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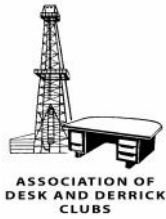
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Red River Desk and Derrick Club

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RED RIVER PRESIDENT'S LETTER

DECEMBER 2024

Malissa Carroll
2024 President

**Red River
Desk and Derrick Club
Board of Directors 2024**

President
Malissa Carroll
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Secretary
Susie Guyer
Argent Mineral Management

Treasurer
Margie Steed
Land Consultant

Immediate Past President
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Director
Arlys Milan
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Linda Porter
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Director
Dorothy Semon

Parliamentarian
Dorothy Semon

Dear Members,

Happy December!!! I hope that you and your family had a wonderful Thanksgiving.

The hustle and bustle of this holiday season is finely here! I know that this is the time of year you plan on spending with your family and friends. Just remember that Christmas is just around the corner, and to please help those who are less fortunate.

As we come to the end of another year, we reflect on the past 12 months and plan ahead for the coming 12 months. I think we've had a very productive year, and I look forward to 2025.

Our Club is very blessed to have such dedicated members. I love this organization and hope to see it get stronger! Congratulations to the 2025 board.

Our joint board meeting will be on December 10th at 5:30. It will take place at the Clubhouse at Island Park off Clyde Fant Parkway. All Members are invited. We have a great evening planned and I hope you can join us. We will also have a Secret Santa Gift Exchange. Please do not spend more than \$20.00 on the gift.

We will be installing the 2025 Red River Board of Directors on December 17th, at the Petroleum Club. I hope you can be there for this wonderful evening. The membership forms are going out so please be sure to fill out or change any information you need to and mail back to the Red River Club. Remember the amount is now \$85.00. Please do not mail to ADO or it will be returned. I would love to see Red River get 100% renewals!!!

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to you ALL!!

Missy

RED RIVER DESK AND DERRICK CLUB

NOVEMBER 19, 2024

MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES

The Red River Desk and Derrick Club Membership Meeting was held Tuesday, November 19, 2024, at the Petroleum Club. The meeting was called to order at 6:52 pm. In attendance were Malissa Carroll, Sheryl Cole, Margie Gay, Susie Guyer, Laura Hatcher, Arlys Milan, Dorothy Semon, Judy Sneed, Margie Steed, Stephanie Stuart and Bobbie Trust. We did have a quorum present.

This evening was Member Appreciation and was members only. We were treated to a jigsaw puzzle competition for entertainment. It started out a little “shaky” and the conversations were very entertaining. The game turned out to be a lot of fun. Sheryl and Susie finished first, but everyone finished.

The October Treasurer’s report was provided to each member and presented by Treasurer Margie Steed during the meeting. No corrections were necessary. The report was unanimously accepted and will be filed for audit.

The October Membership Meeting minutes were presented by Missy Carroll. Judy Sneed made a motion to accept the minutes as written. Stephanie Stuart seconded. The motion was passed with a unanimous “aye” vote.

Red River Invitational: Bobbie Trust told us that another donor had sent us \$100 to add to our proceeds, making the final profit \$19,007.17. Susie Guyer made a motion to move 50% of this profit, \$9,503.59, into the scholarship fund. The motion was seconded by Bobbie Trust and passed with a unanimous “aye” vote.

Membership still stands at 22 total. There was no correspondence to present.

New Business:

1. The “change in our advisory board” was revealed to everyone (sorry Bobbie, we had to hide it from you) that Byron Trust has been promoted to the level of Honorary Advisor.
2. The recommended 2025 Board of Red River Desk and Derrick was presented via voting slips for each member present. There being no changes and unanimous acceptance of the ballot as presented, the 2025 Board of Red River Desk and Derrick was accepted as follows.

1. Malissa Carroll – President
2. Bobbie Trust – Vice President
3. Susie Guyer – Secretary
4. Margie Steed – Treasurer
5. Linda Porter, Margie Gay, Arlys Milan and Dorothy Semon – Directors

RED RIVER DESK AND DERRICK CLUB

NOVEMBER 19, 2024

MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES

continued

3. Dinner for each member in attendance is paid for each year at the Member Appreciation meeting using our proceeds from our 50/50 raffle throughout the year. The balance in that fund is \$164. Bobbie Trust made a motion that RRDD pick up the remainder of the tab from our general fund. Dorothy Semon seconded the motion and it was passed with a unanimous “aye” vote.
4. 2025 Membership Forms were handed out to the members present. Discussion on the dues for the coming year was opened. ADDC has raised their fees to \$70 per person, so we had to increase the total of our membership fees. After some discussion Dorothy Semon made a motion that we increase our membership dues to a total of \$85, breaking down to \$70 for ADDC, \$3 for Region and \$12 for RRDD. This motion was seconded by Susie Guyer and all 2024 Board members present voted with a unanimous “aye” vote. Then Bobbie Trust made the same motion, seconded by Susie Guyer, and voted by all members present with a unanimous “aye” vote.

