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TULSA HOSTS ADDC REGION VI MEETING – APRIL 27-30, 2017



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Have you ever wanted to get a close up view of one of those massive windmills that line the highways and countryside in many states? Have you ever wanted to know more about how dams work and how the water is used to produce energy? **NOW IS YOUR CHANCE!**

There are still a few vacant seats on the vans that will transport many lucky members to one of two field trips during the Region Meeting weekend. Don't miss out! The deadline is near, so sign up for one of these and many other fun and educational adventures.

Remember, the price goes up on April 7th, so get your registration in **NOW!** See information about an easy online registration form on page 4.

Bring a spouse or friend and join us for all the fun! See you there!!

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Region VI Meeting
 Tulsa, Oklahoma
 April 27-30, 2017



62nd Annual Region VI Meeting held April 27th through April 30th in Tulsa, Oklahoma. We will gather at a relaxing, peaceful venue at the Postoak Lodge. The Lodge is set on 1,000 wooded acres and located 5.7 miles north of downtown Tulsa. Friday evening will be a fun-filled Social at the Lodge. We plan to offer BBQ dinner, human foosball, volleyball, bonfire and a cash bar.

A Geology Certification Seminar will be offered and led by Dr. Norman Hyne.



And you will hear from two interesting speakers on Saturday.



Osage Windmill Farm with a stop for lunch at Grill 125 and shopping at The Pioneer Woman Mercantile in Pawhuska.



GRDA Pensacola Dam with a stop for lunch at an Amish farm in Choteau.



How to Register:

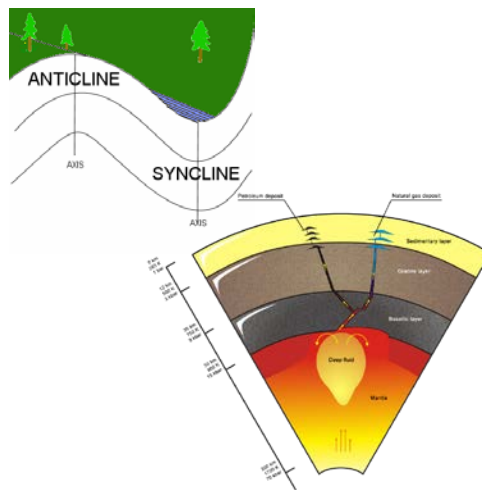
View the Registration Packet and mail in the forms, or register online (NEW). See our Special Events page. <http://www.tulsadandd.net/special-events/>.

SPECIAL CERTIFICATION SCHOLARSHIP

It's been awhile since we connected. I wanted to reach out to you and make you aware of this opportunity to attend the Geology course on April 27 during Region Meeting. I thought you might have time to enjoy the educational experience and fellowship with other members, including lunch, at no cost to you. See flyers attached. *Are you interested?*

Best regards,
 Jonathan Slay

There are (2) \$75 Scholarships available to members of Region VI for the Geology Certification Course in Tulsa, OK at Postoak Lodge on Thursday, April 27. If interested, please contact: Jonathan Slay at: President@tulsadandd.net



Geology – the study of the history of the earth especially in regards to rocks

Geology is one of the most important aspects in the exploration of oil and gas.

Become a more knowledgeable petroleum industry employee - learn more about geology.

Members: \$75.00
 Non Members: \$75.00

THURSDAY, APRIL 27 2017 ADDC REGION VI CERTIFICATION PROGRAM

The Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs of Region VI are proud to offer the 2017 certification program covering the subject of geology. This year's program will be presented by Dr. Norman Hyne, professor of Petroleum Geology at University of Tulsa. Class will be held from 9am – 4pm. Lunch Provided. Post Oak Lodge, Oak Room.

GREATER KNOWLEDGE
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Mr. J. Ford Brett, CEO of

PetroSkills

presents

DEEPWATER HORIZON – Courage in the Gulf

APRIL Luncheon Meeting

Wednesday, April 12, 2017
at 11:30 a.m.

The Summit Club

15 W. 6th Street

31st Floor of BOA Building

Downtown Tulsa

***Free Parking**

Luncheon Includes: Buffet, Tea,
Coffee & Dessert

NOW ACCEPTING CREDIT CARDS!

Cost:

Members-\$27

Non-Members-\$32

Make your reservations

NO LATER THAN

5:00 p.m. on Friday, APRIL 7th.

reservations@tulsadandd.net

GOOD NEWS! You may
now reserve your spot for the
luncheon and pay [online!](#)

***Parking garage entrance off
Boulder. Get ticket and have it
validated at check-in.**

**If you have need for CE
hours, please inquire at
check-in or email:**

deejansen142@gmail.com

Mr. Ford Brett is recognized worldwide as a leader in the area of Petroleum Project and Process Management. A registered Professional Engineer and a certified Project Management Professional, Mr. Brett has consulted in over 32 countries on five continents. Formerly, Mr. Brett worked with Amoco Production Company where he specialized in drilling projects in the Bering Sea, North Slope of Alaska, Gulf of Mexico, offshore Trinidad and Wyoming.

