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Dear Pilots,

We are in the last quarter of this Pilot year and what a year it has been. Pilots have found new ways to serve their communities and to raise funds. District Conventions have been held both in-person or virtually. Pilots had the opportunity to gain first-hand knowledge of their district and Pilot International and participate in important Pilot business. They also had the opportunity to gain new ideas to take home to their clubs. As I have said all year long, Pilots continue to Do More, Care More, and Be More even in difficult times.

This issue of the Pilot Log will spotlight our upcoming 100th Year Pilot International Annual Convention and Leadership Conference. Atlanta and the Marriott Marquis are awaiting our arrival. The hotel is located in downtown Atlanta with the World of Coca-Cola, Georgia Aquarium and Atlanta Botanical Garden nearby. Do you remember old timey drive-in restaurants? If you want a good chili dog or hamburger, The Varsity is a mile from the hotel. There are several restaurants within walking distance of the hotel, including Hard Rock Café. The Hub, across the street from the hotel which can be accessed by a skywalk, has a CVS and a food court.

You will be glad to know that you won’t have to walk miles to the ballroom and meeting rooms. All rooms are on the same floor and same side of the hotel. An elevator or escalator is accessible from the lobby to the Atrium Level where all meetings will be held, and elevators from hotel room levels will take you to the Atrium Level.

Please go to our Pilot website for convention registration and hotel reservation information. We recommend that you make your hotel reservation online. Do not forget to sign up for the bus tour to Pilot Headquarters on Friday or to order your convention T-shirt. You don’t want to miss our Thursday night entertainment/fundraiser, the Tams. Also, please agree to serve on a committee when you register. We need your help.

As you plan your 2021-2022 Pilot year in the next few weeks, be sure to reflect on this year’s accomplishments. You have survived a year and a half of struggles. New ideas and new ways of doing things have come from those struggles. Consider all you can do when you are able to meet together. Keep those imaginations going and make the next year a strong and successful Pilot year.

In Pilot Friendship and Service,

Peggy Benton

Pilot International President, 2020-2021
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Congratulations!  
2021-2022  
Scholarship Recipients

NON-PIFF FUNDED SCHOLARSHIPS

THESE SCHOLARSHIPS ARE GENEROUSLY FUNDED BY PRIVATE DONORS AND ADMINISTERED BY PILOT INTERNATIONAL.

KC INTERNATIONAL AWARD

Aya Haneda  
Abhishek Pokharel

KC ANCHOR SCHOLARSHIP

Lilly Heilshorn  
Devoria Boykins

TOTAL KC SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED: $10,000

BOB KING CO-PILOT MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Emily Sanchez  
Erica Glaneman

TOTAL BOB KING SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED: $3,000

PIFF FUNDED SCHOLARSHIPS

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ANCHOR ACHIEVEMENT

Clayton Boeker  
Jordan Williams

RUBY NEWHALL

Gbolade Kayode  
Marina Alnaser  
Miriam Inacio  
Lizi Zhong

TOTAL PIFF SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED: $40,000

PILOT INTERNATIONAL

Eva Millan  
Jillyn Turunen  
Kaitlyn Reisinger  
Natalie Rash  
Keagen Head  
Natalia Rodriguez  
Ella Castro-Waters  
Leticia Alicea  
Colin Roberts  
Grant Mahlmann

MARIE NEWTON SEPIA

Leann Jacks  
Irene Kwangaba  
Maryanna Mendenhall  
Peyton Miller  
Keshav Poudel  
Madeline Klink  
Sharaya Hill  
Holly Long  
Courtney Nelson

BECKY BURROWS

Jazmyn Mustafa  
Sarah Fick  
Monika Mayfield  
Sonia De Los Rios  
Monica Manfredonia  
Israel Jurado  
Molly Smith  
Nicole Santos

TOTAL PIFF SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED: $40,000
The Pilot International Convention Planning Committee met with the hotel staff and the Executive Committee at the beautiful Atlanta Marriott Marquis in January, 2021. Marriott Marquis Representative Sean Ware continues to be an asset in expediting our plans for an extraordinary and celebratory 100th Anniversary Convention.

A sign of good teamwork, Vice Convention Chair Carol Riddell and Convention Chair Judy Langley, unknowingly dressed alike one day for touring the beautiful Atlanta Marriott Marquis and surrounding areas.

