



NGEAO Connection Newsletter

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Save the Dates

- 7-14-11
Luncheon
Meeting-Tulsa
John Cromling,
Unit Corporation
on Horizontal
Drilling from a
Driller's
Perspective
- 8-11-11
Luncheon
Meeting-OKC
Dr. Duncan,
ConocoPhillips
- 9-14/15-11
Annual
Conference
Tulsa
- 10-13-11
Energy Seminars
Tulsa
- 10-13-11
Luncheon
Meeting OKC
- 11-10-11
Luncheon
Meeting Tulsa

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OSU Energy Conference held in Tulsa

The NGEAO was once again honored to be selected as one of the lead sponsors for the 5th Annual OSU Energy Conference held in Tulsa, May 19. The NGEAO received some great public relations exposure with our booth located just outside the main entrance to meet and greet the over 200 attendees. Board members handed out many trinkets with our new logo and talked up the NGEAO!

The event was moderated by OSU graduate Chuck Watson, Chairman & Co-Founder of Twin Eagle Resources. All the speakers were very informative at this year's conference. In particular, Don Humphreys, Sr. VP & Treasurer of ExxonMobil, also an OSU grad & Foundation Trustee, presented ExxonMobil's Outlook for Energy: 2010 to 2030.

Some of ExxonMobil's forecast from now until 2030 are: The world's populations will increase to 8 billion (currently near 7 billion); China & India will lead dramatic growth in the non-Organization for Economic Cooperation & Development (OECD) countries in energy demand with a 6% annual GDP growth from today; global energy demand should rise by 35%, led by power generation needs. By 2030 there will be 2.6 billion households in the world, up 600 million from 2005; 1.2 billion light duty vehicles will be on the world's roads by 2030, some 400 million more than today; and ExxonMobil believes **Natural Gas** will be the fastest-growing major full source though 2030 with its global share rising from 20% to 25%.

For more information on the other speakers including some of the presentations go to: <http://spears.okstate.edu/cepd/openenrollment/conferences/energy>

Industry Museums - Fun for Summer in Oklahoma

Why not share our industry history with family and friends by visiting one of the following museum locations during summer vacation in person or online. Beat the summer heat at a museum!

Oklahoma Oil Museum, Seminole, OK <http://www.seminoleoklahoma.com/museum/> ;
Drumright Historical Society, Drumright, OK <http://www.drumrighthistoricalsociety.org/> ;
Conoco Museum, Ponca City, OK <http://www.conocomuseum.com/EN/Pages/index.aspx> ;
Phillips 66 Museum, Bartlesville, OK <http://www.phillips66museum.com/EN/Pages/index.aspx> ;
Healdton Oil Museum, Healdton, OK <http://www.okhistory.org/outreach/affiliates/healdtonoil.html> ;



Educational Opportunity

NGEAO is pleased to announce two upcoming half day classes on October 13, 2011. The location is tentatively at Tulsa University. Classes are:

9:00-11:30 - Tom Seng, Introduction to Gas Marketing and Transportation
 1:30-4:00 - Dean Graves of Devon, Measurement 101

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Spotlight NGEAO Board Member

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Rusty Rains, Director of Business Development for Enogex has served the NGEAO board for three years. He joined Enogex in 2006 as Manager,

System Development with responsibility for developing Enogex's gathering, processing and transportation segments. He has served as Director, Business Development since 2009.

Rusty began his career in 1988 with Conoco in the Natural Gas Management Development Program and worked for COP for over 18 years. While at COP, he served in various management roles in

financial planning and analysis, marketing, brand management, refined products and retail sales management.

He has 16 years experience in both domestic and international business development and has over 23 years of diversified experience in the energy sector. He holds a Finance degree from the University of Oklahoma.

NGEAO Member Competes after Crash Recovery

In March of this year, Stacy Szabla, Marketing & Trading Manager at Gavilon in Tulsa, suffered severe injuries when her bicycle malfunctioned during a training ride, causing her to crash into the pavement head first.

Stacy has been competing in triathlon style races for three years and this was her only major set back. Suffering severe cuts, bruises and strains, she was taken by ambulance to the hospital thinking that she might be finished competing.

Turns out Stacy approaches triathalons with the same discipline she does the daily gas market as on June 4, fully recovered, she competed in the Honu Triathlon, an ironman event held in Hawaii that she had been training for. Stacy competed with about 1600 athletes in a 1.2 mile swim in Hapuna Bay, a 56 mile Bike ride along the Queen Ka'ahumanu Highway and a 13.1 mile run, finishing the event 6 hours 44 minutes. Way to Go Stacy!



“After the significant oil and gas bust of the mid 1980’s, Oklahoma’s oil and gas industry has enjoyed a modest boom two decades later.”

OERB



“One Industry, One-Third of the State’s Economic Output”

The headline is according to a recent study by the OERB, regarding the impact of the oil and gas industry on the State of Oklahoma. On June 22, 2011 a study was release by the Steven C. Agee Economic Research and Policy Institute at Oklahoma City University which concluded the oil and natural gas industry remains the cornerstone of the state’s economy.

