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WELCOME GENERAL DINNER MEETING Tuesday, July 19 2005

SPEAKER: Terry Burton
TOPIC: "Today's Vision, Tomorrow's Reality"
PLACE: American Legion Hall
 2020 H St., Bakersfield, CA
TIME: Tech. Session: 6:00 p.m.
 Social Hour: 6:30 p.m.
 Dinner: 7:00 p.m.
 Speaker: 8:00 p.m.
 Price: \$20

There will NOT be a RSVP card in your newsletter, so please call or email Julie Grassi with your name by **MONDAY July 18th**. She will then fill out a ticket with your name on it to make sure you are still included in the door prize drawing at the end of the meeting.

Please call or email Julie Grassi, at 654-7576 or JGrassi@chevron.com.



BIOGRAPHY:

ABOUT THE SPEAKER

Terri currently works for Aera Energy LLC as a reservoir engineer in the Belridge Production Monitoring group. She attended the University of California at Irvine and spent several years working as a transportation engineer for various municipalities in the Orange County area. She returned to Bakersfield in 1982 and has since worked in the petroleum industry for over 20 years. She has always been active with the youth of the community through volunteer efforts at her church and currently tutors math for the Adult Literacy Council's GED preparation program.

TECHNICAL SESSION

Speaker: To Be Announced at the Meeting

Let me see now.....Socialize and drink refreshments.....Or.....

Drink refreshments, get smarter, and maybe win a gift certificate for \$50? There will be a drawing for two generously donated \$50 gift certificates (Courtesy of Jim Roberts / Global Elastomeric Products) at the next Technical Session for only those who come and actively participate in this learning and knowledge-sharing event! Come and share in what is new in your industry!

Tech Session Speakers Needed!

While we all sit and listen during our standing introductions at our monthly dinner meetings, did you ever wonder who that person was (that you didn't know personally) and what exactly did that

company do that they worked for? We have so many members and guest at our meetings with occupations that all share an important part to the future of our industry. All of these companies we work for, or own, have new technology from a product, service, or theory that would be very interesting to hear about. I invite you, or someone from your company, to come be a Tech Session Speaker and share this information with all of us. A top salesperson or business owner would never turn down an offer to come share their new products and services with so many different customers all in the same room, in a relaxed informal setting, and get to drink a cold beer while doing it! The API is a great organization with many resources for networking and sharing information. Come and get the most of what the API has to offer and share in "what's new" in our industry, come be a speaker and share yourself and company with all of us!

If you have any suggestions for technical sessions please contact Mark Haire, 334-3617, mark.haire@halliburton.com. Or Jimmy Dean, 396-4444, James_E_Dean@bjservices.com

CHAPTER NEWS

MEMBERSHIP

Membership runs from Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, 2005. If you have any changes during the year please email James McClard with your changes at james_mcclard@oxy.com. Or call him at 763-6338. You may access an electronic version of the membership application on our website at www.api-bakersfield.org.

OTHER CLUB NEWS

YOU ARE INVITED!

Derricks to Desk will hold their **Teachers Seminar** on July 26th and 27th. BBQ will be at 6:00pm on Tuesday night at Kern County Museum, Pioneer Village. Anyone able to donate prizes for the raffle or any company logo items for the 45 dedicated teachers please contact Jimmy Dean @396-4444 before July 22, 2005

SJV CHAPTER MAKES CONTRIBUTIONS

Your Chapter in the past month has completed making significant cash contributions to selected Kern County and National causes. This is an annual undertaking to support oil related and other noteworthy causes. Chairman of Community Involvement, Walt Dunbar, announced that, in accordance with Board guidance, contributions have been mailed to Pyles Boys Camp, the CSUB Well Sample Repository, the Kern County Oil Museum and the Ronald McDonald Camp. The latter is a special camp in Philadelphia for cancer stricken children.

OTHER NEWS

Mark your Calendars! The **Oil Barons Ball** is set for November 12, 2005. October 8, 2005 is the date for this year's **Fall Fun Night**. Watch your API Newsletter for more details.

