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FEBRUARY 1997 NEWSLETTER

FORTHCOMING PGK EVENTS Feb.19

Andrew Hurst

Univ. of Aberdeen.

Rims of Prediction

Feb. 19

PGK

Annual General Meeting and Annual Dinner

March 19

Mark Geluk NITG - TNO Paleotectonics and Palaeogeography of the Zechstein

in The Netherlands.

March 21-29

PGK/PDO

Filed Seminar: The Petroleum Geology of Oman.

April 16

Tom Reijers

Aim, Scope and Benefit of Work of the Stratigraphic

Commission of Nigeria. SPDC Nigeria

PGK FEBRUARY MEETING

The PGK February meeting will be held on WEDNESDAY, February 19, at 17:45 pm and will be preceded by aperitifs from 17:00 pm onwards. The lecture will be held at the KIVI building, Prinsessegracht 23, The Hague. This will coincide with the Annual General Meeting which will be held before the lecture. A raffle will also take place for the last bottle of the Lagavullin. Memebers can buy tickets for f5 and the draw will take place before the lecture. Wines & Whiskies, Delft is thanked for this sponsorship.

Dr. Andrew Hurst of The University of Aberdeen will speak about: "Rims of **Prospectivity**". The speaker has provided the following abstract:

As the North Sea exploration petroleum province matures, structural and stratigraphic targets in close proximity to mature source rocks within basinal areas become less easy to delineate and too deep to be of likely commercial interest. Commonly, areas flanking the basinal plays have a long history as palaeogeographic highs, and at the present day are shallow relative to most productive reservoirs and their oil kitchens. Exploration of the "palaeohighs" has been somewhat haphazard and recently has tended to focus on the potential of Tertiary strata. There is however, a record of discoveries, often of lighter oil than associated with Tertiary intervals, within Mesozoic strata. Traps frequently have palaeogeomorphic components and are frequently not located on present-day structural highs. With the advent of increasingly cost-effective 3-D seismic surveys, the subtleties of the ancient rift margins are a more amenable target for exploration.

OTHER EVENTS OF INTEREST TO PGK MEMBERS

Feb. 11	PESGB London Meeting, "4D Seismic Monitoring of the Magnus Field" by Giles
	Watts, London. Contact Karen Whitehead (+171 495 6800, e-mail
	pesgb@pesgb.demon.co,uk).

Joint SPWLA-SPE Meeting "Multidisciplinary Reservoir Characterisation of the Feb. 17 New Wireline Formation Testers", contact Barbara Grunert, Schlumberger (070-310 5400) for details.

PESGB Aberdeen Meeting, "Development of the Slumped Crestal Area of The Feb. 18 Brent Reservoir, Brent Field: an Integrated Approach" by S.D. Coutts, Aberdeen. Contact Karen Whitehead (+171 495 6800, e-mail pesgb@pesgb.demon.co,uk).

SPE Meeting "Solutions to Wellbore Stability Problems With Water-Based Drilling Mar. 10 Fluid Technology" Bel Air Hotel, Den Haag, contact Barbara Grunert, Schlumberger (070-310 5400) for details.

MEMBERS NEWS

We have received an application for membership from Mr. Frank van Bergen, Mr. Bart Dekkers, Mr. Jeroen Goudsward, Mr. Michiel van Houte, Dr. Rudi Luyendijk, Mr. Geoffrey McMillian, Mr. Yvan Pannatier, Mrs Elisabeth Pannatier-Graf, Mr. Jaap Veldkamp and Ms. Corine de Zeeuw. We also have a re-instatement of Mr. John **Keasberry**. If no objections are received by the end of the next meeting they will automatically be (re)elected members of the society.

If you look at your mail label you will see 97 at the bottom. This means that the dues for 1997 are now liable. Some members have already paid and are in credit while others will see a longer list of years on this line. Please remit f25 for each year due, into one of the accounts mentioned above ASAP. The treasurer is currently looking into how to pay by credit card. More news of this later.

Members with e-mail and Eudora (preferably running on a Macintosh) may also receive the newsletter digitally from the following address campbell@nitq.tno.nl. EudoraLight can be obtained free from the following site: http://lorien.qualcomm.com/quest/commercial.html. The PGK has a new home page on the Web. The address for those interested is: http://wwwak.tn.tudelft.nl/~pgk/index.html Many thanks go to Frederic Verhelst of the Centre for Technical Geoscience, LSA, Fac. of Applied Physics, Delft University of Technology.

THE 1997 ANNUAL MEETING

The PGK AGM will convene on February 19, at 17.30. Nominations for the 1997 Committee are:

Chairman	Drs. L.D. Alblas *	Amoco Netherlands B.V.
Vice Chairman	Drs. E. Uitentuis	NAM Schiedam
Treasurer	Drs. M. Koopmans**	Wintershall BV
Secretary	Ir. P.C.Montijn***	NITG - TNO
Excursion Secretary	Drs. G.v.d.Bilt****	G.A.P.S. Nederland B.V.

* At present Vice Chairman.

** The treasurer is automatically reselected for one more year.

***The current secretary has served over two years and is not eligible for another year.

**** The current excursion secretary is automatically reselected for one more year.

After the annual meeting we will enjoy our annual dinner at Le Mangerie, Laan van Roos en Doorn 51a, about ten minutes walk from KIVI, from 20:15 pm onwards. Those who wish to attend please complete the form at the end of the newsletter and return it before February 15th to the secretary Bank or giro cheque to the value of f 60,- made out to Treasurer PGKwill be accepted but direct payments to the bank/giro account are prefferred. Please forward your reservation and payment promptly as we have to advise the restaurant about the number of members (and partners) attending.

PETROLEUM GEOLOGISCHE KRING



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PGK ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

19 February 1997 17:15

AGENDA

1. Opening Hans Dronkert 2. Chairman's Review of 1996 activities Hans Dronkert 3. Secretary's Report Ewan Campbell 4. Treasurer's Report Maaike Koopmans 5. 1996 Auditing Committee's Report Evert v.d.Graaf & Ab v. Adrichem Boogaert 6. Selection of 1997 Auditing Committee Proposed??

7. Discharge of 1996 Committee and installation of 1997 committee.

Nominations for the 1996 Committee are as follows:

Chairman Drs. L.D. Alblas * Amoco Netherlands B.V. Vice Chairman Drs. E. Uitentuis NAM Schiedam Wintershall Noordzee B.V. Secretary Ir. P.C.Montijn*** NITG - TNO Excursion Secretary Drs. G.v.d.Bilt**** G.A.P.S. Nederland B.V.

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8. Proposed program for 1997

Leo Alblas

- 9. Increase in membership dues for 1998 to NLG 30 Leo Alblas and means of tackling late dues payments.
- 10. Any Other Business
- 11. Close of Meeting

18:30 Lecture by Dr. Andrew Hurst, Univ. of Aberdeen, will speak about: "Rims of Prospectivity".

20:15 Annual Dinner at Le Mangerie, Laan van Roos en Doorn, a 10 minute walk from the KIVI building. Those who have paid by bank or giro or sent the secretary or treasurer a cheque and thus put their names on the list for the Annual Dinner are invited to take a short walk to the restaurant. Upon entering the restaurant your name will be ticked off the list by the treasurer, those members from whom payment has not been received may pay on the spot.