

# THE FACE OF LAGCOE IN 2024

Advancing Energy, Building Community, Driving Innovation



## **GETINVOLVED**



### **OUR MISSION**

Lagcoe is a non-profit organization established in 1955 to support the advancement of the energy industry. Lagcoe aims to sustain a network of energy professionals, businesses, and volunteers that work together to innovate and advance the energy industry.

Through programs, events, and education initiatives, Lagcoe's mission is to cultivate partnerships within the industry by facilitating domestic and global relationships.

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## **EDUCATION**

- Our Little Energizers Program reached more than 1,400 children thanks to grants from the Stuller Foundation, the Pinhook Foundation and the support of many companies and volunteers.
- We partnered with One Acadiana and LEDA for Manufacturing Tours for the Future Energy Professional Scholarship.
- The Professionals of Lagcoe hosted webinars on Imposter's Syndrome, marketing, and health & fitness.

## **INNOVATION**

## VOLUNTEERS

We helped represented Louisiana at OTC, Saudi Arabia, and ADIPEC. We have started preparing for 2026! We had over 50 volunteers supporting our programs and events throughout the year.



#### COMMUNITY

- We launched our Roux Fest Gumbo Cookoff and were able to contribute to the Alyse Naquin Foundation.
- Our Golf Tournament that supports our educational programs sold out in one week.
- We revived our Clay Classic and continued connecting people and raising funds to support our mission.

#### **WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT**

Through the Professionals of Lagcoe, we hosted engaging webinars covering essential topics such as marketing, health and fitness, and overcoming imposter syndrome. Building on this momentum, we have already begun planning our highly anticipated 2025 Energy Leadership Series.



## **HIGHLIGHTS**

2024 BY THE NUMBERS







CHILDREN REACHED THROUGH LITTLE ENERGIZERS

<u>.</u> 32

INTERNATIONAL SHOWS

## LOOKING AHEAD: A VISION FOR 2025

Lagcoe has an exciting year ahead, packed with impactful events and programs:

**Roux Fest:** February 27 at Blackham Coliseum, Lafayette Join us for a sizzling gumbo cook-off celebrating Louisiana's rich energy heritage. Connect with industry pros, local businesses, and the community—all while savoring our state's signature dish. Proceeds benefit a local charity, making it a feast you can truly feel good about.



#### Lagcoe Invitational Golf Tournament: April 10 & 11 at Golden Nugget, Lake Charles

Tee off at our two-day golf event where business meets pleasure on the course. Enjoy friendly competition, mouthwatering cook-team fare, and plenty of networking opportunities. Proceeds support education and workforce development—every swing counts!



#### Future Energy Professionals Reception: May 15

Celebrate the winners of the Future Energy Professionals Scholarship during an evening of recognition alongside previous Lagcoe Chairmen, Lagcoe Looey, the Lagcoe Board of Directors, and other esteemed supporters. This special event honors students who have committed to pursuing a STEM-centric degree at a college or university in Louisiana, showcasing their dedication to the future of the energy industry.



#### Little Energizers Program: Summer 2025

Spark young minds with hands-on STEM fun! Tailored for elementary and middle school students, Little Energizers fosters a love of science, technology, engineering, and math. It's all about igniting curiosity and inspiring our next generation of innovators.



#### Energy Leadership Series: August 2025

Elevate your career through five interactive sessions covering leadership, industry insights, and government engagement. Open to entry and mid level energy professionals, it's your path to becoming a proactive leader shaping our industry's future.



#### Petro Hour by Professionals of Lagcoe: August 27

Celebrate National Petroleum Day in style with peers, industry experts, and the local community. Hosted by the Professionals of Lagcoe alongside partners, Petro Hour is your chance to learn, share ideas, and toast our sector's innovative spirit.



#### Executive Summit: September 10 & 11

Designed for C-suite energy leaders, the Executive Summit offers expert panels, thought-provoking discussions, and high-level networking. Gain fresh perspectives, explore emerging trends, and collaborate with industry trailblazers to shape the future of energy.



#### Clay Classic: October 10 - Wilderness Gun Club

Aim for a great time at our sporting clays tournament—complete with friendly competition, networking, and supporting the Future Energy Professionals Scholarship. Over \$100,000 has already been awarded to STEM students in Louisiana. Every shot makes a difference!



#### Annual Holiday Social: December 16

It's our yearly tradition to gather with friends, colleagues, and fellow energy professionals for a festive evening of celebration. Hosted by Lagcoe and the Professionals of Lagcoe, this relaxed social spotlights our collective achievements, fosters connections, and offers a glimpse into what's next for the organization—complete with a few exciting announcements.

Join us for these events and more as we continue advancing the energy industry through education, innovation, and meaningful connections.

## THANK YOU TO OUR SPONSORS

Thank you for powering Lagcoe's mission. Your sponsorship enables us to drive innovation, education, and workforce development in the energy industry. Together, we are shaping a stronger future for our community and sector.