Here are a few highlights for convention:

The Executive Committee and the Convention Chairs look forward to seeing Pilots, Co-Pilots, Anchors, and Compass Members arrive at the hotel to pick up their registration packet. Everyone is in for some special surprises!

Convention Vice Chair Carol Riddell and Convention Chair Judy Langley explored The Hub which can be accessed easily by an indoor walkway. In the Hub are many restaurants in a Food Court, Shops, and a CVS.
Surrounding Attractions

World-class restaurants, festive nightlife, professional sports teams, and an abundance of attractions and events help make Atlanta the center for entertainment in the South. Visitors can experience a diverse and thriving cultural scene at the city’s many theatres, museums, galleries and concert halls.

The heart of the city is downtown, the perfect starting point for first-time visitors. Centennial Olympic Park is surrounded by Georgia Aquarium, World of Coca-Cola, CNN’s global headquarters, Children’s Museum of Atlanta, Center for Civil and Human Rights and the Chick-fil-A College Football Hall of Fame, all within walking distance of each other.

Beyond Centennial Olympic Park, discover other top attractions including the High Museum of Art, Zoo Atlanta and Atlanta Botanical Garden. Explore the city’s diverse culinary scene, and see why shoppers love Atlanta for everything from boutiques to antiques. Atlanta is a city you’ll love visiting again and again.
## Convention & Leadership Conference Schedule

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<td>Registration Chair and Vice Chair Meeting</td>
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<td>Registration Committee Meeting</td>
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<td>Convention Registration Open</td>
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<td>International Administrative Council Meeting</td>
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<td>5:45 pm</td>
<td>Governor’s Pictures with President Elect Collett Cross</td>
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<td>PIFF Training – District and Club Representatives</td>
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<td>Convention Chairs and Vice Chairs Meeting</td>
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<td>Parliamentarian Meets with Nominees</td>
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<td>Delegate Pictures with President Elect Collett Cross</td>
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<td>Convention Committee Meetings</td>
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<td>8:30 am - 10:30 am</td>
<td>First Business Session</td>
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<td>One Half of District – Lunch on your own</td>
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<td><strong>District Meetings</strong></td>
<td>Alabama, Heartland, Japan, Louisiana, Midwest, North Carolina, South Carolina, Southwestern, Texas</td>
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<td>2:00 pm - 3:15 pm</td>
<td>Third Business Session</td>
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<td>Fourth Business Session</td>
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<td>6:00 pm - 7:00 pm</td>
<td>Donor Recognition</td>
<td>President's Suite</td>
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<td>7:30 pm - 10:30 pm</td>
<td>The Tams</td>
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<td>Club President and President Elect Training</td>
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<td>Bus Tours to Pilot International Headquarters in Macon</td>
<td>See Workshop Schedule</td>
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<td>9:00 am - 4:00 pm</td>
<td>Workshops</td>
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<td>10:15 am - 12:00 pm</td>
<td>General Session and Awards</td>
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<td>12:00 pm - 2:00 pm</td>
<td>One Half of District – Lunch on your own</td>
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<td><strong>District Lunches</strong></td>
<td>Bahamas, COED, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky-Ohio-West Virginia, Michigan-Indiana, Mississippi, Northeast Potomac, Tennessee, Virginia</td>
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<td>2:00 pm - 2:30 pm</td>
<td>Memorial Service</td>
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<td>2:45 pm - 4:30 pm</td>
<td>General Session</td>
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<td>6:00 pm - 6:45 pm</td>
<td>Receiving Line for 2021-2022 Executive Committee</td>
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<td>6:45 pm - 10:00 pm</td>
<td>Installation Banquet</td>
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*SCHEDULE SUBJECT TO CHANGE*
## Workshop Schedule

