

# The Dallas/Fort Worth Driller

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## The President Speaks

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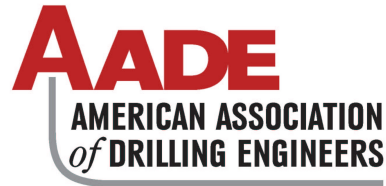
Nominations for officers and three steering committee members will be taken at the April meeting with elections to follow in May. You must be a current member to vote so it's time to renew your membership online, by mail or at the April meeting. A membership application is attached to this newsletter.

As you may know, we are the main sponsor of the Student Chapter at West Virginia University. The students are hosting their 3rd Annual Night Golf Tournament Fundraiser on May 3<sup>rd</sup>. An invitation is attached to the newsletter. Proceeds from the event benefit the WVU Children's Hospital and the Petroleum Engineering Department Drilling Rig Simulator. The event will be held in Morgantown, WV. Please consider attending if your schedule permits. If not, would you please forward to any of your company representatives who may be working the Marcellus. The Student Chapter is also pursuing sponsorships which do not require attendance.

In February we held our Contractor's Forum at Brookhaven Country Club. Allan Bruns with Cameron presented, "Going Back to Work in the Gulf of Mexico." David Evans with H&P also presented "Expected Rig Moves to Oil Plays." Thank you to all of those who attended and participated in the discussion.

This month our meeting will be held at the Fort Worth Petroleum Club. Michael Samuelson, Sr. Production Stimulation Engineer with Schlumberger, will be presenting "Channel Fracturing – Application and Impact on Completion Efficiency and Production." Operators are putting this technology to work in areas such as the Eagle Ford Shale and seeing significant increases in both initial production rates and EURs. Please make an effort to attend, bring a guest and support the monthly meeting. Advanced registration is appreciated by Tuesday, April 17th through our online service, details found below. Unfortunately we are no longer accepting reservations via phone or email.

April 18<sup>th</sup> Meeting @ Fort Worth Petroleum Club  
777 Main Street, 40<sup>th</sup> Floor, Fort Worth, TX 76102-5361  
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## Making Reservations

**New Reservations Policy** – We have phased out the call-in and email systems in favor of our new online registration and payment system powered by *123 SignUp*.

Please go to: <https://www.123signup.com/register?id=sfbrh> and follow the easy directions.

## IADC Rotary Rig Report

Rotary Rigs Actually Making Hole  
As reported to IADC by Baker Hughes  
For Week Ending 13 APR 2012

Country	This Week	Last Week	Last Month	Last Year
USA	1950	1979	1973	1772
Canada	164	187	655	166

International Rotary Rigs Running  
Monthly Avg. for February 2012

Region	Current Month	Change From Previous Month
Europe	120	12
Middle East	311	0
Africa	81	3
Latin America	439	19
Asia Pacific	253	-1

## Upcoming Meetings & Events

May 16, Speaker TBA – Brookhaven Country Club

### MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL For 2012

Renewal time is here! Now is the time to renew your AADE Chapter Membership for **2012**. Please use the links below to renew your membership, update your profile or enroll as a new member! Please contact JP Herzog if you have any questions concerning your membership. JP can be reached at 972-490-4300 or by e-mailing [JP.Herzog@graywireline.com](mailto:JP.Herzog@graywireline.com).

#### **Renew link**

<https://www.123signup.com/renew?Org=AADE-DFW>

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#### **Enroll link**

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**Operators – Consider sharing a case study with the membership...we all win! We have openings for upcoming meetings. Contact Gary Allen at 214-987-1800.**



## APR 18<sup>th</sup> MEETING

**Date:** Apr, 18 2012

**Speaker:** [Michael Samuelson](#)

Sr. Production Stimulation Engineer - Schlumberger

**Time:** 4:30PM (4:00PM registration)  
Social Hour/Dinner to follow

**Topic:** Channel Fracturing – Application & Impact on Completion Efficiency & Production

**Place:** Fort Worth Petroleum Club  
777 Main Street, 40<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Fort Worth, TX 76102

**Cost:** \$30 with reservations  
\$35 without reservation