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## *Red River Desk and Derrick Club*

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February 24, 2026  
**Petroleum Club - 15th Floor**  
5:30 p.m.  
  
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**Topic: Lithium in the South**

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February, 2026

Hopefully you weathered the Arctic Storm at the end of January without any problems. It was a shock when I went into the grocery store and the water, toilet paper and bread aisles were EMPTY! Now to be fair, several years ago we had the ice storm here that lasted for five or six days where we were without water, electricity and totally housebound. So this time we tried to be prepared and thankfully it wasn't a reoccurrence of the prior storm.

On Saturday, January 17<sup>th</sup> the Budget and Planning Meeting was held, via zoom. Your Board was prepared and ready to set out the goals for 2026. The budget was presented and passed – being mindful of our expenses versus revenues for this year. The Board also approved to renew two (2) CD's that we took out last year. The 2026 ADDC Committee Chairman and Regional Representatives were also approved. A copy of this listing will sent to Regional Directors and will be posted to the website. In case you might consider assisting these Committee Chairs, some Regional Reps are still needed. If you would like to serve on one a committee, please contact your Regional Director or me and let us know. This is a great way to learn about the committees and exactly what they do the Association.

The 2025 Finance Review Committee has completed their review of the Year End financials and have **approved** the financials for 2025. A big thank you to Christina Forth, 2025 Treasurer and Barbara Pappas, 2025 FRC Chairman for a great job.

The 2026 Board of Directors have a zoom call scheduled for the third Monday of each month, via zoom. If you have anything that you would like to bring before the Board, please contact your Regional Director or you may contact me direct. Do not ever hesitate to email me or call me on my cell. We, the Board, are here to serve each and every member of ADDC.

Hopefully each of you have received your 2026 Membership Renewal Form and have submitted these to ADO. Club Presidents, please remember to copy **Kathy Martin, 2026 Membership Chairman** with a copy of your transmittal sheet and the membership forms. Also, remember that you can submit your renewal forms on line. If you have any questions on how to handle this, either contact Kathy Martin or me.

Please remember that the Board is here to serve each of you. Feel free to contact your Regional Director or me if you have any questions, on any subject.