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<td>MemberClicks, Fidget Blankets, Anchor’s Tips on Using Social Media, Scholarships and Grants, Leading Pilots into the Next 100 Years, BrainMinders Updates and Brain-O Fundraiser</td>
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<td>10:00 am - 11:00 am</td>
<td>Reporting Volunteer Hours, Fidget Blankets, Zoom, PowerPoint, Google, Mentoring, How to Start Up and Anchor/Compass Club</td>
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<td>11:00 am - 2:00 pm</td>
<td>Lunch on your own</td>
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<td>2:00 pm - 3:00 pm</td>
<td>Reporting Volunteer Hours, Fidget Blankets, BrainMinders Updates and Brain-O Fundraiser, Designing Newsletters and Bulletins, All About Helmets</td>
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<td>3:00 pm - 4:00 pm</td>
<td>MemberClicks, Fidget Blankets, Service Projects Shaping Our Future, Membership Growth - Ways to Secure our Future, Raising Funds for the Future - Innovative Ideas, Anchor’s Tips on Using Social Media</td>
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For only $10 a chance, you may win one of these eight beautiful treasures. Can't decide which raffle to take a chance on? Why not try several? Put the number of chances you would like to purchase in the box beside the items of your choosing. Your name will be entered into those raffle(s), and when your number(s) comes up, you will be the lucky winner! The drawings will be held at convention in Atlanta. The online and mail-in entries deadline as well as the deadline for receiving donation credit for the 2020-2021 Pilot year is May 24. Any entries received after May 24 or in person in Atlanta will be designated for the 2021-2022 Pilot year. We hope to see you there and thank you for supporting your Founders Fund!
# 2021 Anchor Leadership Summit Schedule

## 2021 Anchor Leadership Summit Schedule

### July 7-10, 2021

### Wednesday, July 7th

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<td>District Anchor Coordinator Meeting</td>
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<td>5:30pm – 6:30pm</td>
<td>Getting to Know You-Introductions/Ice Breakers</td>
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<td>6:15pm</td>
<td>Dinner and Free Time</td>
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<td>Opening Ceremony – 2 Anchor volunteers to carry flag</td>
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<td>9:45am-11:00pm</td>
<td>Anchor Led Leadership Workshop</td>
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<td>Lunch (The Varsity) NO CASH – CREDIT/DEBIT ONLY</td>
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<td>2:00pm – 3:00pm</td>
<td>Speakers – Derrick and Julie Tennant</td>
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<td>3:00pm – 5:00pm</td>
<td>Team Building Workshop – Service Project</td>
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<td>5:15pm</td>
<td>Dinner and Free Time / Games &amp; Trivia</td>
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<td>Anchor Workshop: &quot;Anchor’s Tips on using Social Media“</td>
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<td>10:00am–11:00am</td>
<td>How to Start UP an Anchor/Compass Club Presentation</td>
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<td>(Lisa Palmquist, Kim Smith, Mollie Riley &amp; Susan Woodward)</td>
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<td>9:30am – 10:30pm</td>
<td>Set Up Cultural Exchange – includes Anchor only time</td>
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2021 Anchor Leadership Summit Schedule
July 7-10, 2021

FRIDAY, JULY 9th continued

2:00pm – 3:45pm  Team Building – Service Project  A602
3:00pm – 4:00pm  Anchor Workshop: “Anchor’s Tips on using Social Media”  Atrium ABC
3:45pm – 4:15pm  Break – meet for outing at 4:15
4:30pm – 8:00pm  Group activity – World of Coke & Centennial Park (if open)
8:00pm  Free time (earlier if Centennial Park is not open)

SATURDAY, JULY 10th

8:00am - 10:00am  President’s Breakfast  Atrium ABC
10:15am – 12:00am  Awards Ceremony and Anchor Panel Q & A  Atrium ABC
10:45am – 11:00am  Presentation of Service Project  Atrium ABC
11:00am - 11:45am  Round Table Discussion for Advisors and District Anchor Coordinators with Anchors on leadership/service  A602
12:00pm - 1:30pm  Lunch (provided)  A602
1:30pm – 2:00pm  Break  A602
2:00pm – 3:00pm  Speaker – Victoria Huggins  A602
3:00pm – 4:00pm  Round Table Discussion: Wrap up events of Summit and discuss Anchor in general  A602
4:00pm - 6:30 pm  Free time / Prep for Banquet
6:45 – 10:00pm  Installation Banquet  Atrium ABC
Registration Fee includes General Sessions, Business Meetings, Workshops, District Lunch, President’s Breakfast and the Installation Banquet.

Pilot International Special Room Rate: $185.03 including taxes and fees per night.

To make a reservation online, please visit: https://book.passkey.com/go/pilotinternational2021

If reserving your room by phone, you MUST contact the hotel directly at (888) 789-3090 and mention that you are with the Pilot International group to take advantage of the special room rate.

