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Who would have ever imagined at the beginning of the year that we would have our lives turned upside-down!? It may be hard but try to find something everyday to SMILE about - since May is National SMILE month! Smiling will help us get through this! So, take a moment and just SMILE!!!

Convention is still being discussed - should have news in a couple weeks, hopefully. I will keep everyone updated as I find out myself.

I know that this is a very difficult time for everyone, especially those who have been laid off = not knowing if or when they may go back to work. Remember that the Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs is a great place to network and be with those who know what you are going through. New opportunities may be found.

That being said -- our membership needs to grow for our association to continue. Please consider inviting someone to a meeting that may have an interest in what we do. Someone from any energy company, college student, or just someone who wants to learn is more than welcome to join. New people can bring in new ideas, new ideas can mean growth, growth means we continue as an organization!

Please continue to follow all your state guidelines and be mindful of others as the country begins to open up again. It may be a new normal, but it will be our normal!

Remember to WASH YOUR HANDS! Stay home, especially if you don't feel well, and we will get through this!!!

Until next month,

Shelly Hildebrant