Hello again members of the West Coast Chapter of the AADE! February is upon us, and it is time again for our monthly AADE newsletter. I would like to take a brief moment to say thank you on behalf of all of us on the AADE Board of Directors and Steering Committee. What we do would not be possible without your support, and we cannot say thank you enough for your continued involvement during these trying times.

I would also like to thank everyone for the packed house attendance at this year “Liar’s Club” meeting! We had over 200 people RSVP for the event, and many renewed AADE memberships for 2016! The room was full of a lot good cheer, and I hope everyone had a great time. Although the validity of the information may have been questionable (it is call the Liar’s Club after all)...I think we can all agree that the laughter is something we all need right now. Thank you again to all of our speakers and guests.

For this month’s notables, I want to make sure that everyone received the invitation to renew their advertisements for the AADE newsletter. We appreciate the contribution, and the advertisements are a great way to get the word out to local industry. Also, keep your eyes peeled for the upcoming AADE Scholarship application notification. It is my favorite aspect of being on the AADE board, and I know we will have many
well deserving applicants again this year. Finally, as I have been reminding you for months, do not miss our AADE golf tournament March 18th at Sundale Country Club. The weather has been warming up, and it is shaping up to be another great event. If you would like to make any raffle prize donations for the event, feel free to contact any of the board members, and we will point you in the right direction!

Finally, please everyone join us February 18th for this month's dinner meeting held at the Rice Bowl. This month we will be joined by Vince Fong. I look forward to his presentation and hope to see you there! Please be sure to RSVP so we make sure to have enough seating and food for everyone, and so you can be eligible for the lucky member of the month drawing!

Craig Hossfeld
CRC

---

**Calendar Events 2016**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Date</th>
<th>Event</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>March 17, 2016</td>
<td>Technical Forum Meeting</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>March 18, 2016</td>
<td>Golf Tournament</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>April 21, 2016</td>
<td>Technical Forum Meeting</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

*This schedule is tentative and subject to change*
Guest Speaker: Vince Fong

Born & raised in Bakersfield, California
Graduate from West High School
Undergrad from UCLA
Masters from Princeton University

Member & Served on Boards
Goodwill Industries of South Central California
Elected Member of Kern County Republican Central Committee
Lifetime member of the NRA
Jim Burke Education Foundation
Honor Flight Kern County
LMOTM: Rickey Bird (CODSCORP)

I was raised in a small town called Dewar in Oklahoma where you had to count the headstones in the cemetery to get a 4 figure population. At 15 I journeyed to Bakersfield to meet my Biological father and attended West High School. My Oilfield career began in Elk Hills in 1978 for a roustabout company named “Ricks Constructions” where I worked at 35R Warehouse. I then spent a short stint in the military and after discharge ended up back at Elk Hills working for the same roustabout service as a swamper on a crane.

During a delivery of Casing to a Drilling Rig (Cardinal 29) I witnessed the Canadian Driller terminating a couple of guys on his crew, as I was in the general area of where he was standing he asked me if I wanted to work on a drilling rig. I in turn asked how much they were paying and what he told me was three times more than my current employer so thus began my exposure to Drilling Rigs.

Over the next several years I worked for different Drilling Contractors such as Montgomery, Hylton, Camay, Gary, Golden State and Kenai. I also spent some time working for Atlas Oil Tools as well as my first exposure Wellsite Consulting for Patriot Resources and the Original E&B (Jim Ellison).

Around 1997 while with Kenai as a Rig Supervisor I was offered a position with Venoco by then Drilling Manager Craig Krummrich. I always joke that it a science project to show he could make an engineer out of a roughneck and called it “Monkey See Monkey Do”. I was lucky enough to have him as a mentor for the next 5 years. In the beginning during one of our conversations Craig had told me that someday I would think I knew more than he did and would need to move on. Although it sounded ridiculous at the time in about 5 years I did just that. It didn’t take long to realize how wrong I was.

Over the next 3 years I was fortunate enough to get to work with and learn from some talented people at Chevron, Mike Mollere, David Renshaw and Lisa Kohler. I then took a job as a Drilling Manager in Venezuela for Vinncler Oil & Gas followed by a stint at the same position Managing Projects with 2 Jack Up Operations off the Coast of Nigeria. I followed the same team I was working for in Venezuela as Drilling and Operations Manager for their startup Company “Legacy Energy”.

Since leaving Legacy in 2009 I spent a couple of years in the Haynesville Field with Exco, 2 years as Area Manager for Drilling at Key and just over 2 years ago partnered up with Ryan Boyd starting CODScorp. I have a wonderful supportive family including my beautiful wife Valari, four amazing sons, Rickey Jr., Bryce, Tate and Willie Bird and three grandkids. I live just outside of Bakersfield on a mini ranch with 3 horses, 10 dogs (Only four actually belong to us) and an old cat that keeps the dogs in line. My favorite pastime is guiding a Super stock Race Car at the Kern County Speedway into a couple of places in front of last place.
2016 AADE West Coast Invitational Golf Tournament

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
of DRILLING ENGINEERS

Tax ID # 77-0343650
Sundale Country Club
Friday March 18, 2016
Shotgun Start at 8:00 am
Entry Fee is: $750 per Team
Tee Sponsor is an additional $200

Captain: ___________________ & Shirt Sizes: ________
Player 2: ___________________
Player 3: ___________________
Player 4: ___________________

Check # _____________________________
Credit Card #: _______________________
Full Name on Card _____________________
Billing Address ___________________________
Expiration Date Mo/Yr _______ Zip Code __________
Amount: $ 750.00 or $950.00 ______ CVV Code ______

Signature: __________________________________

Please return completed copies via email to:
Jason.mundorf@nov.com & choggard@pmfeze.com
Checks payable to: AADE West Coast Chapter
PO Box 9953 Bakersfield, CA 93389
Would you like to share our space?