Please note reservations must be made no later than June 11, 2021 as the hotel CANNOT guarantee rate.

Delegate  
Other Pilot  
Compass  
Executive Committee  
2021-2022 District Governor  
Registration: $425

Past International President  
$200 if not serving as club delegate

Co-Pilot  
Registration: $300

Co-Pilot Registration Fee Includes:  
- General Sessions  
- Co-Pilot Breakfast  
- Installation Banquet  
- Access to Co-Pilot Suite  
- President’s Breakfast

This is my first Pilot International Convention.  
First Time Attendees’ Workshop  
(Wed, 7/7 at 3:00 pm)

I would like to serve on the following committee(s):  
*Delegates CANNOT serve on the Doorkeepers, Election, or Floor

100 Year Convention Shirt  
There is only one shirt this year to commemorate the 2021 Pilot International Convention. Shirts will not be available on site. The cost of the shirt is $25.

Instructions:  
Enter the number of Convention T-Shirt Sizes you are requesting.

- SM  
- 2XL  
- MED  
- 3XL  
- LG  
- 4XL  
- XL

Tour of Pilot International Headquarters  
$15

Indicate the number of tickets desired in the boxes below:

- Other Pilot  
- Compass

Registration (Wed, 7/7)  
Doorkeepers (Thurs-Sat, 7/8)  
Election (Thurs-Fri, 7/8)  
Floor Teller (Business Session,  
PIFF Expo Table (Wed-Sat, 7/7-7/10)  
I am a nurse or doctor.

Registration Committee Training  
(Tue, 7/6 at 2:00 pm)  
Other Committee Training  
(Wed, 7/7 at 2:00 pm)
First Name  Last Name  Name for Badge

Address

City, State, Zip  Phone Number

Email Address

Club Name/District

Estimated Date & Time of Arrival in Atlanta

Do you require special assistance, or have any dietary restrictions?

Emergency Contact Name & Phone Number

REGISTRATION FEE SUMMARY: Please fill out the following summary to determine your registration fee total. Enclose a check for the total amount OR complete the required credit card information in the box at the bottom of this page. Registration is not complete until payment is received in full. Please contact the hotel directly to reserve and pay for your room.

Registration Fee Amount: $__________
Number of Extra Breakfast Tickets: ________ @ $45 each = $__________
Number of Extra Installation Banquet Tickets: ________ @ $110 each = $__________
Number of T-shirts: ________ @ $25 each = $__________
Number of tickets for tour of Pilot International: ________ @ $15 each = $__________

Registration Total: $__________

PAYMENT METHOD: Please make check out to “Pilot International” Attn: Convention Registration.

☐ CHECK ENCLOSED  ☐ PAYING BY CREDIT CARD

Is this Credit Card?:
☐ Personal  ☐ Club  ☐ District
☐ VISA
☐ MASTERCARD
☐ AMEX
☐ DISCOVER

Cardholder Name: ____________________________
Account Number: ____________________________
Expiration Date: ____________________________
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Anchor Clubs

Please welcome our newest Anchors and Advisors!

Despite delays and restrictions due to COVID-19, these new Anchors rallied through and have been actively serving their communities.

Hope United Academy Anchor Club in Athens, AL was chartered on February 25th. After multiple delays due to Covid, these new Anchors are already serving their community! They chartered with 10 members and the club is sponsored by the Pilot Club of Huntsville, AL.

Jasper High School Anchor Club also chartered on February 25th after Covid delays. The club initially began with 10 members and added 2 more on the spot! Now with 12 Anchors, they are ready to go! This club is sponsored by the Pilot Club of Jasper, AL.

The Anchor Club of Aquinas College, a private Catholic high school in Nassau, The Bahamas chartered on March 18th with 14 members. They have overcome obstacles as well and are very enthusiastically serving their community. This club is sponsored by The Sunshine Pilot Club of Nassau.