Move Up to the Petroleum Club The Business Place to Meet

Have you been to The Petroleum Club? Its twelve stories above the rest, the Club is the perfect choice to handle all your meeting and dining needs. The Club offers affordable memberships and quality casual and formal dining. Pick up a guest pass from any Club Director or from the receptionist at The Petroleum Club- 5060 California Ave- 12th Floor, Make your reservations today. (661) 324-6561.

ACTIVITIES

Please note that some activities suspend monthly meetings during the summer months.

SPE NETWORKING BASH

Date: Thursday, July 28, 2005

Time: 5:30 - 7:30 PM

Location: Lengthwise Brewery 6720 Schirra Ct (near Ashe & White Lane). There is a \$3 charge for non-SPE members, \$3 pints and wine for \$4.50-\$6

RSVP: andreipopa@chevrontexaco.com

Engineers' Wives - Luncheons are the first Tuesday of each month with a social at 11:30 a.m. and lunch at 12:00 p.m. Visitors welcome! Dues are \$20/yr. Call Mary Ellen 397-0277 for further information.

The Desk & Derrick Club - Meetings are held the fourth Thursday of the month at 5:30 pm at the Petroleum Club. For more information, please contact Patti Holliday at 334-3600.

National Association of Corrosion Engineers (NACE)

NACE suspends summer meetings. The next meeting is in August. Just a reminder, the Western Area Conference to be held in Oxnard, Oct. 16-24th.

Association of Petroleum Wives (APW) –

The APW is comprised of women whose spouses are employed in the petroleum industry. General meetings are held the third Tuesday of the month and auxiliary interest groups include Bunco, Lunch Bunch, and Couples Dine-Out. If you are interested in joining APW, please contact the newly elected President for 2005, Marti Krafve @663-7766. APW annual dues are \$35.

Petroleum Production Pioneers (PPP)

– Luncheons are the first Friday of each month with a social at 11:00 a.m. and lunch at 12:00p.m. At the Petroleum Club. The cost is \$15.00. Please contact Dorothy Prout @ 322-4268 for reservations.

HONORARY LIFETIME MEMBERSHIP

Call for nominees for “Honorary Lifetime Membership.” Any individual who has been a member of our chapter for a total of ten years, has served on the executive board for five years and has retired – may be eligible for the honor of lifetime membership. If you are aware of any such individuals who have met these requirements, please contact Ron Bender at 829-1368 with your nomination.

Interested in advertising in the API newsletter?

The San Joaquin Valley API Chapter is offering advertisement space in our newsletter for a small fee to help finance our publishing costs. Please contact Jodi King at jking@elcoinc.com or 837-4980 or Gloria Williams at gloria_williams@oxy.com. Or 763-6014



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Thank You!

API would like to thank everyone who contributed door prizes for the **June 2005** meeting.

Pengo, Dan Stotler-Stotler Co., John Brown

A special thanks to **Halliburton** for supplying the **June** refreshments. If you would like an opportunity to do the same, please talk to Sandy

John Braun-Braun Electric, Bud Sachs-Retired Texaco, Ron Bender-Retired McJunkin, Halliburton, Dave Lefler-Macpherson Oil, Dave Lopez-Braun Electric, Dwayne Kitchen- Braun Electric, Starlyn Brown-Clariant, Roger Putnam-Total Western, Robin Brassfield-Robin's EnviroVac, Bob Armstrong-Univar, Jim Roberts-Global, Ken Butler-MiSwaco, Les Clark-IOPA, Bill Crawford-Jason Industry, Pierce O'Leary-

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

July						
S	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa
					1 PPP	2
3	4	5 Eng Wives	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19 API APW	20	21	22	23
24	25	26 D&D BBQ	27 D&D seminar	28 SPE D&D	29	30
31						

August						
S	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa
	1	2 Eng Wives	3	4	5 PPP	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16 API APW	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25 SPE D&D	26	27
28	29	30	31			

If you would like an industry event posted in the calendar, call Jodi King, ELCO Incorporated, at 661-837-4980 or email, jking@elcoinc.com or Gloria Williams, Occidental of Elk Hills, at 763-6014 or email, gloria.Williams@oxy.com

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