He has received many honors, including the 2000 Crosby Medallion for Global Competitiveness by the American Society for Competitiveness for its work in “global competitiveness through quality in knowledge management, best practices transfer, and operations improvement.” For his work on improved drilling techniques he was also honored in 1996 with a nomination for the National Medal of Technology, the US Government’s highest technology award.

In 2010, he advised the US Department of Interior as one of seven reviewers of the “30 Day Study” immediately following the BP Gulf of Mexico Tragedy, and in 2011-2012 he served on the National Academy Committee to advise the US Bureau of Safety and Environmental Enforcement (BSEE), charged with evaluating the Effectiveness of Safety and Environmental Management Systems for Outer Continental Shelf Oil and Gas Operations.

Mr. Brett has authored or co-authored over 30 technical publications, and has been granted over 30 US and International patents - including several patents relating to elimination of “Drill Bit Whirl” (which the Oil and Gas Journal Listed as one of the 100 most significant developments in the history of the petroleum industry). In 1999 the Society of Petroleum Engineers honored him as a Distinguished Lecturer. He served on the SPE International Board of Directors 2007 to 2010 where he served as Drilling and Completions Technical Director. Mr. Brett holds a BS in mechanical engineering and physics from Duke University as well as an MS in Engineering from Stanford University and an MBA from Oklahoma State University.

Members and guests **must** make a reservation for meal functions. Please RSVP to the Contact Chairperson @ reservations@tulsadandd.net **OR** [online](#) no later than the Friday prior to the meeting. Members may attend the meeting only – no meal, for no fee, but **please** do let the Contact Chairperson know ahead of time.

All attendees need to make a reservation.



IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS

UPDATED

Announcing our new Online Membership Application!

We are pleased to announce that you can now renew your membership or you and/or friends can join the Desk and Derrick Club of Tulsa and pay your membership dues online with a credit card.

Save a stamp and join here: [Join Tulsa D&D](#)

But that's not all Folks!

A similar RSVP feature is also available for our monthly meetings. You will be able to reserve your seat at the meeting by paying your luncheon fee online.

Check it out here: [Luncheon RSVP](#)

And last, but not least ...

... if you haven't registered for the upcoming Region VI Meeting, you can now register for all **OR** part of it with just a few easy clicks.

Register NOW: [Region Registration](#)

Mayfest Fossil Dig canceled!

Just an update on what is happening at the *Tulsa Geoscience Center*. Our landlord, Stewart Price, rented out the 3rd floor where we are located and is having us move to the 2nd floor. This move will involve a lot of work and starts next week. We have to be completely moved out by June 1.

Unfortunately, this interval includes the Tulsa Mayfest time. We will have to pass up the sand dig this year, but will entertain it again next year. During the fall we will be doing a gold dig at our Tulsa State Fair booth. We will not need D&D help this spring, but would like help during the fair.

We would also like to have a D&D open house on a fall Saturday to show off our new facilities.

Please thank everyone for all the help they have given us.

Norm Hyne

Editor's note: Please consider volunteering some of your time to assist with the move, if needed. More info to come.



PRESIDENT'S LETTER



Desk and Derrick Club of Tulsa

Dear Members,

I hope this letter finds you well. April is a very exciting month for our club! In addition to a terrific April luncheon speaker, we have two field trips and a geology one-day course planned during our annual Region Meeting at the end of the month. We are also looking for a few new volunteers to get involved.

April Luncheon:

Please join us for lunch on Wednesday, April 12 to hear Mr. Ford Brett speak about the BP oil spill, Deepwater Horizon (see page 2). This will be an informative and interesting environmental topic you don't want to miss.

Use our new online registration system to breeze through the registration table's line by registering in advance (pay now or pay at the door). Visit the Meeting Info page and click to Pay Online: **See page 4 for Luncheon RSVP Link.** You are also welcome to RSVP by sending an email to: reservations@tulsadandd.net (RSVP by Friday, April 7)

Membership Drive:

Free groceries! March is our Membership Drive, so please reach out to a few acquaintances before the April luncheon, and you will have a strong chance at winning a Reasor's gift card if they join.

Abbreviator:

The ADDC is revising the Abbreviator publication this year, so please contact Gaye Marrs if you or your company would participate in adding new acronyms to this valuable resource.

Region Meeting:

We are ramping up for our Region Meeting and are excited to get to host the event this year. Registration ends on April 6, so please visit our Special Events webpage and check it out by then. We have a few slots available on our geology course, wind farm tour and river dam tour, as well as a few rooms left at the Postoak Lodge. Please consider joining Tulsa and region members by staying overnight at this beautiful location.

See page 4 for Region Registration Link.



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Volunteer Opportunities:

I recognize that seasons change for volunteer availability and I wanted to offer a few opportunities to get involved as little or much as you prefer. We currently need:

Contact Chair: check one email box twice per month to count RSVPs for monthly luncheons.

Cashier: smile and collect payments at the registration table at 11:15 during luncheons.

Secretary: add comments to the meeting agenda at luncheons and board meeting, file motions in our cloud drive.

Director: As a board member, be a part of driving decisions that help achieve our club's mission.

Board Assistant: Help us in the month of April with various tasks to make Region Meeting successful. Only a 1-month commitment!