The program for the December Membership Meeting will be the installation of the new board, and the board meeting will be joint with the 2024 and 2025 officers.

There being no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned at 7:05 pm.

Respectfully Submitted by Susie Guyer

RED RIVER DESK AND DERRICK CLUB
NOVEMBER 2024 MEETING

Our November meeting was held Tuesday, November 19th, 2024 at the Petroleum Club of Shreveport. This monthly meeting was our closed meeting for our election of Officers.

The 2025 Officers are:

Missy Carroll	President
Bobbie Trust	Vice President
Susie Guyer	Secretary
Margie Steed	Treasurer
Directors:	Margie Gay
	Arlys Milan
	Linda Porter
	Dorothy Semon

After our election and a short business meeting the fun began! Sheryl Cole, our membership chairman, had a great game for all as we paired in two's and were given an 80-piece puzzle to put together. It was quite comical listening to the conversations of hurrying to be the 1st place winner. Sheryl had prizes for each team. Thank you, Sheryl, for such a wonderful idea!!!!

Submitted by:

Bobbie Trust



4th place: Laura Hatcher and Stephanie Stuart-Sneed finally finished their NOEL puzzle.
Everyone was a winner!

RED RIVER DESK AND DERRICK CLUB

NOTES

Update on Linda Porter. Linda has been released from the hospital but is currently in rehab. I've been told she is diligently working on her exercises so that she will be able to go home in the next few weeks.

Renewal forms have been received. If you did not attend the November membership meeting your renewal form will be e-mailed to you. Please read and follow the directions provided on the email.

Do you have any announcements: job openings, job changes, address changes, retirements, any thank you's or atta boys? I would love to share the news be it by e-mail only or to add it to our monthly Gusher.

I hope everyone has a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Sheryl Cole, Editor



DECEMBER 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

Jean Cooper - 19



JANUARY 2025

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

Kathryn Jackson - 14

Keith Atkins - 24



Mark Your Calendar

2024 Board Meetings / Membership Meetings

Red River Club Activities

Board Meetings

December 10

Membership Meetings

December 17

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE FOR 2025

January 21 **

January 28

February 18

February 25

March 18

March 25

April 15

April 22

May 20

May 27

June 17

June 24

July 15

July 22

Red River Club Activities

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, 15th Floor



Wendy Sparks

2024 ADDC President

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



Board of Directors

PRESIDENT

Wendy Sparks

Carl E. Gungoll Expl. LLC

PRESIDENT ELECT

Kathy Martin

Acadian Ambulance Service, Inc.

SECRETARY

Kelli Hiltbrand

Sutton Pump & Supply, Inc.

TREASURER

Sue Weaver

Osborn Heirs Company

IMMEDIATE PAST PRESIDENT

Barbara Pappas

Cobra Oil & Gas Corp.

PARLIAMENTARIAN

Evelyn Green

GBC Minerals

CENTRAL REGION DIRECTOR

Michelle Burgard

Devon Energy

NORTHEAST REGION DIRECTOR

Shelly Hildebrant

Hanley CPA PLLC

SOUTHEAST REGION DIRECTOR

Angie Corvers

ExxonMobil Chemicals

WEST REGION DIRECTOR

Heather Woods

Whiptail Midstream

Wendy Sparks

2024 ADDC PRESIDENT

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December 2024

My President's report given at ADDC Convention:

We've had a good year. The ADDC board meets monthly via Zoom, and we discuss financials, things going on in the regions and new and old business. A few of the first things we discussed and approved were deadlines for Club and Region Bylaw review, 2025 ADDC Board nominees, Charity Rising contract and the operating budget. This was the year of the form updates. We approved the Bylaw Amendment Forms, EAB form and most recently the new Program Form.

This year has been everything I had hoped it would be. Thought provoking discussions. Assuming some issues would be a big discussion, and they weren't...Or things I thought would be a given...were not. Building new relationships personally and professionally within this organization and strengthening old ones. Balancing my big-picture thinking with attention to detail has been challenging and welcomed. I have learned more about this organization than I ever thought possible, and I hope that I have also taught people about this organization and our industry. I loved learning about Robert's Rules and Parliamentary procedures.

