



7APL's 70th Year!

2019 SUMMER EDITION

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TAPL 70th Anniversary Party

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TAPL Beer Tasting Event

Date To Be Announced









LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

TAPL members:

AS we round the final turn into summer and the end of the TAPL calendar year, I am caught wondering to myself where the time has gone. It has been an absolute privilege to serve as your Association's President over the past year, but I couldn't have done it without the hard work and support of the other Board Members that served alongside me. I am grateful for the long hours they have spent this year, away from their families and jobs, making an effort to strengthen and grow your Association. I sincerely feel that their efforts have left TAPL as strong as ever and in a position to grow in every facet to the benefit our members in the years to come.

With that said, please join me in welcoming the incoming 2019 - 2020 Board:

President - Denton Smith, RPL

Vice President - Michael Schooley, CPL

Secretary - Mariena Martin, RPL

Treasurer - Alisha Stacy

Membership Director - Adam Dolinsky, CPL

Communications Director - Rob Sher, CPL

Events Director – Kristina Barnes

Benefits Director - Lawson Vogel, CPL

Education Director - Jim Slade, CPL

External Affairs Director - Shane Saunders, CPL

AAPL Director - Adam Robinson, CPL

I would also like to recognize past President Wink Kopczynski, III and Eric Weidemann who will be rolling off the board this year. Many thanks to both of these great leaders for their time and efforts serving TAPL.

If you would like to serve and help grow this organization, I would urge you to reach out to anyone on this board and express your interest in helping. TAPL is always looking for great leadership to help advance the organization and we would love to help get you plugged in any way possible.

Thank you all again for a great TAPL year, have a great summer, and I look forward to seeing everyone again in the fall.

Sincerely,

Andy Matson, CPL

TAPL President



2018-2019 TAPL President **Andy Matson** (left) and Incoming 2019-2020 President **Denton Smith** (right)



TAPL President **Andy Matson** transitioning into his new role as Past President.











TAPL SEA COMMITTEE UPDATE

TAPL Members,

As summer nears and another TAPL year comes to a close, the Scholarship, Endowment, and Awards Committee (SEA) would like to give a brief update on the TAPL Endowment Fund for the University of Tulsa and the University of Oklahoma.

First, the SEA Committee would like to extend a HUGE thank you to all of those who participated in and sponsored the TAPL Spring Scramble tournament out at Indian Springs. With the help of Mariena Martin and the Events Committee, we were fortunate enough to be able provide even more endowment fundraising opportunities out on the course.

The first of these was Cannons for a Cause, an organization that provides a safe, hands-on experience allowing golfers to launch golf balls up to 400 yards! For the Spring Scramble, we were able to have a Cannons for a Cause hole on each of the courses at Indian Springs so that every team was able to experience it and participate. The next fundraising opportunity on the course was Golf Darts, where team members each chipped a Velcro golf ball onto an inflatable dart board. It, too, was very successful and was also set up on each of the courses. Finally, each course had a Trackman Smash Factor hole, where a golf pro was on site to measure a shot's 3D trajectory together with 26 impact and ball flight parameters in real time!

At this time, the SEA Committee would like to recognize all of the sponsors who made these endowment holes possible. Thank you to Triple Crown Energy, the 2019 TAPL Exclusive Platinum Sponsor, to Osage Oil & Gas for sponsoring the Cannons for a Cause holes, and to Bearcat Land and Paladin Land Group for sponsoring the Golf Dart holes. It is because of these great sponsors that the SEA and Events Committees were able to make this all possible!

Due to the success of these fundraising opportunities and the charitable, giving nature of TAPL Members, the SEA Committee is very excited to announce we were able to raise a **RECORD-BREAKING** amount for an annual TAPL event, totaling around \$18,678.58! This would not be possible without the TAPL Membership, the volunteers, and the Events Committee who worked with the SEA Committee to help coordinate all of this. This puts the organization much closer to its overall endowment funding goal of \$300,000.00, which will allow TAPL to provide scholarships to our community's future land professionals, while significantly lowering the burden on the TAPL Annual Budget for years to come. If you would like to donate or would like more information on the Scholarship Endowment programs, please contact Rhonda Stacy (rstacy@midcon-energy.com).