Anchor Awards will bring a double treat this year. Due to last year's cancellation, you will be hearing not one, but TWO winning UN International Youth Day essay’s! Last year’s winner, Lizzy Cannon a member of the Demopolis High School Anchor Club in Alabama, and the winner for this year (to be announced May 15th) will both read their essays Saturday morning. I know you will enjoy and be impressed with both winners.
Finally, the warm weather is here, the flowers are blooming, and the Anchors are out doing what they do best...serving their communities. As this Anchor year comes to end, we prepare for the culminating event, our Leadership Summit in Atlanta, Georgia to be held July 7-10. Highlights include a MARTA ride to The Varsity for lunch, a tour of the World of Coca-Cola, and creating a work of art from plain bottle caps as a service project. Anchors will also listen to speakers Victoria Huggins and Derrick and Julie Tennant, participate in workshops and the Cultural Exchange. They will also join the Pilots for the Awards Breakfast, Anchor Panel, and Installation Banquet. The Summit promises to be an exciting experience!

Experiencing the Anchor Leadership Summit really emphasizes the importance of the relationship between Anchor and Pilot. As Pilots, we must see that Anchor is the future of Pilot. It is vital that we mentor our youth in leadership and community service. The rewards are great for both sides! Now is the time to start considering sponsoring an Anchor Club. Is there a school, home schooling group, or private school around that could be a potential club? Seek them out and share the news of Anchor. Get them ready to charter and Do More, Care More, Be More!! in the fall.

Lisa Palmquist
PI Anchor Coordinator 2020-2021
President, Pilot Club of Central Pennsylvania

We are thriving in Compass with a new club in The Bahamas!
The Compass Club of The University of the Bahamas chartered virtually on April 25th with 14 members. The Bahamas District is their sponsor and they are ecstatic to have this wonderful group of new Compass members to serve with.
Greetings Pilots!

It’s time for new beginnings! As we approach the start of Spring the dark clouds of winter are rolled away and the fresh burst of light is giving way to blue skies and warm sunshine. Yes, my friends it time for new beginnings, new birth, new enthusiasm and a fresh start!

We have the choice to start again, so often we find ourselves burdened down with what didn’t go right, and how we can ever never recover from past mistakes or miss steps, but we have the choice to start again. You have the choice to wipe the slate clean and start over, write a new beginning, rewrite your script on how you can improve or be a better Pilot than you were yesterday. You have the choice to be Bolder in your quest to serve more than you did last year or even last week. Remember Carpe Diem…Seize the Day! You alone hold the power to seize the day. Don’t allow procrastination to rob you of the joy of doing something meaningful for someone today. Even, if it’s simply to listen to the stories of the elderly as they recount their many adventures, tales of how they too were once young, living life to the fullest, now the tides have turned and they no longer have that zest for life. Give them your full attention because today it’s them tomorrow could be me or you.

Pilots, how are you going to live in the moment? Are we you so occupied with your cellular phones that we don’t listen to our families or fellow Pilots when they are hurting and looking to us for answers? Can you recall when was the last time you truly got lost in just enjoying the company of someone, listening attentively to what they have to say and not overpowering the conversation? Oprah Winfrey said it best “meditate, breath consciously, listen, pay attention, treasure the attention treasure every moment and make where they feel valued and that could give their time, treasures and talents are appreciated.

We need to make the connection with Pilots who are telling us that they want to be heard. Are we listening to what they are saying? If we don’t, Pilots, will be will look to other service clubs and affiliations, alternatives of walking out of the doors of clubs vowing never to return. They will look to other service clubs and affiliations, alternatives of where they feel valued and that could give their time, treasures and talents are appreciated.

It’s a new beginning, a chance to turn a new leaf and close chapters that require an ending. We must be vigilant so we know the difference of where to close chapters you must end and where we must add new and exciting paragraphs to keep our members engaged and enthralled with what the clubs are doing to make new stories for years to come. I ask of you, what is the new beginning for you? Are you listening to the whispers of life and how you can seize every moment to make them memorable and colorful?

What is this pandemic saying to us as Pilots? How do we create new beginnings when it feels like there is no happiness on the horizon? We have all learned new ways of staying in touch with family and friends. New ways of offering service in this season of social distancing season, to ensure that we fulfil the mandate for Pilot International to influence positive change in communities around the world. Yes Pilots! We’ve risen up for raised to every occasion and seized the moments that has increased our membership even during these challenging times, because persons are looking for an outlet to serve humanity. Service is still rewarding, the smiles we receive from persons in need are priceless. Denzel Washington said “The joy you keep from helping others is far better than the big houses, jewelry or the cars the gratification comes from helping others. That is where the success is, in helping others”. And every time our Anchors, Compass Members, Pilots, Club Presidents, Governors, and International Presidents heed the call to serve, we bring immense joy to the lives of those who are on the receiving end of being blessed.

