

7APL's 70th Year!

NEWSLETTER OCTOBER 2018

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TAPL Upcoming Events

November Dinner Meeting
Monday, November 12, 2018
The Summit Club, Tulsa, OK
5:00 PM Cocktails, 6:00 PM Dinner







LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear TAPL members:

We are one quarter of the way through the TAPL calendar and with several successful events in the books we are picking up steam as we start to move into the Holiday Season.

Our annual TAPL Fall Shamble was a great example of the strength of this organization and its ability to deal with change on the fly. Within the week leading up to our tournament we saw temperatures drop from the Mid 80s to highs in the 40s and over 4 inches of rain, but Events Director Mariena Martin and her committee took Mother Nature's curveball and knocked this event out of the park! With another massive prize pool and GOLF BALL CANNONS, it was hard not to have a blast during this event (pun intended), and we were able to raise over \$10,000.00 for the Scholarship Endowments. Another great event to start off this TAPL season, and an event that wouldn't have been possible without the support of our members and the generosity of our Sponsors.

This past month we also had our first Educational Luncheon at the Summit Club where Mr. Elwood Vogel, Technical Advisor for Halliburton, presented a class on Log Interpretation at a Landman's pace. The luncheon was well attended and I believe all in attendance not only came away with a new respect for our technical colleagues, but also a new understanding of some of the information they use in their presentations. We are very grateful for Mr. Vogel and sharing his time and expertise with some of our TAPL members.

Finally moving into November means that we are now past the Membership Renewal deadline. This means that everyone that would like to become a new member or did not renew their membership from last year will need to fill out a new application online at www.tapl.org. Currently we have 461 members in our organization which is outstanding as we are continuing to grow, but if you know someone that isn't a member of TAPL that you think would benefit from a TAPL membership please have them go to the website or contact Eric Weideman.

Over the next month we will be having our first Membership Dinner at the Summit Club of the season, and our Guest Speaker Don Burdick, CEO of Oliphant Energy, will speak with the membership about his 35 years of personal experience and history in the Oil and Gas industry. I look forward to seeing everyone at this month's dinner meeting.

Sincerely,

Andy Matson, CPL
TAPL President







SEA COMMITTEE UPDATE

TAPL Members,

The Scholarship, Endowment, and Awards Committee (SEA) would like to give a brief update on the TAPL Endowment Fund for the University of Tulsa and the University of Oklahoma since the TAPL Fall Golf Shamble that occurred Monday, October 15th at The Golf Club of Oklahoma.

This year, the SEA Committee was able to provide some great fundraising opportunities for the Endowment Fund. For the raffle prize, we were able to raffle off a \$1,500 Apple Gift Card. This was a big hit, and we are grateful for everyone who purchased raffle tickets!

We also had some new and exciting fundraising opportunities out on the course. The first of these was Cannons for a Cause, an organization that provides a safe, hands-on experience allowing golfers to launch golf balls up to 400 yards! We had a 100% team participation rate on the Cannons for a Cause hole, making it a great success. The SEA Committee would like to extend a huge thank you to Paramount Field Services for sponsoring the Cannons for a Cause hole. If you weren't able to make it out to the event and missed out on Cannons for a Cause, we are excited to announce that they will be back for the TAPL Spring Golf Scramble this coming spring! Finally, the other fundraising opportunity on the course was Golf Darts, where team members each chipped a Velcro golf ball onto an inflatable dart board. It, too, was very successful and attracted almost every team that came through. The SEA Committee would also like to thank Paladin Land Group for sponsor-ing the Golf Darts hole. Below are some pictures from both the Cannons for a Cause fundraising hole and the Golf Darts fundraising hole.

Due to the success of these new fundraising opportunities and the charitable, giving nature of TAPL Members, the SEA Committee is very excited to announce we were able to raise a RECORD-BREAKING amount for an annual TAPL event, totaling \$11,550. This would not be possible without the TAPL Membership, the volunteers, and the Events Committee who worked with the SEA Committee to help coordinate all of this. This puts us that much closer to the overall goal of \$280,000.00, which would fully allow TAPL to provide scholarships to our community's future land professionals, while significantly lowering the burden on the TAPL Annual Budget for years to come. If you would like to donate or would like more information on the Scholarship Endowment programs, please contact Rhonda Stacy (rstacy@midcon-energy.com).

The SEA Committee would also like to remind everyone about TAPL's Century Club, which has been established in efforts to recognize and honor those loyal, longtime TAPL members. By way of exclusive induction, the Century Club is comprised of distinguished members and member companies that have gone above and beyond by making a \$100.00 donation to the Scholarship Endowment fund for every year they have been a member with the TAPL, or for those companies that give over \$10,000.00 to the Scholarship Endowment fund (5 year minimum for eligibility).

