

# The Gusher

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## *Red River Desk and Derrick Club*

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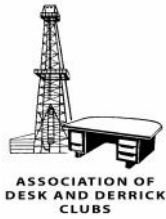
#### **October Speaker**

Laura Hyson and Erin Wood with CASA

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## RED RIVER PRESIDENT'S LETTER

**Malissa Carroll**  
2024 President

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OCTOBER 2024

Dear Members,

Football – Tail Gating Parties - Halloween – Kids Trick or Treating – Leaves Turning Red, Yellow, and Brown – October is here!!! We will be collecting items for Woody's Veterans Home on Jordan Street in Shreveport, please see Bulletin for more details.

Just days ago, I returned from the 72st annual ADDC Convention which was held in Dallas Texas. Over one hundred members attended this year's event. The weather was perfect. More Details will be in the next Gusher. It was an honor and a pleasure to represent this Club.

The 2025 convention will be hosted by our own Southeast Region in San Antonio, TX. The San Antonio Club is taking the lead in presenting this event for the Association, and they will need assistance from all SE Region Clubs so put on your thinking caps and help us decide how we can help.

Don't forget the Silent Auction will be held this month at our membership meeting. Your donations and your bids help make this a successful project for our club. Proceeds will assist in covering the expenses of our representatives at both Region and Convention meetings.

Plans are in the works for our November membership meeting which will include the election of the 2025 officers.

Please remember that our November meeting has been rescheduled to Tuesday, November 19th due to the Thanksgiving holidays. The November board meeting will be held on Tuesday, November 12 in the St. John Berchman Catholic Church Boardroom at 5:30. All members are welcome to attend.

Dates to remember:

October 10 – Red River Desk & Derrick Club Invitational Golf Tournament,  
The Club at Huntington

October 17 – Board Meeting, 5:30 PM,  
St John Berchman Catholic School Boardroom.

October 22 – Membership Meeting, 5:30 PM,  
Petroleum Club of Shreveport, 15th floor, 416 Travis Street

Sincerely,  
Malissa Carroll

## RED RIVER DESK AND DERRICK CLUB

September 17, 2024

### MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES

The Red River Desk and Derrick Club Membership Meeting was held Tuesday, September 17, 2024, at the Petroleum Club. The meeting was called to order at 6:25 pm. There was a Quorum.

The August Treasurer's report was presented by Treasurer Margie Steed. No corrections were necessary. The report was unanimously accepted and will be filed for audit.

The August Membership Meeting minutes were presented. Bobbie Trust made a motion to accept the minutes as they were presented, Linda Porter seconded. The motion was passed with a unanimous "aye" vote.

Membership stands at 22 total. Reservations: 8 Members, 2 Advisers Total 10

The 50/50 fundraiser brought in \$26, with Linda Porter winning \$13

We have 9 teams plus 2 Gold Sponsors, 2 Silver, 2 Drink Carts, & Lunch, signed up for the Red River Invitational Golf Tournament that will be held on October 10th at the Huntington Golf Club, WE NEED VOLUNTEERS!!!

Silent Auction, has been rescheduled and will be held at the October 22nd Meeting.

Community Projects: Woody's Veterans Home

There being no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned at 7:00 pm.

Respectfully Submitted by Malissa Carroll

# RED RIVER DESK AND DERRICK CLUB

## NOTES

Please keep Dorothy Semon in your prayers as she continues to improve at home.

Volunteers are needed for the Red River Invitational Golf Tournament. A number of our members are not able to leave their job to help and a few members will be out of town. Please contact Bobbie Trust if you would like to sign up.

The Silent Auction that was schudeled for September has been rescheduled for the October meeting. Please plan on attending and bidding on the donations of your fellow members.

2025 is coming up fast and our board is in need of volunteers. Please contact **Kathryn Jackson, kathryncarroll114@gmail.com** if you are interested in being a board member.



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# RED RIVER INVITATIONAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

**OCTOBER 10**

THE CLUB AT  
HUNTINGTON PARK

Sponsors: Platinum - \$1000;  
Gold - \$750; Silver - \$500;  
Bronze - \$250  
Company name displayed on  
Donor Board in registration area  
and dining area.  
Hole Sponsor - \$100 (Hole  
Sponsor signage on Tee  
Boxes).

