President's Letter
LTC Gene Snyman
President, Tulsa Post

Hey post members, I’m looking forward to a great year for the Tulsa Post. We just have to look to last and the years past to know we are always on the positive glide path. I want to say thank you to Charley Wall and all the dedicated board members who dedicated so much time and energy last year to the post. Their hard work clearly paid off; we are only just a few members away from reaching the large post designation and thanks to all your hard work we finished up CY10 with four streamers awarded with distinction!

On 15 March 2011 we are looking forward to hearing a presentation from Joe Remondini, P.E., CFM on Flood Plain Management. Then on 19-20 April, the Little Rock District takes their turn hosting the Joint Small Business Conference.

There is plenty of opportunities to plug in and support the team as we make CY11 the best ever!

LTC Snyman
2011 Tulsa Post President
**March 15 Post Program Lunch Meeting**

Please join us for this month’s Post meeting on March 15, 2011 (lunch provided):

**Speaker:** Ed Rossman, USACE Silver Jackets Program Manager, Tulsa District

**Sponsor:** EC Government Services, LLC

**Subject:** USACE Silver Jackets Program – Many Agencies, One Solution

Silver Jackets is a National Corps of Engineers Program that focuses on continuous collaboration with Federal, state, local, and tribal agencies, private-sector, and emergency management entities to reduce flood risks and other natural disasters. No single agency has all the answers, but often multiple programs can be leveraged to provide a cohesive solution.

Silver Jackets is an innovative program that provides an opportunity to consistently bring together multiple Federal, state, local, and tribal agencies to learn from one another and apply that knowledge to reducing risk.

**Time:** 11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

**Location:** Room 210

Tulsa District Corps of Engineers District Office Building

1645 S 101st E Ave, Tulsa, OK

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**Professional Development**

**PE RESOURCES**

- **Oklahoma State University Continuing Education** [http://outreach.okstate.edu/](http://outreach.okstate.edu/)
- **University of Tulsa Continuing Engineering and Science Education** [http://www.cese.utulsa.edu/](http://www.cese.utulsa.edu/)
- **University of Oklahoma Continuing Education - Engineering and Geosciences** [http://www.engr.outreach.ou.edu/](http://www.engr.outreach.ou.edu/)
- **Tulsa Chapter of OSPE** [http://www.ospe.org/displaycommon.cfm?an=1&subarticlenbr=34](http://www.ospe.org/displaycommon.cfm?an=1&subarticlenbr=34)
- **Oklahoma State Board of Licensure for Professional Engineers & Land Surveyors** [http://www.pels.state.ok.us/](http://www.pels.state.ok.us/)

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**2011 Post President**

Outgoing 2010 Post President Charley Wall handed over his office to Incoming 2011 Post President LTC Gene Snyman at the January Post Meeting - Installation of 2011 Officers.
Future Work and Partnering Symposium

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April 18-20
Double Tree Hotel
Little Rock, Arkansas

Partnering Opportunities for Small and Large Businesses

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Welcome to the 2011 JETC website, where you'll find all the information you need on the conference program, registration, lodging, exhibiting and sponsorship opportunities, and more. As the conference date draws closer, additional information will be added to the site. Please feel free to come back often to see new information.

**JETC Technical Program**

Co-hosted by SAME HQ and the Fort Worth Post, the 2011 JETC features six technical tracks addressing timely issues affecting the A/E/C, facility management and environmental fields.

- Track 1: Contingency Operations
- Track 2: Installation management
- Track 3: Design & Construction
- Track 4: Water resources
- Track 5: Energy
- Track 6: Acquisition

The technical program lays the foundation for the conference and is supported by a robust, informational expo area, exciting technical tours and ample networking and social events. If you are interested in speaking at one of these sessions, go to the Technical Program page and download the Speaker Info Form to send to the Track Chair.

**Expo**

The 2011 JETC Expo area is set to be one of the largest ever, with companies large and small exhibiting. In addition, each of the uniformed services will be represented and will feature networking lounges for the relaxation and networking pleasure of attendees.

Throughout the conference, breaks, lunches, prize drawings and other events will take place in the exhibit hall. You’ll also enjoy numerous exclusive exhibit hours, when no other events are scheduled—so you can take full advantage of the networking opportunities, as well as the product demonstrations.

For companies looking to enhance their visibility, exhibiting at the 2011 JETC is a great opportunity to reach our niche market of DOD and industry leaders.
Items donated during our Holiday Social were sent to Blue Star Mothers of America. These items will be put into Freedom Boxes to be shipped to our troops in Iraq and Afghanistan.

Thank you everyone for your support!
January 2011 Meeting Spotlight

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