#### Desk and Derrick Club of Oklahoma City

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Members brought lots of great items for the Silent Auction to help raise funds for our group.

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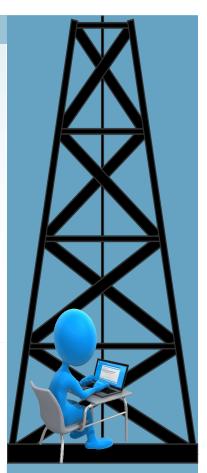


Connie Price and Vicki Williams present their skit over Desk and Derrick Awareness.

#### DESK and DERRICK AWARENESS MONTH By: Connie Price

The theme for our March program each year for membership meetings is "Desk and Derrick Awareness." This is an important part of our ongoing educational efforts. The goal is to present information that new members can learn from and to also give seasoned members a refresher course. This year, again, myself and Vicki Williams presented a skit which hopefully met those goals. Vicki paraded with a sign touting Awareness with me asking and contributing questions and answers.

The focus started with our club and what we are all about – including a mission statement from our ADDC that Desk and Derrick is a dynamic organization that promotes the education of the petroleum, energy and allied industries and advances the professional development of its members. Professional development is accomplished through informative programs, field trips, seminars and workshops. And, that we learn from energy industry experts; that we network with energy industry leaders and colleagues; that we attend regional and national meetings; that we receive critical updates and information about the energy industry; and that this provides enhanced communication and leadership skills. But one of the more important benefits is making friends for life! Which, in my humble opinion, is one of the best benefits!





CLUB MOTTO "GREATER KNOWLEDGE -GREATER SERVICE"

#### **CLUB PURPOSE**

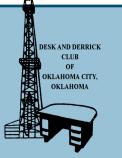
The purpose of the Club shall be to promote the education and professional development of individuals employed in or affiliated with the petroleum, energy, and allied industries and to educate the general public about these industries.

#### ADDC 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.

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## From Editor, Cara Maschmeier

#### Hello, friends!

Spring keeps trying to make an appearance, but right now, as I write this, I sitting on a heating pad and trying to get my old body to warm up! I am ready for some warmth to stick around for a while! I also hope that I don't anger the Powers that Be and we end up with record breaking heat this summer!

Sadly, we also have the wind to contend with, and there have already been hundreds of thousands of acres burned, some due to carelessness, with loss of livestock, homes, and even loss of human life. I would use this as a word of caution to all to be careful with any flammables or open flames, as barbecue season is also upon us.

I do know, friends, that those small fire departments have limited budgets, and would encourage all of us (especially those of us originally from the smaller towns) to contact the volunteer fire departments to see if you could perhaps donate a tank of fuel for a truck, or perhaps buy a meal for some of their workers, if so inclined. Just a thought, friends—perhaps we could work together to do so!

I hope this finds you all well and planning on attending next week's Desk and Derrick membership meeting for April!

Best regards,

Cara

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## Region VI Director's Newsletter



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#### "Spring breathes new life into the world around us."

Region meeting month is upon us! I am so excited to get to see each of you in just a few short weeks. The Wichita club with GAC and President Abby Bock have been busy planning an extraordinary event for us! We are experimenting a little with the schedule this year to allow more opportunities for Region members to attend. I hope we have been able to accommodate many of you with the new changes.

Co-GAC Tammy Watkins and I are headed to Kansas City soon to continue our planning for the 2019 Convention, hosted by Region VI. We will be reaching out to the clubs soon to begin the more detailed steps.

Just a few reminders:

- Region Delegate and Alternate Credentials form is due NO LATER than March 31<sup>st</sup>. Most of you have responded but there are a few remaining.
- Region Meeting is April 26-28<sup>th</sup> in Wichita, KS.

I challenge each club to bring at least one first timer to Region Meeting this month. We all know that after attending one meeting, we catch the bug and understand the true meaning behind ADDC. Many clubs offer a lotto drawing to any first timer interested in attending and cover their registration fee, just an idea! Hope to see you all very soon!!!



Name: Abby Bock Current City: Kingman, KS Home Club: Wichita, KS Office(s) Served: Club Treasurer Year Joined ADDC: 2017

Current Job: Wildcat Resources, Inc.



A little bit about you: I got into Oil & Gas in 2011 when I told a friend I was looking for work. He gave me the phone number for Will Boone who ran a land service company. I called and after about a 10 min "interview" Will said I could start Monday, to meet him at his hotel room in Pratt, KS, and his wife would be there to get me set up.... I was thinking, is he for real?!

