

Core Library Dedication

The dedication of the newly expanded Wilson M. Laird Core and Sample Library took place on September 26. There were 150 people in attendance. Tours of the facility were conducted both prior to and after the ceremony. Speakers included Governor Jack Dalrymple, Attorney General Wayne Stenehjem, Agriculture Commissioner Doug Goehring, State Senator Ray Holmberg, Board of Higher Education President Kathy Neset, UND President Mark Kennedy, Whiting Vice President of Geoscience Mark Sonnenfeld, Continental Resources President and CEO Jack Stark, and Don Laird (representing the Wilson M. Laird family). Lynn Helms served as Master of Ceremonies. One of the core laboratories was named for longtime core library manager Julie LeFever.

