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Membership Meeting – Sept. 22, 2026, Petroleum Club of Shreveport - 15th Floor, 5:30 p.m.

September Speaker: David Smith, Argent Mineral Management

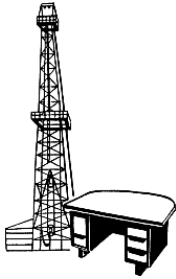
Topic: The Wallace Lake Plane Crash of 1954

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September 2026

Presidents Letter



Dear Members,

RED RIVER BOARD OF DIRECTORS

President
Bobbie Trust

Vice President
Dorothy Semon

Secretary
Mallisa Carroll

Treasurer
Margie Steed

Directors
Arlys Milan
Linda Porter
Margie Gay

Dear Members,

It is hard to believe September is here, bringing fall festivals, football, and hopefully cooler weather. It also means the ADDC Convention is almost here, and I look forward to representing the Red River Club in Canton, Ohio. Five Red River members will attend this year, and I am excited to connect with members from other clubs.

It is also time to begin thinking about our 2027 officers. Several members have expressed interest in serving on the board, and there is still time to submit your name if you would like to be considered. Serving is a great way to learn more about the board's discussions and work on behalf of our club. Please contact Kathryn Jackson, Nominating Chairman, if you are interested.

Please mark your calendar for our next meeting on September 22. Our speaker will be David Smith, Louisiana Manager and Business Development Officer for Argent Minerals Management. Mr. Smith will present on "The Wallace Lake Plane Crash of 1954."

Our annual Red River Invitational golf tournament will be held on October 8 at Huntington Golf Course. If you know someone who would like to enter a team or become a sponsor, please ask them to complete and mail in the form. I will be happy to email a registration form if needed.

Happy fall, y'all!

Sincerely,

Bobbie Trust

RED RIVER DESK & DERRICK CLUB

AUGUST MEMBERSHIP MEETING

TUESDAY, AUGUST 25, 2026

The August Membership Meeting of the Red River Desk & Derrick Club was called to order at 7:13 PM by Margie Steed, in the absence of President Bobbie Trust, who was out of town. Parliamentarian Dorothy Semon confirmed that a quorum was not present.

Minutes: There were no minutes presented for approval.

Treasurer's Report: The Treasurer's Report was presented with no corrections noted. The report will be filed for audit.

Membership: Current membership for 2026 is 19 members, consisting of 17 renewals and 2 new members.

50/50 Drawing: New member Linda Porter was the 50/50 winner. A total of \$20.00 was collected, with Linda receiving \$10.00.

Upcoming Programs: The September speaker will be David Smith with Argent Minerals. His presentation will be on the Wallace Lake Plane Crash of 1954. The October speaker will be a representative from FireTech Systems.

Bulletin: The deadline is August 31, 2026.

Reservations: Reservations included 6 Members. 2 Advisors. 2 Guests

Total Attendance: 10

ADDC Convention: The ADDC Convention will be held in Canton, Ohio, September 15–20, 2026. Members planning to attend are: Keith Atkins. Missy Carroll, Jean Cooper, Dorothy Semon, Margie Steed, and Bobbie Trust

Nominating Committee: Nominating Chair Kathryn Jackson reported that several members have expressed interest in serving as officers. Any additional members interested in running for office are encouraged to contact Kathryn.

AUGUST MEMBERSHIP MEETING

TUESDAY, AUGUST 25, 2026

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Red River Invitational Golf Tournament: The Red River Invitational Golf Tournament will be held October 8, 2026, at Huntington Park Golf Club, with a 1:00 PM start time. Currently, the tournament has: 9 teams, 2 Silver Sponsors, 3 Platinum Sponsors, Petro-Chem Operating will serve as the lunch sponsor. Doc Phillip Smith will be cooking on Hole #4. Lane Mitchell and 3 Team Rental will sponsor a beverage cart.

Upcoming Meetings: The next Board Meeting will be held on September 8, 2026, at 5:30 PM in the boardroom at St. John Berchmans Church.

August Membership Write-up



Red River Revel Mission Statement:

The Red River Revel is a multi-art festival--a celebration of the arts--bringing to the people of the Ark-La-Tex quality in visual and performing arts, seminars, workshops, children's aesthetic education, and a variety of creative experiences. The project is designed to be primarily educational in purpose, entirely noncommercial, non-political, non-partisan, and non-sectarian.

Logan Lewis Bio:

Logan Lewis is the Executive Director of the Red River Revel Arts Festival, a 501c 3 nonprofit organization based in Shreveport, Louisiana. A graduate of Louisiana Tech University, Logan's past experience with the Radiance Technologies Independence Bowl, Learfield IMG, Louisiana Tech Athletics, and live music events across the state of Louisiana gives him a diverse set of skills to draw upon when planning the annual festival. His passion lies with the arts community of Louisiana, and he is most motivated by the team-based completion of major projects and initiatives that advance the arts and quality of life in the Ark-La-Tex. He is a proud resident of Shreveport, married to Elizabeth, and has a son, Asher.

