

TOP PAY

Desk and Derrick Club of Midland West Region

...learning about the energy industry...
...raising money for scholarships...
...volunteering and charity donations...
...networking...
...socializing and having fun...

JANUARY ISSUE

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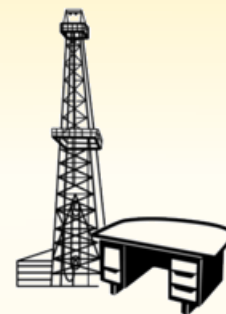
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THIS MONTH'S EVENT(S)

- Tue Jan 14 6:00 pm Club Meeting Membership Drive
Melissa Mulloy's home, 4600 Greentree Blvd.
- Thu Jan 16 6:00 pm Volunteer Event PBPA 2024 Top Hand Award Banquet
Petroleum Club of Midland, 501 W. Wall St.
Details in Public Relations Committee Report

NEXT MONTH'S CLUB EVENT(S)

- Mon Feb 10 6:00 pm Club Meeting tba
Speaker Mona Koshaba ~ Subsurface Library
What is an Oil and Gas Library?

SPECIAL EVENT(S)

- West Region Meeting Apr 25 - 26 Midland, TX
ADDC Convention and Educational Conference Sep 16 - 20, 2025 San Antonio, TX

ENTRY DEADLINE FOR NEXT MONTH

- 5 days before the end of this month Send to greetings.ingrid@gmail.com

ADDC DIRECTIVES

ASSOCIATION OF DESK AND DERRICK CLUBS

ADDC is the energy industry association that brings everyone together to build better careers, companies and communities. Membership is open to those employed in or affiliated with the petroleum, energy, and allied industries as well as individuals interested in increasing their knowledge about these industries, who can benefit from broad-based, cross-functional training.

MOTTO

Greater Knowledge - Greater Service
Adopted in 1957

PURPOSE

To promote the education 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 as well as the companies and global communities the members serve.

Adopted in 1987; Amended in 2015

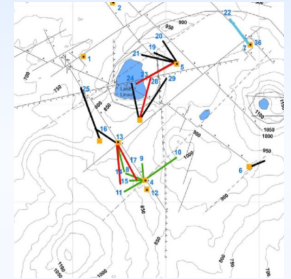
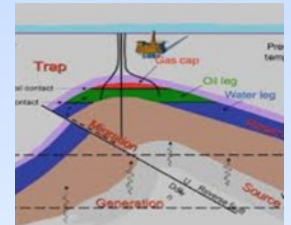
MISSION STATEMENT

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.

Adopted in 1957

VALUES

Integrity / Accountability
Leadership
Professionalism
Teamwork
Adopted in 2015



BOARD

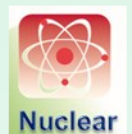
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STANDING COMMITTEES

- **Bylaws** *Seeking Chairman* *Seeking (Back-up) Co-Chairman*
update Bylaws, Policy Codes & Duty Sheets as needed; time requirement: 0 - 3 times/year
- **Education** . . . *Seeking Chairman* *Seeking (Back-up) Co-Chairman*
inform of energy related education opportunities ; time requirement: once a month
- **Finance** *Seeking Chairman* *Seeking (Back-up) Co-Chairman*
oversee the financial status of the Club; quarterly
- **Membership** . . *Seeking Chairman* *Seeking (Back-up) Co-Chairman*
turn in & provide membership information & roster; time requirement: 0-1 times a month
- **Public Relations** . *Seeking Chairman* *Seeking (Back-up) Co-Chairman*
build a positive image & increase visibility; time requirement: once a month