I'd love to work with several new chairs and board members this year and help you take ownership of **your** club. Thanks for considering giving even one hour per month of your volunteer time to make D&D great.

Best regards,
Jonathan Slay
President

IMMEDIATE OPENING

The Tulsa Oil Drop Editor is seeking 1-2 amateur photographer(s) to take pictures at all D&D of Tulsa functions. Please contact Kay Williams at kwms53@yahoo.com for more info or to apply.



Desk and Derrick Club of Tulsa

2017 Officers and Chairs

VOLUNTEERS STILL NEEDED

Officers/Board

President	Jonathan Slay
Vice-President	Jill Klein
Secretary	OPEN
Treasurer	Alesia Bailey
Director 2016-2017	OPEN
Director 2017-2018	Pam Sanders
Director 2017-2018	OPEN
Parliamentarian	Kay Williams

Standing Committees

Bulletin	Kay Williams
Bylaws	Val Bode
Contact	OPEN
Convention	Jill Klein
Education	Pam Sanders
Membership	Kay Williams
Orientation	OPEN
Program	BOARD MEMBERS
Public Relations	OPEN
Roster/Website	Val Bode
Social	OPEN

Special Committees

Abbreviator	Gaye Marrs
ADDC Awards	OPEN
ADDC Nominating	Cheryl Wootton
Student Outreach/Scholarship	Pam Sanders
Fundraising	OPEN
Golf Tournament	Kathy Farris
Historian	OPEN
Industry Appreciation Luncheon (IAL)	Jill Klein
Nominating	<i>Board Elects in August</i>
Scrapbook	OPEN
Tally	OPEN
Vision	Laura Louser



March Presentation Recap

When did Turning to the Right... Become Horizontal?

Conventional to Unconventional Drilling

as presented by Kristie Luchtel Ferguson

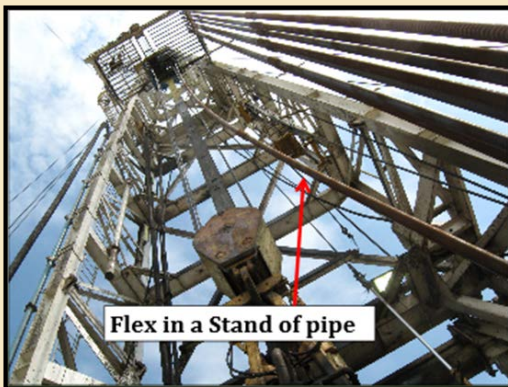
by Kay Williams

At **3x the cost** of drilling a vertical well, why would any company opt to drill a horizontal? The simple answer is.... **10X the production!**

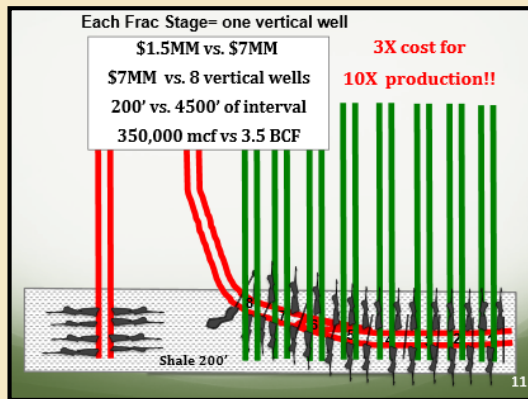
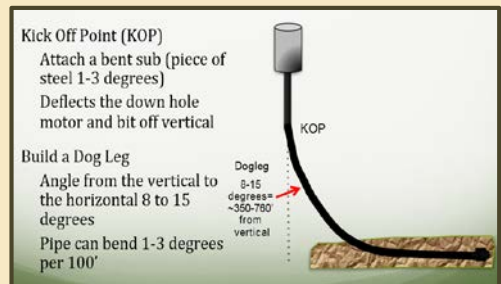
“A horizontal plan must be designed before the well is spud.”

The entry point and landing point (called the “heel”) and the estimated total depth (called the “toe”) must first be determined.

So how do you bend a 30’ piece of steel drill pipe to reach the target? Kristie explained that due to the length of the pipe, it can actually be quite flexible. As a matter of fact, the drill pipe can bend 1-3 degrees every 100’ naturally. When tripping in hole (TIH), secure blocks are attached to the pipe to prevent it from bending until the drill bit reaches the point where the angle needs to begin (called the kick of point or KOP).



cement is pumped down the inside of the pipe until it comes up and around the outside of the pipe.



60+ frac stages and each frac stage equals one vertical well. It can take a frac crew 3 days to 3 weeks to frac one well.

So WHY horizontal drilling?

1 vertical well costs \$1.5 MM
1 horizontal w/8 fracs costs \$7MM
(= 8 vertical wells)

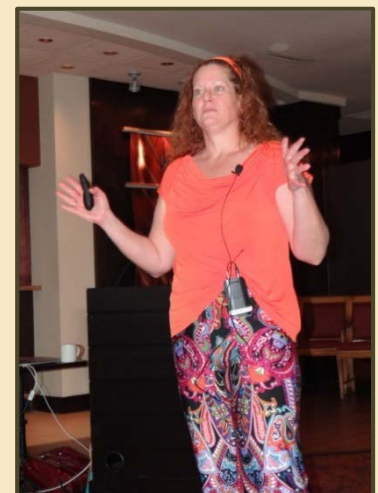
You do the math!

