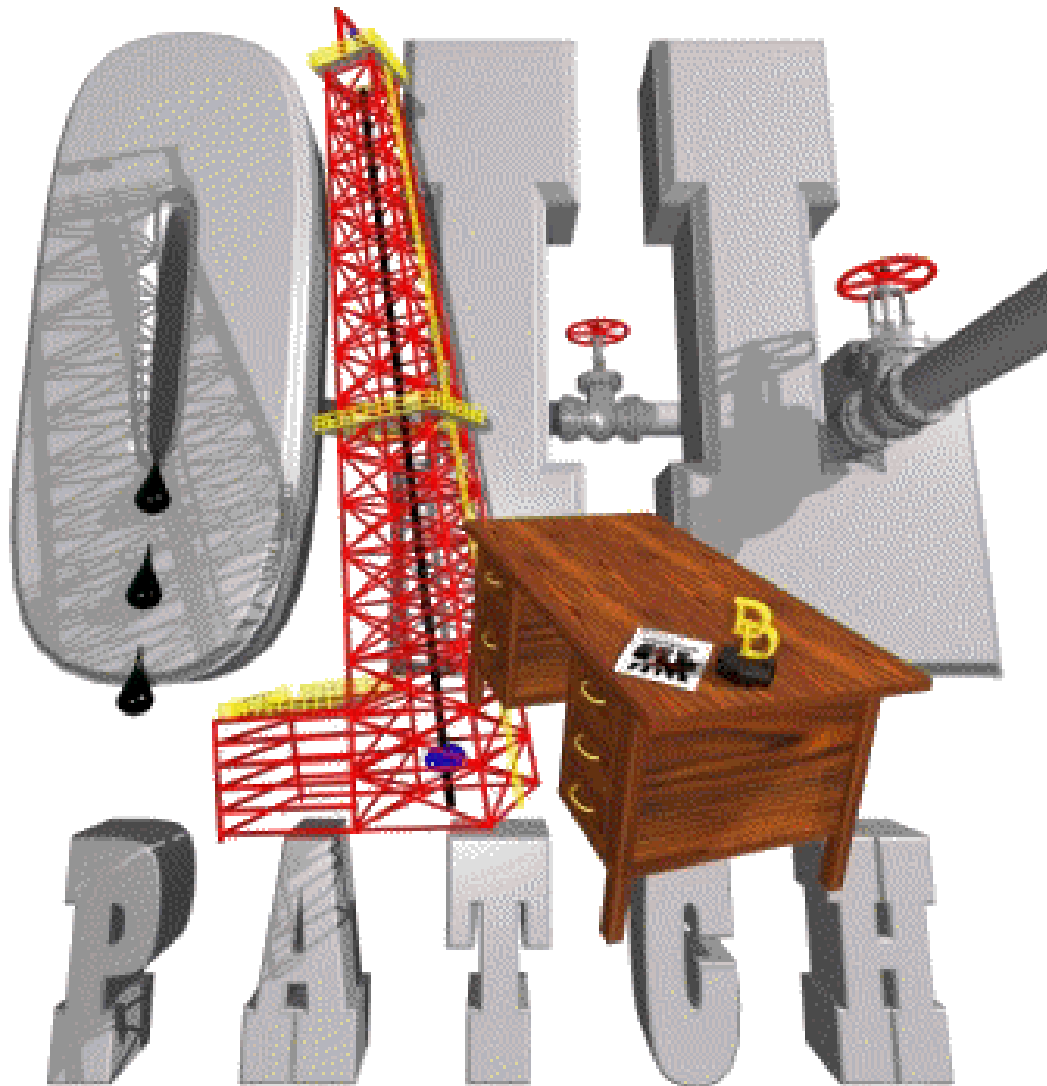


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Contest: Judi Adams
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Field Trip: TBA
Finance: **Debbie Brazeal/Linda Belsome**
General Arrangements: Elaine Lesnak
Membership/Orientation: Judi Adams
Nominating: Judy Guillot
Program/IAN: Glenda Gaither
Scholarship: Gaylen Guillory

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April Birthdays

Dottie Ancona	April	10
Glenda Gaither	April	12
Kerry Lemaire	April	12
Sylvia Hohmann	April	21



2023

BOARD MEETINGS	GENERAL MEETINGS
January 18	January 25
February 15	February 22
March 15	March 22
April 12*	April 26
May 17	May 24
June 21	June 28
July—No Meeting	July -No Meeting
August 16	August 23
September 19**	September 27
October 18	October 25
November 8	November 15
December—No Meeting	December—No Meeting
* moved-Region Meeting; ** moved-Convention	

April Speaker

Jade Duplessis

Community and Public Affairs Manager

The Zachry Group

Learn as you hear an overview of Zachry, the plan from a community standpoint, and how their presence will affect the Greater New Orleans region.