SPECIAL COMMITTEES

- **Black Gold Golf Tournament** *Seeking Co-Chairman*
 Chairman Melissa Mulloy melissa.mulloy@fescoinc.com
- **Bulletin** *Seeking Chairman*
compile a monthly bulletin; time requirement: once a month
 Co-Chair Ingrid Burton greetings.ingrid@gmail.com
- **Contest** *Seeking Chairman* *Seeking (Back-up) Co-Chairman*
select entries for the AIMEE Awards; time requirement: once a year
- **Fundraiser** . . . *Seeking Chairman* *Seeking (Back-up) Co-Chairman*
hold functions to raise money for Club funds; time requirement: 1-2 times a year
- **Nomination and Election** . . *Seeking Chairman* *Seeking (Back-up) Co-Chairman*
review & submit list nominees for next year's Board and oversee voting; time requirements: 3 times a year
- **Hospitality and Reservation** . *Seeking Chairman* *Seeking (Back-up) Co-Chairman*
welcome members and guests at meetings and obtain meeting reservations: time requirement: once a month
- **Industry Appreciation** . . . *Seeking Chairman* *Seeking (Back-up) Co-Chairman*
banquet to salute the energy industry & give recognition; time requirement: once a year
- **Program** *Seeking Chairman* *Seeking (Back-up) Co-Chairman*
provide educational speakers for meetings; time requirement: 9 times a year
- **2025 West Region Meeting** . . *Seeking Sub-Committee Chairmen and Volunteers*
 Co-GAC Kuohui Suchecki kuohui.suchecki@apachecorp.com
 Co-GAC Ingrid Burton greetings.ingrid@gmail.com
- **Ruth Donnell Scholarship** . . *Seeking (Back-up) Co-Chairman*
review scholarship applications; time requirement: 3 times a year
 Chairman Veronica Brewer veronica_brewer@oxy.com



BULLETIN COMMITTEE

Template has been prepared for easy updates for someone to volunteer as Chairman.

CONTEST COMMITTEE

The AIMEE (Achievement in Maintaining Energy Excellence) Awards is a competition of specific categories between the Clubs in a Region. Entries are submitted in December and First, Second, and Third Place winners are announced and winners are presented with a certificate at Region Meeting.

The First Place Region entries are then submitted for competition at the Association level. At the ADDC Convention, First, Second, and Third Place winners are announced and winners are presented with a certificate. First Place winners are also be presented with a gold AIMEE pin.

MEMBERS ARE GREATLY ENCOURAGED TO PRESENT SUBMISSIONS for this honorable achievement; submit to the Bulletin Chairman. Listed below are the categories.

- **Best Industry Article**

Article must be on a phase of the industry. This may be an editorial, news story or feature story; CANNOT be a program, seminar, or D&D activity review, recap, or write-up.

- **Best Desk and Derrick Article**

Article must be about D&D's history, leaders, or events.

- **Best Industry Program**

Must be presented at a regular monthly meeting and must be an energy industry related topic.

- **Best Desk and Derrick Program**

Must be presented at a regular monthly meeting by current D&D member(s). Program should educate members and non-members about Desk and Derrick's history, leaders, or events.

- **Best Industry Seminar**

Seminar must be an energy industry related topic presented in a teaching/learning format to club members outside of a monthly membership meeting. Seminar must be one planned and/or hosted by the Club submitting the entry. Only the Host Club may submit entries for seminars given at a Region Meeting or Convention.

- **Best Industry Field Trip**

Field Trip must be energy industry related. Field Trip must be one planned and/or hosted by the Club submitting the entry. Only the Host Club may submit entries for field trips given at a Region Meeting or Convention.

- **Best Industry Photo**

Photograph must be energy industry related and taken by a current D&D member.



EDUCATION COMMITTEE**ADDC Petroleum Tech Certification**

A Petroleum Technician Certificate of completion will be given to individuals who have attended and passed the comprehensive examination for the six subjects included in the curriculum. Classes may be taken at Conventions, Region Meetings, or online.

The six subjects are:

- Geology
- Land and Leasing
- Drilling
- Completion and Production
- Marketing
- Accounting

ADDC Energy Tech Certification

An Energy Technician Certificate of completion will be given to individuals who have attended and passed the comprehensive examination for subjects included in the curriculum.