Example: 10 years of TAPL membership = 10 x \$100 = \$1000 for Century Club admittance

If you or your company would like to become members of the TAPL Century Club, please contact **Rhonda Stacy (rstacy@midcon-energy.com)** for more information.

Finally, the Scholarship, Endowment and Awards Committee is excited to announce our newest segment to the newsletter, "Investing in Our Future: Where Are They Now?". This interview series finds former TAPL Scholarship recipients and graduates of the University of Tulsa and University of Oklahoma Energy Management programs who are residing and working in the Tulsa area and asks them a series of questions pertaining to their professional careers, their contributions to TAPL, and how the TAPL's mentoring program, TAPL as an organization, and how receiving the TAPL Scholarship impacted them and their careers as land professionals. The purpose of these interviews is to demonstrate how the money invested in the SEA endowment has "paid out" for our industry in terms of the success and accomplishments of these scholars, to show the impact TAPL has on these students both during their education and after, and to highlight the new generation of land professionals here in the Tulsa area. The first interview of this series features Eric Weidemann!

Tayler Peterson- TAPL Scholarship, Endowment & Awards Committee Correspondent









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TAPL SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT INTERVIEW: WHERE ARE THEY NOW?

This interview series by the Scholarship, Endowment, and Awards Committee of TAPL finds former TAPL Scholarship recipients and graduates of the University of Tulsa and University of Oklahoma Energy Management programs who are residing and working in the Tulsa area and asks them a series of questions pertaining to their professional careers, their contributions to TAPL, and how the TAPL mentoring program, TAPL as an organization, and how receiving the TAPL Scholarship impacted them and their careers as land professionals. The purpose of these interviews is to demonstrate how the money invested in the SEA endowment has "paid out" for our industry in terms of the success and accomplishments of these scholars, to highlight TAPL's impact on these students both during their education and after, and to showcase the new generation of land professionals here in the Tulsa area.

Please give a brief biography of who you are, when and where you graduated from and where you are currently working.

My name is Eric Weidemann. I am originally from St. Louis and graduated from the University of Tulsa in 2012 with a double major in Energy Management and Finance. I am currently a landman for Council Oak Resources, LLC in Tulsa.

How long have you been a member of TAPL?

Since 2012.

Has your current company or a former company of yours ever contributed as a sponsor for a TAPL event in the past?

Yes, Council Oak has been a sponsor for many TAPL golf tournaments as well as a TAPL Comprehensive Sponsor in past years.

Were you a part of the TAPL (or OCAPL) Student Mentoring Program during your education, and if so, how did that contribute to your time as an Energy Management major and your early career?

I was involved in the mentor program as a student and it was critical to my early career success. My mentor was already working part-time for a company in town and introduced me to them. I ended up interviewing at this company and went on full time with them when I graduated. My mentor at TU ended up being my manager at this company a few years later. It is crazy how things can end up from where they begin.

Have you previously or do you currently serve TAPL through a committee, Board service, or possibly as a mentor? If so, in what occupation?

I am currently on the SEA committee and am on the board as the Membership Director.

What other contributions have you made to TAPL or the oil and gas industry here in Tulsa? (I.e. coordinating an event, or participating in another organization)

I have coordinated the TAPL land run that was started in 2016. This event has helped raise money for the endowment by providing a fun, family friendly event sponsored by TAPL and industry partners.

What did it mean to you to win a TAPL Scholarship, how do you feel it impacted your future career as a land professional, and how important do you feel the TAPL Scholarships are for the future generation of land professionals?

The scholarship was huge. Obviously, the dollars towards scholarship were important since TU was and is expensive. More importantly for me though, getting involved in the TAPL early strengthened my ties to Tulsa and to the outstanding professionals here in town. I've had opportunities to leave Tulsa but the strong ties I have here definitely contributed to me finding the right fit here. The scholarship program is crucial to the TAPL's investment in its future.

With most of the big companies leaving town to consolidate in other cities, it's more important than ever for the TAPL to get in front of the Energy Management students to keep talent local. By providing the scholarship, the TAPL has a seat at the same table as ConocoPhillips, Anadarko, Newfield Exploration, etc., that do the majority of the hiring. Further investment in the scholarship and other support and development opportunities for the Energy Management students keeps our local pipeline strong.

7APL and the SEA Committee would like to thank Eric Weideman for being the first 7APL scholarship recipient to contribute to this new interview segment. If you are a previous scholarship recipient and would be interested in an interview, please contact Tayler Peterson at: taylerp1515@gmail.com.