Revel 50:

The 50th Annual Red River Revel Arts Festival returns in October 2026 with more than 90 visual artist vendor booths, music & performing arts on 5 stages, children's activities, workshops, and a variety of artistic and cultural experiences. An exhibit is planned for Artspace this fall, as well as events and celebrations in partnership with the City of Shreveport to celebrate Revel 50, the 50th Independence Bowl, the 50th Anniversary of the Shreveport Regional Arts Council, and America 250.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY



September 8 – LaVerne Broussard
September 12 – Stephanie Stuart-Sneed
October 4 – Margie Steed



Mark Your Calendar

2026 Board Meetings / Membership Meetings

Red River Desk and Derrick Club Activities

SCHEDULE FOR 2026

Board Meetings

Membership Meetings

SCHEDULE FOR 2026

September 15*

ADDC Convention

September 22

October 20

October 27

November 10*

CLOSED

November 17*

December 8*

JOINT BOARD

December 15*

Red River Club Activities

September 15 -19, ADDC Convention, Ohio

October 8, Red River Invitational Golf Tournament

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

Membership meetings will be held at the Petroleum Club, 416 Travis Street, 15th Floor

RED RIVER INVITATIONAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8th, 2026

THE CLUB AT HUNTINGTON PARK

SHREVEPORT, LOUISIANA

1:00 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., **Friday, October 2, 2026.**

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 Yokam Toyota), Longest Drive, Closest to the Hole, and 5-Iron game.

PURPOSE OF RED RIVER INVITATIONAL

In 1997, Red River Desk and Derrick Club, a 501c3 organization, (**Federal ID. 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 140 students attending 5 area universities have received the award over the past thirty 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 and Derrick, P. O. Box 1863, Shreveport, Louisiana 71166-1863. If you wish to pay with Credit Card, please Contact Margie Steed 318 347-0785.

2026 REGISTRATION FORM

NAME		COMPANY NAME		
ADDRESS	CITY AND STATE	ZIP	CELL PHONE	BUS. PHONE
FAX	EMAIL ADDRESS			
PLAYER 1	COMPANY	PLAYER 2	COMPANY	
PLAYER 3	COMPANY	PLAYER 4	COMPANY	

Platinum ____ Gold ____ Silver ____ Bronze ____ Hole Sponsor ____ Door Prize ____

Interested in providing a cooking station ____

Interested in providing a beverage cart ____

For additional information, please call Bobbie Trust 318/469-4285, email bobbie.trust@comcast.net

2026 RED RIVER DESK AND DERRICK CLUB

OFFICERS

President	Bobbie Trust	F. Lane Mitchell
Vice President	Dorothy Semon	Retired
Secretary	Malissa Carroll	Carroll Contracting
Treasurer	Margie Steed	Land Consultant
Immediate Past President	Malissa Carroll	Carroll Contracting
Directors	Margie Gay	Frank Scott Moran
	Arlys Milan	Miller Tubular Services
	Linda Porter	JW Porter & Associates, LLC
Parliamentarian	Dorothy Semon	Retired

ADVISORS

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
Terms Expiring in 2028	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 Byron Trust	Pinnacle Operating Company Geological Drafting Petro-Chem Operating Company, Inc. Retired Retired. Retired Petro-Chem Operating Company, Inc.

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

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Specialty Sales, Inc.
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Universal Wellhead



Evelyn Green

2026 ADDC President

74th ADDC Convention
North Canton, Ohio
September 15-19, 2026



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MPLX LP

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DIRECTOR

Missy Carroll
Carroll Compression

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September 2026

It's official, It's almost here – It's HERE!

It is finally here – the 2026 Annual ADDC Convention and Educational Conference – Sept. 15th – Sept. 20, 2026. I know it was just yesterday that we were talking about how we had months to prepare for this year and what it would bring – convention was MANY MONTHS AWAY! Right?

The time is getting closer and closer with only two weeks before I leave for Canton/Akron, Ohio. Being able to see many longstanding friends and meet new ones along the way is such a joy. I am excited to celebrate the 75 Years of the Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs. This is indeed a remarkable fete for any organization and we are each a part of this Legacy and journey into the Future.

The Northeast Region Members have been preparing for this special week for some months and are ready to show each of you a great time and have a lot of fun, attend educational seminars and field trips that will leave you wanting for more! We will celebrate Desk and Derrick's legacy – but still focusing on the future. And each member that isn't able to attend – ***YOU WILL BE MISSED!***

With only four months left in the year, your ADDC Board of Directors continue to work to make sure that our goals at the beginning of the year are the same at the end. We continue to focus on what we were elected to do for you - we are all **one** in our Association. We continue to focus on our budget and are forever mindful of expenses – protecting what you have given to us to be custodians of our resources. Please note that if you have questions or concerns about anything Desk and Derrick – contact me or any board member!