The approval for this Certification was passed at the 2024 September Convention. The first class offered is Energy 101 and gives in-depth information on different types of energy. Information about the rest of the subjects for this certification are currently being examined and will be offered at future at Conventions, Region Meetings, or online.

PUBLIC RELATIONS COMMITTEE**Permian Basin Petroleum Association ~ 2024 Top Hand Award Banquet**

Volunteers are needed for the Permian Basin Petroleum Association with registration and seating location for the 2024 Top Hand Award Banquet. You are welcome to stay for the Banquet.

When: Thursday, January 16
6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Where: Petroleum Club of Midland
501 W. Wall Street (*parking in the back*)

Dress: Business Professional attire (*no jeans, please*)

To volunteer: Text your name to 432 . 631.1014 (*Ingrid Burton*)



WEST REGION MEETING COMMITTEE

This year it is our Club's turn to host the West Region Meeting. Our Region consist of eight Clubs with approximately 180 members. We are hoping for at least 50 to attend.

We hope you will volunteer to head up, or volunteer to help with, one of the Committees listed below. This will be an easy endeavor and successful event if members volunteer to assist with a few hours of their time.

- **Awards / Gift Committee**
Ensure all certificates, pins, awards and gifts received are ready for each meeting
Time frame: complete by Wednesday, April 22
- **Decoration Committee - Awards Luncheon**
Decorate and set out required items; clean up
Time frame: Saturday, April 27
- **Decoration Committee - Banquet**
Decorate and set out required items; clean up
Time frame: Saturday, April 26
- **Decoration Committee - Icebreaker**
Decorate and set out required items; clean up
Time frame: Friday, April 25
- **Field Trip Transportation Committee**
Pick up and return vans; be a van driver for a Field Trip
Time frame: pick up Thursday, April 24; drive & return Friday, April 25
- **Swag Bag Committee**
Bag items for each member and guests and hand out
Time frame: complete by Wednesday, April 24
NOTE: All members are encouraged to acquire items, but first please check with Chairman for list of donators to ensure we are not asking the same person/company twice
- **Hospitality Room / Reservation / Club Sales Committee**
Set up manning shifts; upkeep required hospitality items; help Clubs set up their sale items
Time frame: Thursday, April 25 - Sunday, April 27
- **Photograph Committee**
Solicit photographer(s) for the event
Time frame: complete by Wednesday, April 24
- **Printing Committee**
Print required materials for the Region Meeting
Time frame: complete by Wednesday, April 24
- **Registration Committee**
Receive, tabulate, and set reservations for each member and guests; compile and hand out reservation packets
Time frame: as soon as packet sent out through Thursday, April 25
- **Sponsorship Committee**
Obtain and track Company / Individual sponsors
Time frame: through Thursday, April 25
NOTE: All members are encouraged to acquire sponsorships, but first please check with Chairman for list of sponsors to ensure we are not asking the same person/company twice



THERE'S A FIRST TIME FOR EVERYTHING!



Happy New Year! I hope that you and your family and friends had a happy and safe holiday season and are starting the year off with a bang 🎆, which by definition means beginning with a lot of energy, enthusiasm, or success! I will lean on the amazing presidents that have paved the way and on the wonderful board, committees and members. This

will be a busy year for our Midland Desk and Derrick Club! We will be hosting the West Region Meeting here in our Tall City on April 25 – 26, 2025, and it will be all hands on deck, so we will need all the help we can get. There will be members traveling from Canada, New Mexico and Texas to join us for this meeting which will include an awesome field trip, entertaining ice breaker, delightful banquet and more. There will be plenty of volunteer opportunities and educational experiences to be had!

