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Red River Desk and Derrick Club

Membership Meeting March 25, 2025

Petroleum Club—15th Floor 5:30 p.m.

March Speaker

Judy Sneed

Topic: Louisiana Oil and Gas Museum, Oil City, LA

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RED RIVER PRESIDENT'S LETTER

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RED RIVER DESK & DERRICK CLUB 2025 MARCH

Dear Red River Members,

Spring is just around the corner and I am so ready for it!! March is Desk and Derrick Awareness month. Let's keep up the hard work, I know it hard to get new members, just keep trying. The members we have are what keeps our club going and I am very proud of each of you that work hard to make that happen. I am so glad to be a part of this great Organization. This year's SE Region meeting will be held Saturday, April 22, in San Antonio. This meeting will be a combined Zoom/In Person Meeting. I will be hosting a Brunch at my house, 1166 E. Kings Highway, Shreveport, LA 71105. Unless boundaries change, Red River Club will be next in line to host in 2026.

The program for the March Membership Meeting will be presented by member Judy Sneed who works with the Louisiana State Oil and Gas Museum in Oil City, LA. Northwest Louisiana definitely has some of the greatest oil and gas history in the United States. This should be a really fun and interesting presentation. Scholarship letters will be forwarded to the customary universities, and we anxiously await the students' applications. If you know of any college junior or senior who is in the process of earning a degree in a field (i.e. chemical engineering, geology...) that allows them to seek employment in the energy industry, please contact them to make sure they are aware of the scholarships we offer. One of the best and most important thing we do is offering support and encouragement to the students who represent the future of our industry.

Red River Invitational Golf Tournament will be celebrating its 25th year. The tournament will be held Thursday, May 15th, at The Club at Huntington Park. We intend to try to make it a celebration so volunteers will be needed.

Happy St. Patrick's Day

Missy

RED RIVER DESK AND DERRICK CLUB FEBRUARY 25, 2025 MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES

The Red River Desk and Derrick Club Membership Meeting was held Tuesday, February 25, 2025, at the Petroleum Club. The meeting was called to order at 6: 46 pm. In attendance were Malissa Carroll, Sheryl Cole, Jean Cooper, Susie Guyer, Arlys Milan, Linda Porter, Judy Sneed, Margie Steed, Stephanie Stuart and Bobbie Trust. We did have a quorum present. Also attending the program portion was advisor Byron Trust, as well as 1 guest speaker for a total of 12 in attendance.

The program for the evening was presented by Raymond Regard from Regard Resources. Regard Resources is a natural gas processing company. Regard has a large selection of gas plants and equipment in inventory which are used to clean and separate the different components of natural gas to be ready to sell. They can sell or rent to customers and will service the equipment in either case. Quoting from Regard's website: "We have enjoyed international recognition as a reasonable, reliable, and responsive source of professional engineering, design, procurement, installation and operation of Joule-Thompson units, refrigeration systems, amine systems, dehydrators, and associated processing vessels." Our members learned that natural gas has many components that serve different purposes including liquid natural gas, propane, butane and methane, just to name a few. I have to say I did not understand all the information but I understand it a little more now than I did before the presentation. Thank you Raymond Regard for your patience with our questions and for being a part of our Red River Desk and Derrick Club.

The January Treasurer's report was emailed by Treasurer Margie Steed on the 24th. No corrections were necessary. The report was unanimously accepted and will be filed for audit.

Minutes from the January Membership Meeting were provided. There being no discussion, a motion was made by Bobbie Trust to accept them as written, and Arlys Milan seconded the motion. A unanimous "aye" passed and minutes will be filed as presented.

Membership renewals as of this meeting stand at 19. The 50/50 fundraiser brought in \$30, with Susie Guyer having the winning ticket to take away \$15. There was no correspondence to present.

Members were reminded of some old business:

1. Red River Invitational: The tournament will be held Thursday, May 15th, at The Club at Huntington Park. We will serve barbeque lunches this year. But we really need another food trailer sponsor for out around the course. This will be the 25th year for our RRI tournament. We intend to try to make it a celebration.

