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**President’s Column**

by George Marion, President

This is the swan song of the President’s Column for the 2007-08 term. It has been both a pleasure and an honor to have served the GSH as President this year. The outgoing Board has done an excellent job and we are truly proud of our accomplishments. The incoming Board are all professionals with excellent credentials who I am confident will lead the GSH to another banner year in 2008-09.

I’ll report briefly on some events which occurred this past month, specifically, the GSH SEG Spring Symposium Honoring John Sherwood, the GSH SEG Honors and Awards Banquet, and the GSH Annual Meeting and BBQ, plus note a couple of events that will be coming in the summer, such as joint meeting with SIPES/GSH/HOS in July. There should be separate reports with photos in the Newsletter for each, and certainly there are lots of photos posted online. Go to the GSH site and scroll the home page until you see “Sightings from GSH Events” and follow the links. Lots of candids photos there!

The Spring Symposium honoring John Sherwood was an excellent success, both technically and socially. The presenters were some of the best of our industry, and the Gala Banquet was possibly our most gala ever. Thanks to our committee who pulled this together: Dave Agarwal, General Chair; Fred Hilterman, Technical Events Chair; Lisa Buckner, Arrangements Chair; Mike Graul, MC; Forbes McIntosh, and Haynie Stringer.

The Honors and Awards Banquet was held at Lakeside CC, as usual. It was well attended with excellent sponsorship. SEG President Fred Aminzadeh made the keynote talk and presented membership awards during the SEG portion of the program.

GSH awarded Life Membership to Steve Danborn, and Honorary Membership to Tom Fulton and to Dave Monk. As President, I choose not to announce in advance or even print in the program who, if anyone, would receive President’s Awards, because I wanted it to be a surprise (I think that adds to the flavor of the evening), so I will now print in the program who, if anyone, would receive President’s Awards, because I wanted it to be a surprise (I think that adds to the flavor of the evening), so I will now publish the names of those four awarded President’s Awards for exceptional service:

**Technical Breakfast**

Coming in September 2008!

**Dates and Location:** TBD

**For updates:** [www.gshtx.org](http://www.gshtx.org)

**Title:** 4D Seismic in the Deepwater: Challenges and Rewards

**Speaker:**

David H. Johnston, ExxonMobil Exploration Company

**Abstract:**

Time-lapse or 4D seismic data has proven value in reservoir management, increasing reserves and recovery by locating bypassed and undrained hydrocarbons and optimizing infill well locations and flood patterns. 4D seismic can also decrease operating costs by reducing uncertainty in the reservoir geologic model and flow simulation, optimizing completions, and minimizing the number of dry holes. 4D is simply the use of multiple seismic surveys shot over a producing field. Changes in the seismic response typically occur because of production-induced changes in saturation and pressure. Successful 4D projects have been carried out in a wide range of geographical areas, geological settings, and depletion scenarios.

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Remembering CHERI D. WILLIAMS

Cheri Diane Williams died Saturday, April 19, 2008, in her hometown of Wilmington, NC, after an especially courageous battle with cancer. A long-time member of the SEG and GSH, Cheri had a 39-year career in geophysics.

A graduate of Converse College in Spartanburg, SC, she held degrees in mathematics and physics, and in 1969, almost by accident, Cheri began a career as a professional geophysicist. Traveling through Texas, on a golf tour, she decided to pursue a more cerebrally challenging line of work, and settling in Houston, she found employment as a geophysical technician for the Chevron Corporation.

She gained experience in the fiercely complicated world of seismic data processing, becoming a respected computer systems analyst and software expert. Her abilities, innovations, and knowledge led her to Chevron’s Lafayette, CA, facilities as a research geophysicist. Popular and proficient, Cheri was called to Denver, CO, to serve in Chevron’s Rocky Mountains exploration effort. There she later accepted a position with a small, but growing and dynamic, company, applying advanced research techniques to energy exploration. A transfer with the company led her once again to Houston.

In 1986, she branched out on her own, initially using her geophysical knowledge and talent for gold exploration in Alaska, under the supervision of Mark Bronston. Her immediate success led to the formation of Texseis, Inc., of which she was president and partner. Bringing an unparalleled work ethic (90-hour work weeks were commonplace for her) and scrupulous honesty to the competitive field of contract seismic data processing, her company became a popular choice with large and small oil companies, both domestic and foreign. Sustaining the company through the lean years, sometimes making the payroll with her own funds, Cheri managed Texseis through 22 successful years.

