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Ellie Gallagher, Editor



Yay for May!

May 2023



Dear Members,

I am so happy that Summer is starting. I am sure I will complain about the heat soon enough though! Lol!

This year is going very well so far for Desk and Derrick and as you all know, we have been busy! Thank you all so much for the help with all our meetings and events so far. Still much more to do before the year is over, but I know I can count on everyone to pitch in and make it great!

West Region meeting in Nashville was wonderful! The Roswell Club was well represented. My husband and myself, Cindy and her husband, Carol with her daughter and granddaughter, Ann Young, and Kirsten Wood had a great trip. It was nice to get back to see old friends and make new ones while taking care of D&D business and having fun. I had not been to a Region Meeting or convention in many years. I am glad I got the opportunity to go. We will give an update during the May meeting.

Our May meeting will be held at my office on May 9th at 5:30 p.m. We will have Charles Yslas, the Undersheriff, as our speaker. We will have pizza and salad to eat. This will be a great meeting so I hope you all can join us - if not in person, then by Zoom. Be sure to RSVP to Cindy when she sends out the reminder email so that we know how much food to order.

Our Industry Appreciation Banquet is in the final planning stages and will be an awesome night. It will be held on August 17th at the Civic Center. Our speaker will be Doug Ackerman, President and CEO of the New Mexico Oil & Gas Association. We will be holding the next planning meeting on June 8th at 5:30 p.m. at Peppers.

Jackie has planned the first Black Gold Golf tournament planning meeting to be at Peppers immediately following the Board Meeting on May 16th. Jackie will send out an email to remind anyone who wants to help with the committee.

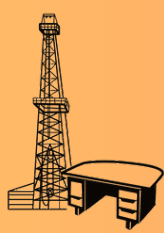
The Centennial Dinner I mentioned last month is going to be a great event. It will be held on Thursday, May 4th at the Artesia Country Club. The committee has been hard at work, and we have ended up over-capacity for the dinner. They are working hard to remedy this since the Country Club cannot accommodate the amount we have. If you are one of our volunteers for the dinner, I will be sending out an email soon telling you when we need to be there and what each volunteer's task will be. We will also plan for a carpool.

I wish you all fun in the Sun!!

Patti Stacy
2023 President



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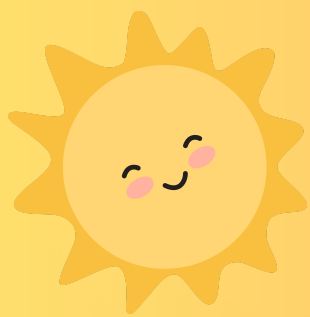
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Regional meetings are in full swing, and I had the privilege of attending the West Region and Southeast Region meetings the past two weeks. I am currently getting ready to attend the Central Region meeting this week. Northeast Region is slated for May 17-20, 2023. You still have time to get your registration in for the Northeast Region! I will announce the 2024 ADDC Region Directors in next month's letter.

Tax time is almost here! The deadline to submit your tax form to the IRS is May 15, 2023. Please remember to send a copy to your Regional Representative as well.

Mark your calendars - ADDC is moving forward with the 2023 ADDC Convention, hosted by the West Region, to be held in Albuquerque, NM - September 20-23, 2023. The Registration Packets will be sent out in the near future. The Sandia Resort & Casino: <https://www.sandiacasino.com> will be the site of this year's convention. Room rates will be \$194 for a single, double, triple or quad. Airport Information: <https://abqsunport.com>

The Nominating Committee Chairman, Keith Atkins, has called for Nominations for Association Officers for 2024. The Nomination Forms were sent to Regional Directors, to be forwarded to Club Presidents on April 1st. Nominations for the office of President-Elect, Secretary and Treasurer are open. The deadline for Nomination forms to be returned is Friday, June 16, 2023, please email your nomination form to: keith.atkins@murphyusa.com. Nominees for any Association Office must have served as a Regional Director or have served on the Association Board. Remember - YOUR Association needs you!

ADDC's began its life with the Desk and Derrick Club of New Orleans, Louisiana in 1949. I took a moment to realize our organization celebrates 74 years in existence! What an accomplishment. How many other organizations can say they have been around this length of time? I feel this proves we are doing something right, we are representing our industry, an industry that is needed worldwide! Retention and Recruitment are the two words that will continue to help our organization grow, and it all starts with you. Teamwork is what is needed to see the end goal, all of us working together and doing our part to help ADDC be greater than it was last year!

"Teamwork is the ability to work together toward a common vision. The ability to direct individual accomplishments toward organizational objectives. It is the fuel that allows common people to attain uncommon results." — Andrew Carnegie, industrialist and philanthropist



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Dear West Region Members:

The 2023 West Region Meeting hosted by Grande Prairie Club was a success, due to a medical issue I was unable to attend in person but Philana Thompson stepped up so I could give my report on zoom and attend the morning business meeting and luncheon awards.

Congratulations to Heather Woods who is the 2024 West Region Director, with pandemic out of the way she can have her turn. Thanks to Cynthia Garrison with the Roswell Club who step to run for this position. We look forward to working with Heather and I am sure Cindy will be willing to help wherever she is needed.