RED RIVER DESK AND DERRICK CLUB FEBRUARY 25, 2025

MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES

- 2. Southeast Region Meeting: The meeting will be held virtually again this year on Saturday, March 22nd. Missy Carroll will host a viewing party at her home that morning, with a potluck brunch. The actual meeting will be in San Antonio, TX, and will be hosted via Zoom. Unless boundaries change, Red River Club will be next in line to host in 2026.
- 3. The 2025 ADDC Convention will also be held in San Antonio, TX. Those dates are September 16-20, 2025.
- 4. We will continue to gather school supplies for Mooringsport, LA schools. We decided to do this in May-June so we could have the supplies to the teachers by the time school starts in the fall.
- 5. Our fall toy drive will be for St. Jude Children's Hospital for Children in Shreveport. We have been told that many of the children do not have family nearby and the staff use their own money and resources to make Christmas good for these children. These toys will be gathered during September and October meetings. As a side note: St. Jude Children's Research Hospital is an affiliate of LSU Health in Shreveport.

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There being no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned at 6:58 pm.

Respectfully Submitted by Susie Guyer, Secretary

RED RIVER DESK AND DERRICK CLUB Notes from the Editor

Continued Prayers for LaVerne Broussard, Dorothy Semon, and Phillip Semon

A reminder the cost of the meals at our membership meeting has increased to \$26.00, please make a note of this. Also, there is a standing reservation form included in this edition, please feel free to fill it out and send to Bobbie Trust.

Please be considerate and notify Bobbie Trust if you are attending the membership meetings if you do not have a standing reservation. The Petroleum Club meeting room has to be set up for tables and dinners prior to our meeting and it is so much easier when we are adequately prepared.

ATTENTION, WE ARE ACTIVELY LOOKING FOR SPEAKERS FOR OUR MONTHLY MEETINGS IF YOU KNOW OF SOMEONE PLEASE LET CONTACT BOBBIE TRUST— bobbie.trust@comcast.net

MARCH 2025

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2	3	4 CARNIVAL	5 ASH WEDNESDAY	6	7	8
9 DAY LIGHT SAVINGS BEGINS	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17 ST. PATRICKS DAY	18 Board Meeting	19	20	21	22
23	24	25 MEMBERSHIP MEETING	26	27	28	29
30	31					



BIRTHDAYS



APRIL 2025

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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		APRIL FOOL'S				
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	Board Meeting	16	17	18 GOOD FRIDAY	19
20 EASTER	21	22 MEMBERSHIP MEETING	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30			



BIRTHDAYS

Victoria Ashley 8



Mark Your Calendar

2025 Board Meetings / Membership Meetings

Red River Club Activities

SCHEDULE FOR 2025

Board Meetings		Membership Meetings
March 18		March 25
April 21		April 28
May 20		May 27
June 17		June 24
July	NO MEETING	July
August 19		August 26
September 9*	ADDC Convention	September 23
October 21		October 28
November 10*	CLOSED	November 17*
December 9* JOINT	BOARD	December 16*

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE FOR 2026

January 20 January 27

Red River Club Activities

March 22, Southeast Region Meeting, San Antonio, Tx and ZOOM
March 25, Desk and Derrick Awareness Month Celebration
TBD May 15, Red River Invitational Golf Tournament
May 27, Industry Appreciation and Scholarship Awards Presentation
September 16-21, ADDC Convention, San Antonio, TX
October 28, Essay Contest Award Ceremony

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

RED RIVER INVITATIONAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

THURSDAY, MAY 15, 2025



THE CLUB AT HUNTINGTON PARK 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)

LUNCH PROVIDED

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).

Mail entries NOW to reserve your spot. Build your own team. Teams will be set by 5:00 p.m., Monday. May 12, 2025.

Scores flighted after play and prizes awarded to 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place in each flight, depending upon number of entries. Refreshments available on the course. Contests offered include: Hole in One (sponsored by Yokem Toyota), Longest Drive, and Closest to Hole.

PURPOSE OF RED RIVER INVITATIONAL

In 1997, Red River Desk and Derrick Club, a 501c3 organization, (Federal I.D. 72-0947732) established the Phyllis B. Powell Scholarship Award to honor one of its former presidents whose dedication to the pursuit of an education was an inspiration to all. The Award provides scholarships to qualified college juniors and seniors majoring in oil, gas and/or the allied industries and is funded from members, other interested individuals, companies, fundraisers, and memorials. It is presented each May at the Industry/Adviser Appreciation Banquet, and 139 students attending twelve area universities have received the award over the past twenty-four years. An Essay Contest for middle school students is held annually as well. Desk and Derrick members are also encouraged to attend seminars to further personal and professional education.

Please complete the form below and return with your check made payable to Red River Desk and Derrick Club. Mail to Red River Desk & Derrick Club, ATTN: Bobbie Trust, P. O. Box 1863, Shreveport, Louisiana 71166-1863.