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TAPL SEA COMMITTEE UPDATE

The SEA Committee would also like to remind everyone about TAPL's **Century Club**, which has been established in efforts to recognize and honor those loyal, longtime TAPL members. By way of exclusive induction, the Century Club is comprised of distinguished members and member companies that have gone above and beyond by making a \$100.00 donation to the Scholarship Endowment fund for every year they have been a member with the TAPL, or for those companies that give over \$10,000.00 to the Scholarship Endowment fund (5 year minimum for eligibility).

Example:

10 years of TAPL membership = 10 x \$100 = \$1000 for Century Club admittance

If you or your company would like to become a member of the TAPL Century Club, please contact **Rhonda Stacy** (rstacy@midcon-energy.com) for more information.



Finally, before we head into the summer, the SEA Committee would like to remind everyone about the TAPL 70th Anniversary Party that will be on Friday, September 20th at Cain's Ballroom. The event will be emceed by Julie Chin and will feature live music and entertainment from Steve Antry and his band, Antry Music, as well as from The Fabulous Mid Life Crisis Band! There will also be a live auction benefiting the TAPL Scholarship Endowment Fund. We are hard at work putting together some very exciting packages to auction off. Mark your calendars, because you will not want to miss it! Sponsorships and tables for the event are already filling up fast. If you or your company is interested in sponsoring the event or purchasing a table, please contact J.J. Chisholm at jjchisholm@anchorlandgroup.com. Be on the lookout for more reminders and information as we get closer to September!

The SEA Committee and the TAPL 70th Anniversary Party Committee would like to take this chance to recognize those companies who have already signed up to sponsor this event. Thank you to the sponsors listed below!

This past year has been tremendously successful not only for TAPL, but also for the SEA Committee. We were able to raise more money for the endowments this year than any previous year. On behalf of everyone on the SEA Committee, I would like to thank this year's TAPL Board, all of the companies who sponsored this year's events, and all of the TAPL members who donated and contributed to funding the endowment. It is because of this incredible membership's generosity that the SEA was able to have the successful year that we had.

We hope everyone has a great summer and look forward to seeing everyone again this fall!

Best Regards,

Tayler Peterson

Scholarship, Endowment, and Awards Committee









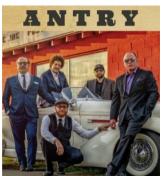


SAVE THE DATE: TAPL'S 70TH ANNIVERSARY PARTY

7APL's 70th Year!

TAPL is excited to announce that a date has been set for an event celebrating the organization's 70th anniversary. The event will be held on <u>Friday</u>, <u>September 20</u>, <u>2019 at Cain's Ballroom</u> and will feature festivities and food including <u>live music</u> by local Tulsa bands **ANTRY** The Fabulous <u>Midlife Crisis</u>, a live auction benefiting TAPL's TU and OU Scholarship Endowment Funds, and delicious barbeque from Burn Co.







TAPL would like to thank the following companies for their commitment to sponsor this event! If you are interested in sponsoring this event please contact J. J. Chisholm (jjchisholm@anchorlandgroup.com).









TAPL 2019 SPRING SEMINAR RECAP

The **2019 TAPL Spring Education Seminar** was held on April 25, 2019. Speakers included, Robert Winter, J.D., Jonna Polk, Keith Needham, CPL/J. D./MBA, Matthew J. Allen, J. D., Robert 'Eli' Kiefaber, J. D. and Kenneth Wagner, Oklahoma's Secretary of Energy and Environment. Each presenter touched on a topic that was timely and important to discussion within our industry and profession. We had a great turnout this year and attendees earned a total of 7 RL/RPL/CPL and OKMCLE credits for full attendance. We hope to see you at next year's seminar!

Many thanks to our sponsors: Paladin Land Group, Tecolote Energy, Cimarex, Munson-McMillion, Hall-Estill, Bivins Land Services, Rimrock Resource Partners, Barnes Law, MidCon Energy and Levinson, Smith &Huffman!





















Sincerely,

Jim Slade, CPL

TAPL Education Director





TAPL 2019 SPRING SCRAMBLE RECAP





The **TAPL Spring Golf Scramble** was held on Monday, May 13th at The Club at Indian Springs in Broken Arrow. TAPL's largest event of the year, the tournament was a huge success as many members and their guests turned out for an afternoon of fun in fantastic weather.