While her professional achievements in a male-dominated field are legendary, she will be remembered best for her personal qualities. She became a tireless volunteer in the geophysical societies of Houston and Denver, as well as the international Society of Exploration Geophysicists, contributing to their technical and social programs. Caring and sensitive, Cheri could resist becoming the adoptive aunt to untold numbers of children of her friends, neighbors and employees. Pictures of “her kids” adorned the walls, desk tops, and computer screens, in her office at Texseis. They, and her many God children, will forever remember her generosity and love. A staunch patriot, she revered the flag of the United States, and saw to it that the Stars and Stripes adorned the walls and windows of her company. Anyone who knew her would soon learn that her foreheads were always free of lint, and that the pieces of paper, plastic bottle, or aluminum can was allowed to escape its own special bin.

While Cheri was immensely proud of her own nieces and nephews and their offspring, in Wilmington, she was unable to resist becoming the adoptive aunt to untold numbers of children of her friends, neighbors and employees. Pictures of “her kids” adorned the walls, desk tops, and computer screens, in her office at Texseis. They, and her many God children, will forever remember her generosity and love.

A woman of indomitable spirit, Cheri faced the adversity of her last few years with unmatched strength, suffering not only her own illnesses, but the tragic deaths of two deeply loved members of her family, during the same period. She returned to work after her usual ferocious pace - taking time off only to make a long coveted trip to the Antarctic, with her aunt, Norma. When she finally returned to Wilmington, for the last time, she left behind an irreparable void in the hearts and minds of her many friends and colleagues.

Plans for a celebration of her life are underway, and will be announced through the GSH, as they become firm.

Editor’s Note

To ensure your information reaches the GSH society members in a timely manner it must appear in the appropriate newsletter issue. Please note the following deadlines and plan your function’s publicity strategy accordingly. Items must be received on or before the corresponding deadline date. Please send any obituary or memorial articles of recently deceased members to Glenn Bear editor, at glenn.w.bear@exxonmobil.com. If you have any questions please call Glenn Bear at 713/431-6583.

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August 23, 2008

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September 26, 2008

Auxiliary

The Geophysical Auxiliary of Houston News

Have A Wonderful Summer!

A nd, don’t place us too far away from your thoughts, as we will be thinking about you and planning more exciting entertainment for the Fall. GAH has merged with other Petroleum Auxiliaries, sharing the new title of The Houston Petroleum Auxiliary Council (HPAC). They have already begun to organize the Events and four of the months already scheduled are September, December, February, and May. There will be more information and details in the Fall Newsletter. Anyone who is interested in joining HPAC should contact Nan Pye.

It has been my privilege and pleasure to be your “Messenger” for the past year’s fabulous Events and News. The Certificate I received honoring my Liaison position with the Geophysical Society will have its rightful place not only over my computer, but also in my heart.

Suzy Stepanek

Joint Meeting of SIPES/GSH/HGS

PDH Ethics for TBPG License Requirements

July 17, 2008

Luncheon at the Petroleum Club, Downtown

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membership. Election results are:  Editor and introducing winners to the setting for announcing the election results we needed. It was an excellent social event attended. The BBQ and beer was just what the Annual Meeting and BBQ was well Event Committee for a job well done: Steve Davidson, Chairman, Janna Davidson and Haynie Stringer.

The President's Column continued from page 1.

To maximize the value of a 4D seismic project, planning for 4D is a critical part of an overall field lifecycle strategy. In exploration, assets can be screened for potential 4D application. Early in development planning, 4D seismic models based on reservoir flow simulations and geologic models are used to estimate the magnitude and interpretability of the 4D response, evaluate optimal survey repeat times, and assess potential business impact. Once the field is under production, effective 4D project execution requires collaboration among asset team geoscientists, engineers, and field operations with geophysical acquisition and processing specialists.

ExxonMobil’s experience in West Africa and the Gulf of Mexico demonstrates that the deepwater production environment presents unique opportunities and challenges for 4D projects. Issues range from the impact of surface facilities on reservoir connectivity and to update pressure that can be used to evaluate fundamental basis in rock physics, seismic data can provide strong inter-well constraints on static reservoir properties such as facies and porosity. More recently, through the use of time-lapse measurements, seismic data supplies information on dynamic reservoir properties such as saturation and pressure that can be used to evaluate reservoir connectivity and to update reservoir flow simulation models. These methods have been applied in a wide range of geographical areas, geological settings, and production scenarios.

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Mike Graul. We also performed the traditional passing of the presidential shaw from George Marion to Frank Dumanoir. The election results are announced in a separate listing, but I include it here as a special "welcome" to the new officers, and as a reminder to those who did not win that it really is an honor to be on the GSH Nominating Committee’s short list. The Nominating Committee consists of GSH Past-Presidents who seek the best-of-the-best to run for office. Also, this year for the first time, GSH used electronic balloting. It worked smoothly and flawlessly, yet only 44% voted. A challenge to the Committee for arranging this fun event, being Jim Moulden, Chairman.