Luckily I really trusted my friend, and showed up at the "office" and started what has been a great 7 year journey, and am still going strong at Wildcat Resources (thank goodness our office isn't out of a hotel anymore:)

**Fun Fact:** My husband and I have 3 kids, 10, 8, and 4 and live on his family farm outside of Kingman, KS. It will have been in his family for 100 years in 2020!! It has it's challenges commuting over 2 hrs to work and back everyday, but what a legacy to continue for our children!!

**Goals for 2018:** Our club goals for 2018 are to focus on our club motto-knowledge and service. We are working with a non-profit group for homeless veterans. Giving back and lifting people up, are so important for a community and our club has the means to help after years of hard working fundraising! We are also putting together a grant for students going into the energy industry. We can't wait to launch the program and see how we can get students more involved with our industry and organization.

Leave us with a quote or a bit of advice: Our industry is constantly changing, and the people in it. It is clear we need to bridge the gap between those who have been involved for decades and those who are just starting out. In the next 10 years, there will be even more changes. Will Desk & Derrick be ready? Can we help bridge the gap? We have to be willing to try!!





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We continued with the activities that our club has participated in this year and previous years – the Mid-Continent Golf Tournament putting contest; OETA Festival volunteering for taking pledges; and being a part of the Oil & Gas Exposition. Our region meeting in Tulsa was awesome as well as the national meeting in San Antonio. We mentioned that our club does have a set of bylaws and standing rules that every member, new and old, should review and become familiar. Finally, we presented a list (well, many lists!) of some byproducts of petroleum. This was done just as a reminder to all that our industry is invaluable in our daily lives from credit cards to dentures – all petroleum-based. And all of us are a part of that – no matter what area of the industry that we are involved in. It "takes a village!"

Our March meeting was so enjoyable because of our new venue at River Oaks Golf Club – a beautiful facility. After our program, we all had a great time with our silent auction! My thanks to Ms. Vicki Williams for her optimistic contributions!



Vicki Williams is preparing to share her knowledge of Desk and Derrick!

Gayle Junker gives the inspiration prior to the meal at the March Desk and Derrick Membership Meeting.





Michelle Burgard, forefront and Tara Woods check out some of the items for the Silent Auction.

### OETA FESTIVAL 2018 By: Tara Woods

#### LIGHTS, CAMERA, ACTION!!

The Desk and Derrick Club of Oklahoma City had nineteen volunteers who enjoyed another great year at the OETA Festival 2018 on Saturday, March 10, 2018. This was our Club's 43rd year to volunteer for OETA and to help take pledges to support excellent public television in Oklahoma. The programming included none other than the Lawrence Welk's Big Band Splash, which was just as entertaining as some of the callers during the evening. Our Desk & Derrick Club President, Michelle Burgard, has a great interview on TV and got the word out as to what a fun and educational group the Desk and Derrick Club of Oklahoma City is. This was a great start to raise Desk and Derrick awareness for the month, since March is Desk and Derrick awareness month. Our group supports educational viewing for the public and as a group during our four hour shift collected \$19,863 worth of pledges. Congratulations, Desk and Derrick Club of Oklahoma City, we did another amazing job for OETA.

The Desk and Derrick Club volunteers arrived at the OETA television station location in Oklahoma City at 5 p.m. We were pampered with a light meal provided by Chick-Fil-A. We were also delighted with ice cream treats again this year. The famous M&M's-plain, peanut, and peanut butter flavors, popcorn, and other goodies were also available for us to snack on the entire evening. These goodies were provided by PepsiCo. I also want to mention Tanya McHenry and the OETA staff who every year are so wonderful in assisting us with both dinner and all of our questions.

To everyone who participated in the exciting event of OETA Festival 2018, thank you for your support, spirit, and memories. We had a mix of new and veteran volunteers. I would like to recognize and thank: Marsha Gentry, Connie Price, Wendy Sparks & friends, Kaye Dunham, Marcy Ebert, Susan Garrett, Nancy (Nguyen) Chen & daughter, Michelle Burgard, Kelsee Geringer, Taylor Rose, Ann Mefford & husband, & myself. We had another successful telethon because of all of you!