Golfers enjoyed a variety of competitions in addition to

18 holes of golf which benefited the TAPL Scholarship Endowment Funds. Activities included a "Cannons for a Cause" competition presented by OSAGE OIL & GAS, "Golf Darts" competitions sponsored by BEARCAT LAND and PALADIN LAND GROUP, as well as TrackMan, Longest Drive, and Closest to the Pin competitions.





TAPL 2019 SPRING SCRAMBLE RECAP

A huge **CONGRATULATIONS** and **THANK YOU** to **KRISTINA BARNES**, the **TAPL EVENTS COMMITTEE**, and **TOURNEY VOLUNTEERS** for all of the time and effort put into providing such a great event!

We of course could not have put on an event like this without the overwhelming support of our sponsors, and the outstanding hospitality of the professionals and staff at the Club at Indian Springs.

A VERY SPECIAL THANK YOU TO TAPL'S EXCLUSIVE PLATINUM SPONSOR, TRIPLE CROWN ENERGY, as well as all of our 2018-2019 COMPREHENSIVE SPONSORS and EVENT SPONSORS who helped make the 2019 TAPL Spring Golf Scramble such an exciting and successful event!



Included are some **FUN FACTS** about the Scramble and **TEAM PHOTOS**. Be sure to check out the <u>TAPL WEBSITE</u> for more pictures of the tournament!

Sincerely,

Mariena Martin, RPL
TAPL Events Director

2019 TAPL SPRING SCRAMBLE:

FUN FACTS!

Golfers	318
Courses	2
Holes	36
Teams	53
High Temperature	80°
Low Temperature	49°
Day Average Temp	65°
Wind (mph)	6
Precipitation	0
Banners & Signs	114
Banners & Signs (sq ft)	577
Cannons	4
Cannon Shots Fired	405
Sponsors	34
Prizes	229
Win Ratio	72%
Avg. \$/Prize	\$180
Volunteers	33
Hole-in-one	1
Perfect TrackMan Scores	2
Beers Served	2478
Club Specials Served (Gallons)	43
Cocktails Served	955
\$\$ Donations - TAPL Endowments	\$18,679

(sponsorship info. and event photos continued onto the next several pages)



TAPL 2019 SPRING SCRAMBLE RECAP

A Huge Thank You to Our Sponsors!





















2019 TAPL SPRING SCRAMBLE

























COURTHOUSE ACTIVITY SCOUT

Introduction

To bring you this information, we go directly to the County Clerk's offices in the relevant county seats for all of the mid-continent's hottest plays and get a first-hand report on the activity and number of landmen in the courthouse from the preceding week. We then reflect this in a daily average value. If you follow this data weekly, you can identify up-ticks and down-turns in area activity over time and occasional spikes in the number of landmen trying to get into the vaults when something trendy is happening. If you would like to see any additional counties reported in the Courthouse Activity Scout contact J.M. Buster-Bradshaw at jbradshaw@paladinlandgroup.com.

Special thanks to Katy Roper at Paladin Land Group for compiling this data.

OKLAHOMA ACTIVITY— Reported 6/3/2019

STACK

• Blaine – 10 to15 landmen

• Kingfisher – 20 landmen

Canadian – 5 to 10 landmen

Custer – 5 to 10 landmen

Dewey – 5 to 10 landmen

Washita – 0 to 5 landmen

MERGE

Grady – 5 to 10 landmen

• McClain – 5 to 10 landmen

Caddo – 10 to 15 landmen

Cleveland – 0 to 5 landmen

DEEP ANADARKO

Beaver – 5 to 10 landmen

Ellis – 5 to 10 landmen

Roger Mills – 0 to 5 landmen

Beckham – 0 to 5 landmen

Lipscomb (TX) – 0 to 5 landmen

Hemphill (TX) – 5 to 10 landmen

Wheeler (TX) – 0 to 5 landmen

SCOOP

Garvin – 0 to 5 landmen Stephens – 5 to 10 landmen Carter – 10 landmen Murray – 0 to 5 landmen

