



## DRILLING PROGRAM UPDATE

As we reported a few months ago, Vada has embarked on a very aggressive drilling program. Below is a brief summary of our progress.

Broussard #1 – Flowing 7.100 mcf/d & 260 bbls/d from Camerina Sand at 17,750 feet.

Beauvais #1 – Flowing 1.100 mcf/d 150 bbls/d from Sparta B Sand at 10,728 feet.

Wallace #1 – Directionally drilled to Cockfield Sand. Production casing was run and perforated at 9,940 feet. Swab, tested oil and water. Currently waiting on surface installation of unidraulic system.

Exxon Fee #4 - Directionally drilled to the Cockfield Sand. Production casing was run and perforated at 10,063 feet. Currently waiting on surface installation of unidraulic system.

Patterson A-6 – Well drilled to Upper Wilcox Sand. Production liner was installed from 11,044 – 12,930 feet. Wilcox H Sand perforated at 12,762 -12772 feet. Currently waiting on battery installation.

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# I'm So Happy, I Could Scream!



**Happiness creates resilient employees who, in turn, create resilient, thriving companies.**

Research proves that positive feelings reduce stress, builds up the immune system and even enable people to be open to new ideas and solve problems more quickly, efficiently and intelligently.

## Happy Tool Kit Provisions

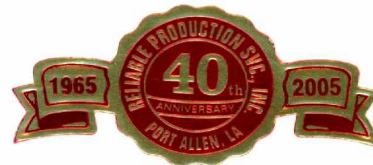
**Optimism** – The power of optimism is not to be minimized. Evidence shows that optimists live nine to ten years longer than people who are not optimistic.

**Forgiveness** – Letting go of ill will toward others and making peace with the past clears the way for happiness.

**Build on Strength** – Evidence shows that over time, having the opportunity to do the things one does well, works better at creating lasting happiness than antidepressants.

*When you choose to be happy, you're choosing to create and work with a powerful tool. And the best part is that you are largely in control of the level of your happiness.*

**THE RELIABLE REPORT**- Designed to inform Reliable Employees. For comments or suggestions, please contact Chris David (Safety Director) @ 937-6579 or Sharon Hebert (Systems Adm.) @ 343-3900



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# THE RELIABLE REPORT

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## Mechanics on Duty

Pictured from left to right are Leroy Langlois, Richie David and Michael Dorsey.

Leroy is the Head Mechanic with over twenty-five years with Reliable. Mike has been with Reliable for ten plus years, while Richie made a year on June 19th.

These guys are responsible for keeping the rigs and trucks in top-notch condition. Whether it is electrical, mechanical or hydraulics, the three of them get it done. In addition to making repairs and performing regular maintenance, these guys will lead the process of completely refurbishing a workover rig. This was most recently done with Reliable Rig#18. They disassembled the rig, blasted, painted and assembled according to factory specifications. The rig left the yard in brand new working condition.

Besides maintenance, repairs and refurbishing, these guys will fabricate new equipment from the skid up. They build mud tanks, pumps, and light plants, to name a few. They are the reason our equipment is always in great working condition.



# August Anniversaries

“Miz” Joycelyn Newton 36 yrs. 8/1 RPS  
Rosie Bordelon 2 yrs. 8/1 LRI  
Gerald Guidroz 6 yrs. 8/6 RPS  
Brent Pitre 15 yrs. 8/7 RAC  
Carla Hebert 4 yrs. 8/11 RAC  
John Helweg 5 yrs. 8/12 RPS  
Rusty Armand 1 yr. 8/14 RAC  
Keith Burnitt 1 yr. 8/15 RPS  
Madelene Hill 2 yrs. 8/15 LRI  
Ricky LeJeune 3 yrs. 8/30 RPS



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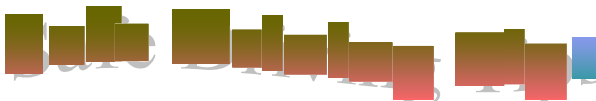
# August Employee Birthdays

Leslie Dixon 8/1 RPS  
David Tullos 8/4 RAC  
Glen Parker 8/4 RPS  
Leroy Duncan 8/5 RPS  
Lena Joseph 8/8 RPS  
Robert Patin 8/8 RAC  
Mrs. Rita Dupre 8/10 RPS  
Oreste Theriot 8/13 RPS  
Mark Deville 8/14 RPS  
David Minish 8/14 RAC  
Wallace Breaux 8/15 LRI  
Michael Dorsey 8/17 RPS  
“Miz” Joycelyn Newton 8/25 RPS  
Michael Pate 8/15 RPS  
Joe Sampere 8/29 RAC  
James “Jim” Moore 8/29 RPS

RPS – Reliable Production Service

RAC – Reliable Amusement Company

LRI – Liberty Resources, Inc.



According to a recent National Highway Traffic Safety Administration report, most vehicle crashes happen when people are alone and occur during the late night/early morning hours. Police have cited 56,000 crashes annually in which drowsiness and fatigue is to blame. For more info, check out [www.nhtsa.dot.gov](http://www.nhtsa.dot.gov)

KEYS TO SAFE DRIVING:



## Plan Ahead:

Give yourself plenty of extra time. Construction zones, traffic jams, or other incidents can add delays. That extra time will help cut down on excessive speeding and tailgating.

## Pay Attention:

Eliminate distractions ahead of time. Be sure important items such as maps and sunglasses are within easy reach. Always pull over to a safe place to use your cell phone.

## Clear Your Head:

Alcohol and certain drugs, both illegal and legal, severely impair your driving skills. If taking medication, be sure to read and obey the warning labels.

## Keep a Safe Distance:

Maintain a following distance of at least three seconds. Add an additional second for each adverse driving condition, such as bad weather or low visibility.

## Watch for Signs of Fatigue:

If you start feeling tired, let someone else drive. If you are driving alone, pull into a rest stop or other safe location and take a short nap or walk around for a few minutes. Eat light on long trips. Large, heavy meals can make you drowsy.

## Vehicle Safety Kit

Be sure your safety kit includes jumper cables, reflective triangles, a blanket, nonperishable food, a flashlight and other safety items. This makes a good companion to your first aid kit.

# A LABOR OF LOVE

How can you lie with a straight face? If I were you, I couldn't sleep at night knowing what I did! How can you live with yourself? Does this sound familiar? Have you said it to someone or had it said to you? How is it that some people have no problem lying, even when it means putting the blame on innocent people?

The phrase, “A clear conscience makes a soft pillow” describes the peace we experience when we tell the truth, no matter the consequences for ourselves or those we might want to protect.

Being a law-abiding citizen and having high moral integrity are two good standards to live by. There's one more aspect I wish you to consider. As a young boy, I remember being told that all a person really has in this world is their good name. You determine the worth of your name by the honest or dishonest word you profess. In other words, your word defines who you are, while you are alive, and the legacy you leave behind.

As I ponder childhood memories, Pinocchio comes to mind. If you're old enough, you remember that Pinocchio was plagued with a nose that grew every time he lied. He could not escape his lies because it was, as they say, “written all over his face.”

We can be swayed one way or the other. It's easy to follow the group and do what everybody else is doing. It's the safest thing, but not always the right thing to do. It takes courage, intestinal fortitude to risk your reputation to stand alone for the truth.

Do others read honesty and integrity when they look upon our face? Or can they take one look at us and see a bald-face liar? Either way, it's by our own doing that they size us up.

Does your conscience make for a soft pillow? Do you get a peaceful night's rest?



## Something To Think About

“In taking revenge a man is but equal to his enemy, but in passing it over, he is superior.”