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EDUCATIONAL LUNCHEON RECAP: LOG INTERPRETATION 101

"Log Interpretation 101 – The Landman Version"

On October 25, 2018 TAPL held an Education Luncheon at the Summit Club entitled "Log Interpretation 101—The Landman Version", which was presented by **Mr. Elwood Vogel,** Technical Advisor for the Northern Region of Halliburton. Elwood's presentation provided an opportunity for us 'land folk' to learn Open Hole vertical Log characteristics identifying resistivity, porosity, thickness, structural dip and water bearing formations. Mr. Vogel took his presentation a step further to also explain how these characteristics, when paired with the interpretation of the Gamma Ray Log and 3-D Seismic, can assist in the drilling and steering of horizontal wells.

Be sure to join us at TAPL's next informative education luncheon.

Jim Slade - TAPL Education Director











EVENTS RECAP: FALL GOLF SHAMBLE

TAPL Members,

The TAPL Fall Shamble was yet another record breaking event! TAPL hosted our members only Fall Golf Shamble on Monday, October 15th at The Golf Club of Oklahoma. The Fall Tourney has always been one of TAPL's most highly anticipated networking events and this year was no different. Team registration for the event sold out in record time and despite the cold weather and frigid arctic wind gusts we had 100% attendance at the tourney. Thank you to all of our members who braved the cold and participated in the tourney!

Sponsorships benefitting this year's tourney also hit an all-time high! A huge thank you to all of our amazing sponsors who continue to generously support this event year after year. Our Sponsors are 100% to thank for the success of this tourney and their record breaking financial contributions allowed more participants to walk away with prizes than ever before!

With the help of our sponsors, we were also able to incorporate some new exciting games to our Scholarship Endowment Fund competition holes. A special thank you to **Paramount Field Services**, **LLC** for sponsoring the "Cannons for a Cause" hole, and **Paladin Land Group** for sponsoring the "Golf Darts" game and "Pay it Forward" hole. Team participation at the competition holes was unprecedented and set another new record for dollars raised for the TAPL Scholarship Endowment Fund at an annual event!

The Fall Shamble is extra special to the Events Committee because it is TAPL's only member exclusive event of the year and our best opportunity to show our gratitude to TAPL's loyal membership and Sponsors. Thank you to the excellent staff at The Golf Club of Oklahoma, the TAPL Events Committee and Volunteers who worked especially hard to offer the best experience possible to our members. We hope a fun time was had by all! See you at the Spring Scramble!

PS: Save the date; the Spring Scramble is scheduled for Monday, May 13th 2019!

Sincerely,

Mariena Martin, RPL

TAPL Events Director

A Huge Thank You to Our Sponsors!



2018 TAPL FALL SHAMBLE

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EVENTS RECAP:

FALL GOLF SHAMBLE



To view the full collection of photos from this event, please visit the following link:

https://www.tapl.org/photos/set/19/



MEMBERSHIP UPDATE: THIS MONTH'S NEW MEMBERS

Member Name Company

James McColl Retired

Corey Cofer Reagan Smith Energy Solutions

Matt Westfall Orion Exploration

Candice Kibbe Compass Land Resources

Jake Keith Superior Title Services, Inc.

Matt Simmons Continental Resources, Inc.

Cache Dupree Compass Land Resources

Joe Ferguson Roan Resources

Mark Smith Carrera Energy

Ryan Benson Western Land Services

C. Sebastian Alvarado Western Land Services

Rob Durossette ETX Energy, LLC

Tyler Tiger Calyx Energy, III, LLC

Nicole Mafille Calyx Energy, III, LLC

Mary Meeker NBI Services, Inc.

Sarah Ward Paladin Land Group

Jared McAdams Bivins Land Service, LLC

Andrew Dunn Oklahoma Corporation Commission

Emily Susman Paramount Field Services, LLC

Will Dillsaver Cox/McLain Environmental Consulting, Inc.

Travis Krapff Chisholm Oil and Gas Operating, LLC

Mark Shannon

Travis Patty Roan Resources







COURTHOUSE ACTIVITY SCOUT

Introduction

This segment is new to the TAPL newsletter and is sure to be useful to all of us working competitive areas (i.e. everywhere in Oklahoma and Texas). In addition to the newsletter, The Courthouse Activity Scout will be published weekly on TAPL's website, and our LinkedIn and Facebook social media pages.