The study states, “Oklahoma oil and natural gas producers pumped out and marketed 67 million barrels of oil in 2009, or 3.5 percent of total U.S. production. In addition, another 1.85 trillion cubic feet of natural gas was produced in the state, accounting for 8.6 percent of U.S. production. These totals make Oklahoma the sixth largest producer of oil and the third largest producer of natural gas.”

Links to the OERB and the 24 page study are www.oerb.com
www.oerb.com/Portals/0/docs/2011_Economic%20Impact%20and%20Jobs%20Report.pdf

Annual Conference Approaching

The NGEAO Annual Conference is coming up on September 14 & 15. This is a member only event and requires payment of dues prior to registration. To date 578 members have renewed! The event will be held at the Hard Rock Hotel & Casino in Catoosa with a room rate of \$109 blocked until August 14.

Seminars will be held on Wednesday from 1-5pm, covering both Natural Gas and NGL topics followed by a mixer from 6-10pm. Golf, Bowling and Poker events will also be held on Thursday with a dinner at 7pm. See the website for forthcoming details or to volunteer. www.ngeao.org

In Memoriam David Holmes

David’s was a familiar face to all of us at NGEAO. According to his wife, Tracy, he only missed one of the annual conferences, and that was because they were getting married, and she wouldn’t let him go! David passed away on June 1, 2011, in Cozumel, Mexico.

After serving in the Army, David went to work for Mustang Fuel in 1985, which later became Enogex, where he worked for 26 years until his death. He was a well respected member of the energy industry. He never once missed a day of work due to weather and rarely missed due to illness.

David was a person that lived honestly. He liked people, and he liked to be alone on his tractor as well. He loved farming, raising cattle, growing, cutting, bailing hay, and being outside working his land. He treasured his annual “He-Man” fishing trips, deer camp and Las Vegas drag races.

He had integrity. His word was his bond, and he wouldn’t break it. He loved God and was living his life walking with Christ not just being religious. When someone needed help he was there. It was part of his ministry. Those who were lucky enough to have David as a friend knew he was a friend for life.

“Dawg”, as he was known by his friends, will be missed by all of us. Our lives are richer from having known him.



David Holmes

January 15, 1962

- June 1, 2011

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Please submit story ideas, suggested guest columnists and newsworthy items to the email above for this quarterly publication.

OBU Survey Results

Thanks to all the members who participated in the Oklahoma Baptist University survey recently regarding advanced energy curriculum. The University reported over 100 responses from the group and as a result it will commence an MBA program focusing on Energy Finance starting in January 2012.

NGEAO – “Clearing a path for others to follow”

The Natural Gas and Energy Association of Oklahoma is a 501 (c) (6) non-profit membership association. NGEAO is comprised of upstream, midstream and

downstream natural gas and energy companies, as well as corollary service companies who rely on Oklahoma’s natural gas and energy industry for existence. We are

managed as a 100% volunteer organization, with each officer and board member donating their time, energy and talent to the organization’s cause.

Job Opportunities...

Gas Sales Representative – Devon Energy

Apply at www.devonenergy.com

Responsible for coordinating the sale and transport of natural gas, negotiating gas sales/purchase/transportation/storage agreements, developing relationships with external customers, optimizing the company's assets/contract, developing marketing presentations and written strategies, reviewing, analyzing and understanding Interstate Pipeline Tariffs and Intrastate Statement of Operating Conditions. Bachelor Degree and 5 years oil & gas experience required.

NGL Sales Rep – Enogex

Apply at <https://secure.oge.com/careers/jobdetail.asp?ID=3856>

Manage NGL baseload and spot sales and shrink replacement. Optimize baseload/spot commodity mix and plant recovery options. Develop and maintain strong customer relationships. Research both supply and demand market fundamentals and participate in short and long term market strategy development. Bachelor Degree and 5 years experience Mont Belvieu.

Asset Manager – Enogex

Apply at <https://secure.oge.com/careers/jobdetail.asp?ID=3944>

Provide leadership in determining where capital investment will be expended to grow the Company's assets within the Mid-Continent basin. Formulate and implement a comprehensive strategy of identifying economically attractive expansion opportunities that will significantly increase the Company's return on investment. Bachelor Degree and 5 years experience.

Sales Manager – Enogex

Apply at <https://secure.oge.com/careers/jobdetail.asp?ID=3947>

Transact capacity sales, negotiate terms and secure execution of commercial agreements, determine action to be taken to commercially optimize the pipeline system. Bachelor Degree and 5 years experience.

Contract Administrator – Enerfin Resources (Houston)

Apply at www.enerfin.com

Assist in the preparation, execution, analysis and ongoing administration of company contracts. Prepare, organize, and maintain gas purchase, gathering, processing, sales, amendments, exhibits, and other related contracts necessary to support commercial functions. Five years experience in contract administration in oil & gas industry.

Congratulations....

Amrish Patel has joined Centerpoint Pipeline as Manager Pipeline Capacity
Cassandra Wynn and Bryan Matysiak are now at Cardinal Midstream
Dana Amaya, Paul Doll and Josh Duramas joined Medallion Midstream