Club President's Newsletter

Angie Duplessis
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April 2023

Letter 4

Dear Westbank Members,

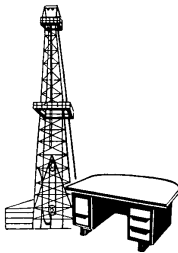
Spring is here! The Southeast Region Meeting is just days away. I look forward to seeing everyone. I will have much more to share with you in next month's letter.

Let's put our hands together and get the party started!! This month we celebrate our 47th Anniversary. A lot of hard work has gone into getting us to this momentous occasion. Thanks to the women – JoAnn Brown, Ann Billie, Vonette Edwards, Dean Mehle, and Dottie Moore who had the vision to charter a club on the Westbank. I encourage everyone to bring a guest to this month's meeting and join the festivities. Cake and champagne await all who attend.

During the week of April 24-28, offices will observe Administrative Professionals Week (previously National Secretaries Week), celebrating the accomplishments of administrative assistants, secretaries and other support staff. My — how our jobs have changed through the years. I salute you all for your contribution to our industry.

Until next month...

Angie Duplessis



What's happening with the Westbank Club?

Shining Star—Shining Moment (March): “This member once saw Princess Diana on a Canadian video, but once they got back to the hotel to watch the video the Princess was not on the video. This member remembers attending their first convention, on the way where the Shining Star was to be the speaker. Once inside, no one was there. They missed the meeting and decided to go shopping. Attend the Dodger’s game, the Queen Mary, and of course sleep-walking.” Guess who? Susan, of course.

2023 Secretary/Treasurer—Judi Adams

The February meeting minutes were printed in the March bulletin. There were no corrections, so they are filed as written.

The Treasurer’s report for February was approved as presented. The report is filed for audit.

General Arrangements—Elaine Lesnak, Chairman

Elaine is sending meeting reminders for monthly meetings. We still have a 20 minimum number of meals.

Membership—Judi Adams, Chairman

Membership total is 30; 29 are paid to ADDC. One Honorary member is being carried on the club’s roster, but has no privilege on regional or Association level.

Scholarship—Gaylen Guillory, 2023 Chairman

Five (5) applications were received by the deadline. We have enough money in the Scholarship Fund to award five (5) scholarships. The scholarships will be presented at the June Membership Meeting.

BUNCO—Mark your calendars for August 5, 2023.

DESK & DERRICK CLUB OF THE WESTBANK
MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES
MARCH 22, 2023

President and Presiding Officer Angie Duplessis welcomed the assembly to the March 2023 meeting of the Desk and Derrick Club of the Westbank, at the Red Maple Restaurant and called the meeting to order at 5:46 p.m. with a quorum present.

Dottie Ancona offered an invocation and lead the pledge of allegiance.

President Duplessis presented a "Shining Star – Shining Moment" with a couple stories about Susan Miller and reported on ADDC and Region news.

Secretary/Treasurer Judi Adams reported that the February minutes were posted in the March bulletin; with no corrections the minutes stand as written. President Duplessis read the February Treasurer report; with no corrections; the report was approved by general consent and will be filed for audit. The required ADDC and IRS forms have were submitted for 2022. Debbie Brazeal will audit 2022 Treasurer's books.

Glenda Gaither reported on correspondence received and mailed.

Bulletin/Web chairman Judi Adams reported the March bulletin has been posted and link e-mailed, the bulletin deadline for April is the 1st, and the website is up-to-date.

General Arrangements Chairman Elaine Lesnak reported that 18 members were in attendance and no meals were owed; one meal was raffled.

Membership/Orientation Chairman Judi Adams reported that membership is 30 (8 Honorary; 1 Honorary is club only). Deadline for new members is Wednesday, April 12, 2023. Guests do not need approval at the April meeting, but all members and guests must order and pay for a mea. The orientation program is scheduled for October.

Program/ IAN chairman Glenda Gaither reported that the April program will be Jade Duplessis with the Zachry Group.

Scholarship Committee Chairman Gaylen Guillory reported that five applications were received by the deadline. The committee is planning a Bunco on August 5.

Following the reports, President Duplessis conducted a Region Meeting planning session.

President Duplessis adjourned the meeting at 7:05 p.m.



