

2011 Dalworth Association Newsletter

President's Corner

Dear Membership:

I hope everyone's year is off to a great start. We have many wonderful items planned for 2011 and this is going to be the year we anticipate increased membership involvement. You had the opportunity to meet your 2011 Board at the February meeting and I hope you were as impressed as I was with their enthusiasm and professionalism. Their ideas for involvement for our upcoming year are sure to keep you amazed.



Our February meeting speakers were very enlightening. We as Division Order Analysts, no matter how much experience, always need to be kept abreast of descent and distribution (especially for Texas and Louisiana). Affidavits and royalties payments are always in the forefront of our daily procedures so it was beneficial to be apprised of current penalties, etc.

I am so excited to see all the newcomers to the industry. A career in division orders is worth its weight in gold. I have seen many phases since the mid 70's and all of them have been a great ride. I encourage all of you to take the time to review and study for your CDOA as your professionalism can only increase your self-worth.

Let's join together this year and help promote education amongst ourselves as well as strive to grow our organization. We have many companies with members that would be valuable assets to the DALWORTH organization. We want all you to be an active part of our Dallas / Ft Worth Team so please try to bring a new member to our next meeting and let's make our bond strong.

Let's have a great 2011!

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Save the date: Upcoming Meetings

The Dalworth Board has already planned the meeting dates for the rest of the 2011 year. Please add these dates to your schedule. More information regarding meeting places and times will be sent out prior to each meeting. We just want everyone to be able to attend as many meetings as possible this year.

Tuesday April 5th (Evening Meeting)

Wednesday May 11th (Spring Seminar)

Tuesday July 12th (Lunch Meeting @ XTO Energy)

Tuesday September 20th (Evening Meeting)

Tuesday December 6th (Christmas Party)

Be a History Maker!

Historian: Cindy Sloan

As briefly announced in the February 2011 meeting, I have started to compile pictures for the DALWORTH 2011 scrapbook. It is my goal to include as many members' pictures as possible and all pictures of guest speakers in the scrapbook.

In order to accomplish this goal, the DALWORTH board has established a picture and/or other entries contest. To encourage membership participation, we will be awarding prizes for each of the winning entries.

Listed below are the following contest categories and requirements:

I. "All in A Days Work"

REQUIREMENTS: Submit a 5 X 7 group picture of your co-workers and you at work in a professional, funny, or creative setting. Document names included in the photo, your place of business, and date of photograph with your entry.

II. "In the News"

REQUIREMENTS: Submit an interesting news article(s) from a newspaper of a 2011 local, national, or global event pertinent to the oil and gas industry.

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III. “Remember When”

REQUIREMENTS: Submit a picture or article of any DALWORTH or NADOA event prior to 2010 or submit *any* historical picture relating to the oil and gas industry. The older the picture, the higher the chances are to win this entry. We are not accepting any baby pictures this year for this category.

All submissions must be e-mailed to Cindy.Sloan@xtoenergy.com no later than

August 1, 2011. If your picture or entry is not chosen for a winning category, your submission may still be utilized for the scrapbook. Pictures not utilized for the scrapbook may be returned to participant upon request.

So, get your cameras out and let the games begin! DALWORTH members, let us be part of making DALWORTH history!

82nd Legislative Regular Session of the State of Texas

Texas has convened the Legislature for the 82nd Regular Session. Brenda Pirozzolo, Dalworth President, wanted our group to be aware of upcoming legislation that may impact the Oil & Gas Industry such as House Bill 1285 (HB 1285) which relates to the payment by the holder of abandoned mineral proceeds of the ad valorem taxes on the mineral interest to which the proceeds are attributable. Everyone can keep track of the current legislative session and any legislation by following this link <http://www.capitol.state.tx.us/>

As more legislation is submitted we will include it in the newsletter or in email blasts.

Dalworth would like to thank our newest members as well as those that have renewed their membership! We welcome you back to Dalworth and hope you enjoy everything we have planned for the 2011 year!

If you would like for something to be included in the next newsletter's publication please email Lewis Box at lewis_box@xtoenergy.com and I will do my best to have any other news and announcements included.

New job postings are current and up to date on our website www.dalworth.org

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