To bring you this information, we go directly to the County Clerk's offices in the relevant county seats for all of the mid-continent's hottest plays and get a first-hand report on the activity and number of landmen in the courthouse from the preceding week. We then reflect this in a daily average value. If you follow this data weekly, you can identify up-ticks and down-turns in area activity over time and occasional spikes in the number of landmen trying to get into the vaults when something trendy is happening. If you would like to see any additional counties reported in the Courthouse Activity Scout contact J.M. Buster-Bradshaw at jbradshaw@paladinlandgroup.com

Special thanks to Katy Roper at Paladin Land Group for compiling this data.

OKLAHOMA ACTIVITY— Reported 10/24/2018

STACK

Blaine – 10 landmen

Kingfisher – 10 to 20 landmen

Canadian – 15 to 20 landmen

Custer – 0 to 5 landmen

Dewey – 15 to 20 landmen

Washita – 1 to 5 landmen

MERGE

Grady – 20 landmen

McClain – 30 to 40 landmen

Caddo – 15 to 20 landmen

• Cleveland – 20 landmen

DEEP ANADARKO

Beaver – 10 to 20 landmen

Ellis – Less than 5 landmen

Roger Mills – Less than 5 landmen

Beckham – 5 to 10 landmen Lipscomb (TX) – Less than 5 Hemphill (TX) – Less than 5 Wheeler (TX) – Less than 5 SCOOP

Garvin – 10 to 20 landmen Stephens – 15 to 20 landmen Carter – 30 to 40 landmen Murray – Less than 5 landmen

ARKOMA

• Okfuskee – Less than 5 landmen

Hughes – 5 to 10 landmen

Coal – 5 to 10 landmen

McIntosh – 5 to 10 landmen

• Pittsburg – Less than 5 landmen

MISS LIME

Woodward – Less than 5 landmen

Major – 30 to 40 landmen

Alfalfa – Less than 5 landmen

Woods – 10 to 20 landmen

• Garfield – 10 to 15 landmen





COURTHOUSE ACTIVITY SCOUT

TEXAS & NEW MEXICO ACTIVITY — Reported 10/24/2018

PERMIAN

Reeves (TX) – 10 to 20 landmen

Ward (TX) – 5 to 10 landmen

Pecos (TX) – 5 to 10 landmen

• Upton (TX) - 10 to 20 landmen

• Ector (TX) – 10 to 20 landmen

Martin (TX) – 30 to 40 landmen

• Midland (TX) – 15 to 20 landmen

• Glasscock (TX) – Less than 5 landmen

• Howard (TX) – 20 to 30 landmen

• Reagan (TX) – 5 to 10 landmen

• Crane (TX) – Less than 5 landmen

DELAWARE

• Lea (NM) – 20 to 30 landmen

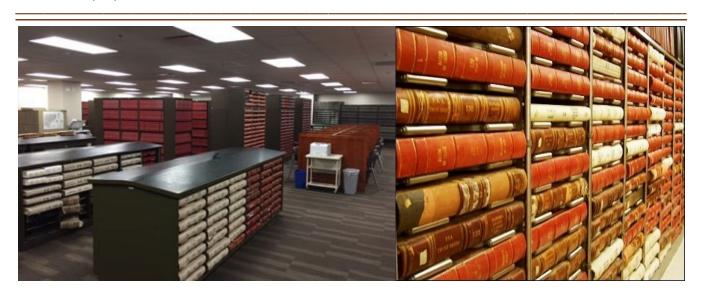
• Eddy (NM) – 30 to 40 Landmen

• Loving (TX) – 5 to 10 landmen; reported that most use their website

• Winkler (TX) – Less than 5 landmen

• Andrews (TX) – 10 to 20 landmen

Gaines (TX) – 5 to 10 landmen





<u>Land Links</u>: Your source for relevant and interesting industry news and links to helpful resources from around the web

CHK \$4B WildHorse Buy

Denbury nabs Penn Virginia- \$1.7B



Local/Domestic News

<u>Happy 10th Anniversary to the</u> Eagleford Shale

Encana buying Houston's Newfield Exploration for \$5.5B

<u>Chandler named Laredo Senior</u> VP, COO

Shell launching new fuel pilot programs in U.S.