Most terms start off with a theme. As a first-time president, our theme is "There's a first time for everything!" With that spirit, please get involved, even if it is your first or hundredth time. Join a committee or even say to yourself, "I can lead this bad boy," and be a chairman. I know that we are all super busy, but even a little time can go a long way. We will make it as smooth as possible, and you will never be on that island 🌴 alone singing, "All by myself..." Our organization is only as good as we make it, and we really have terrific members and a talent base that we do not want to see go unnoticed or underutilized. Challenges may happen along the way, but it will be rewarding and fun!

Please come to me or the board with any suggestions, ideas or questions. I am a ~~good~~ great listener! I look forward to spending time with all of you, and for us to learn from each other and do fantastic things!

Yours truly,

Kuohui Suchecki

2025 President, Midland Desk and Derrick Club



Desk and Derrick Program

December Meeting By Ingrid Burton

The December Club Meeting was held at the home of Marnee Lane. This was an informal gathering celebrating Christmas. Marnee provided an array of delicious snack foods, and a choice of a “strong” beverage or a “mild” beverage, which were quite tasty. Lots of socialization took place.

Fifteen members and one guest were present. Members were asked to review their information and photograph for the Membership Booklet, a tradition that is being brought back, which helps members see what other members look like, have their contact information, and a little background information. A Committee Chairman sign up sheet was also available for members to sign up for.

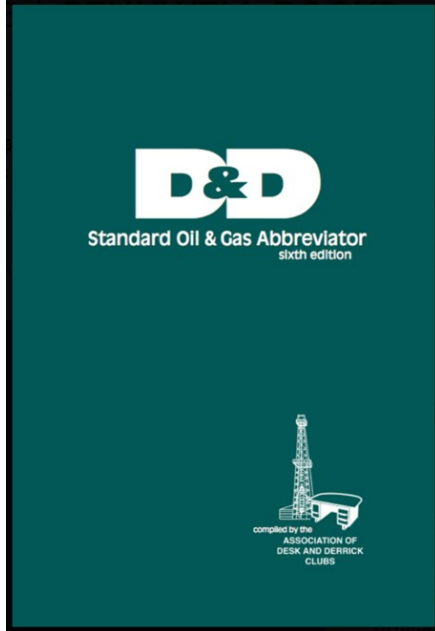
A gift was presented to Amanda Espinosa, the 2024 President, for her year of service to the Club. Amanda presented Kuohui Suchecki, the 2025 President, with a gift to start off her year on a good note.



Desk and Derrick Article

The D&D Standard Oil and Gas Abbreviator

by Ingrid Burton



Many of you may recognize D&D as associated with Desk and Derrick. But you may not know what the Standard Oil & Gas Abbreviator is, or its history.

In keeping with its educational goal, ADDC printed the D&D Standard Oil Abbreviator, a handbook of commonly used terms and phrases in the oil industry and their shorthand connotations, in 1965. This book was developed from an idea proposed by Bettye Lyn Hatcher of Monahans, Texas, member of the Desk and Derrick Club of Monahans. She presented the idea in a feature story in her Club's bulletin, *The Direct Line*. Her story described the plight of a young secretary on her first assignment with an oil company, trying to decipher the strange looking language in a drilling report. With no key to unlock the mystery of this language, she was completely lost.

Contributions came from members of all Clubs and in all branches of the industry, from exploration to marketing. Every effort was made to make the first product as complete as possible. To this day, through the PennWell Corporation, ADDC members provide updates to the D&D Standard Oil & Gas Abbreviator.