2025 REGISTRATION FORM

NAME		COMPANY NAME				
ADDRESS	CITY AND	STATE	ZIP	CELL PHONE	BUS. PHONE	
FAX	EMAIL /	ADDRESS				
PLAYER 1	COMPANY		PLAYER	2 CC	MPANY	
PLAYER 3	COMPANY		PLAYER	R4 C	OMPANY	
Platinum G	oldSilver	Bronze	Hole S	ponsorl	Door Prize	
Interested	in providing a cook	ing station_				
Interested	in providing a beve	rage cart	_			

For additional information, please call Bobbie Trust (318) 469-4285, email bobbie trust@comcast.ne*

RED RIVER DESK AND DERRICK CLUB STANDING RESERVATIONS

Advisers and their wives are welcome—Dutch Treat WHEN: Fourth Tuesday of each month at 5:30 PM

WHERE: 15th Floor, Petroleum Club, Mid-South Towers, 416 Travis Street COST: \$26.00 (Checks payable to the Red River Desk and Derrick Club) Reservations and cancellations MUST be made by 12 noon on the Monday prior to the meeting on Tuesday.

Call for Reservations and Cancellations

Bobbie Trust F. Lane Mitchell Bobbie.trust@comcast.net (preferred) 318-469-4285

IMPORTANT NOTICE:

Unpaid reservations must be submitted to <u>Margie Steed</u>, Club Treasurer, within ten (10) days after the meeting.

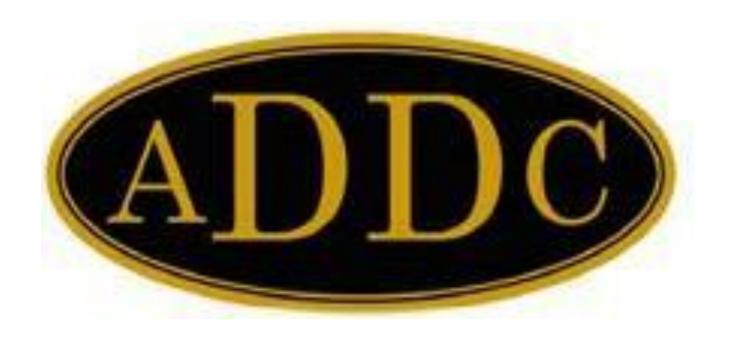
MEMBERS are responsible for any unpaid reservations of their guests. Members with standing reservations who are unable to attend a meeting and do not cancel their reservations will have to pay for their dinner reservations.

Complete the section below and mail to the Reservation Chairman at Red River Desk and Derrick Club
P. O. Box 1863, Shreveport, LA 71166-1863

Please record a Standing Dinner Reservation in my name for the **2025** Club Year (January—December).

Printed Name:	Telephone #:			
Signature:	Date:			
	g Reservation must be made in writing.			

Standing Reservations expire at the end of the calendar year.



Kathy Martin

2025 ADDC President

ADDC Convention San Antonio, TX September 16– September 21, 2025



Kathy Martin 2025 ADDC President 406 Maryview Farm Road Lafayette, LA 70507 (337) 291-1538 addc2025president@gmail.com

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Top of the Morning to ya and Happy Mardi Gras!

First, THANK YOU, to all members who participated in the ADDC Survey presented in February regarding organizational realignment and participation in Region and Convention meetings. There were 165 responses to the 4 question survey with pretty even results (see below). It is very important for the Board to hear YOUR voice on issues that matter, so please keep up the great work and participation.

Membership renewals are rolling in and I am so proud to see that as of February 24th, we had 336 members (including several NEW members!) with several clubs still outstanding! We are well on our way to reaching the budget number of 581 (really hoping for higher), so keep those renewal forms coming! Please remember that the deadline for renewals is February 28, 2024, but, if for any reason, your club is having difficulty making the deadline, please let your Region Director know and get them submitted as soon as possible. Also, if you have not already done so, please send an electronic copy of your membership submittal forms to Evelyn Green, Membership Chairman, at evielou47@hotmail.com.

The Association finances have been converted from Quickbooks Desktop to Quickbooks online and the transition went very smoothly! The 2024 FRC Committee should have their final reports prepared shortly and, once approved, will be distributed to membership! Please remember that the Association finances are NEVER to be published (including bulletins, letters, etc.) and should only be reviewed.