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APRIL 2023

Hello, April, a month of regrowth and renewal. Regrowing for the future of Desk and Derrick and renewal of our dedication to Desk and Derrick. At the Region Meeting this month we hope to accomplish this with the support of you, the member.

The Region Meeting is a time for all members to come together through informative seminars, business meetings, awards, fellowship, field trips, and other educational interests. The GAC chairs, Angie Duplessis and Judi Adams, have been working diligently toward a successful and memorable Meeting which I hope all members could attend.

Have enjoyed reading some of the club's Bulletins and seeing what activities the clubs' are organizing and participating in. Also, checking when and where the monthly meetings are and hoping I can attend some of the meetings this year.

I am striving this year to keep all the Presidents informed with emails and passing all the information on to their respective memberships. We want all members to be informed of the going ons of Desk and Derrick and if there are any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

The 2023 ADDC Convention and Educational Conference will be hosted by the West Region September 19-24, 2023 at the Sandia Resort in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Susan

*"We look at the same stars and see such different things."
- George R. Martin*

Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs

Regional Director Qualifications Form

Name: Angela N. (Angie) Corvers
Address: 12642 Brookshire Ave
Baton Rouge, LA 70815
Company Affiliation: Exxon Mobil Chemical - Retired

Desk and Derrick Activities:

Association: I know I have served on a few committees
but don't remember which.
Club: All offices, All committees 45 years + service.

Has served as Convention Delegate? Yes No

Has served as Convention Alternate? Yes No

Has attended 30 number of conventions. Has attended 40 number of regional meetings.

Business Experience

37 years Exxon Mobil - Retired 2007
Commissioned Notary Public - State of LA, Parish of East Baton Rouge
President: Louisiana Notary Association - 2012 & 2013
President: Fleur de Lis Retirees Club (2x) - serving second 2 year term
Educational Background: Co-owner of CW Enterprises Licensed Realtor
Graduated 1969 - Baton Rouge High School

Personal Data

married to William Corvers, 2 children, 3 grandchildren,
2 great grandchildren

Does the nominee plan to attend the 2023 ADDC Convention? Yes No

Signed: Angela N. Corvers Date: 3-11-2023

Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs
5014 FM 1500, Paris, TX 75460
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Angie has served seven terms as President of the Desk and Derrick Club of Baton Rouge, having held all other offices during her 45+ years of membership. She has also served on Committees at the Regional and Association level. Retired from ExxonMobil Chemical Company in March 2007, after almost 37 years, she worked at the Baton Rouge Refinery (Purchasing, Traffic and General Services, and Human Resources: Training, Employment, and Benefits), and at the ExxonMobil Baton Rouge Plastics Plant (Customer Service, and Operations Training.) In 1973, Angie earned a real estate agent's license, and a brokers' license in 2000. Currently the owner/broker of Chess Realty, Inc., she is a member of the Greater Baton Rouge Association of Realtors, Louisiana Realtors Association, and National Association of Realtors. She is also the co-owner of C & W Enterprises, Inc., which encompasses several smaller businesses in Baton Rouge. She received a Notary Public commission in 1987 and served as President of the Louisiana Notary Association from 2012-2013. She is also serving her second two-year term as President of the Exxon Fleur de Lis Retiree Club.

Angie is married to Bill Corvers and they have two children, five grandchildren and two great grandchildren. She is a member of St. Thomas More Catholic Church.



**Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs
Southeast Region Meeting
April 20-22, 2023**

1. Member Registration		
First:	Mt:	Last:
Region:		Club:
Member Number:		
e-Mail:		

3. Guest Registration		
First:	Mt:	Last:
e-Mail:		

First Region Meeting/First Timer
 Delegate
 Region Director _____ Year _____
 Association Officer _____ Office/Year _____
 Special Diet _____

First Region Meeting/First Timer
 Previous member

2. Member			
		How	
Event	Fee	Many	Cost
Registration*	\$175		\$0
Field Trip #1	\$25		\$0
Field Trip #2**	\$45		\$0
Seminar #1	\$10		\$0
Seminar #2	\$10		\$0
TOTAL MEMBER FEES			\$0

4. Guest			
	Guest	How	Total
Event	Fee	Many	Cost
Field Trip #1	\$30		\$0
Field Trip #2**	\$50		\$0
Seminar #1	\$10		\$0
Seminar #2	\$10		\$0
Beach Blanket Bunco	\$30		\$0
Recognition Lunch	\$40		\$0
Banquet	\$50		\$0
TOTAL GUEST FEES			\$0

*Includes Beach Blanket Bunco, Business Meeting, Recognition Luncheon, and Banquet