This best-selling guide offers more than 11,500 definitions of oil field terms. In its sixth edition, it provides valuable information about:

- Abbreviations with Definitions
- Definitions with Abbreviations
- Abbreviations for Logging Tools and Services
- Federal Environmental Acronyms
- Pipe Coating Terminology and Definitions
- Mnemonics - Service Names and Computational Products
- Abbreviations for Companies, Associations, and Organizations in U.S. and Canada
- Abbreviations for Companies, Associations, and Organizations outside U.S. and Canada
- Common Oilfield Spellings
- API Standard Oil Mapping Symbols
- Mathematical symbols and signs
- Frequently Cited Chemical Abbreviations
- Frequently Cited Additives Abbreviations
- Frequently Cited Fluids Used as Cushion Abbreviations

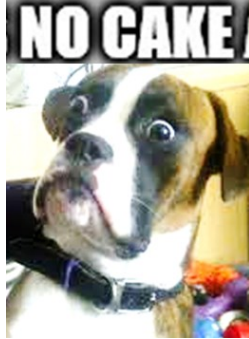
This is an indispensable tool in the oil, gas and energy industries. The information included in this book has made writing tasks within energy and its related industries simpler and has, through the years, added consistency to industry reports.




Members FYI

You are encouraged to submit anything you would like to share with the Club! Email Bulletin Committee Co-Chair.

This Month's Birthdays



Next Month's Birthdays

my birthday	Feb 09	Brenda Norman
	Feb 23	Evie Gandy
coming soon		

Save The Date

Commit to help.



2025 WEST REGION MEETING
Region Director: Wanda Guenther
Host Club: Midland

DATES:
April 25 - 26

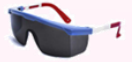
LODGING:
Sleep Inn & Suites Midland West
\$95 / room; 2 Queen beds

PACKET COMING OUT SOON!



Tentative 2025 D&D Monthly Calendar of Meetings and Events

January	Tue	14	Club Meeting	Membership Drive
	Thu	16	Volunteer Event	PBPA 2024 Top Hand Awards Banquet
February	Mon	10	Club Meeting	Mona Koshaba What is an Oil & Gas Library?
March	Tue	18	Club Meeting	Ingrid Burton Desk and Derrick Awareness
April	Mon	14	Club Meeting	Tentative Speaker
	tba		Fundraiser	Black Gold Golf Tournament
	Fri-Sat	25-26	West Region Meeting	Hosted by the Club of Midland
May	Tue	13	Club Meeting	Tentative Speaker
June	Mon	9	Club Meeting	Tentative Speaker
July	tba		Social Function	
August	Mon	11	Club Function	Tentative Speaker
September	Tue	9	Club Meeting	Tentative Speaker
	Tue-Sat	16-20	ADDC Convention and Educational Conference	
October	Mon	13	Club Meeting	Industry Appreciation Banquet
November	Sat	8	Fundraiser	Bunco
	Tue	11	Closed Club Meeting	Election of 2026 Board & Committee Chair sign-up
December	Mon	8	Club Meeting	Christmas Party & 2026 Membership Drive



Invitation to PBPA Top Hand Award Banquet



The Permian Basin Petroleum Association

cordially requests the honor of your presence
to attend the

2024 Top Hand Award Banquet

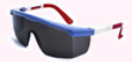
honoring

Mr. Dennis Johnson
of Summit Petroleum

Thursday, the sixteenth of January
two thousand and twenty five

Petroleum Club of Midland
501 Wall St

Six o'clock Reception, Seven o'clock Banquet Dinner
Black Tie Optional
Valet service available



Invitation to PBPA Top Hand Award Banquet

2024 Top Hand Award Banquet

REPLY CARD

Ballroom Tables

MAIN BALLROOM

Diamond - \$10,000 • Platinum - \$5,000 • Gold - \$3,000

NORTH DINING ROOM

Silver - \$1,500 • Individual Seating - \$250

NAME _____

COMPANY _____

TABLE SELECTION _____ PHONE _____

BILLING ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

EMAIL _____

Guest List

1 _____ 5 _____

2 _____ 6 _____

3 _____ 7 _____

4 _____ 8 _____

Payment

TOTAL AMOUNT \$ _____

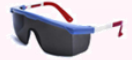
CHECK ENCLOSED (Payable to PBPA) BILL ME (Members Only)

VISA MASTERCARD AMEX
(+3% Credit Card fee)

CC# _____ EXP. ____/____ CVC _____ ZIP _____

Your contribution is tax deductible to the extent of the law.
The fair market value is \$250 per person.

