# Westbank Oil Patch



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## 2025 Westbank Board of Directors

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Director: Theresa Adams Director: Gabriella Hunter

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## 2025 Committee Chairmen

Bulletin/Web: Glenda Gaither/Charles Miller

Bylaws: Theresa Adams

Contest: TBD Election: TBD

Field Trip: Theresa Adams

Finance: Debbie Brazeal/Linda Belsome

General Arrangements: Elaine Lesnak Membership/Orientation: Susan Miller

Nominating: TBD

Program/IAN: Susan Miller Scholarship: Gaylen Guillory

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## **November Birthdays**

Elaine Lesnak 01 Rebecca Leger-Eymard 09



2025	
BOARD MEETINGS	GENERAL MEETINGS
January 15	January 22 (resched to 29)
February 19	February—no meeting
March 19	March 26
April 16	April—no meeting
May 21	May 28
June 18	June—no meeting
July 16	July 23
August 20	August—no meeting
September 10	September 24*
October 15	October—no meeting
November 05**	November 19***

<sup>\*</sup>moved—Convention \*\*moved—conflicting schedules

## **Quarterly Calendar Events**

October 15th - Board meeting

No Membership meeting in October

October 31st - Happy Halloween!

November 5th - Board Mtg

November 19th - Installation Membership Mtg

No meetings in December, Happy Holidays!!



<sup>\*\*\*</sup>moved—Thanksgiving

## Club President's Newsletter



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Susan Miller Vice President

Secretary/Treasurer Angle Duplessis

Director Theresa Adams Gabriella Hunter



The Power of Energy

November, 2025

our FRIENDS!

The weather in South Louisiana is finally beginning to catch up with the season. We are getting cool, crisp mornings and warmer afternoons. The weather feels wonderful, but we definitely could use some more rain.

We find ourselves barreling towards the busiest season of the year. Halloween is over and we are fast approaching Thanksgiving. It is the time of the year when we can reflect on everything we have to be thankful for. We can be thankful for a roof over our heads and food on our table. We also need to be thankful for our FREEDOM, our LIBERTY, our HEALTH, our WEALTH (not just financial), our FAMILY, and

It is also a good time to recognize that we have many opportunities to help others. Donate to organizations that help veterans, that feed the needy, that work with the homeless, etc. There are many ways to give back to those who are less fortunate than we are. It can be as simple as donating a few dollars (if you can), donating a few hours of your time or donating items to the local food bank.

At our November meeting, we will be voting on the amendments that are on the mail ballot. The ballot has to be postmarked by Dec. 1 st to be counted, and we definitely want to make sure our ballot is sent back on time.

November is our Installation meeting. Please come show your support to the officers and enjoy the chance to socialize with other members. We will also be discussing items that need to be decided as we head into 2026.

Don't forget to bring your unwrapped toys for the Manning Family Children's Hospital Toy Drive.

I look forward to seeing everyone at our meeting and want to wish you all a Blessed and Happy Thanksgiving!

Gaylen Guillory 2025 President Desk and Derrick Club of the Westbank



November 19th Westbank Membership meeting

Please donate unwrapped toys

Angie Duplessis will be collecting unwrapped toys for the Manning Family Children's Hospital Toy Drive. Please donate if you can, to ensure families in need will have a blessed Christmas!





Wednesday, December 10, 2025 4pm – 7pm

Legacy Kitchen Steak & Chop 91 Westbank Expressway (near Academy) Gretna, LA

Bring a \$15 gift to participate in gift exchange!

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Jennifer Accardo 2025 Southeast Region Director

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I hope everyone has a Spooktacular Halloween! It will be nice to have a chilly Halloween this year. We are in the holiday mode as we transition from Halloween to Thanksgiving and for some Christmas decorations are popping up already. This time of year is always very special as we honor traditions and look forward to all the festivities of the upcoming holidays.

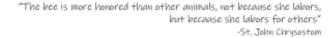
As our clubs hold election of officers this month for 2026, it is yet another reminder that the year has flown by. Thank you to all for stepping up to serve! If your club would like to hold installations, please contact our 2026 Region Director Elect, Missy Carroll. Also, as we look forward to 2026, please consider serving as a Committee Chairman either in your club or at the ADDC Level.

Just a reminder that the mail ballots that will be sent out must be postmarked by December 1 to be counted. Please be sure to discuss with your clubs.

As Thanksgiving approaches, I want to thank all of you for your support and friendship. Wishing you and your families a wonderful holiday season filled with abundance in all things that matter.

Remember, it takes all of us to BEE successful.

Warmest Regards, **Jennifer** 





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Dear Members,

As November arrives, I hope each of you is enjoying the crisp fall air, the turning leaves, and the anticipation of the holiday season ahead. This month always brings a time of reflection and gratitude — and I am especially thankful for each of you who continue to serve, educate, and promote our great Association.

I would like to take a moment to remind everyone that **the mail ballot** for the proposed amendment — to reduce our Association from four (4) regions to three (3), by combining the Northeast and Southeast Regions — has been sent to **all Club Presidents**. Please remember that ballots **must be postmarked by December 1st to be counted**. This is an important step in shaping the future of our organization, and I encourage every club to participate in this decision. Once our Registrar Committee receives and confirms the ballot, we will ensure that all of you are notified of the outcome!

As we look toward 2026, President-Elect Evelyn Green is beginning to assemble her leadership team. If you have ever considered serving as a Committee Chairman, now is the perfect time to step forward! Your experience, enthusiasm, and ideas are what keep this Association strong and moving forward. Please reach out to Evelyn to let her know where you'd like to serve — every contribution makes a difference.

Finally, as Thanksgiving approaches, I want to wish you and your loved ones a season filled with warmth, joy, and gratitude. May we all take a moment to appreciate the blessings in our lives — including the friendships and shared purpose we've found through Desk and Derrick.

Until next month...

Kathy Martin

"If you're not getting outside of your comfort zone, then you're not growing." Chad Foster



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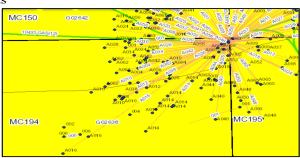
call Charlie directly with questions at (504) 439-3164.

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Owner/Operator Report (Record Title, Operator & Operating Rights)

#### WELL, PLATFORM & PIPELINE REPORTS

- 1. Platform information report with details on the platform structure
- 2. Platform Decommission Reports
- 3. Track status and locations of wells
  - 4. Daily Well Operations Report – Track current and future well operations scheduled to be performed daily for many operations like TA, PA, Initial Completions, Acidize, Casing Pressure Repair, Sidetrack/ByPass Change Zone and more.



GIS MAPPING SYSTEM – Easily view a map of your particular block(s) activity showing owners, operators, wells, platforms, pipelines, well directionals and more.

#### AND MUCH MORE!



## **Upcoming** —

2025 Westbank November
Membership meeting which is
our Installation meeting on
Nov. 19th, 2025

Community Relations Project - Donate unwrapped toys at Nov. Membership meeting

Holiday Social on Dec.10th, 2025 (see details on page 6)

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