ARKOMA

• Okfuskee – 5 to 10 landmen

Hughes – 5 to 10 landmen

• Coal – 0 to 5 landmen

McIntosh – 0 landmen

Pittsburg – 0 to 5 landmen

MISS LIME

• Woodward – 0 to 5 landmen

Major – 5 to 10 landmen

Alfalfa – 0 to 5 landmen

Woods – 10 to 15 landmen

• Garfield – 5 to 10 landmen





COURTHOUSE ACTIVITY SCOUT

TEXAS & NEW MEXICO ACTIVITY — Reported 6/3/2019

PERMIAN

Reeves (TX) – 10 landmen

Ward (TX) – 0 to 5 landmen

Pecos (TX) – 5 to 10 landmen

• Upton (TX) - 0 to 5 landmen

Ector (TX) – 0 to 5 landmen

Martin (TX) – 5 to 10 landmen

Midland (TX) – 5 to 10 landmen

• Glasscock (TX) - 0 to 5 landmen

Howard (TX) – 0 to 5 landmen

• Reagan (TX) – 0 to 5 landmen

• Crane (TX) – 0 to 5 landmen

DELAWARE

• Lea (NM) – 5 to 10 landmen

• Eddy (NM) – 10 landmen

• Loving (TX) – 5 to 10 landmen

Winkler (TX) – 0 to 5 landmen

Andrews (TX) – 5 to 10 landmen

Gaines (TX) – 5 to 10 landmen







TAPL 2019 SUMMER NEWSLETTER

<u>Land Links</u>: Your source for relevant and interesting industry news and links to helpful resources from around the web



LAND LINKS

Flooding in Oklahoma is affecting the crude oil market



Local/Domestic News

New wells boost Wyoming oil production to highest level in 25 years

Chapter 11 bankruptcy is filed by OKC's White Star Petroleum ONEOK to Donate \$1,000,000 for Eastern Oklahoma Disaster and Flood Relief

Red Wolf Natural Resources Announces Acquisition from Apache Corporation

Ventana Exploration and Production Expands in Oklahoma

<u>Tillerson admits Exxon paid too</u> <u>much for XTO Energy</u>

AFFIDAVITS OF DEATH AND
HEIRSHIP – STATUTORY REQUIREMENTS FOR MARKETABILITY



International

The Oil Kingdom Enters A New Era

A Novel Approach To LNG Contracting

<u>Tainted Russian Oil Crisis May Drag</u>
On For Months

<u>Largest offshore wind farm kicks into operations</u>

Putin highlights differences with Saudis as OPEC+ decision looms

Helpful Resources:

Oiltrash- Mergers & Acquisitions List

A helpful tool for those working legacy producing properties or running title across the Mid-Continent Region

AAPL Toolkit - An invaluable resource center with facts & statistics regarding the oil & gas industry and our communities and environment. Provides resources needed to become true ambassadors for our industry.

Regulatory

A Clean Energy's Dirty Little Secret

Oops! Scientists admit studies
were wrong about earlier methane emissions from oil and gas

Sale of massive West Texas ranch could lead to a growing water fight with New Mexico

E&P/Industry News Sites:

- RBN Energy Daily Blog
- RBC Richardson Barr
- Oil & Gas Community
- Oil&Gas Journal
- Oil and Gas Investor
- Rigzone News
- Fuelfix
- OK Energy Today
- Oilystuffblog