SHREVEPORT, LOUISIANA  
12:00 SHOTGUN START  
Limited to 36 teams

4 PERSON TEAM  
SCRAMBLE  
\$600 PER TEAM ENTRY  
FEE  
(Includes green fee,  
shared cart, lunch,  
beverages, and prizes)

Register now. Space  
is limited to 36 teams

All proceeds go to the :  
Phyllis B. Powell  
Scholarship Award



# ***OCTOBER DINNER AND SILENT AUCTION***

A fundraiser for Association initiatives and activities

**OCTOBER 22, 2024**

5:30 P.M. - Petroleum Club

\$24.00 for Dinner

Contribute an item for this event and

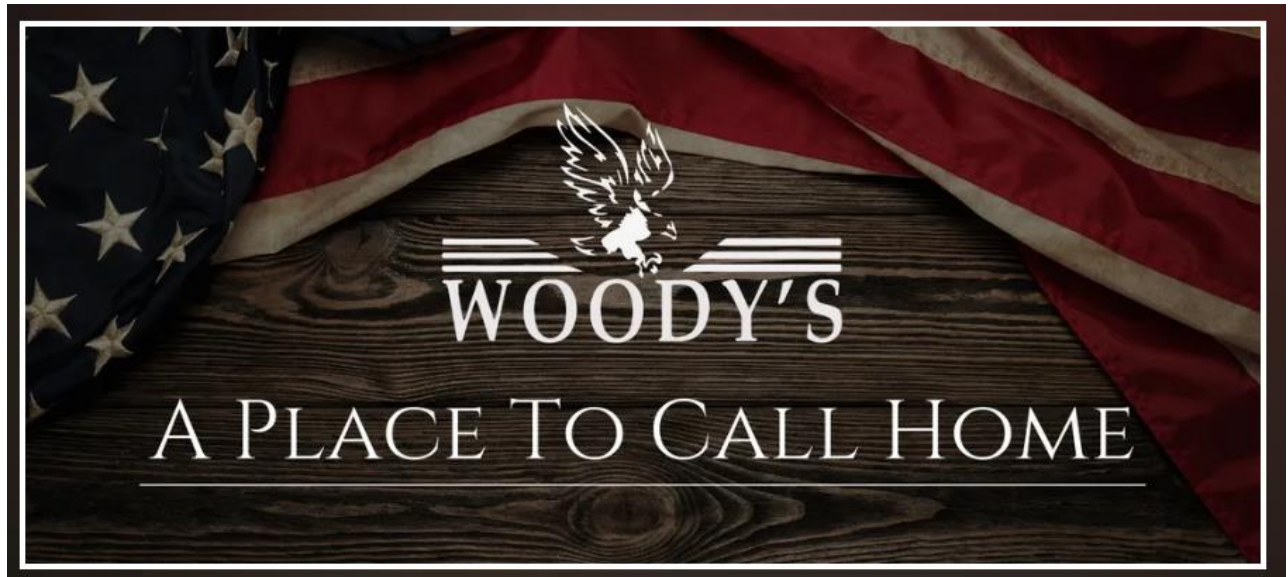
bid on anything you see that you like.

Bids will be placed prior to the monthly meeting and winners will be announced at the conclusion of the meeting.



Photos obtained from Hobby Lobby Weekly Ad

# COMMUNITY PROJECT



## ITEM DONATIONS

DONATE CLOTHING, SHOES, NON-PERISHABLE FOOD OR HOUSEHOLD ITEMS.

ALL DONATIONS ARE TAX-DEDUCTIBLE.

**website: [Wh4v.com](http://Wh4v.com)**

**FB: Woody's Home for Veterans**

## WOODY'S HOME FOR VETERANS

442 Jordan Street, Shreveport, Louisiana 71101, United States

# OCTOBER 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2 	3	4 	5
6	7	8	9	10 	11	12
13	14	15	16	17 	18	19
20	21	22 	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

## BIRTHDAYS

Laura Hatcher - 2  
Margie Steed - 4





# NOVEMBER 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12 	13 	14	15	16
17	18	19 	20 	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30



**BIRTHDAYS**

Susie Guyer - 1  
 Sheryl Cole - 13  
 Linda Porter - 20



## **Mark Your Calendar**

### ***2024 Board Meetings / Membership Meetings***

*Red River Club Activities*

#### **Board Meetings**

October 15

November 12

December 10

#### **Membership Meetings**

October 22

November 19

December 17

\*\*September meetings moved due to Convention dates

#### **TENTATIVE SCHEDULE FOR 2025**

January 21 \*\*

February 18

March 18

April 15

May 20

January 28

February 25

March 25

April 22

May 24

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### ***Red River Club Activities***

