



The Caravan

March 2017

Dear Fellow Nomads:

2017 started off quite well with our first regular meeting of the year, The Annual Forecast Meeting presented by World Oil's Kurt Abraham and Andy McDowell. Although I was unable to attend myself, we had a great turnout with 88 attendees including 29 guests!

Please be sure to register and invite guests to our March meeting where our speaker is John Bartos, Vice President of Materials, Modeling and Mechanical Technologies from Schlumberger. This should be very interesting and we encourage you all to be there.

Prior to the February meeting many of us attended the 2017 Kick-Off Celebration. If you missed this... well, I'll just say you missed a good one! About 60 NOMADS and guests attended, and from the feedback we've received all had a great time. It was a cocktail party format and a great opportunity to get to mix and mingle and get know each other. The party ran from 7-10 PM but many of us were still going around 11 PM and later! I suggest you go ahead right now and plan to attend the Kick-Off Celebration in February 2018!

Special Announcement

As NOMADS moves into 2017, there are a number of significant changes that will be taking place. First and foremost, NOMADS' long time and well-loved Executive Secretary, Wanda Baker will be retiring. She will continue to work with NOMADS throughout 2017 in a continually reducing role, with full retirement expected around the end of the year.

With Wanda's departure, a huge void will need to be filled and we plan to accomplish this by updating our business systems. We will basically try to go "paperless" as much as possible. Our new website will be hosting many of the forms that we used to handle manually, making it easier for members and guests to attend events, sign up for membership and interact with our organization.

Further, we will be initiating new policies that will require NOMADS Events, including regular dues and dinner meetings, etc. to be paid in advance and online only. If you do not already have an active email address with us, please contact Wanda Baker in order to help us update your record. More details will be forthcoming soon so please watch for these.

OTC is right around the corner and NOMADS will again be staffing the International Visitor's Lounge. The difference this year is that we will not have the SPE Ladies working with us. It will be 100% NOMADS. As per previous events, we will need volunteers, keeping in mind that we will also be serving the coffee & cookies as well as keeping the tables clean and organized throughout the day. Further, **NOMADS is seeking sponsorships for the lounge.** If any companies are interested in this great advertising opportunity, please contact Wanda or a NOMADS officer.

I also hope everyone is enjoying the pleasant "almost" Spring weather!

Ken Gibbs



Ken Gibbs
NOMADS
2017 President

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- Sign up for our Oil and Gas networking events!
- Understand the benefits of being a member and join!
- Helpful links to connect with us on social media!
- Find a member and meet us!

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**We look forward to connecting with you
soon!**



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Domestic & International Guests

- Travis Eckert
- Vernon Hutchinson
- Gustavo Tamez
- Kevin Parks
- George Morgan
- Page, Keith
- Obinna Nwadike
- Ashley Madray
- Tom Spellman
- Keith Cruthirds
- PK Kvien
- Mike Quiray
- Mama Sherry
- Jack Borland
- Maura Sellers
- Spence Bridges
- Gary Henderson
- Charlene Moore
- Racheal Dizon
- Larry Keister
- Todd Pellegrin
- Jess Evans
- Mark Koski
- Bharat Punj
- Gerry Stout
- Jimmy Morris, Jr.
- McDowell, Andy
- Toby O'Neil
- Frank Kuepper
- Brian Ford
- Dan O'Neil
- David Smith
- Jim Dech
- Frank Boda
- Kerri Wieckert
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Vallourec USA

