Join us for the October AADE general meeting this Monday!

The AADE Lafayette Chapter General Meeting will be at 11:30 a.m. Monday, October 17, 2016, at the Petroleum Club of Lafayette. This month’s speaker will be S.W. "Gator" Johnson, Drilling Manager - Gulf Coast/Central Texas for Chesapeake Energy. Johnson's presentation will highlight Drilling in the Haynesville Region.

Johnson has 35 years of experience in production, drilling and completions engineering and operations. He previously has worked for Mobil Oil, Vintage Petroleum, Dominion Natural Resources, HighMount E&P, Devon and Lewis Energy in positions ranging from engineer to vice president.

Additionally, he also worked as a division college recruiting coordinator and supply chain team leader once upon a time.

Johnson earned a Bachelor of Science degree in petroleum...
engineer from Louisiana Tech University with honors.

He is married with two children – an 18-year-old daughter who is a freshman at the University of Denver and a 15-year-old son who is a freshman at Crossing Christian School and an avid football, basketball and track athlete.

In his free time, Johnson enjoys fishing, hunting, high school sports announcing and is an AVID TIGER FOOTBALL FAN!

Registration opens at 11 a.m. Attendees and their guests with reservations are $20, and walk-ins will be $25. Please RSVP by noon Friday, October 14, 2016.

Register online today, email in your RSVP or call 337-266-8211.

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**Lafayette Chapter 2016-17 Session Off and Running**

The first AADE General Meeting of the 2016-2017 Session for the Lafayette Chapter was held Sept. 19. Drilling Engineering A.J. Silvia of Noble Energy offered an informative presentation on “Drilling Practices in the Eagle Ford Shale Play” to more than 70 attendees at the Petroleum Club of Lafayette. Thanks to A.J. for helping kick off the session on a great note! A.J. Silvia, center, stands with AADE Lafayette Chapter President Kristy

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Bonner, left, and First Vice President Jerred Clark.

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**Fall Nicholls and UL Scholarship Honorees**

**Bianca Green** has been named the fall AADE scholarship recipients at **Nicholls State University**. She is in the Petroleum Engineering Tech Safety program and an active member of the AADE Nicholls State Student Chapter. Congratulations to Bianca!

**A Thank You From Bianca Green**

"By awarding me the AADE Scholarship, you have lightened my financial burden which now allows me to focus more on the most important aspect of school, learning. With your generosity, I am one step closer to my goal of becoming a Safety Professional in the oil and gas industry. I hope one day I am able to help students achieve their academic goals just as you have helped me."

- **Bianca Green**, **NSU Fall Scholarship Honoree**

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Kobie Renard, not pictured, and Andrew Trosclair, center, were recently awarded scholarships from the AADE Lafayette Chapter for the fall semester. Both are petroleum engineering students at the University of Louisiana and active members in the AADE Student Chapter. Trosclair, stands with AADE Treasurer Sharon Moore, left, and AADE President Kristy Bonner at the September General Meeting.

UL Students Win Big in Petro Bowl

Much congratulations and applause goes to UL students who competed in the annual Society of Petroleum Engineers Petro Bowl as part of SPE Annual Technical

RENEW YOUR AD TODAY!

The AADE Lafayette Chapter publishes a monthly enewsletter called the Lafayette Driller to share news and information about upcoming events with its membership.

If you’d like to place an ad and support AADE's ongoing efforts, please email us.

The following ad sizes and rates are for inclusion in all nine AADE Lafayette Driller issues for the session.

- Leaderboard (728 x 90 pixels) $400
- Skyscraper (160 x 600 pixels) $300
- Medium rectangle (300 x 250 pixels) $200
- Small rectangle/business card (300 x 150 pixels) $100
- Logo button (150 x 150 pixels) $100
UL's Petro Bowl team competed Sept. 26 against Penn State in competition semifinals in Dubai, United Arab Emirates, claiming an overall second-place finish and a first-place in the North America Region - the highest outcome in UL history.

>> Read full story in The Advertiser

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

AADE will join with the SPE chapter for its distinguished lecturer's series for November and December as both will be drilling-related topics. Please note that the day and time for the November and December meetings will be different and registration will be handled through the SPE website.

11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tuesday, November 8

Julmar Shaun Sadicon Toralde of Weatherford will discuss "Deepwater Managed Pressure Drilling and Well Drillability, Efficiency and Process Safety" Petroleum Club of Lafayette. The cost to attend will be $25 for members and non-members who register before November 7 and $30 at the door.