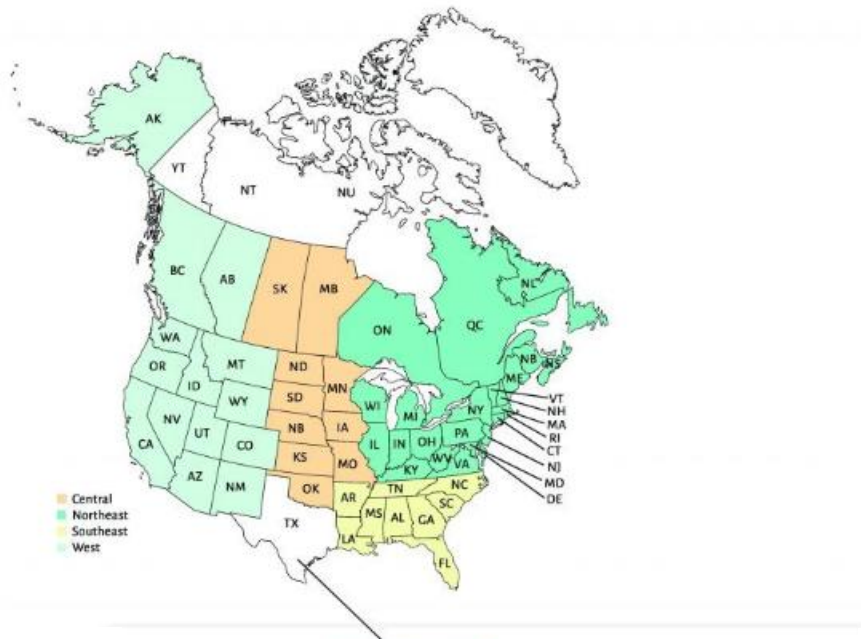
Hugs to each of you and stay warm,

*Evelyn*

"The measure of who we are is what we do with what we have." – Vince Lombardi

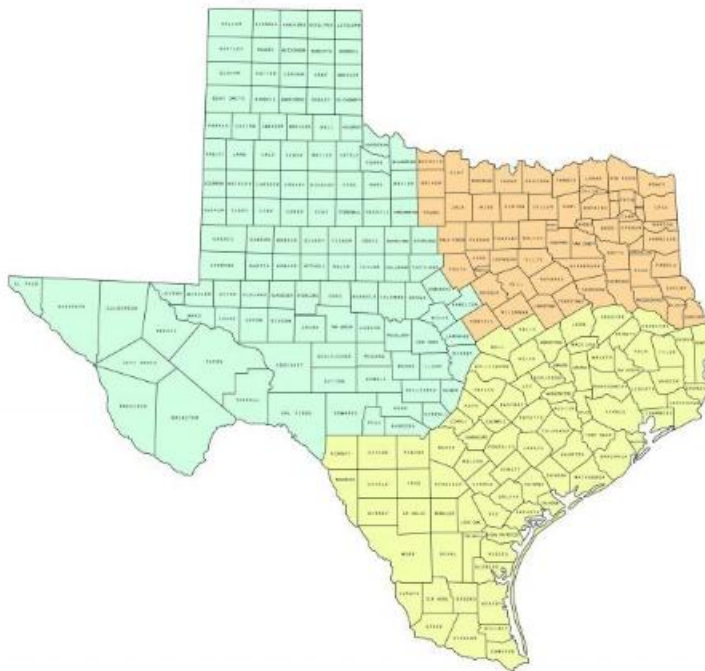
# SOUTHEAST REGION DIRECTOR

Malissa Carroll



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Dear Southeast Region Members,

As we move into February, a month often associated with reflection and renewal, I want to take a moment to thank each of you for being part of our Southeast Region of women in the oil and gas industry. Your involvement, leadership, and commitment continue to strengthen not only our region, but our industry as a whole.

This time of year also marks our membership renewal period. Renewing your membership is more than a yearly task – it is an investment in yourself and in the powerful network we have built together. Through your continued membership, you help ensure access to professional development opportunities, meaningful connections, mentorship, and a collective voice that supports and elevates women across our industry.

The Southeast Region has an exciting year ahead, with opportunities to connect, learn, and grow together. None of this is possible without your ongoing support and engagement. By renewing, you help us maintain momentum and continue creating spaces where women can thrive, lead, and inspire one another.

If you have already renewed, thank you for your continued commitment. If not, I encourage you to take a few moments to complete your renewal and remain an active part of this incredible organization.

Thank you for all that you do, and for the strength, professionalism, and resilience you bring to the oil and gas industry every day. I look forward to another impactful year together.

Warm regards,

Missy Carroll

Southeast Region Director



# **Information Coming Soon**

Southeast Region Meeting

Hosted by:

Red River

Desk and Derrick Club

When:

April 2026



Red River Desk and Derrick Club

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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



## RED RIVER DESK AND DERRICK CLUB

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### **Bobbie Trust** 2026 President

**Red River**  
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**Bobbie Trust**  
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Vice President  
**Dorothy Semon**

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Director  
**Arlys Milan**  
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Director  
**Linda Porter**  
JW Porter & Associates, LLC

Parliamentarian  
**Dorothy Semon**

### Presidents Letter February 2026

Dear Members,

I hope everyone is safe and survived Winter Storm Fern! She came with a fury and brought us lots of cold weather and ice that caused roads to close, schools and place of businesses to close and caused us to cancel our January meeting. I hope to have our speaker Kevin Moore come back and be our speaker in March.

Have you sent in your renewal forms? Please get them in as soon as possible as Margie will be sending in them in soon.

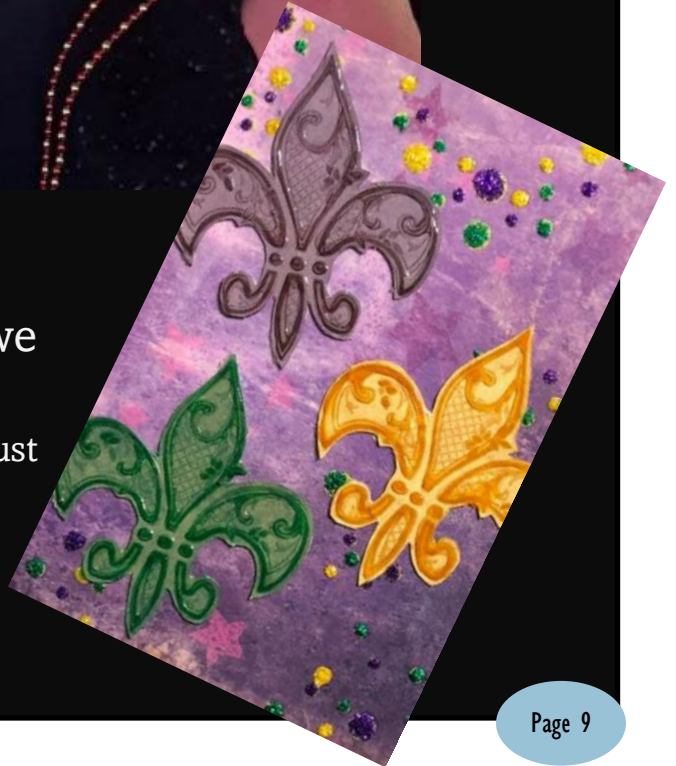
Our February meeting will be February 24<sup>th</sup> and our speaker is Will Smith, his topic will be "Lithium in the South." I hope each of you will be able to attend.