**Indicate meal choice for Field Trip #2:

- 1) White Beans w/ Fried Pork Chop
- 2) White Beans w/ Grilled Pork Chop
- 3) Lasagna w/ Green Beans

5. Total Fees		
Registration Member		\$0
Registration Guest		\$0
TOTAL FEES		\$0

Questions? Please contact Co-GACs
 Judi Adams: dandd.judi@gmail.com
 Angie Duplessis: angdupless@aol.com

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO:
2023 SOUTHEAST REGION MEETING
 Mail to:
 Desk and Derrick Club of the Westbank
 ATTN: 2023 Region Meeting
 P. O. Box 2875
 Gretna, LA 70054

Early Star Drawing Deadline: April 1, 2023
All ADDC members are required to pay registration fee to participate in any activity.

Payments via credit card/Vermo:
 Contact Angie Duplessis at angdupless@aol.com
NOTE: Returned check fee \$50.00

Refunds will be made if funds are available after the Region Meeting is held.

Registration Deadline: April 10, 2023
All functions are non-smoking/non-vaping.

WESTBANK: Due to the 15 attendees limit for both of the field trips, the GACs any Westbank members' who register for a field trip will be on a waiting list; you will be advised if there are open spots on the field trip you chose. Thank you for understanding and giving the limited seating to our guests. You will be reimbursed if you have already paid for a slot and there are not enough spaces for you to attend.

**ASSOCIATION OF DESK AND DERRICK CLUBS
2023 SOUTHEAST REGION MEETING
Emergency Information and Release Form**

Must be completed by each person registered for the Southeast Region Meeting

NAME:		
ADDRESS:		
CITY:	STATE:	ZIP:
PHONE: Home/Cell	Work:	
Employer:		

EMERGENCY CONTACT		
NAME:	Relationship:	
Address:		
Phone: Home/Cell ()	Ofc: ()	
INSURANCE (Optional)		
NAME		
ADDRESS		
PHONE:		

I understand that my participation in the field trips and/or special events of this meeting is at my own risk and responsibility. The Desk and Derrick Club of the Westbank and the Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs shall not assume any liability.

Signature: _____ Date: _____



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April 2023

To: ADDC Membership

The Spring season has arrived (although I know some are still receiving snow)! I hope everyone was able to celebrate and educate your community concerning Desk and Derrick Awareness Month. We have lost a lot of individuals in our industry due to the downturn in 2020. I am seeing growth in our industry again and for that I am thankful. Please remember an individual does not have to be employed in the oil and gas or allied industries to become a member of Desk and Derrick. Anyone who is interested in our industry is welcomed to become a member. You do not know if you do not ask! “Retain and Regrowth” is the goal for our organization.

Regional meetings will start this month and the host clubs have been busy preparing for your arrival. If you have not turned in your registration form, it is not too late! All registration information can be found on the ADDC website. I have the opportunity to attend three of the four regions this year and I am excited to be a part of educational opportunities region meetings are able to provide to all of us. If you have not attended a region meeting outside of your own region, you are missing out! Your Regional Directors have worked tirelessly for your region and have done an outstanding job of representing each of you! Please take a moment and thank your Regional Director for the time and skills they have put into this position.

Club Presidents – as in my last month’s letter, please be sure that your membership renewals are sent into ADO as soon as possible. Each club that does not have their 2023 dues in prior to the Regional Meeting, will not be in good standing and will not be able to vote on matters before the Meeting.

Committees are preparing their committee reports for region meetings and can be found on the ADDC website under the Region link and choose Region Meeting Reports. ADDC committees have been busy working towards goals for this year and you will be seeing the fruits of their labor soon.

“What you do has far greater impact than what you say.” — Stephen Covey, author, businessman and speaker

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April 1, 2023

To: All Club Presidents
From: 2023 ADDC Nominating Committee
Re: Nominations for 2024 ADDC Officers

The 2024 Officers of the Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs will be elected at the 2023 ADDC Convention to be held at the Sandia Resort & Casino in Albuquerque, NM, September 20-24, 2023. The 2023 ADDC Nominating Committee is currently accepting nominations for the following 2024 ADDC Officers:

President-Elect
Secretary
Treasurer

The deadline for all nominations to be received by the Nominating Committee is **Friday, June 16, 2023**. Any nominations received after that date will not be considered by the Nominating Committee.

Requirements and procedures for submitting nominations and the duties of the Officers are described in the Association Bylaws and can be found on the ADDC website in the Guidelines section. All candidates for nomination to the ADDC offices shall:

1. Have served or be currently serving as Regional Director.
2. Possess knowledge of Desk and Derrick history and aims, dedication to the Association's purpose.
3. Have sufficient time available for assigned responsibilities.
4. Be bondable.
5. Nominees for Association President-Elect must have served or be currently serving on the Association Board.