>>PLEASE REGISTER ON THE SPE WEBSITE

MORE ABOUT THIS PRESENTATION: Adoption of managed pressure drilling (MPD) technologies of the applied surface backpressure type in deepwater environments have mainly involved a rotating control device (RCD) to create a closed drilling system where flow out of the well is diverted towards and backpressure regulated using an automated MPD choke manifold with a high-resolution mass flow meter that increases sensitivity and reaction time to kicks, losses and other unwanted drilling events. This integration of MPD equipment into floating drilling rigs to provide it with MPD capabilities, including the capacity to perform pressurized mud cap drilling (PMCD) and riser gas mitigation (RGM), has not only produced improvements in terms of drillability and efficiency, but most importantly, in terms of process safety. He will offer case histories on how MPD has performed in the presentation. REGISTER BEFORE NOVEMBER 7.

11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tuesday, December 6

AADE Calendar of Events

- 11:30 a.m. Monday, October 17 — General Meeting >>REGISTER NOW!
- 11:30 a.m. Tuesday, November 8 — Special Joint Meeting with SPE >>PLEASE REGISTER ON THE SPE WEBSITE
- 11:30 a.m. Tuesday, December 6 — Special Joint Meeting with SPE >> PLEASE REGISTER ON THE SPE WEBSITE
- 11:30 a.m. Monday, January 16 — General Meeting
- 11:30 a.m. Monday, February 20 — General Meeting
- 11:30 a.m. Monday, March 20 — General Meeting
- 11:30 a.m. Monday, April 17 — General Meeting
- Thursday, April 27 — F5 Bon Temps in Lafayette
- 11:30 a.m. Monday, May 15 — General Meeting

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WANT TO GET INVOLVED IN THE AADE LAFAYETTE CHAPTER?

As a volunteer-run organization, those in the oil and gas industry willing to offer their time and talent are essential for making every informational effort, educational undertaking, networking event, scholarship and donation happen. We need people like you to step forward and get involved. If you’d like to chair or serve on a committee, volunteer to assist with an event or offer up a speaker for a monthly meeting, please let us know. Thank you in advance for your ongoing support of AADE!

>> Contact President Kristy Bonner to see how you can get involved in the future of the AADE Lafayette Chapter

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William L. Koederitz of GK Plus Innovations LLC will discuss "Lessons Learned, How NOT to Do Drilling Automation," Petroleum Club of Lafayette. The cost to attend will be $25 for members and non-members who register before December 5 and $30 at the door and $10 for students who pre-register and $15 at the door.

>> PLEASE REGISTER ON THE SPE WEBSITE

MORE ABOUT THIS PRESENTATION: The uses of automation in the drilling process are expanding and are typically resulting in improved drilling performance. However, many of these projects struggle in the initial stages, often trying to overcome a common set of hurdles. Many of these hurdles are not technical challenges, but instead are related to people issues and the methods for implementing the solutions. This presentation covers the basics of drilling automation and describes the problems and solutions that have been found to improve the startup success for drilling automation.

IDEA TO TAKE AWAY: For automation to be successful, the key users, especially the driller, must be involved in every step of design and implementation. PLEASE REGISTER BEFORE DECEMBER 5.

LAGCOE Education & Innovation Summit to be Held on October 26-27 at Cajundone Convention Center

LAGCOE continues to work to bring value to the energy industry even during economically difficult times by hosting the LAGCOE Education and Innovation Summit – a two-day summit featuring informational, motivational and non-technical sessions geared to a variety of interest levels within the energy industry.

Schedule of Events

Wednesday, October 26, 2016
- 8 a.m. to 11 a.m. – LAGCOE Student Paper Competition
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AADE Call for Papers - 2017 National Technical Conference & Exhibition

The National American Association of Drilling Engineers will host the 2017 AADE National Technical Conference and Exhibition, "Emerging into a New Dawn," covering subjects considered to be improvements and innovations in drilling operations.

This conference will be of interest to major and independent operators, service companies, drilling contractors and equipment and materials manufacturers. Those interested in submitting a noncommercial technical paper and making a presentation are invited to submit a 250 word (maximum) abstract using the AADE template.

The conference will be held at the Hilton Houston North, Houston, Texas, on April 11-12, 2017.

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