Once the cement is set, the well is prepared for fracking. The frac crew lowers perforation guns into the casing, the guns are then detonated from the surface through the casing and into the rock, causing hairline fractures. These fractures allow the fluids to flow more efficiently. After removing the gun, a plug is set. This process is called a Frac Stage. The gun is lowered again, and the process is repeated.

After the final frac stage is completed, the crew will drill the plugs out and flow the wellbore. A horizontal well can have

Drilling Terms

- Pilot hole
- Kick off point
- Milling out, Whipstock and the Bent Sub
- Directional Surveys- TVD, VS, MD (what are the differences?)
- Build Rate to Dog Leg
- Landing a well
- Lateral Length
- Toe vs. Heel



A special thanks to Kristie for allowing us to share some of her slides.



Strike a Pose



Tulsa Mayor,
Mr. G.T. Bynum



Presentation of Proclamation
"Desk and Derrick Club of Tulsa
Awareness Month"



Mayor Bynum and
Club President,
Jonathan Slay



March Speaker
Kristie Luchtel Ferguson



← **What is this?**

If you think you know, send your
guess to kwms53@yahoo.com.
First 5 correct answers wins a
prize at the 4/12 meeting!



SPOTLIGHT

New Member Pinning





UPCOMING EVENTS



Desk and Derrick Club of Tulsa

2017 Dates to Remember

UPDATED

BOARD MEETING

April 3rd
May 1st
June 5th
July 3rd
July 31st
September 5th
October 2nd

October 30th
December 4th

MEMBERSHIP MEETING

April 12th
May 10th
June 14th
July 12th
August 9th
September 13th
October 11th

November 8th
December 13th

MEAL/FUNCTION

Lunch – speaker, Ford Brett
Lunch – speaker, James Schiefer
Lunch – speaker, Barbara Denson
Lunch
Dinner Summer Social
Lunch – speaker, Tanya Fraley
Lunch/Orientation/Elections
(Closed meeting)
Lunch/Industry Appreciation
Dinner Social/Installation

SPECIAL MEETINGS

2017 Region VI Meeting: April 27-30, 2017 in Tulsa, OK ***Volunteers STILL needed!***

66th Annual ADDC Convention: September 20-23, 2017 in San Antonio, TX

Invite a friend to attend our Apr. 12th meeting.



TULSA IS HOSTING
2017 REGION VI MEETING
April 27-30, 2017

Arrangements are nearly completed!
But we could still use some help!

Current Committee Chairs: **UPDATED**

GAC	Jonathan Slay
Recording Secretary	OPEN
Finance	Jill Klein
House	Jonathan Slay
Program/Reg. Packets	Gay Wheeler (<i>committee: Vicki B</i>)
Publicity	OPEN
Hospitality	Dorothy Lenhart (<i>committee: Val B, Kris R, Beth H, Beth J</i>)
Registration	Val Bode (<i>committee: Kris R, Pam S, Kay W</i>)
Entertainment	Gaye Marrs (<i>committee: Marilyn T, Kathy F</i>)
Printing	Vicki Barnes (<i>committee: Kay W</i>)
Field Trips	Beth Johnson (<i>committee: Gay W</i>)
Sponsorships	Kay Williams/Vicki Barnes (<i>committee: Jill Klein</i>)

We **STILL** need **VOLUNTEERS** to help make this Region meeting a success. Please contact the Chairman listed above for the committee on which you would like to serve.

Come help us share Tulsa's great Oil and Gas History!



Special Invitation



62nd Annual Region VI Meeting Hosted by the Desk and Derrick Club of Tulsa April 27-30, 2017

Region VI Director Wendy Sparks and the members of Desk and Derrick Club of Tulsa proudly extend an invitation to each of you to join us for the **62nd Annual Region VI Meeting** held **April 27th through April 30th** in Tulsa, Oklahoma. We will gather at a relaxing, peaceful venue at the POSTOAK Lodge and Retreat.



The Region VI Meeting will be filled with excitement and many aspects you will never forget. Attendees can gain knowledge through a Geology Certification Seminar and will hear from two interesting speakers on Saturday.

Registration, hospitality and hotel check-in will be available from 4:00 P.M. – 6:30 P.M. on Thursday, April 27th. Zipline tours are available daily and can be arranged by calling Postoak's front desk at (918) 425-2112. On Thursday evening, we will gather and enjoy a dutch treat meal at The Rusty Crane restaurant in downtown Tulsa. Friday field trips have been scheduled to visit: (1) Osage Windmill Farm with a stop for lunch at Grill 125 and shopping at The Pioneer Woman Mercantile in Pawhuska or (2) Grand River Dam Authority Pensacola Dam with a stop for lunch at an Amish farm in Choteau. Friday evening will be a fun-filled Social at the Lodge. We plan to offer BBQ dinner, human foosball, volleyball, bonfire and a cash bar.