October 10, 2024 – Red River Invitational Golf Tournament

*Board meetings will be held in the St. John Berchman Catholic Church Boardroom*

*Unless members are otherwise notified*

*Membership meetings will be held at the Petroleum Club, 416 Travis Street, 15<sup>th</sup> Floor*



*Wendy Sparks*

*2024 ADDC President*

*ADDc Convention Dallas, TX  
September 24– September 28, 2024*



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October 2024

**ADDC Membership**

Convention in Dallas, Texas led by Val Williams and Pat Blanford was a huge success! Lone Star Club of Dallas and the Central Region have been working hard all contributed by decorating tables for all the meals and sponsoring many of the events! Everything ran like a well-oiled machine! The food was FANTASTIC, and the service was phenomenal. Check out the ADDC Convention Facebook page to see some great pictures of all the field trips, Friday ice breaker and much more.

We had an election! The Nominating committee slate of 2025 ADDC Officers and they were elected by Acclamation during our Saturday’s business session. These women have served before and two are past ADDC President’s. I think we are in good hands.

- President – Kathy Martin
- President – Elect – Evelyn Green
- Secretary – Heather Woods
- Treasurer – Christina Forth

I will serve as your Immediate Past President and Judi Adams will serve as the 2025 ADDC Parliamentarian.

Five Amendments were voted on at Convention and one motion was made for an Ad Hoc Committee to be formed. Results as follows in abbreviated format.

Amend Article VII- Dues and Fees. Strike “Fifty-Five Dollars” (\$55.00) and insert the words “Seventy Dollars” (\$70.00) 20 in favor and 5 opposed the proposed bylaw Amendment was **ADOPTED**.

Amend Article VII-Officers, Section 2. Amend by replacing “one year” term with “two year” term. 2 in favor and 23 opposed the proposed bylaw Amendment was **DEFEATED**.

Amend Article XII- Committees. Replace “Petroleum Tech” Certificate with “Energy Technician” Certificate. 24 in favor and 1 opposed the proposed bylaw Amendment was **ADOPTED**.



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Amend Article XIV- Conventions. Amend by adding new paragraph  
"A biennial convention will be hosted by a region or club every  
two years..."

9 in favor and 16 opposed the proposed bylaw Amendment  
was **DEFEATED**.

Amend Article XV- Regional Restructure. Amend by removing the  
wording "In the event of an extreme emergency".

25 in favor and 0 opposed the proposed bylaw Amendment  
was **ADOPTED**.

Motion was proposed for an Ad Hoc Committee be appointed and  
research a restructure.

22 in favor and 3 opposed the proposed motion  
was **ADOPTED**.

If you have any questions about these please feel free to contact myself or  
our 2024 ADDC Parliamentarian Evelyn Green.

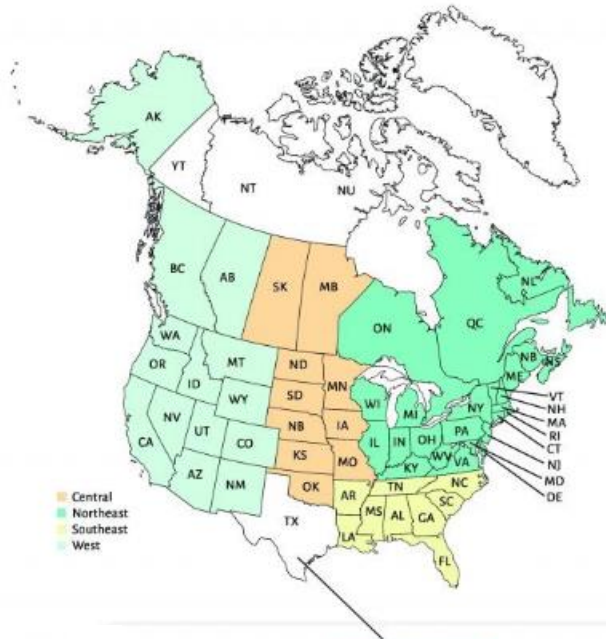
*"Intelligence is not the ability to store information but  
to know where to find it." – Albert Einstein*

Sincerely,  
*Wendy Sparks*



# SOUTHEAST REGION DIRECTOR

Angie Corvers



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Convention in Dallas was a wonderful experience! Val Williams and Pat Blanford outdid themselves! Everything was planned and executed to a "T". I elected to go on the field trip to the East Texas Oil & Gas Museum. It was a very interesting museum and included a "trip down a drilling hole" where we saw the different geological layers that are drill through to find oil.

ADDC Officers elected on Saturday are:

President – Kathy Martin

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Treasurer – Christina Forth

Immediate Past President – Wendy Sparks

Parliamentarian – Judi Adams

Your Region Director for 2025, Jennifer Accardo, was elected in April.