Not much happens publicly during the summer months because the membership tends to be rather mobile with vacations and work, so we suspend most of our public events, however, not all, and we are constantly busy in the background preparing for next year. Specifically, the GSH Board will meet June 19th as a hand-off meeting between the old and new officers. The Salt Water Fishing Tournament will be June 14th. The Sporting Clays Tournament is August 23rd. Tennis Tournament is September 26th. Geoscience Day is October 24th. Yes, those last two are after the summer and will be detailed in the September Newsletter. Recall, the Newsletter takes a summer vacation, too, which is why this one covers June/July/August.

My final note is sort of a ‘saying the best for last” in that I want to personally acknowledge and thank those who sponsored the GSH this year. This includes the companies who made donations and you, the membership, who paid your dues. Thank you.

George Marion, President 2007-08
GSH Sightings

Some Scenes from the April Technical Luncheon and DISC.

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In 1919 an application for a patent in seismic exploration began with the following: “Be it known that we, Burton McCollum and J.C. Karcher, citizens of the United States and residing at Washington, D.C. have invented a new and useful method for determining the contour of subsurface strata, of which the following is a specification.” John Karcher spent the summer of that year assembling experimental seismograph apparatus.

The Geological Engineering Company was formed in 1921, with a total budget of $28,000. On June 4, experimental tests were conducted just north of Oklahoma City. In mid-July, the seismic crew took its equipment to southern Oklahoma. The crew was John Karcher, William Haseman, Irving Perrine and D. W. Ohern. A profile was shot near a limestone quarry. The experiment was a total success. Further contract work was conducted in northern Oklahoma for Marlin Oil Company until funds ran out. The company was liquidated in mid 1922 with patents and assets going to Burton McCollum.

**GSH MEMBERSHIP REPORT**

**As of April 2008**

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When: Beginning at the Ice Breaker November 9 and continuing throughout the Convention Floor hours

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Some Scenes from the May Technical Breakfast

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Congratulations To Our New Officers!

As with some functions sponsored by the Geophysical Society of Houston, contributions from individuals/companies, such as you, afford the participants a way to enjoy the function more economically. The Tournament is a fundraiser for the GSH scholarship fund. Portions of the proceeds will generate scholarships for Geosciences students at Texas A&M, UT-Austin, LSU, Texas Tech, Rice, and U of H, to name a few.

Your support will be greatly appreciated by all the tennis players who will be participating in this event. If you would like to be a sponsor for the 2008 GSH Tennis Tournament, please complete the sponsorship form on the next page and return it as indicated, with your donation, at your earliest convenience.

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  - 4 Complimentary registrations

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*All contributors will be recognized in the GSH Newsletter and the HGS Bulletin following the tournament. This is a great way to entertain friends, family, business associates, and clients. So spread the word!
HMNS SUGAR LAND SATELLITE

The potential for a Geoscience Center, supported by the Houston Geoscience Community, to be associated with the Houston Museum of Natural History Sugar Land Satellite remains. It is unlikely that the center will display many of our artifacts. We are attempting to influence the contents of a 20' by 20' outdoor area to contain free standing geologic sections from seismic tying the site to the Nash Salt dome to the South (first salt dome found by geophysical means—Torsion Balance) and to the Moore’s Orchard Dome to the West found with Mintrop refraction instruments by a Prakla crew working for Gulf Oil. A theme for the area might be “First Fruits of Geophysical Exploration.” The SPE Gulf Coast Section suggests that a small working pump jack be present and we will attempt to tie a working seismic system (possibly using an airgun in a water filled shot hole as source) to the above display.

The importance of Oil to the economy of Ft. Bend County has been great from the first commercial well in 1919 at Blue Ridge by Gulf Oil to 1976, for example, when the county had it’s greatest tax revenue from Exxon, Gulf, and H. L. & P. As we fill our gas tanks we should remember the tax our Oil companies pay.

GEOSCIENCE DAY 2008 & MISC

Plans are firming up for a repeat of our 2007 Geoscience Day success at BEG on October 24. The HMNS has offered to set up their portable dome theater. Unfortunately Scot Tinker will be in Africa on AAPG business and can’t give the lead off speech. Please read the TLE article on Frank Rieber by John Farr starting in May. You may remember some of his equipment showed at SEG75. They were donated by M. L. Randall illustrated in Geophysics Vol. 1 No. 1. Rieber was the first to record reproducible seismic data and process it with statics, velocity filtering, etc. He worked influenced Tanner, Sherwood and the Russians as well as our Major Oil Companies who held his patents. I have not found some of his equipment given to the GSH by Gulf but remember an analog velocity filter present at Amoco lab in 1958.