Questions? Jamie Ramirez-Lujan | 432-684-6345 | jamie@pbpa.info



2025 Membership Application

PLEASE SUBMIT YOUR 2025 MEMBERSHIP FORM BY THE END OF JANUARY



Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs

2025 Membership Form

The Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs (ADDC), an international non-profit organization, is a premier provider of energy education and professional development. ADDC's purpose shall be to promote the education 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 as well as the companies and global communities the members serve.

Club: Midland Region: West Mailing Address: _____

Submission Type: Renewal New Member City: _____ State: _____

Member Type: Professional Student Country: United States Zip: _____

Birth month & day _____ Office Phone: _____

Last Name: _____ Home Phone: _____

First Name: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Company Name: _____ Primary Email: _____

Job Title: _____ Secondary Email: _____

Age: 21-30 31-40 41-50 51-60 61-70 71-80 80+

NOTE: Membership Dues and Donations to the Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs are not tax deductible as CHARITABLE CONTRIBUTIONS but may qualify as BUSINESS DEDUCTIONS on Federal and State Tax Returns. DUES WILL NOT BE USED FOR LOBBYING PURPOSES.

Release Name: For purposes of membership recruiting, I authorize the Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs to release my name as part of a list of ADDC members.

Release Name? Yes No

Corporate Contribution: Amount _____ Local Regional Association

Dues: \$105 Association Dues - **Professional:** \$70 Club: \$33 Region: \$2
Dues: \$25 Association Dues - **Student:** \$15 Club: \$8 Region: \$2

RETURN THE COMPLETED FORM WITH FULL PAYMENT TO: PO Box 1504, Midland, TX 79702 _____
 Return ONLY to your club. Renewal forms submitted directly to ADO will be returned without processing.

Signed _____ Date: _____

CLUB FYI

“LIKE” us on Facebook: www.facebook.com/MidlandDeskandDerrick

Club Mailing Address: PO Box 1504, Midland, TX 79705

Club of Midland Affiliation Date: November 15, 1951

REGION FYI

“LIKE” us on Facebook: WestRegion@WestRegionADDC

West Region History:

1951 - Region VII established

1951 - Region VIII established

1953 - Region V established (*Club of Midland*)

1954 - Realignment of Region VII to include Provinces of Alberta, Manitoba, and Saskatchewan, Canada, and states of Colorado, Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Utah, and Wyoming

1995 - Revision of Region VII to include Club of Long Beach, California, Club of Puget Sound, Washington, and Club of San Francisco, California

1996 - Revision of Region V to include the California Clubs of Bakersfield, Los Angeles, Orange Count, Taft, and Ventura

1996 - Revision of Region V to include the Club of Long Beach, California

2019 - Realignment of Region V and Region VIII to become West Region; Club of Wichita Falls, Texas became part of Central Region

ADDC FYI

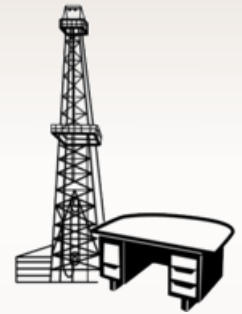
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ADDC Website: addc.org

ADDC Website Email: ado@addc.org

ADDC Scholarship: The Desk and Derrick Educational Trust was established in 1982 for the purpose of awarding scholarship to students pursuing a degree in a major field of study related to the petroleum, energy, or allied industries, with the objective of obtaining full time employment in the industry.

Learn more at www.theeducationaltrust.org.



Association of
DESK and DERRICK
Clubs



Region Director's Letter



Board of Directors

PRESIDENT

Kathy Martin
Acadian Ambulance
Service, Inc.