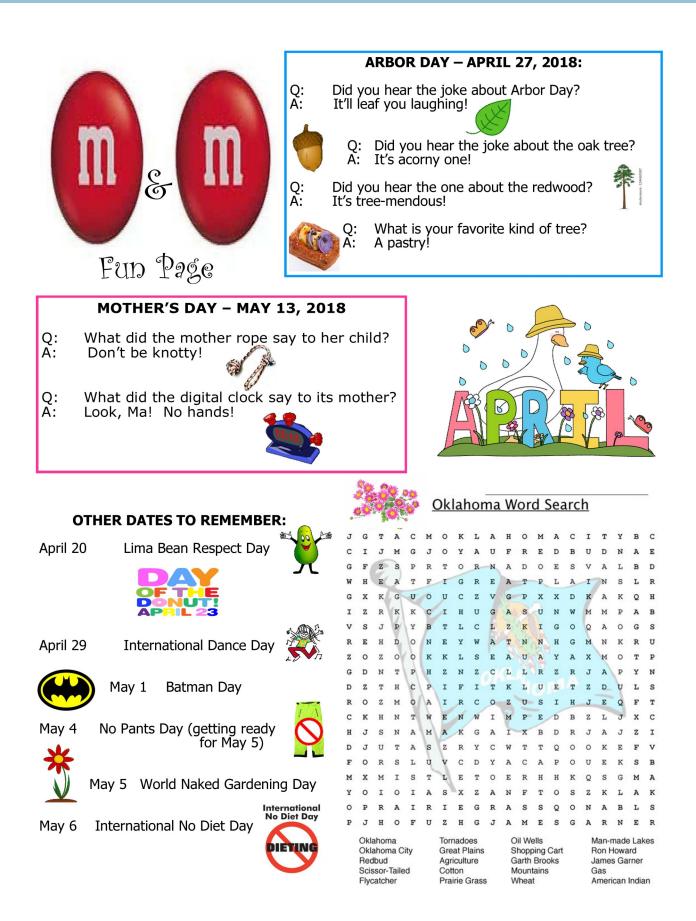
A big thank you also goes out to Tanya McHenry and the OETA staff for keeping our volunteering streak alive. Plan on The Desk and Derrick Club of Oklahoma City being back next year to raise more riches for OETA!







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## ADDC STORE



## ORDER FORM

Description	Price	OTY	Size	Total
Ladies Polo Shirts - Black w/ Gold oval Sm - 4x	\$20.00		-	#
Ladies VNeck Tees - White with Bhre & Green Trade Stamp Sm - 4x	\$ 10.00			
Men's Polos - Black w/ gold oval Sm - 4x	\$ 20.00		<u> </u>	
Men's Crew Tees - white with Blue & Green Trade Stamp Sm - 4x	\$ 10.00			
Caps - Khaki With Black Oval - Adjustable	\$ 8.50		n/a	#
Magnets - Black Oval	\$ 0.85		n/a	#
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Ship to:

Orders due by May 10th, August 10th or November 10th.

Send checks made payable in US Funds to:

ADDC

PO Box 777

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## ANNUAL LEADERSHIP TRAINING

**By Wendy Sparks** 



Leadership training for the Oklahoma City board and committee chairs was held at Devon Energy on Friday, January 12, 2018. We meet yearly to review the Bylaws, board procedures and to brainstorm for the upcoming year!

Our President, Michelle Burgard, started with introductions and asked us our favorite hobby. Raising horses, watching grandchildren and fundraising were just a few.

Connie Price, 2018 Treasurer, had some wise advice for us on becoming a good leader. Some of her wise words were: MAKE DESCISIONS - good bad or indifferent; delegate and follow up and most importantly, give recognition. Next, she gave us a 5-minute personality test where each person's personality was represented by an animal! It was awesome to see what kind of animal everyone turned out to be.



We then reviewed our flyer for member recruitment! Jamie Gilmore, Vice President and Membership chair showed us the flyer and the updates that she has made. She told us to keep this on hand since it is an easy way to help promote our club and our mission.

I went over our board protocol as well as making and amending a motion. We went over agendas and what to include per Roberts Rules of order. I provided samples of board reports and samples of good and poor motions. The idea for a motion is: less is more. You should state What, When, Where and How Much. All other information should be on your monthly report.

Marsha Gentry, 2018 Parliamentarian spoke on the bylaws. She said, "When all else fails, read the instructions!" This is what our bylaws and standing rules are...instructions for managing our club. In order to be an informed officer, director or committee chairman you need to read the directions. She also covered the steps to becoming a director or officer and who can be a member or our organization. We also went over what constitutes a quorum and how the process works for proposing an amendment to our bylaws. Marsha has been a member about 30 years and has been a great mentor to me and other leaders in the Oklahoma City Club.



Finally, we concluded with an open forum and discussed fundraising ways to supplement our expenses this year. We decided on a silent auction at our March Membership meeting and Rustic cuff sales, and continued sales of our ADDC Tumblers.

The meeting was very informative and a good way to get to become acquainted with the new board and committee members on a more personal level.