The entire Registration Packet, including a printable Registration Form, can be found [here](#). For your convenience, *Club Members can register and pay online [here](#)*, or click [here](#) for guest registration. Registration fee includes the Friday evening Social, the Saturday Industry Appreciation Luncheon, the Awards Banquet, as well as snacks. This packet contains hotel information and more details about all the activities.



The hotel accommodations are at POSTOAK Lodge and Retreat, 5323 W. 31st Street North, Tulsa, Oklahoma. (918) 425-2112. The Lodge is set on 1,000 wooded acres and located 5.7 miles north of downtown Tulsa. Hotel-style room options include either one queen bed or two double beds

for the cost of \$109 per night (plus tax). Rooms hold up to 2 guests and include a refrigerator and microwave in the common area. This rate includes two continental breakfasts per room. Be sure to ask for the Desk and Derrick Club of Tulsa rate when making your reservation.

**IT'S NOT TO LATE!
Register NOW for all
or part of the event**
**Online Registration
now available, and
is SO EASY!**

Please NOTE:

Embedded links ([here](#)) are not active in this publication.

Please refer to the special link on page 4.

No Member Password required.

Rooms are limited! Make your reservation TODAY!



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March 2017

Dear friends and fellow members,

Happy Desk and Derrick Awareness month!! Each year, as members, we try to make our communities, coworkers, and employers aware of just how important our Association is in educating the world about energy. We need to broaden our reach. Last year we started allowing anyone with an interest in the energy industries to join ADDC. We need to follow that up by introducing ourselves to those people. Reach out to your local papers, radio stations, news agencies, or colleges; anywhere you might think there might be interested parties. One of the things the Public Relation / Trade Show Committee has been tasked with this year is to find a PR Firm for the Association. Until then, it is up to us to be our own promoters. I challenge each of you to spread the word about ADDC to 3 people this month: 1 person at your office, 1 person in your community and 1 random person that you think might be interested. Even with our low numbers, if we each reach out to 3 people – we will have told over 5,000 people about Desk and Derrick. If we can get even 6% of those people to join or even spark their interest, our numbers could be over 2,000 again in no time.

We need to focus on more than recruiting new members; we need to retain our current members. ADDC was affected by the downturn in our industries, and we lost many members. As the industry experiences the upswing, we will reach out to our former members and bring them back. We will provide more educational opportunities for our members. We will show our employers the advantages of having a member of ADDC as an employee. By doing all of these things, we can strengthen our Association from within.

The minutes from Budget & Planning are now available on the ADDC Website, as is the 2017 ADDC Budget. You will notice that for the second year in a row we are presenting an unbalanced budget. As our numbers dwindle, we are losing our primary source of revenue. You will see in the report of the Rules committee that the Board is proposing six bylaw amendments. For the most part they are a result of the unbalanced budget. We will be asking for a dues increase. To many of us this will seem to be a large increase, and it is larger than anything we have requested from membership in the past. There is a reason behind our request. Even when this passes, we will still be operating at a deficit, and keep in mind it will not go into effect until 2018. The additional revenue will help us keep afloat for a few additional years, but it is not the complete resolution of our financial difficulties. The board is seriously looking into other sources of revenue. We started by investing some of our funds in 2015, again this is not a quick fix. An Ad-Hoc committee, formed at B&P, is looking into creating advertising packages that can become a serious revenue stream.

What's the point behind all of this? We believe in ADDC. We want to continue the legacy left to us by Inez Awty Schaffer. If we all work together we can ensure that ADDC will thrive for another 68 years.

Until next month,

Maggi Franks



Region VI Director's Newsletter



Wendy Sparks
Region VI Director

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Butler County

Casi Nichols
Enid

Pam Hitz
Great Bend

Kay McKinley
Liberal

Michelle Burgard
OKC

Jackie Shaver
Red Earth

Jonathan Slay
Tulsa

Abby Bock
Wichita

Region VI Members,

I am very excited that our Region Meeting packets are live on the <http://www.tulsadandd.net/special-events/> and have been mailed out to the Presidents. Get your registrations forms in and your reservations made! I am happy to report that we have already had to open up another cabin because we have booked what we reserved. I'm so excited for the geological credentials class, two educational field trips, and a bonfire on Friday night!

Please remember to get your credentials forms in to me and Tammy Garth (tammy.garth70@yahoo.com), Registrar Region Representative, NO LATER than MARCH 15, 2017. If we do not have these on file, your club will not be eligible to vote.

CLUB SALES...If you are planning to have items for sale at the Region Meeting and the items will have the ADDC, D&D, etc. logo, please go to the ADDC website, fill out the club sales approval form and get it to me as soon as possible so I may get board approval. If not using the logo, please fill out the same form and submit to me for approval.

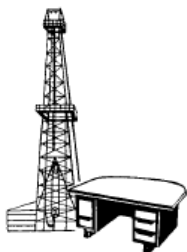
Hopefully everyone has turned in their region dues to Jamie Sabata (jamie.sabata@gmail.com) and their membership transmittals to ADO. The Association dues are \$45 and the Region dues are \$4 per member.

Rules committee deadline for proposed bylaw changes/amendments to be submitted to the delegates at the 2017 ADDC Convention is WEDNESDAY, MARCH 1, 2017.