UPCOMING AAPL EDUCATION EVENTS

Date Range		Event Name		Speaker	Location	Credits	
6/7/2019		Royalty Deductions	٩	Marlin K. Brown, CPL	Oklahoma City, OK	3.00 CEU	In addition to this list of educational events, AAPL will also be hosting
6/11/2019	0	Surface Use and Access (webinar available)	٩	George R. Shultz, CPL	Midland, TX	5.00 CEU 1.00 CEUETHICS	free online webinars on a monthly
6/19/2019		CPL Exam Only Members Only	Q		Pittsburgh, PA		dates and topics is as follows:
6/19/2019	-	RPL Exam Only Members Only	۵		Pittsburgh, PA		July 18: Principled Leadership
6/19/2019 - 6/22/2019		2019 Annual Meeting	Q		Pittsburgh, PA	24.00 CEU	·
6/21/2019		Pittsburgh Golf	۵		Pittsburgh,		August 15: Negotiating
		Tournament 2019			PA		September 19: Techno Ethics Pro-
6/28/2019	-	CPL Exam Only Members Only	Q		Fort Worth, TX		ceed with Caution
6/28/2019	_	RPL Exam Only Members Only	۵		Fort Worth, TX		 October 17: The Independent Contractor and You
7/9/2019	-	Petroleum Economics Seminar (webinar available)	Q	Dwayne Purvis	Midland, TX	6.00 CEU 1.00 CEUETHICS	 November 21: Regulatory Permitting
7/11/2019 - 7/12/2019	-	Fundamentals of Land Practices & OPTIONAL RPL Exam	٩	A. Frank Klam, CPL	Bakersfield, CA	6.00 CEU 1.00 CEUETHICS	
7/16/2019 - 7/19/2019	-	Oil and Gas Land Review, CPL/RPL Exam	Q	Curt D. Horne, CPL Owen M. Barnhill, CPL Thomas M. Rucker II, CPL	Denver, CO	18.00 CEU 1.00 CEUETHICS	To register for the above Webinars, please visit the following link:
7/22/2019 - 7/23/2019		Santa Fe Land Institute, Golf and Field Landman Seminar	Q		Santa Fe, NM	11.00 CEU 1.00 CEUETHICS	https://register.gotowebinar.com/ rt/1576264663559417345
7/30/2019 - 7/31/2019	-	Joint Operating Agreements 2 Day Seminar	Q	Dorsey T. Roach, CPL	Oklahoma City, OK	14.00 CEU	For a full calendar of AAPL hosted Education Events, please visit the
8/2/2019	-	Petroleum Economics Seminar (webinar available)	٩	Dwayne Purvis	Tyler, TX	6.00 CEU 1.00 CEUETHICS	following link: https://personify.landman.org/
8/6/2019	-	<u>Due Diligence Seminar</u> (webinar available)	Q	A. Frank Klam, CPL	Evansville, IN	5.00 CEU	PersonifyEbusiness/Default.aspx? TabID=1355





2018-2019 COMMITTEE MEMBERS

TAPL would like to recognize and thank the following members for helping the organization to accomplish its goals by serving on our various committees.

Scholarship, Endowments and Awards

Committee

- Andy Matson TAPL President
- Rhonda Stacy Chairman
- Lawson Vogel Benefits Director
- Eric Weidemann
- Hamel Reinmiller
- Pat Bowman
- Debbie Bodenhamer
- Ben Brown
- Alisha Stacy
- Cory Wilson
- Leo Kantowski
- Tayler Peterson
- Elliot Dowling

Events Committee

- Mariena Hargrave Martin Director
- Kristina Barnes Chairman
- Denton Smith VP, Past Director, & Advisor
- Scott Martin Prize & Gift Coordinator
- Sharon Fairchilds Volunteer Coordinator
- Casey Sons External Operations and Logistics
- Kevin Price External Operations and Logistics
- Tayler Peterson Internal Ops. & Visual Management
- Hamel Reinmiller SEA Committee Liaison

Education Committee

- Jim Slade Director
- Paige Alaback
- Dylan Allen
- Amy Gann
- Mike Ledbetter
- Adrian Ordonez

Communication Committee

- Adam Dolinsky Director
- Elliot Dowling Editor
- Justin Vakilzadeh
- Mace Patterson
- J.M. Buster Bradshaw

External Affairs Committee

Shane Saunders - Director

Membership Committee

• Eric Weidemann - Director







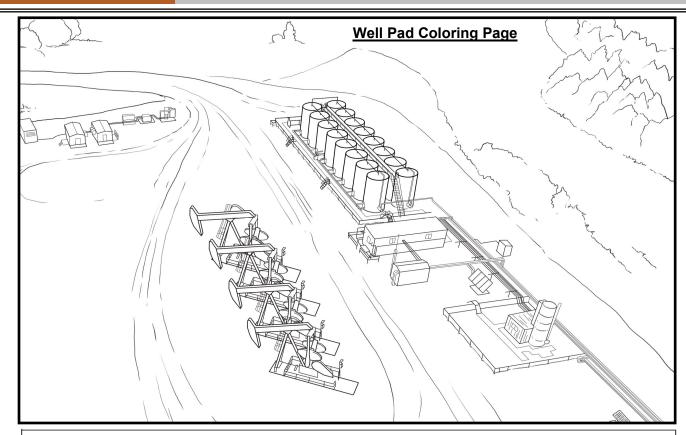
2018-2019 BOARD OF DIRECTORS



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LANDMAN ACTIVITIES: KEEP THE JUICES FLOWING DURING YOUR "SHORT" WORK BREAK



FOSSIL FUELS!