The 2025 ADDC Convention to be held September 16-20, 2025 at the Estancia Del Norte hotel in San Antonio, TX is going to be one you don't want to miss! Packages should be going out soon and with a hotel rate of \$150/night for single to quad, make your reservations today using this link: Estancia Del Norte Reservation Link (Group Code (if you call hotel directly) is DDCA! Can't wait to see you all there!

Until next month...

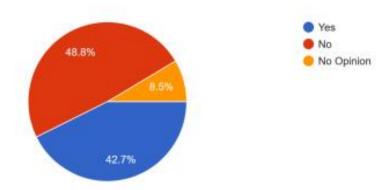
Yours truly,

Kathy Martin

"If you're not getting outside of your comfort zone, then you're not growing." Chad Foster

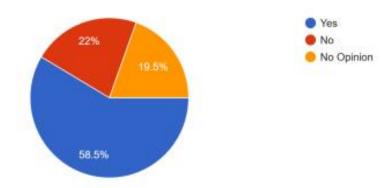
Do you support the recommendations outlined in the Ad Hoc Committee letter which includes the elimination of Regions and introduces the club liaison board positions?

164 responses

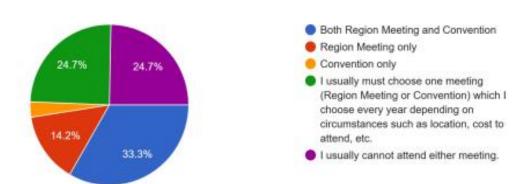


Would you support an alternative solution which realigned the region structure to absorb the three Northeast Region clubs into the remaining three Regions?

164 responses

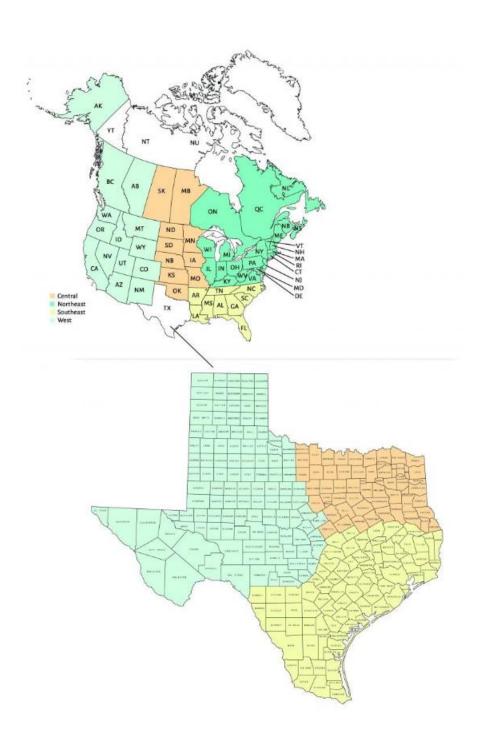


In any given year, do you typically plan on attending: 162 responses



SOUTHEAST REGION DIRECTOR

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March 2025

ADDC Southeast Region Members,

March is already here, and here in South Louisiana we are in full Mardi Gras mode.

The Southeast Region Meeting will be held on Saturday, March 22, 2025 (9 AM – 12 PM). The San Antonio club will host, and all clubs are welcome to attend. The meeting will also be offered as a virtual format to clubs and members that are not able to travel for the meeting. There will be a few traveling from the Victoria, New Orleans and Lafayette clubs to attend the meeting in person as well as the San Antonio club. I am looking forward to seeing everyone in person and on the computer! Since we are doing the Region Meeting in March, please note that we will not meet again at the ADDC convention in September like we did last year in Dallas.

The nominating committee (Judi Adams, Melissia Thibodeaux & Dianne Badeaux) is working to find the 2026 Southeast Region Director. Please consider serving in this capacity and be sure to reach out to them if you are interested or if you know of anyone that would like to serve as Region Director in 2026. We have many qualified candidates in our Region that would make a great Region Director.

The hotel reservation link for ADDC Convention in September has been sent out. Be sure to book your rooms!

I still need Region Reps for the following committees:

- Guidelines Review
- Tax Exempt US
- Contest

Please let me know if you are interested in serving our region.

Remember, it takes all of us to BEE successful.

Warmest Regards,

Jennifer



"The bee is more honored than other animals, not because she labors, but because she labors for others" -St. John Chrysostom



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Club Contact: Malissa Carroll Phone:

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"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

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2025 Red River Desk and Derrick Committees

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Field Trips Judy Sneed Handbook Sheryl Cole

Hospitality

Membership/Orientation Malissa Carroll/Sheryl Cole

Procedures Manual Dorothy Semon
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