Please check the ADDC website for other region meetings you might be interested in attending! This would be a great way to network all across the country.

Regards,

Wendy Sparks



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Good afternoon ADDC Board and Members; Welcome to spring.

2017 is moving by very quickly, winter is turning to spring in many places and with the season change comes longer days and longer times to enjoy being outside enjoying creation and the warmer weather and sunshine.

The ADDC Regional meeting schedule heats up in March as meetings will be finalized. Region II meeting will take place at the end of March. I know that the Region II meeting will be a stellar success. I hope everyone in Region II is making plans to attend.

Membership renewals are coming in at a steady pace to ADO and are being processed. I appreciate all clubs efforts to get their renewals in by the deadline of February 28th, 2017. If you miss the deadline, do not fear, ADO will accept renewals on a continuing basis so encourage all clubs to stress to their membership the importance of membership renewal and the benefits of ADDC as the leading education and networking organization within the Energy and allied industries.

I am looking forward to working in organizational development this year and am looking into ideas of ways to continue to grow the ADDC on a continuing basis. If anyone has any suggestions to this end please call or email me with those suggestions. If we all work together we will have great and strong ADDC for years to come.

Please be sure to submit your club program report timely each month to your Regional Program representative. ADO keeps a record of all of these reports. They are needed as proof to the I.R.S. that the ADDC is maintaining educational programs as required for our 501c6 classification.

If you have any questions regarding the completion of the program report form, please contact your regional program representative or ADO. I will be happy to assist in any way I can.

Enjoy your St. Patrick's Day and I look forward to seeing and speaking with all of you during the year.

Let's keep ADDC Great

Sincerely;

Mark Loch
ADO Manager
ADDCC



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We have successfully assembled a full roster for the 2017 Technology Committee. **Thank you for continuing your service or for stepping up!** The 2017 Technology Committee is:

Maggi Franks	Board Contact
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Angelina Perry	Region I Representative
Ryan Masterson	Region II Representative
Sarah Hulin	Region III Representative <i>Facebook</i> Support
Sheryl Minear	Region IV Representative
Jan Starnes	Region V Representative
Anna Lewis-McBeth	Region VI Representative
Christina Forth	Region VII Representative
Mark Loch	ADO Manager

I have been busy updating the *Board* page (<https://www.addc.org/about/board>); the *Directories* page (<https://www.addc.org/members/addc-directories>); the *Regions and Clubs* pages (i.e., <https://www.addc.org/about/regions-and-clubs/region3>); and the Region I, Region II, and Region VI websites (i.e., <http://addc-region1.org/about.htm>) to reflect the recent changes in leadership. More updates to the *Directories* page (<https://www.addc.org/members/addc-directories>) are on the horizon. Please continue to check this page for updated information.

We have another regional website soon coming out of our group—the recently approved Region 7 website (<http://addc-region7.org>)! Stay tuned for news about the rollout of this new website.

In December, I created a new Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs *YouTube* channel (<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC0OmMglzHF53xuU7RI29LIA>) and a new *Videos* page (<https://www.addc.org/videos>) and navigation for the Association website. Please continue to check these areas for newly added informational and educational videos.

As always, should you require information or assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Best regards,

Wayne Ammons
2017 Technology Committee Chair



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April 2017

Dear friends and fellow members,

I hope by now you have received information on both the Convention Registration Award Program, and the Proposed Bylaw Amendments. They are both posted on the website and have been sent out to club presidents.

As part of the Award Program, 3 registrations will be given out. Clubs are divided into three groups by size. The Small group consists of clubs with 1-20 members, the Medium group 21-35 members, and the Large group 36 and above. Send your completed entries to Mark Loch at ADO. The deadline for completed entries is April 30th. Then one winner will be selected in each group. The winning clubs will then select the member from their club to receive the registration credit. The criteria for the club entries, and suggested ways to select a winning member are included in the Award form. I urge every club to take advantage of this program. What a great way to get another member hooked on conventions!

When it comes to the Proposed Bylaw Amendments, I'm not going to sugar coat it; the Board is proposing some major changes. At Budget & Planning, we discussed the future of the Association. We firmly believe that these changes are necessary to ensure the future of the ADDC. Keep in mind that we are no longer the same organization we were in 1949. We have grown, we have changed. The world has changed around us. We need to keep moving forward with the world, or we will fade away with the past. These are not proposed for the sake of change, but to aid in the survival of the Association. Please take time to review and really think about each of these proposed amendments. Discuss them at your meetings and at your regional meetings. Ask questions. Propose solutions. Just think.

I was fortunate to be able to attend the Region II meeting. Jan Bell chaired a fantastic meeting, and the members of the Olney club hosted an amazing weekend. The discussions during open forum left me with much to think about, and relay to the Association. I will be reporting to the board some items brought to my attention during this meeting. I enjoyed the education, the discussions, and the camaraderie I found at this meeting. I encourage everyone to attend a regional meeting other than their own. Each has its own unique spin on our shared goal – *Great Knowledge – Greater Service*.