Prosperity Bank
Franklin Howard
Gas Innovations
Blades International
Viking Advisory Group
Viking Advisory Group
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Blades International
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Beard, David
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Boals, John
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Goodman, Gary
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Janjua, Azeem
Johnston, Chris
Morris, Jimmy
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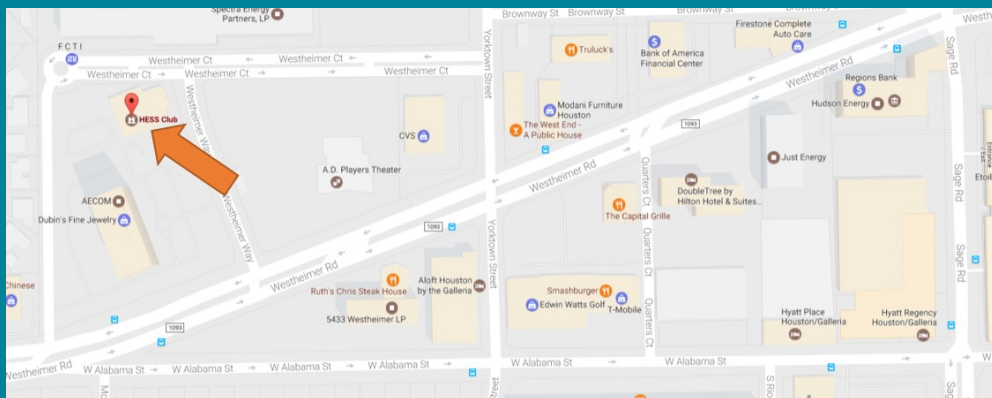
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Please note that as of March 15th, the only phone number for Wanda will be 713.569.5890



HESS Club
5430 Westheimer Rd
Houston TX 77056



Members Present

- Duane Ahlquist
 - Fred Baker
 - Wanda Baker
 - Cliff Baldwin
 - Umit Bayulken
 - David Beard
 - Bob Blades
 - Jim Cowan
 - David Daugherty
 - David Davis
 - Brooks Frazier
 - Don Fry
 - Gary Goodman
 - Rolf Gullaksen
 - Brent Jatko
 - Randy Kepner
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- Chuck Kupinski
 - Yancey Lain
 - Marc Marcantel
 - Travis March
 - Alessio Marchegiani
 - Andy McKinney
 - Larry Mercier
 - Robert Mitvalsky
 - Jimmy Morris
 - Garry Morris
 - Greg Reyna
 - Bentley Sanford
 - Nick Skinner
 - Ted Thames
 - Lance Vogelsang
 - Gary Volberding

Past Presidents

- Jack Campbell 1986
- Louis Slaughter 1994
- Bill Humpfi 1995/96
- A. J. Kucera 1996
- Ray Denson 1997
- Bill Provine 2003
- Bedford Percy 2004
- Kurt Abraham 2006
- Gary Kirsch 2007
- Robert Saucedo 2009
- John Boals 2011
- Bobby French 2012
- Ed Gilliard 2013
- Michael Dyll 2015
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NOMADS Monthly Meeting

Regular Dinner Meeting

April 11, 2017

5:30 Cocktail Hour with Dinner & Speaker to Follow
HESS Club
5430 Westheimer Rd
Houston TX 77056



We will be hearing from Monica Enfield, Director of Intelligence from Energy Intel.



The National Oil-equipment Manufacturers and Delegates Society (NOMADS) holds monthly meetings in order to help connect the members of the Oil Industry. Our members help each other locate opportunities in the Energy Sector, as well as share ideas on the current status of the global oil and gas markets. The NOMADS strive to locate new candidates to join our organization, and we hope to see you at our next event.

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2017 Calendar of Events

- Tue, Mar 14 John Bartos, Schlumberger—VP, Technologies
- Tue, Apr 11 Monica Enfield, Energy Intel—Director of Intel
- Tue, May 9 Ulrik Brassen – Sales Team Leader, Alfa Laval
- Tue, Jun 13 Our Brand-Spankin' New Networking Event!!!
- July No meeting
- Tue, Aug 8 William R. Childs, Ph.D. J.D. – Patent Attorney, Childs Law
- Tue, Sep 12 Susan Saurage, Chief Insights Officer – Saurage Consulting
- Fri, Oct 6 Golf Tournament—BlackHorse Golf Club
- Tue, Nov 14 Induction
- Tue, Dec 12 Business (Members Only)



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