<u>Tulsa's Latshaw Drilling loses</u> <u>federal lawsuit over unpaid over-</u> time wages



<u>International</u>

Iran's New Gray Area Oil Trade Strategy

BP receives OGA approval to develop Alligin field in North Sea

ADNOC and BHGE Form a Strategic Partnership

<u>China's Oil Addiction is its Main</u> <u>Weakness as a Superpower</u>

Helpful Resources:

Oiltrash- Mergers & Acquisitions List

A helpful tool for those working legacy producing properties or running title across the Mid-Continent Region

AAPL Toolkit — An invaluable resource center with facts & statistics regarding the impact of America's oil & gas industry on our everyday lives, communities and environment. Provides landmen with the resources needed to become true ambassadors for our industry

Regulatory

White House Backed Big Oil Over EPA on Finding Methane Leaks

Interim legislative study focuses on energy taxes in Oklahoma

Oil industry's influence issue in Railroad Commission race

E&P/Industry News Sites:

- RBN Energy Daily Blog
- RBC Richardson Barr
- Oil&Gas Journal
- Oil and Gas Investor
- Rigzone News
- Fuelfix





MONTHLY FUNNIES:

"LEVITY FOR THE DISCERNING LANDMAN"





MEMORANDUM

TO:

All Employees

DATE: January 11, 1978

FROM:

Edward Mike Davis

SUBJECT:

Idle Conversation

Idle conversation and gossip in this office among employees will result in immediate termination.

Don't talk about other people and other things in this

office.

DO YOUR JOB AND KEEP YOUR MOUTH SHUT!

EDWARD MIKE DAVIS







UPCOMING AAPL EDUCATIONS EVENTS

| DATE | EVENT | LOCATION | CREDITS |
|-------------------------|---|------------------|--------------------------|
| 10/25/2018 | Field Landman Seminar | Grand Rapids, MI | 1.00 CEU |
| 10/26/2018 | Allocation Wells (webinar available) | Fort Worth, TX | 3.00 CEU |
| 11/2/2018 | Working Interest and Net Revenue Interest Seminar | Wichita, KS | 6.00 CEU |
| 11/5/2018 | Surface Use and Access (webinar available) | Williston, ND | 5.00 CEU 1.00 ETHICS |
| 11/6/2018- 11/7/2018 | Working Interest and Net Revenue Interest Seminar (Basic & Advanced 2-day option) | Midland, TX | 6.00 CEU |
| 11/6/2018- 11/9/2018 | Oil and Gas Land Review, CPL/RPL Exam | Houston, TX | 18.00 CEU 1.00 ETHICS |
| 11/15/2018 | <u>Due Diligence</u> <u>Seminar</u> | Long Beach, CA | 5.00 CEU |
| 11/16/2018 | RPL Exam Only | Fort Worth, TX | NA |
| 11/16/2018 | CPL Exam Only | Fort Worth, TX | NA |
| 12/4/2018- 12/5/2018 | Fundamentals of Land Practices & Optional RPL Exam | Morgantown, WV | 6.00 CEU 1.00 ETHICS |
| 12/6/2018 | <u>Due Diligence</u> (webinar available) | Fort Worth, TX | 5.00 CEU |
| 12/11/2018 | Held By Production and Royalty Issues (webinar available) | Houston, TX | 6.00 CEU |
| 12/14/2018 | CPL Exam Only | Fort Worth, TX | NA |
| 12/14/2018 | RPL Exam Only | Fort Worth, TX | NA |

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11-15 FEB 2019

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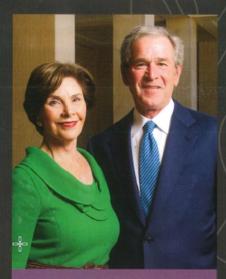
CONNECT. RE-CONNECT. MAKE DEALS HAPPEN.

REGISTRATION OPENS SEPT. 5 AT NAPEexpo.com

2019 SPECIAL EVENTS INCLUDE:

- **JOB FAIR**
- CONNECTIONS & CONVERSATION: WOMEN IN ENERGY
- **♦ SUMMIT SWEEPSTAKES GIVEAWAYS**
- **♦ GLOBAL BUSINESS CONFERENCE**
- **CHARITIES LUNCHEON**
- SPONSORED EDUCATION SESSIONS

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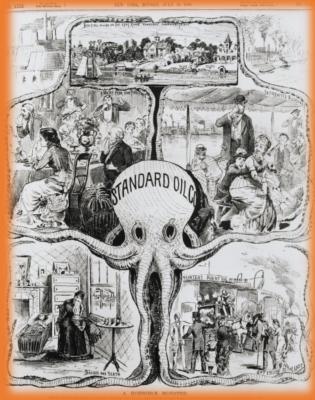
HAPPY HALLOWEEN!

ON BEHALF OF THE TAPL BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND EXECUTIVE COMMITTEES WE HOPE YOU HAD AN EXCELLENT OCTOBER & A HAPPY HALLOWEEN!

...and in that vein, we leave you this month with some rather terrifying artwork from the days of Standard Oil, when massive, monstrous monopolies dominated the petroleum industry.

We'll see you next month!







it: The Granger Collection, New York