February will be a busy month with Mardi Gras and Valentines Day. The Krewe of Centaur Parade will be on February 7<sup>th</sup> and Krewe of Gemini parade will be on February 14<sup>th</sup> what a way to spend Valentines Day!! I hope you can get out and enjoy one of these big Parades!

Happy Mardi Gras and Valentines Day to All!!

Sincerely,  
*Bobbie Trust*  
President





Members of Red River Club enjoying the Krewe  
of Centaur Bal

Club President Bobbie Trust, Advisor Byron Trust  
and member Jean Cooper

Art work provided by Sheryl Cole

## 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: \$24.00 (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

### IMPORTANT NOTICE:

Unpaid reservations must be submitted to **Margie Steed**, 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  
**2026** Club Year (January—December).

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent cancellation of a Standing Reservation must be made in writing.

Standing Reservations expire at the end of the calendar year.

# FEBRUARY 2026

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	GROUNDHOG DAY					
8 	9	10	11	12	13	14 VALENTINE'S DAY
15	16 PRESIDENT'S DAY	17 	18 ASH WEDNESDAY	19	20	21
22	23	24 	25	26	27	28



BIRTHDAYS  
Victoria Ashley - 8



# MARCH 2026

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

BIRTHDAYS





## **Mark Your Calendar**

### ***2026 Board Meetings / Membership Meetings***

#### *Red River Club Activities*

#### **SCHEDULE FOR 2026**

#### **Board Meetings**

#### **Membership Meetings**

#### **SCHEDULE FOR 2026**

February 17		February 24
March 17		March 24
April 21		April 28
May 19		May 26
June 16		June 23
July	NO MEETING	July
August 18		August 25
September 15*	ADDC Convention	September 22
October 20		October 27
November 10*	CLOSED	November 17*
December 82*	JOINT BOARD	December 15*

#### **TENTATIVE SCHEDULE FOR 2027**

January 19	January 26
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### ***Red River Club Activities***

*2026 Activities to be announced soon*

*March 24, Desk and Derrick Awareness Month Celebration*

*April, Southeast Region Meeting, Shreveport, LA and ZOOM*

*May 26, Industry Appreciation and Scholarship Awards Presentation*

*October, Red River Invitational Golf Tournament*

*September, ADDC Convention*

*Board meetings location will be held at St. John Berchman's Board Room*

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

# 2026 RED RIVER DESK AND DERRICK CLUB

## OFFICERS

President	Bobbie Trust	F. Lane Mitchell
Vice President	Dorothy Semon	Retired
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Terms Expiring in 2026	Neil Havard Mark Heacock Kevin Moore Jonathan Matkins	Universal Wellhead Heacock Investments, LLC Fleaux Services DDobbs Peterbilt
Terms Expiring in 2027	Greg Hall Tim Nielsen Louise Pearce Robert Stroud	Chippewa Investments, LLC TMPER, LLC Louise Pearce, Attorney At Law Stroud Production, LLC
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## PAST PRESIDENTS

Malissa Carroll	2025 / 2024	Carol Lloyd	2000
Bonnie Fish	2024 / 2023	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



## 2026 Red River Desk and Derrick Committees

### STANDING COMMITTEES

Bulletin	Sheryl Cole
By-Laws	Dorothy Semon
Education/Seminars	
Field Trips	
Handbook	Sheryl Cole
Hospitality	
Membership/Orientation	
Procedures Manual	Dorothy Semon
Programs	Dorothy Semon
Public Relations/Publicity	
Reservations	Bobbie Trust

### SPECIAL COMMITTEES

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

### SPECIAL ASSIGNMENTS

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

# Thank You to Our Employers & Advisors

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