Our work to develop a display on Lacoste-Romberg is resulting in the transfer of their papers from the surviving company, microg-LaCoste, in the Denver area to UT’s Center for American History along with a cut-a-way of their original “Big Box” gravity meter. We hope to borrow the latter for the display. Lastly a correction is in order. Virgil Harris who has been extremely helpful to us was identified as an ex GSIer. WRONG!! He is ex Mandrel Ray & GEOSOURCE. Have a great summer! - Tom
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Saturday, June 14, 2008
April Fool Point Marina, San Leon, Texas
Galveston Bay Complex and Offshore

This year’s Saltwater Fishing Tournament will include an Offshore Division to be held on Saturday, June 14 at the April Fool Point Marina, San Leon, Texas. We are looking forward to a big event this summer and we encourage full family participation.

Galveston Bay Complex Division
Trophies will be awarded for the heaviest individual Redfish (Non-Tagged), Speckled Trout, and Flounder. Trophies will also be awarded for the heaviest individual Stringer: 1 Redfish, 3 Speckled Trout, and 1 Flounder.

Galveston Offshore Division
Trophies will be awarded for the heaviest individual Red Snapper, King Mackerel, and Dolphin.

Registration Fee ($60.00) includes:
Launch Fee, GSH/HGS Fishing Cap, Fish Fry Meal after weigh-in, Refreshments, Trophies and DOOR PRIZES.

For more information, please contact: Bobby Perez (HGS & GSH) 281-240-1234 ext. 219 Office 281-240-4997 Fax • 281-787-2106 Cell • 281-495-8695 Home E-mail: rbperez@aol.com or rb_perez@seismicventures.com

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We appreciate the opportunity to talk with you about the Sporting Clays Tournament and look forward to your support. We recognize sponsors during the award ceremony after lunch. Sponsor categories are:

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This year’s Sporting Clays Tournament will be held on the weekend prior to the Texas Central Zone Dove Opening Day at the American Shooting Centers. The tournament is a morning event (Check-in at 7:30am) and family members are welcome. Non-GSH members are eligible to enter, however pre-registration is required as there will be no onsite registration. To speed check-in, we will register teams by the assigned captain, who will then distribute shooting cards and tickets from the team packet to the members of his group.

The tournament is a 50 bird event, designed to simulate actual field conditions. Good quality shells will be provided, (12 or 20gauge) however you must bring eye and ear protection and attend the safety briefing at 8:15am with everyone shooting at 8:30am. Prizes will be awarded for shooting prowess in various levels of expertise. Door prizes (made possible through corporate and private sponsorship) will be awarded after the conclusion of shooting and BBQ lunch. Refreshments are available throughout the day. This event will be limited to 230 shooters* - signup NOW!

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Please return form(s) and pay $85.00 per shooter, payable to:
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For Fish Fishing Tournaments:

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1. This is a Big Fish Tournament. In order to be as fair as possible to everyone, each participant may weigh their largest fish of each species on one stringer; i.e. one person cannot win multiple places for any one species in each category.

2. No lunch break or breakfast is scheduled, so bring your field coffee and sandwiches if you don’t want to miss any fishing time.

3. Tipping or offering of any kind is prohibited. Tipping Fish, Flounder, and wade fishing are all allowed. However, the use of wholesales, scent, electric telephones, dynamite, M-80’s, poison, spear fishing, etc. or any other means of illegal fishing are strictly prohibited. Only fish caught during the tournament hours are eligible. All fish weighed must be legal according to the laws of the State of Texas. Any person attempting to weigh a fish that is not legal will be disqualified. Fish that are frozen, gutted, or otherwise mutilated will not be eligible and the person attempting to weigh such a fish will be disqualified. GSH is not responsible for any violations or fines/actions resulting from any violations of state game laws, boating laws, or any other law relevant to boating and/or fishing. GSH strongly encourages safe boating practices, including the use of life jackets.

4. Each contestant may launch and fish anywhere on the bay, as long as the Weigh-In is during the tournament hours and the fish is weighed in on the correct day. There can be 150 contestants, however no more than one stringer from the same group. Those weighing in fish, and the trophy-winners, will be weighed in on Saturday, Saturday only for pictures for future GSH newsletter and HGS Bulletin.

5. The Tournament Chairman and Weigh-In Master who will act as judges will handle all disputes or interpretations of the rules. The decisions of the judges are final!

6. Each contestant, evidenced by his entry in the tournament, does hereby release and agree to protect, indemnify and hold harmless, the Geophysical Society of Houston, Geophysical Society, GSH / HGS organization, from and against any and all claims, demands, causes of action of any sort and damages, resulting from any accident, incident or occurrence arising out of, incidental to or in connection with his participation in this tournament.

7. Registration and entry into the tournament constitutes evidence that the participant has read, understands, and agrees with the above rules and regulations.

8. April Fool Point Marina monitors VHF marine radio.

GOOD LUCK AND GOOD FISHING.
Congratulations to all of the Honorees!

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Scenes from the Honors and Awards Banquet

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