This month during the 2026 ADDC Convention, your 2027 ADDC Board of Directors will be elected. Heather Woods will serve as our President for the coming year, but she will need your help. Now is the time to consider taking part as a Committee Chairman or a Regional Representative on an ADDC Committee. If you are attending the Convention this year, be sure and get a volunteer form for 2027 – actually take 2! And if you aren't quite sure what each committee is about – contact either your Regional Director, any member of the Board, Heather or me. Information is available so that you can see exactly what every committee does.

So to each of you, until next month I send many hugs,

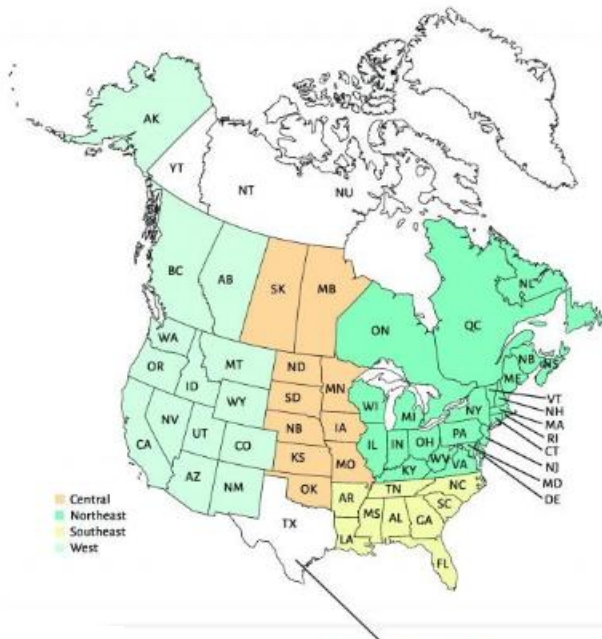
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Evelyn Green
2026 ADDC President

"Tell me and I forget. Teach me and I remember. Involve me and I learn."
Benjamin Franklin

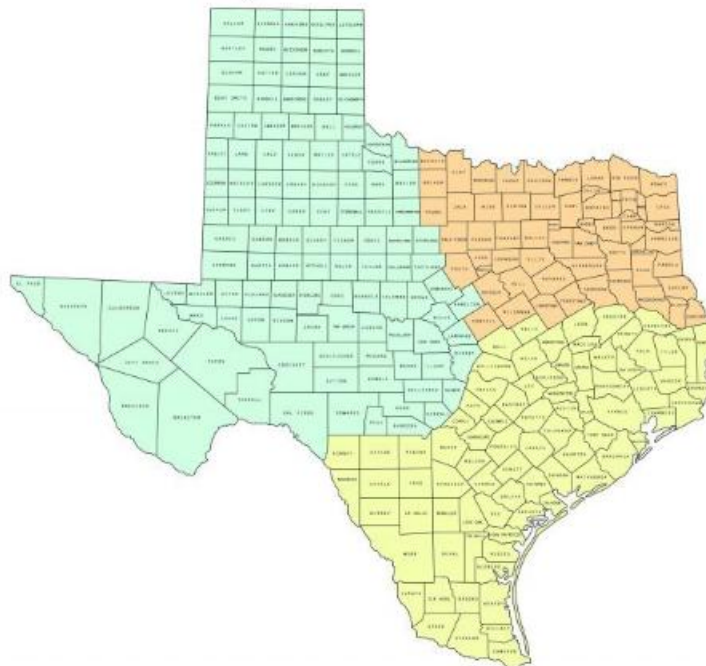
SOUTHEAST REGION DIRECTOR

Malissa Carroll



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SEPTEMBER 2026 SOUTHEAST REGION DIRECTOR'S LETTER

Dear Southeast Region Members,

As we approach our Association Convention in Canton, Ohio, September 16-20, I am reminded of the strength, dedication, and spirit of our Southeast Region. This year, our Southeast Region has embraced the theme "Let's Grow Together."

Growth happens when we learn from one another, share our experiences, welcome new members, and encourage each other to become leaders within our clubs and our Association. Every meeting attended, every volunteer opportunity accepted, and every friendship formed strengthens our organization.

As Region Director, I want to thank each of you for your dedication and service. Whether you serve as an officer, committee member, mentor, or active participant, your commitment helps our clubs thrive and ensures the continued success of Desk and Derrick.

I look forward to seeing many of you in Canton, Ohio, as we celebrate our accomplishments, gain new knowledge, renew friendships, and continue growing together.

Thank you for all you do for your clubs, your communities, and our Association. Your time, energy, and enthusiasm make a difference and help keep Desk and Derrick strong.

Together, let's continue to "Grow Together" through education, leadership, friendship, and service.

Warm regards,
Malissa Carroll
Southeast Region Director



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 .