Until next month,

Maggi Franks



Region VI Director's Newsletter

**Wendy Sparks**

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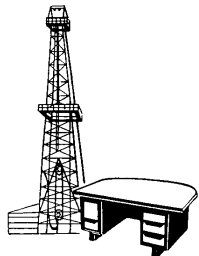
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Region VI Members,

The registrations are trickling in for our Region meeting in Tulsa, OK at Post Oak Lodge. The link to register online is <http://www.tulsadandd.net/special-events/>. Also, these have been emailed to your President. Dr. Hyne is teaching our Geology Credentials class and if you have never heard him, you are in for a treat. This is a great way to learn more about our industry! Remember, the deadline to register for the Region Meeting is **APRIL 6, 2017** (without a late fee).

CLUB SALES...If you are planning to have items for sale at the Region Meeting and the items will have the ADDC, D&D, etc. logo, please go to the ADDC website, fill out the club sales approval form and get it to me as soon as possible so I may get board approval. If not using the logo, please fill out the same form and submit to me for approval.

I am still waiting on several clubs to turn in their 2016 Region Dues. These are calculated based on the number of members in your club at December 31, 2016. Region dues are \$4 per member.

Good news! All of the Region VI clubs have turned in their credentials and will be eligible to vote. The Delegate/Alternate meeting will be held in the Executive Lodge in the breakout room. The dress for this is casual. The business meeting is business attire and the Saturday banquet is evening attire. The Friday night event at the pole barn will be outdoors! Although we will have a bonfire, I would wear/bring something warm.

MAY 15, 2017 is the due date to return your club's Tax Exempt form. Please contact me if you have questions.

Please check the ADDC website for other region meetings you might be interested in attending! Niagara Falls, NY for Region 1, Corpus Christi, TX for Region VI or Grand Prairie Alberta, Canada to name a few! This would be a great way to network all across the country.

Regards,

Wendy Sparks



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Good afternoon ADDC Board and Members; spring has sprung.

I hope this letter finds you doing well and enjoying the warmer weather and beauty of the spring season.

Regional meetings have begun, thus far, Region II has held their meeting in Terre Haute, Indiana and it was a huge success. I hope that everyone gets a chance to attend your respective region meeting as well as possibly attending an additional Region meeting with a region of your choice. Networking and socializing across regions is a great way to enhance your experience with ADDC.

Membership renewals continue to come in and are being processed by ADO. If your club has not yet submitted your 2017 Renewal forms and dues please do so as soon as possible. ADO will be sending new membership pins to clubs that have sent in new member applications with their renewals. ADO has assured that the address and phone number on the ADDC brochures has been updated and the brochures are available for use by all of our clubs. If you have an occasion and opportunity to have a presence at a chamber of commerce event, trade show etc. please let ADO know and I will make sure you have brochures to display and hand out to potential new members. Remember ADDC membership is open to all individuals within the energy and allied industries as well as anyone interested in learning more about the energy industry. Working together we will all be able to assure that the ADDC will GROW, GROW, GROW!!

Our industry is beginning to recover from the last downturn. It is my hope and prayer that this recovery continues and that each and every one of you are able to enjoy the payoff of the recovery of our industry and that your respective companies truly see, through the work each and every one of you perform, the value of membership in ADDC and offer company support. If there is anything ADO may do to assist in this matter please let me know and I will assist in any way possible.

I hope everyone has a beautiful and memorable Easter with your family and friends and that you enjoy the longer days and warmer temperatures. Spend some time outside with those that matter to you, get some fresh air and enjoy the beauty of God's creation this spring.

Until next month;

Keep your feet on the ground and keep reaching for the stars

Sincerely;

Mark Loch
ADO Manager
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FREE FOOD !!!!! - FREE FOOD !!!!!

On behalf of the 2017 Membership Committee of the Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs, I would like to issue a formal “challenge” to each and every local Desk and Derrick chapter: During calendar year 2017 we would like each such club to pull out all stops, to apply maximum efforts, to assign the necessary resources for, and to direct sufficient staffing as required, **TO CONVINCING A NEWBIE TO EAT SOME FREE FOOD**. Seriously now, how difficult can that be?

As you probably know, each year the ADDC budgets to reimburse local chapters for the meal / meeting fees that the clubs agree to pay on behalf of special guests solicited to attend their first monthly meeting. The stated purpose of this “Potential Member Meal Reimbursement Plan” is to financially aid clubs in recruiting new members. The reimbursement is capped at the lesser of the actual cost of meeting attendance, and \$35, and is a set-aside for those first time attendees who, hopefully, will consider joining the local chapter.

For those Board Members of the various chapters, we urge you to get the word out through e-mails, a President's Letter, meeting announcements, or otherwise. For general membership, we ask you to return to work on Monday and grab your cubicle buddy, or that workaholic down the hall, and encourage them to spend the next meeting as your special guest.

Again, while there is no obligation to join our organization, we know full well that once they attend, they will certainly get hooked on our quality educational lectures, and our professional yet friendly and informal settings. Historically and statistically, the program has been very successful in recruiting such visitors as new ADDC members.