PRESIDENT ELECT

Evelyn Green
GBC Minerals

SECRETARY

Heather Woods
Whiptail Midstream

TREASURER

Christina Forth

IMMEDIATE PAST

PRESIDENT
Wendy Sparks
Carl E. Gungoll Expl. LLC

PARLIAMENTARIAN

Judi Adams
Retired

CENTRAL REGION

DIRECTOR
Nichole Harney
Cobra Oil and Gas Co.

NORTHEAST REGION

DIRECTOR
Emily VanHaaften
Simple Desk LLC

SOUTHEAST REGION

DIRECTOR
Jennifer Accardo
Smith Mason & Co.

WEST REGION

DIRECTOR
Wanda Guenther
Lone Wolf Enterprises

Wanda Guenther
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January 2025

Hello West Region Club Presidents and Members!

I am wishing each member of our Association a Very Happy New Year!

I appreciate the chance to represent the West Region on the 2025 ADDC Board and look forward to learning more about the 8 clubs in our region and the members who make up those clubs.

The ADDC Budget & Planning meeting will be held on Saturday, January 25, 2025 on Goggle Me. If your club has any issues or concerns that you would like to be brought up at the meeting, please email me no later than January 17th.

The West Region Meeting will be held in Midland, Texas on April 25 to 26, 2025. The planning committee is busy working out the details for the upcoming Region meetings. More information will be included in the February letter.

New Club Officer forms (ADO-31) need to be submitted to ADO and myself, if you have not already done so.

The BOARD is in need of West Region Representatives for every position except Program and Registrar. Many of these committees do not take a great deal of time. If any of the members in the WEST region are able to fill one of these positions, please let myself know and I will forward all names onto Kathy Martin (ADDC President).

Committee	ADDC Chairman	Board Contact	WEST Region Representative
Club Bylaws	Judi Adams	Heather Woods	
Guidelines Review	Shelley Hildebrant	Heather Woods	
Education/Certification	Philana Thompson	Wendy Sparks	
Finance Review	Barbara Pappas	Wendy Sparks	
Membership	Evelyn Green	Kathy Martin	
Program	Kim Cadle	Evelyn Green	Audra Horton
Public Relations	Helen Trujillo (?)	Wendy Sparks	
Rules	Keith Atkins (?)	Wendy Sparks	
Tax Exempt - US	Christina Forth	Christina Forth	
Tax Exempt - Canada	Wanda Guenther	Christina Forth	
Contest		Heather Woods	
Leadership		Christina Forth	
Marketing	Melissa Thibodeaux	Wendy Sparks	
Nominating	Philana Thompson	Kathy Martin	
Registrar	Gay Wheeler	Heather Woods	Esther Greyeyes
Technology		Wendy Sparks	

Volunteers do not necessarily have the time; they have the heart! – Elizabeth Andrew

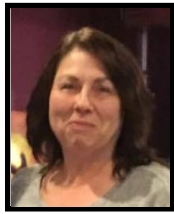


WEST REGION CLUB PRESIDENTS

Club of Abilene	Sherry Meers	sherrymeers@aol.com	(Texas)
Club of Amarillo	Shauna Wilson	shauna.wilson@anb.com	(Texas)
Club of Artesia	Patricia Wood	patriciaann55@gmail.com	(New Mexico)
Club of Farmington	Nicole Alley	nicole@walsheng.net	(New Mexico)
Club of Grande Prairie	Kirsten Koslov	kirstenwood@msn.com	(Canada)
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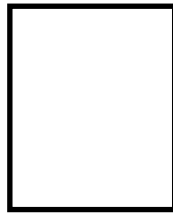


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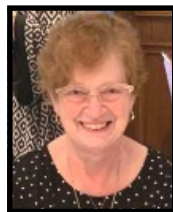
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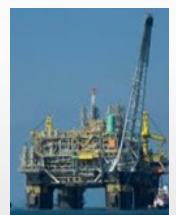
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January, 2025

Happy New Year and Welcome to 2025!