The Southeast Region had a short meeting on Thursday, September 26th. Membership certificates and pins were given out, as well as the contest winner certificates.

The amendment to increase dues to \$70 per year passed. Conventions will continue to be held annually, and Region meetings can be held virtually. After some discussion, the Club Liaison idea has been referred to a committee tasked to come up with recommendations by the end of the year.

The 2025 Convention will be held in San Antonio, Texas. Planning is already underway. I hope many of you will be able to attend.

Keep those spicy programs and meetings rolling!

Love to All!

Angie

"SPICE UP YOUR LIFE WITH DESK AND DERRICK!"



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### **OUR MISSION**

“To enhance and foster a positive image to the global community by promoting the contribution of the petroleum, energy and allied industries through education by using all resources available

### **OUR PURPOSE**

The Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs (ADDC) is a non-profit, international organization. Its purpose is to promote the educational and professional development of individuals employed in or affiliated with the petroleum, energy, and allied industries and to educate the general public about these industries

# 2024 RED RIVER DESK AND DERRICK CLUB

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Vice President		
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Treasurer	Margie Steed	Land Consultant
Immediate Past President	Malissa Carroll	Carroll Contracting
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	Arlys Milan	Miller Tubular Services
	Linda Porter	JW Porter & Associates, LLC
	Dorothy Semon	Estate of J Pat Baird, Jr
Parliamentarian	Dorothy Semon	Estate of J Pat Baird, Jr

## ADVISORS

Terms Expiring in 2025	Greg Hall Tim Nielsen Louise Pearce Robert Stroud	Chippewa Investments, LLC TMPER, LLC Louise Pearce, Attorney At Law Stroud Production, LLC
Terms Expiring in 2026	Neil Havard Mark Heacock Kevin Moore Jonathan Matkins	Universal Wellhead Heacock Investments, LLC Fleaux Services DDobbs Peterbilt
Honorary	Rick Hailey John Harrell Larry Hock Dickie Jester Steve Moran Jim O'Bannon	Pinnacle Operating Company Geological Drafting Petro-Chem Operating Company, Inc. Retired Brammer Engineering, Inc. Retired

## PAST PRESIDENTS

Malissa Carroll	2024	Carol Lloyd	2000
Bonnie Fish	2023 / 2024	Jean Chappel Cooper	1999 / 1998
Malissa Carroll	2022 / 2021	Bobbie Trust	1997 / 1996
Bobbie Trust	2020 / 2019	LaVerne Broussard	1995
Sheryl Cole	2018 / 2017	Charlotte Mulford	1994
Margie Steed	2016 / 2015	Dorothy Semon	1993
Bonnie Fish	2014	Mary Frizzell	1992
Jan Soderstrom	2013	Phyllis B. Powell	1991
Dorothy Semon	2012	Sandra Causey	1990
Mary Godwin	2011 / 2010	Dorothy Semon	1989
Dee Hilliard	2009	Jane Johnson	1988
Virginia Calhoun	2008	Claudine Rosett	1987
Phyllis B. Powell	2007	Betty Ross**	1986
Sabrina Guillory	2006 / 2005	Kathy Trower	1985
Bobbie Trust	2004	Eleanor W. Brown	1984
Linda G. Presson	2003 / 2002	LaVerne Broussard	1983
Phyllis B. Powell	2001	Juanita Griffith**	1982



## 2024 Red River Desk and Derrick Committees

### STANDING COMMITTEES

Bulletin	Sheryl Cole
By-Laws	Dorothy Semon
Education/Seminars	
Field Trips	
Handbook	Sheryl Cole
Hospitality	Laura Hatcher
Membership/Orientation	
Procedures Manual	Dorothy Semon/Margie Steed
Programs	Susie Guyer
Public Relations/Publicity	
Reservations	Sabrina Guillory

### SPECIAL COMMITTEES

Activity Books	
Advisors	Laura Hatcher
Clay Shooting Tournament	Susie Guyer
Community Projects	
Convention/Regional	
Decorations	
Essay Contest	Margie Steed
Golf Tournament (RRI)	Dorothy Semon
Nominating	
Scholarship	Bobbie Trust
Ways & Means	Malissa Carroll

### SPECIAL ASSIGNMENTS

AIMEE	Malissa Carroll
E-Mails	Sheryl Cole
Parliamentarian	Dorothy Semon
Photographer	
Web Page	Sheryl Cole



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PetroTemp Services  
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