Congratulations to all the AIMEE Contest winners, the 1st place winners will now go against the other 3 regions at the ADDC Convention in Albuquerque, New Mexico in September 2023. I encourage all the members start writing articles, take pictures and get them in your club bulletins, lets have a great AIMEE in 2024, this will take everyone in your Clubs' participation. I have enjoyed reading all the articles and looking at the pictures, remember they must be in a time frame, and something written by you. We had a few disqualifications in the past year because they did not follow the guidelines. The guidelines are on the website if you want to know what they are.

September 20-24, 2023, is the 2023 ADDC Convention to be held at the Sandia Casino in Albuquerque, New Mexico. Philana Thompson sent the club presidents the Convention expense, please review and make some notes to discuss some of these issues, I made a comment that if all the members put in \$25.00 this would help in the registrations and other things we need. Each Clubs knows what they are responsible for and hope that you are all getting your stuff in order. Philana Thompson will send out a note when the next zoom meeting is. September is not that far away, let us get things in order and make this a fun and educational convention.

Don't forget to send me your Club Bulletins, I love reading them and want to know what is happening.

If you have any ideas, suggestions or feedback please email me at ejgreeyes@merrion.bz or call me (505) 320-6300.

Have a Great Summer!
 Your 2023 RD, Esther Greeyes



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PETROLEUM PRODUCT OF THE MONTH

MONEY

Paper money didn't come about until 7th century China. The value of paper currency was unclear compared to coins used at that time, and it led to bankruptcy. It fell out of circulation until the late 1650s when it was reintroduced in Sweden. Paper money first saw the light of day in the US by the Massachusetts Bay Colony in 1690 in the form of British pounds called Colonial Notes. However, paper money didn't really take in the US until the late 1700s when Congress authorized and issued paper money.

Fun Fact: It costs the government about \$0.04 to produce one bill of US paper money, regardless of its denomination.

President Lincoln established the Secret Service to crack down on counterfeiters, and bills became the norm in America. Today, bills in the US are standardized as far as amounts and designs go, and as its status as legal tender. Counterfeiting has been a concern, and so many advances in technology over the years have made it harder and harder for people to replicate US currency.

Continental Currency, the first federally issued paper currency, was issued in 1775. Security measures taken to help prevent counterfeiting included a detailed image pressed to the back of the notes using lead plates, serial numbers, and signatures: a process developed by Ben Franklin. Today, security measures are implemented on all bills \$5 and over. Watermarks are used as well as, only in \$100 bills, a 3-D security ribbon. This ribbon is woven into the bill and features change appearance as you move and tilt the bill; bills change to 100s and 100s move side to side.

Typical paper is made from wood and pulp, but US currency is made of a blend of cotton (75%) and linen (25%). This gives it a distinct feel to our currency. So, the petroleum? Ink utilized for printing money consists of dry color pigments and oils and extenders to make the printing ink thicker than typical ink. The front of the bill is printed with black ink and the back with green.

A lot of machines are used in the process of making money from cutting to printing. These machines will also need to be properly lubricated to ensure that money is being produced without a hiccup. And we're thankful for that.

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Citigroup, Bank of America, and Wells Fargo shareholders are voting on Tuesday on non-binding resolutions proposed by environmental groups and ESG investors to wind down or phase out financing for fossil fuels.

At last year's shareholders' meetings of some of the biggest American banks, similar resolutions won no more than 13% of shareholder support, Reuters notes.

Early this year, As You Sow, Harrington Investments, The Sierra Club Foundation (SCF), and Trillium Asset Management filed two shareholder proposals at six of the top U.S. banks "to move them toward more climate-friendly policies that better align with their public commitments to net zero by 2050."

Resolutions were filed for shareholder votes at Bank of America, Citigroup, Goldman Sachs, JPMorgan Chase, Morgan Stanley, and Wells Fargo.

Fossil fuel financing from the world's 60 largest banks hit \$673 billion in 2022. These banks have funded \$5.5 trillion in fossil fuels projects in the seven years since the adoption of the Paris Agreement, according to the annual Banking on Climate Chaos report by environmental groups published earlier this month. To compare, the previous edition of the report from last year showed that the 60 largest banks in the world poured as much as \$742 billion in fossil fuel financing in 2021.

For the first time since 2019, JP Morgan dropped from the top spot of the biggest backer of fossil fuels. JP Morgan is no longer the world's biggest financier of fossil fuels. Last year Royal Bank of Canada (RBC) became the top bank funding oil and gas, the report showed.

Overall, U.S. banks dominated fossil fuel financing, accounting for 28% of all fossil fuel financing in 2022. JPMorgan remains the world's biggest funder of fossil fuels since the Paris Agreement, while Citi, Wells Fargo, and Bank of America are still among the top 5 fossil financiers since 2016, the report found.

May



MEMBER MEETING

DATE: MAY 9TH
TIME: 5:30
LOCATION: PATTI'S OFFICE
MENU: PIZZA AND SALAD
SPEAKER: CHARLES YSLAS
CHAVES COUNTY
UNDERSHERIFF

COMMITTEE MEETINGS:

BLACK GOLD GOLF
TOURNAMENT
MAY 16TH, PEPPERS
FOLLOWING BOARD MTG
APPROX 6:30

INDUSTRY APPRECIATION
JUNE 8TH, 5:30
PEPPERS



MAY 14



HAPPY

Mother's Day

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HAPPY MEMORIAL DAY



MAY 29

Around Town



Steve Stucker's
Thank You
Tour

MAY 15 LIVE TAPING 4PM-6PM, PEPPERS
MAY 16 LIVE ON-AIR 5AM-7AM,
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