## Region III Director's Newsletter



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Dear Region III Members,

Cool nights and football is here and I love both of them so I am one happy individual. Football is a team sport just like Desk and Derrick is a team sport. It takes the whole team to be one voice and united.

WOW!!! The 63<sup>rd</sup> Annual ADDC Convention in Lafayette was sensational. Kathy Martin and her crew knew how to show the ADDC members what it was like to live and love Lafayette. Educational field trips and seminars were great and there were exceptional speakers. The ADDC Educational Foundation sponsored the first Symposium and it was well thought out and the speakers were interesting.

For the members at convention you already know some of the facts that I gave in my speech but I think all Region III members need to be brought to date. There is not a club in Region III that has not had great leadership this year and represented your clubs well at ADDC Convention.

Linda gave us a charge to write our Regional Report and she wanted something different and that is what I gave her. Region III can be proud of its accomplishments in 2014. As a Region we have awarded \$45,000 in scholarship money. The scholarships were given to high school and existing college student who met the criteria determined by the clubs scholarship committees. Region III has educated its members from frac nation seminars, OSHA presentations, and orientation programs this year just to name a few. I have never been so honored as I was to serve you the members of Region III at the ADDC Convention. Thank you so much for the experience.

If you have never served as a Regional Rep. you should look them over and step up and serve Val Blanchard our 2015 Regional Director.

Till Next Month,

Sharon Blackwell

**Quote of Month:** "If you believe in yourself and have dedication and pride – and never quit – you'll be a winner. The price of victory is high but so are the rewards." - Bear Bryant



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