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President's Message

Hello COPAS friends!

Its Christmas time again! The Holiday Season is definitely my favorite time of the year, but it also seems a little manic-depressive at times. Lights and decorations make everything sparkle a little more than usual, but the days are getting so short that I sometimes come to work in the dark and leave in the dark. At work, we all enjoy that things slow down in December while at the same time we anxiously try to prepare for crazy year-end activities to come in January. My children go from abject depression when preparing for finals to delight about the prospect of two weeks out of school and over-the-top gifts from their grandparents. I love indulging in the holiday food, but complain endlessly about the treadmill time that follows. I grant myself extreme latitude as I splurge on gifts for my friends, family, and community, but I know the guilt that will come in January with the credit card bills. It is, as Dickens said, "the best of times and the worst of times".

So, again in 2016 I will enjoy the chaos that comes with ending a year. As time runs short, my goal is to focus more on the true gifts of the season, and less on the self-inflicted frenzy of ups and downs. I hope you, my friends in COPAS, can also find the peace (or excitement) that you are looking for this season.

Carole

Meeting Information At-A-Glance

Date: December 13, 2016
Quail Creek Country Club

[CLICK HERE TO RSVP](#)

No Committee Meetings

Regular committee meetings will begin again in February.

Society Meeting

Technical Session & Lunch
11:30 a.m.—1:00 p.m.

Speaker:

Mark Mathis

Filmmaker, Speaker,
Author, & Consultant

Documentary Films:

"Fractured" & "spOILed"

Lunch Menu

Lasagna, sautéed vegetables,
breadsticks and Caesar salad
Dessert: Oreo Cheesecake &
Italian Cream Cake

Meals Guest Fee is \$25
(RSVP required)

TECHNICAL SESSION

Mark Mathis

Filmmaker, Speaker, Author, & Consultant

Mark Mathis has spent most of his career challenging widely accepted ideas that are simply untrue. His latest project is the documentary film “Fractured,” which explains how language is used to dangerously deceive us about the most essential component to the function of the modern world—energy. Fractured is a follow-up to the Mark’s highly successful film “spOILed”. “spOILed” examined the public’s ignorance of the central role oil plays in our lives. Before becoming a documentary filmmaker Mathis was a TV news anchor/reporter, media consultant/trainer and talk radio host. He founded an energy education non-profit and is author of “Feeding the Media Beast,” published in the U.S., India, China, Russia and Korea.

<http://www.fracturedthemovie.com/>

<http://www.spoiledthemovie.com/>



Account 1300—Audit

Chairs: Kristin Rose, Devon Energy and Melissa Gruenewald, Chesapeake Energy

Account 1700—Joint Interest

Chairs: Kim Romero, Chesapeake Energy and Gabe Green, Chesapeake Energy

Looking forward to seeing everyone at the February 2017 meeting and continuing discussions from the Emerging Issues case studies. Wishing each and every one a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

Kristin, Melissa, Kim, & Gabe

Account 1800—Small O&G Companies

Chairs: Charlie Zahl, W.A. Waterman & Co. and Adam Osmus, Wilsey Meyer Eatmon Tate PLLC

The Small Oil & Gas Committee would like to thank all those who attended the previous two meetings in 2016. We wish everyone happy holidays and look forward to seeing everyone again in 2017!

Adam & Charlie

Account 1900—Revenue

Chairs: Jennifer Walker, Mustang Fuel Corporation and Mia Downing, Martindale Consultants, Inc.

We will not have a revenue committee meeting in December but look forward to seeing everyone at the luncheon. We are preparing some great speakers for the 2017 meetings that include a gas plant operations topic for the first 2017 meeting. Happy holidays and travel safe during the holiday season.

Jennifer & Mia

Topgolf Social November 17, 2016

Royce and I would like to thank the COPAS OKC society for putting on the Topgolf social event. It sounds like most people enjoyed the event and opportunity to meet new people. We look forward to more events in the future.

Jennifer Koloen, Mustang Fuel Corporation, and Royce Porter, W.A. Waterman & Co.



Education Day November 14, 2016

The education committee would like to thank everyone who helped make Education Day 2016 a great success. 82 attendees enjoyed 8 hours of presentations on subjects ranging from regulatory and legal topics to the history of the OERB and the future of COPAS Energy Education. A huge thanks to our committee volunteers and our amazing volunteer speakers.

Mike Grady, Chesapeake Energy

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