China produces half of the world's __ - about 3 billion tons a year Extracting shale oil is more expensive than extracting __ oil A pumpjack pulls oil from a well using a __ and moving head Some oil fields require gas or ___ injection to raise oil to the surface Petroleum is stored in ___; Natural gas is often stored underground For years, natural gas was at refineries since it could not be sold Coal produces about twice as much dioxide as natural gas Petroleum and coal supply the majority of the world's _ fuels come from decomposed ancient plants and animals gas can be found in oil fields or in its own reserves The world __ over 40 times more oil now than in 1930 Some estimate that current petroleum reserves may be __ in 80 years Directional __ techniques can access previously unreachable resources , or hydraulic fracturing, breaks rock for natural gas extraction __ is made from refined petroleum and powers most cars __ oil drilling started after WWII in the Gulf of Mexico Petroleum can be transported by ship, truck, or __ Crude oil and gas are turned into marketable products at a World __ of natural gas are expected to last over 200 years China, Brazil, Estonia, the U.S., __ and Canada extract shale oil Petroleum is used to create plastics and organic _ ExxonMobil, Saudi Aramco, Royal Dutch Shell and Chevron are oil ___ The __ industry is the world's largest in terms of dollar value Oil, gas and coal are non-__ resources which will eventually be gone Burning fossil fuels products releases carbon dioxide into the ___ Shale oil extraction is known as an unconventional oil __ process Mud logging measures the __ content while an oil well is drilled _, Iraq, Iran, Venezuela, Canada and Russia have the most oil

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MONTHLY FUNNIES:

"LEVITY FOR THE DISCERNING LANDMAN"



MEMORANDUM

TO:

All Employees Tiger Oil Company - Houston

DATE: April 20, 1978

FROM:

Edward Mike Davis

SUBJECT: Office Furniture

The furniture in this office is expensive. DO NOT PUT YOUR FEET ON II!!

I am paying you to work -- not slouch in your chair with your feet up on a desk or table.

I do not go to your home and put my feet on your furniture, so don't put your feet on mine.













And now dear members, we leave you with some practical, timeless wisdom handed down to landmen over the ages:

A GOOD LEASE MAN

"Must be a man of vision and ambition, and an after-dinner speaker, before" and after dinner guzzler, night owl, work all day and half the night, then drive 200 miles and appear fresh the next day. You must be able to entertain bankers, farmers, cattle men, company landmen, and pet widows without becoming too amo. ous. Inhale dust, drive through snow 10 feet deep at 10 below, and work ail summer without perspiring or acquiring BO. Must be a man's man, a lady's man, a model husband, a fatherly father, a good provider, a Plutocrat, a Democrat, a Republican or a New Dealer, an old dealer and a technician, politician, mathematician, mechanic, carpenter, baby sitter and a notary public. Must be a buying genius, able to anticipate other company plays, a land scout and general information bureau. Must visit clients in hospitals, jails, honkytonks and beer joints. Contact all buyers in immediate vicinity at all times and be prepared to leave for parts unknown, a distance of not less than 2000 miles, on five minute notice. Must have unlimited endurance, a wide range of telephone numbers in all principal cities, an acquaintance beginning in Maine and ending in California. Must have a good car, an attractive home and belong to all clubs and pay all expenses at home. Must be an expert driver, talker, dancer, traveler, bridge player, poker player, diplomat, financier, capitalist, philanthropist, geologist, lawyer, abstractor, good and fast with a typewriter, an authority on palmistry, chemistry, psychology, dogs, horses, brunettes, blondes and redheads."

Is it any wonder that good lease men are hard to find?

Special thanks to **Michelle Linton** at MidCon Energy for sharing this and reminding us all, lest we ever forget what truly makes a "good lease man".

HAVE A GREAT SUMMER!

Best Regards,

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