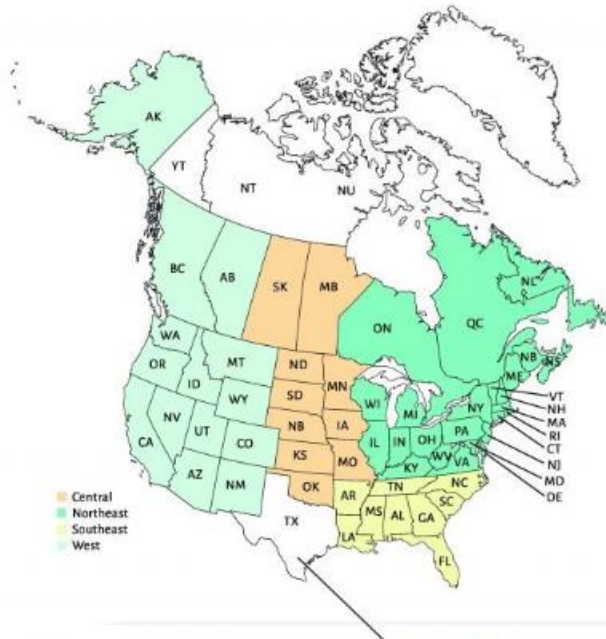
Finally, I feel this year has helped me grow as a leader in all aspects of my life. I can say that I have genuinely enjoyed this year more than I ever could have imagined and honestly more than I ever expected! I will forever be grateful to you for allowing me to be your 2024 ADDC President.

Much love,

Wendy

SOUTHEAST REGION DIRECTOR

Angie Corvers



LOUISIANA

BATON ROUGE
LAFAYETTE
MORGAN CITY
NEW ORLEANS
RED RIVER
WESTBANK

TEXAS

SAN ANTONIO
VICTORIA





Board of Directors

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Shelly Hildebrand

Hanley CPA PLLC

SOUTHEAST REGION

DIRECTOR

Angie Corvers

ExxonMobil Chemicals

WEST REGION

DIRECTOR

Heather Woods

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Angie Corvers

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DECEMBER 2024

As I begin to write my final letter to you, I am recalling the experiences I had as your 2024 Southeast Region Director. Although I had a lofty goal of visiting each club, I was only able to visit with four clubs. I installed officers for the New Orleans and Westbank Clubs, attended a meeting of the Red River Club and joined the Lafayette Club on a field trip to the State Capitol. I also attended the Westbank Club’s 48th Anniversary Luncheon. Many of you attended the first part of our Region meeting in April and the final part of the Region meeting held at Convention. There we were able to hand out contest awards and service awards for the Region, as well as complete any business not taken care of in April.

I do have some disappointing news from the Morgan City Club. They will disband at the end of the year. I hope some of the members will join other clubs in the area and continue as valued members.

I am very proud of all our Southeast Region Clubs. Our educational goals were achieved, some clubs were able to have field trips, and a good many of our members attended Convention in Dallas. We have had a good year thanks to all of you.

Thank you for allowing me to serve as your Region Director in 2024. To do so fulfilled one of my “bucket list” items. I have enjoyed my year, though it passed very quickly. I wish Jennifer all the best next year. I know you will be as helpful to her as you have been for me.

I hope everyone had a great Thanksgiving holiday. Christmas is near and I wish you all a blessed and safe holiday season.

Love to All!

Angie

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

Thank you for allowing me to spice up my 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

OFFICERS

President	Malissa Carroll	Carroll Contracting
Vice President		
Secretary	Susie Guyer	Argent Mineral Management LLC
Treasurer	Margie Steed	Land Consultant
Immediate Past President	Malissa Carroll	Carroll Contracting
Directors	Laura Hatcher	Retired
	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

Thank You to Our Employers & Advisors

Argent Mineral Management
Brammer Engineering, Inc.
Carroll Compression
Chippewa Investments, LLC
Dickie Jester
Dobbs Peterbilt
East West Bank
F. Lane Mitchell
Fleaux Services
Frank Scott Moran
Geological Drafting
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Petroleum Investments, Inc.
PetroTemp Services
Pinnacle Operating, Inc.
Pinnacle Realty Advisors
Regal Plastics
Specialty Sales, Inc.
Stroud Production, LLC
TMPER, LLC
Universal Wellhead