friday before the meeting, or you will be charged a fee.								
I will attend (please check all that apply):	☐ Mini-seminar	☐ Dinner						
Special Diet Requirements:								
I am bringing guest(s):								
PRINT name(s) for nametag(s) (if different from label above):								

Register by Internet or Fax

Make your meeting reservations via the Internet at https://www.tscpa.com/\_forms/chapters/knoxvillereservations.htm. For reservations by phone, call TSCPA at 800/762-0272.

## Knoxville Chapter Officers and Directors

Bryan Dove, CPA, President

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**Kevin McCollum, CPA,**Assistant Treasurer

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Mike Heffner, CPA, At-Large

# TSCPA Knoxville Chapter Proposed Budget For the Year Ending March 31, 2004

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Revenues:  Membership Dues Meeting Revenue - Guests CPE Revenue Golf Tournament Receipts Special Projects Interest Income Total Revenue	Expenses: Reservations Director Door Prizes Speakers & Other Gifts Meals	Newsletter Printing & Supplies Convention Expense Scholarships	CPE Costs CPE Revenue Sharing - UT CPE Revenue Sharing - CNC CPE Revenue Sharing - ETSU	Meetings - Board of Directors Technology Costs Bank Charges CPE Committee Finance Committee Public Relations Committee Nominating Committee	Services to Small Businesses Golf Tournament Expenses Special Projects Committee Taxation Committee Young CPAs Committee Committee Day Total Expenses	Net Income (Loss) or Over (Under) Budget