Hope each of you had a wonderful holiday season, enjoyed time with loved ones and made it on Santa's Nice List! 😊 It is truly an honor and a privilege to serve as your 2025 ADDC President with an amazing 2025 ADDC Board - all here to serve YOU the members! As we usher in 2025, I am filled with enthusiasm and optimism for what this year holds for our Association!

A HUGE shout out to Wendy Sparks and the 2024 Board for their insight and service. Wendy has led with grace and stewardship and her guidance has provided the Association with a solid base to begin 2025! Let's start the year off right and ensure everyone has submitted their ADO31 form to identify new club officers!

We are currently 602 members strong (w/1 student) and membership renewals have been distributed to all club presidents. Let's set a goal to have 100% renewals and grow by 5% - that's only 30 members! Together, I am certain it is achievable. Please remember that all membership forms are due to ADO no later than February 28, 2025! It is imperative that we receive renewals as soon as possible in order to prepare an accurate budget for the year!

Speaking of budget, the 2025 Budget and Planning Meeting is scheduled for Saturday, January 25, 2025 via Google Meet. If you have anything you would like to have brought before the Board, please contact your Region Director.

Thank you to everyone who has stepped up to serve on the 2025 ADDC Committees, both as Chair and/or as region representatives! Our organization is stronger because of your commitment! If you ever wanted to "dip your toe" at the Association level, a committee is a great way to do it! You can find a full description of each committee on the ADDC website at ADDC.org.

As I step into the role of 2025 ADDC President, I am thrilled to represent our outstanding members and lead us into a year filled with promise and potential. Together, we will strive to achieve our goals and foster growth within our association and industries. Your support and participation are key to making 2025 a year to remember.

Looking forward to a GREAT year!

Yours truly,
Kathy Martin

"Believe you can and you're halfway there." - Theodore Roosevelt



ADDC Ad-Hoc Committee Recommendation: Dissolving the Regions



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November 22nd, 2024

To: 2024 ADDC Board of Directors and 2025 ADDC Board of Directors

The Ad-Hoc Committee would like to present our final recommendations for consideration of proposing bylaw amendments.

1. Dissolution of the four regions of ADDC
 - a. Eliminate Region Directors
 - b. Eliminate Region Meetings
 - c. Region funds distributed according to Region Fund Bylaws
2. Create two 'Communications Director' board positions
 - a. Communications Director(s) serves as the liaison between ADDC Clubs & ADDC Board of Directors
 - b. No distinction of geographical areas. The ADDC Board shall divide the clubs under a Director based on current membership at B&P.
 - c. Qualifications: Shall have served or be serving as a Club President; must be willing to communicate with Clubs and serve as their voice to the ADDC Board.
 - d. Elected according to current ADDC Bylaws Article IX, Section 2
 - e. Caveat if membership falls below 300, position would automatically reduce to one Communications Director without the requirement of bylaw amendments to approve.
3. Restructure ADDC Committees
 - a. Chairman, Board Contact and 1-2 volunteers (as needed)
 - b. AIMEE's presented only at Convention
 - i. Chairman, Board Contact and 3-4 volunteers
 - ii. Chairman assigns clubs to obtain judges for each category
4. Convention Hosting
 - a. ADDC Board assumes GAC role and assigns committee based on location where Convention will be held.

If the proposed bylaw amendments pass at Convention in 2025, we recommend a special vote following Convention to determine the two Communications Director(s) from the pool of 2026 Region Director-Elects so the position would be effective January 1st, 2026.

I would like to thank the members of the Ad-Hoc committee who gave valuable input during our discussions so we could present what we feel is a beneficial change to allow our organization to keep moving forward; Jamie Gilmore (Central), Penny Jacobs (Northeast), Malissa Carroll (Southeast) and JoAnn Weiss (West).

If you have any questions or need clarification, please do not hesitate to ask.

Sincerely,

Kelli Hiltbrand
 2024 Ad-Hoc Committee Chair