Your audience is:

517 email readers
&
AADE Website

Advertising 1 year - 1/2 page $750
Advertising 3 months - 1/2 page $250
Advertising 1 year - Business Card $300
Advertising 3 months - Business Card $100

Please call or email Tim Spriet 327-3021 Tim.Spriet@drltek.com.
Congratulations to Tubular Inspection Company, Inc.!

2015 BBQ CHAMPIONS 3PEAT

Tubular Inspection Company, Inc.

Congratulations to Tubular Inspection 3 years in a row!
Grit blasting up to 14
EMI Inspections / Mobile EMI
Drilling up to 20
Wire Wrap Screens
Gravel Packing
Down Hole Tools
Slotting/Round Hole Perforating

API Threading up to 13 3/8"
Customer Storage of material
Proprietary Threading
Drilling with Casing
Flush Joint Threading
Rail Spur Access

5900 E. Lerdo Hwy
Office: 661-392-1900
WWW.JD Rush.COM

Di Drill is a locally grown company that offers services and answer products for the oil, gas, and geothermal industries. Safety and service quality are of the utmost importance within our organization.

Gyro Services
- Real Time Gyro Surveying
- Memory Gyro Surveying
- Gyro Orientations
  - Whipstocks
  - Perforating

E-Line Services
- Mast Unit for Rigless Operations
- Gyro Surveys
- Downhole Camera
- Pressure/Temperature Logs

Equipment Rentals
- Non Mag Drill Collars
- Non Mag Pony Collars
- UBHO Subs
- Lifting Subs
- Crossovers

Slickline Services
- Mast Unit for Rigless Operations
- Pressure/Temperature Logging
- Fill Tags
- Gauge Rings
- Sample Bailing
- Sand Bailing

Call us: (661)345-3979
Visit us: www.didrill.com

AADE Website www.aade.org/chapters/west-coast/
**AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF DRILLING ENGINEERS**

**MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION**

**DATE:**

---

**Chapter Affiliation (please check one of the following):**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Appalachian</th>
<th>Central</th>
<th>Texas</th>
<th>Dallas/Ft. Worth</th>
<th>Houston</th>
<th>Lafayette</th>
<th>New Orleans</th>
<th>West Coast</th>
<th>Denver</th>
<th>Permian Basin</th>
<th>Mid-Continent</th>
<th>Anchorage Alaska</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>$25.00</td>
<td>$25.00</td>
<td>$20.00</td>
<td>$25.00</td>
<td>$25.00</td>
<td>$25.00</td>
<td>$25.00</td>
<td>$30.00</td>
<td>$25.00</td>
<td>$25.00</td>
<td>$25.00</td>
<td>$20.00</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

---

**Last Name**   **First Name**     **MI**

**Company**   **Title**     **Business Phone**

**Address**     **Fax**

**City**     **St.**     **Zip Code**     **E-Mail Address**

---

**Business Type:** (Please circle one)

1. Oil and Gas Producer
2. Engineering/Operations Consulting
3. Environmental
4. Equipment/Service Supply Company
5. Consumable Product/Service Supply Company
6. Drilling Contractor
7. Governmental or Regulatory Agency
8. Other

---

**Job Function:** (Please circle one)

1. Management
2. Engineering
3. Operations
4. Technical Support/Service
5. Research and Development
6. Field Services/Technician
7. Training
8. Purchasing
9. Marketing/Sales
10. Other

---

**AADE FORM No. 920 (9/94) Rev. 03/24/2015**

**Member No.**

---

**Mail Form and Payment direct to appropriate Chapter(s).**

---

**CHAPTERS:**

**APPALACHIAN:** Attn: Joshua Doak c/o Range Resources, 3000 Town Center Blvd. Canonsburg, PA 15317

**CENTRAL TEXAS:** PO Box 591640 San Antonio, TX 78259

**NEW ORLEANS:** PO Box 51929 New Orleans LA 70151 - 1929

**LAFAYETTE:** PO Box 80023 Lafayette LA 70598 - 0023

**HOUSTON:** PO Box 107 Houston TX 77001-0107

**DALLAS/FT. WORTH:** PO Box 801205 Dallas, TX 75380-1205

**WEST COAST:** PO Box 9953 Bakersfield CA 93389

**DENVER:** PO Box 13367 Denver, CO 80201

**PERMIAN BASIN:** PO Box 51038 Midland TX 79710

**MID-CONTINENT:** PO Box 30263 Edmond, OK 73003-0004

**ALASKA:** PO Box 93538 Anchorage AK 99509-3538

---

**AADE NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:** (Do not mail Dues Payment to this address)  P.O. Box 107 Houston, TX 77001  281-293-9600 carolynberry@att.net

---

**AADE Website** [www.aade.org/chapters/west-coast/](http://www.aade.org/chapters/west-coast/)