The ADDC Officer Nomination Form is available on the ADDC website (www.addc.org). After logging in, click on *Committees* then *Nominating* then under *Forms* click on *Nomination Form*. There are three tabs to complete in the spreadsheet.


Please send all nominations by the **June 16, 2023** deadline, including the spreadsheet with completed tabs NOMN1, NOMN2, and NOMN2A, along with a photo of the candidate to Keith Atkins, Nominating Committee Chair, via email at keith.atkins@murphyusa.com.

Respectfully,

Keith Atkins

U.S. households on average consumed less energy in 2020 than in 2009, according to newly released data from the U.S. Energy Information Administration's [Residential Energy Consumption Survey](#) (RECS). RECS data show that households used an average of 76.8 million British thermal units (MMBtu) of energy, including electricity, natural gas, propane, and fuel oil. That consumption is relatively consistent with the 2015 RECS estimate but is a significant decrease from the 89.6 MMBtu used by households in 2009.

- U.S. households spent an average of \$1,884 on energy in 2020.
- In 2020, households in places where the climate required more heating consumed more energy on average. For example, households in Alaska used an average of 125.1 MMBtu of energy.
- In Hawaii, where only 57% of households use air conditioning and 5% use space heating equipment, households used 30.3 MMBtu of energy on average—the lowest consumption per household in the United States.
- At the national level, households use similar shares of electricity and natural gas (47% and 45% of total consumption), but those shares vary widely across states.
- Households in the South used the most electricity, 13,376 kilowatthours (kWh) on average in 2020. Southern homes are more likely to have air conditioning and to use electricity for heating than other regions.
- Newer homes consumed less energy per square foot than older homes in 2020. Households living in homes built before 1950 used 51.3 thousand British thermal units (MBtu) per square foot, compared with 31.2 MBtu per square foot for homes built in 2016 or later. This difference in energy use translates to higher costs per square foot as well: \$1.14 per square foot for homes built before 1950 compared with \$0.82 per square foot for homes built in 2016 or later.
- Consumption of natural gas varied by housing unit type. Households living in single-family detached homes, which tend to have more square footage, used an average of 669 hundred cubic feet of natural gas annually, compared with households living in apartment units in buildings with five or more units, which used an average of 224 hundred cubic feet.
- Household expenditures on fuel oil were highest in the Northeast. In Connecticut, fuel oil accounts for 20% of all residential energy expenditures in the state.



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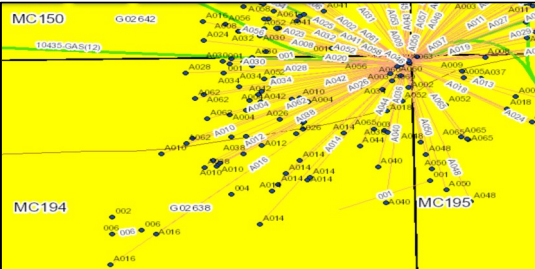
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Easy Pineapple Upside-Down Cake



Prep
15 MIN

Total
1 HR 50 MIN

Servings
12



Ingredients

- 1/4 cup butter
- 1 cup packed brown sugar
- 1 can (20 oz) pineapple slices in juice, drained, juice reserved
- 1 jar (6 oz) maraschino cherries without stems, drained
- 1 box (15.25 oz) Betty Crocker™ Super Moist™ Yellow Cake Mix
- Vegetable oil and eggs called for on cake mix box

Steps

- 1 Heat oven to 350°F (325°F for dark or nonstick pan). In 13x9-inch pan, melt butter in oven. Sprinkle brown sugar evenly over butter. Arrange pineapple slices on brown sugar. Place cherry in center of each pineapple slice, and arrange remaining cherries around slices; press gently into brown sugar.
- 2 Add enough water to reserved pineapple juice to measure 1 cup. Make cake batter as directed on box, substituting pineapple juice mixture for the water. Pour batter over pineapple and cherries.
- 3 Bake 42 to 48 minutes (44 to 53 minutes for dark or nonstick pan) or until toothpick inserted in center comes out clean. Immediately run knife around side of pan to loosen cake. Place heatproof serving plate upside down onto pan; turn plate and pan over. Leave pan over cake 5 minutes so brown sugar topping can drizzle over cake; remove pan. Cool 30 minutes. Serve warm or cool. Store covered in refrigerator.

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☆☆ **2023 Southeast Region Meeting** ☆☆☆

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