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#### **GETTING TO KNOW YOUR EXECUTIVE BOARD**

**Michelle Burgard** is serving as our President for the 2<sup>nd</sup> consecutive year. She currently works at Devon Energy as a Tax Associate. Michelle has been with Devon for 12 years. When she starts bragging, her family and our Desk and Derrick club are always at the top of her list. According to Michelle, she prefers summertime, white chocolate, Kit-Kats, and Reese's Peanut Butter Cups, both Jethro Gibbs and Duane Pride, wants to visit New York at Christmas time and keeps an organized, messy closet. Michelle is excited about our Club hosting the first Central Region Meeting in 2019.

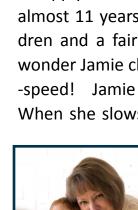
Taylor Rose is our current Secretary. Taylor has worked for Enterprise Crude Oil for four years and is a Senior Contract Assistant. She lives with 2 dogs – Charli and Hudson and is known to brag about how cute they are. Taylor likes dark chocolate, summertime and keeps a super organized closet (she should share a picture to inspire me—and maybe you). On her bucket list is a trip to Greece. Wonder if that's where she'll go on her honeymoon?

Jamie Gilmore is our Vice President and Membership Chairman. Jamie is a Supply Chain Sr. Analyst for Devon Energy and has been with them for almost 11 years. Jamie shares her home with her husband, her two children and a fairly new Yorkie-Chi puppy named Peppermint Mocha. No wonder Jamie claims to operate out of a messy closet – her life is going full -speed! Jamie is partial to milk chocolate, summer and Jethro Gibbs. When she slows down some, her bucket list includes a week-long trip to

> **Connie Price** is our hard-working Treasurer. While she has worked in the oil and gas industry on and off since 1995, she is now semiretired—working part time for a local geologist. She loves our Club and the friends she has made through it and the fun and educational experiences she has had thanks to her membership. She is also partial to Jethro Gibbs, dark chocolate, summertime and her two pug dogs -Rascal and Sugar. But, at the top of her bragging list are her 3 (hoping for more) grandchildren.









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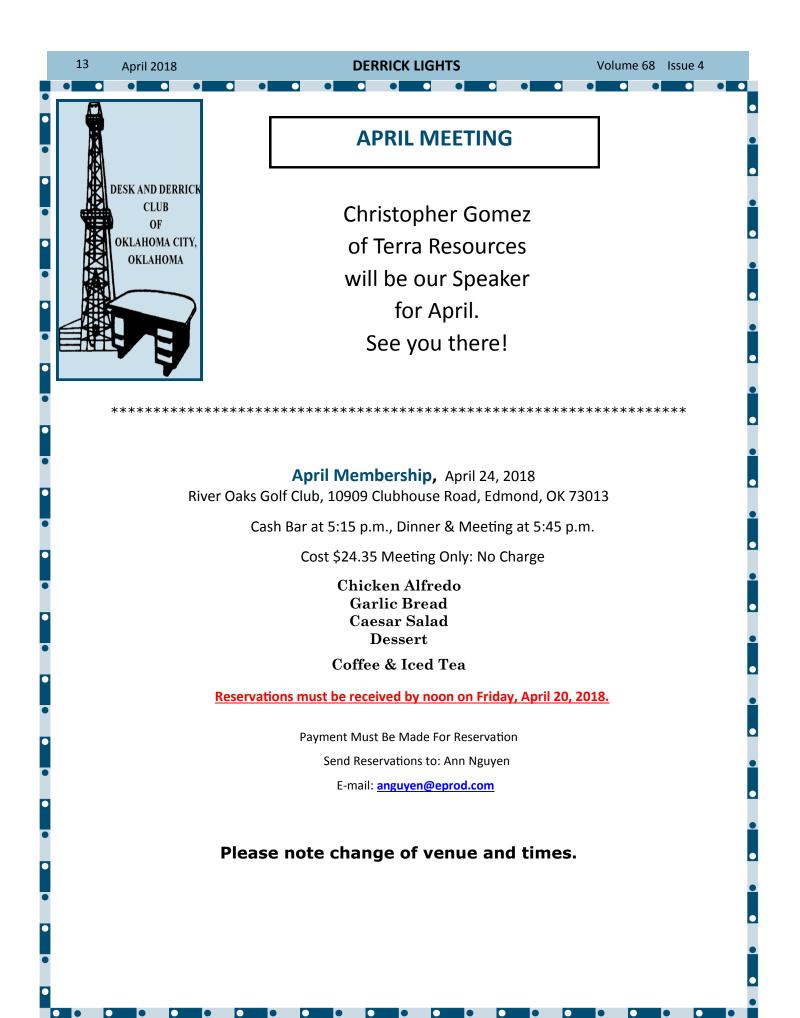


Hostess Gayle Junker with Lucky 50/50 winner Marsha Gentry.



Sonya Blackwell with lucky birthday winner Brandy Wilson.





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