Signing up for the program is an easy and painless process:

STEP 1: Local chapter board members should complete a “Potential Member Meal Reimbursement” request form, and submit the form to a member of the ADDC Membership Committee (ledelstein@mwgary.com) prior to October 31st. This is a simple form which basically identifies the attendee and her / his associated club chapter. (Form MMR01)

STEP 2: The ADDC Membership Committee reviews and approves the form based primarily upon budgeting.

STEP 3: The guest attends the meeting as planned, while the local chapter absorbs the cost of the meal.

STEP 4: The ADDC Membership Committee contacts the attendee and conducts a very brief, six question, “Potential Member Meal Reimbursement Survey” aimed at monitoring the overall experience, with an eye toward improving the effectiveness of the program. Results of the survey are submitted back to the host club as well. (Form MMR01 – Exhibit A)

STEP 5: A reimbursement check is then mailed to the chapter. Bam. That's it. And yes I just said “Bam”.

For those interested in bringing such a guest, please contact one of your local Board Members to schedule the attendance. While the program is funded to accommodate all anticipated participants, funds are limited on both the club and national level, and offered on a first-come, first-served basis.

For official program rules, please log onto the ADDC website, and search under the “Member Tools” section, subsection “Guidelines”. The rules are posted under the file name “Potential Member Meal Reimbursement Program”.

For the requisite forms, please log onto the ADDC website and search under the “Forms” section. As always, feel free to direct any further questions on the program my way via e-mail at ledelstein@mwgary.com.

Now let's all go out there and find someone willing to eat some free food!

Lawrence A. Edelstein, President
Three Rivers Desk and Derrick Club and
2017 ADDC Membership Committee Chairman



What's happening



APRIL 2017

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						1
2	3 BOARD MEETING	4 Colleen Dosser	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12 Brenda Bennett MEMBERSHIP MEETING	13	14 GOOD FRIDAY	15
16 	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25 DEADLINE for TOD submissions	26	27	28	29
30	<i>In Loving Memory</i>					



From Cindy Garrison regarding the passing of Catherine Green's Mother-In-Law. Catherine is a member of the Roswell Desk and Derrick Club. If you would like to send her a card, please send to:
Trent and Catherine Green
P O Box 3433 Roswell, NM 88202
Please keep Catherine and her family in your thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.

It is with a very heavy heart that I deliver the following news of Pam Garcia's Mom, Rose Mason, passing. Pam is a member of the Farmington Desk and Derrick Club. There will be a rosary on Monday, March 20th at 7:00PM at:
Brewer, Lee and Larkin Funeral Home
103 E Ute Farmington, NM 87401
Funeral services will be on Tuesday, March 21st at 10:00AM:
Sacred Heart Church 414 N Allen St Farmington, NM 87401
If you would like to send a card to Pam, her address is
Pam Garcia
P.O. Box 1153 Farmington, NM 87402
Please keep Pam and her family in your thoughts and prayers.

Theresa Righter, member of the Ohio Valley Desk and Derrick Club, passed away on Thursday, March 30. Funeral services were held Mon., April 3 at the Barlow Chapel of Cawley & Peoples Funeral Home with burial in Barlow Central Cemetery. Cawley & Peoples is honored to assist the Righter family with online condolences by visiting www.CawleyandPeoples.com. Please keep Theresa's family in your thoughts and prayers.
If you'd like, please send cards and encouragement to Theresa's mother:
Telma Anderson PO Box 129 Vincent, OH 45784-0129



In Closing...

Editor's Comments

by Kay Williams



Well, we made it through the 1st quarter, and despite several waves of Board member turnover, our Club really has come together to accomplished quite a bit.

In Jan., plans began in full swing for Tulsa to host the 62nd Region VI Meeting. This has been quite a feat, as most of our members, who helped in the planning the last time Tulsa was host, are no longer active in the Club. Despite their lack of experience the Board and many Committee Chairs jumped in head first, with a commitment to make this a fun, networking and educational event. Not only did they arrange an excellent venue, interesting field trips and great speakers, but several worked diligently to build & provide an easily accessed online registration, which the majority of registrants utilized.

In Feb., members took that registration process one step further to develop an online membership application and an online luncheon meeting registration. *(See these links on page 4.)*

In Mar., Our membership Drive brought in two new members, and we began to implement the use of social media by promoting the Region Meeting and the upcoming plans for our Annual TGS/D&D Black Gold Golf Tournament.

As we begin the next quarter of the year, we are still actively looking for volunteers in the final preparation for the Region Meeting, to fill some vacated Board positions and to provide ideas of other ways we can take our Club to the next level. We hope each of you will find a way to participate and help us achieve our goals; perhaps through a networking event, developing a Club LinkedIn account, helping at the Tulsa Geoscience Center's Sept. Gold Dig at the fair, or assisting the registration tables at the Oct. Golf Tournament. *(Check out some of the opportunities on pages 6, 7 and 12.)*

Ask a Board Member or Committee Chair how you can help!

P.S. Check out these interesting and informative websites.

www.tulsadandd.net

www.addc.org

Note: All submissions to The Tulsa Oil Drop can and shall be edited as necessary. Viewpoints expressed by submitters are those of the writer and not necessarily of The Desk and Derrick Club of Tulsa or the Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs (ADDC). Email: kwms53@yahoo.com with any questions.