I leave you with this quote from an unknow author “Don’t start your day with broken pieces from yesterday. Every day is a fresh start. Each day is a new beginning. Every morning we wake up is the first day of our new life.” Embrace the new beginning as we all strive to DO MORE, CARE MORE AND BE MORE, each and every day forward together seizing new opportunities and journeying to uncharted waters, arriving to safe harbor serving in friendship, growing our organization of Pilot International to be more vibrant and inclusive. Here’s to our new beginnings, may we seize the day!
As we begin to look forward to less restrictions and move toward a more “normal” lifestyle, we are beginning to evaluate what we learned from the pandemic. For Pilots, we are also looking forward to the next 100 years. We have learned a lot from the pandemic with perhaps our biggest lessons learned were in the area of technology and communication. How can we take these lessons and help Pilot transition into our second century?

The impact of the pandemic mandated that companies accelerate the digitization of their customer and supply-chain interactions and that of their internal operations by three to four years. These changes will be long lasting as many companies are already making the types of investments that ensure these changes will remain. So, for businesses to stay competitive, they are focusing on funding technological advances and digital initiative.

The translation to Pilot, and all service organizations, is that to stay relevant and able to relate in the next century, we have to rethink how we communicate with members. The good news is that there is great, user-friendly technology that we can utilize for Pilot members to communicate and engage. The bad news is that there is a lot of technology out there that many of us have no idea how to use and are, honestly, a little intimidated to try.

As Pilot seeks to expand membership and increase our impact on our communities in our second century, technology becomes essential. More and more, we use Websites, Facebook, YouTube, and Email to communicate with members and prospective members. In 2021, there is no avoiding technology, so why not embrace it? If we learned anything from COVID-19 it is that we can do things differently.

As a leader, it is part of our job to help our members embrace the digital era. That will involve encouraging members to share their concerns with us and our leadership teams. Leaders need to be understanding in addressing members’ concerns but encourage members to try and keep an open mind. Assure them that your club will have people to help them in any technology transition that your club makes and, most importantly, that they are valued members of the club and meeting their needs is important.

As leaders, we have to explain the positives of technology for our Pilot members. However, these are team decisions. Our club leadership teams need to evaluate and decide how best to use various technologies for our respective clubs? Each Pilot club is different, but as you make decisions be sure to communicate your decisions and your plan to implement new technologies successfully. Maybe set up a Tech Team within your club to assist members who need some tech tutoring. If you have Anchor Clubs nearby, you have a great opportunity to match Anchors to Pilots to do some tutoring in technology.

Maybe your club wants to explore new technology for a Zoom option for meetings or to create a new website. You can Zoom on cell phone, tablets, and home computers. There are many tutorials available on the Internet to help you with the technology transitions. Consider making tech training part of your club membership division to help keep your club accessible and relevant to members, prospects and the community at large.

Strong and vital Pilot clubs foster innovation and flexibility. Technology promotes innovation and flexibility. Leaders embrace innovation and flexibility. As leaders we are charged to motivate members and part of that motivation is to implement new ideas that increase the vitality of the club.

As Pilot transition to a new century of service, we encourage Pilot leaders to lead by example, ask the hard questions, embrace technology, promote learning, engage in evaluation and strive for continual improvement. It is this type of leadership that will propel Pilot into a second century of service that is relevant and significant to bettering our communities.
Fundraising
Written by Shirley Pyle
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Pilot Club of the Halifax Area, Florida

Fundraising is an event or campaign whose primary purpose is to raise money for a cause, charity or non-profit organization.

In previous issues of the Pilot Log we talked about “thinking outside the box” to identify alternative ways to raise funds during the COVID-19 pandemic (summer issue) and the different steps to follow to host a successful event (Jan/Feb issue). Of course, in order for the event or campaign to be profitable, your club needs community or public participation. When soliciting, keep in mind that you are asking on behalf of the project or charity your club is hoping to fund.

When advertising your fundraising project, use every medium available: news media, social media pages, posters, flyers, personal emails and text messages, etc. Members can creatively collect funds using PayPal, Cash App, Givelify, or the 'old school' paper check and cash. When soliciting, your choice of words can often make the difference. Use the verbiage “will you support us” rather than “will you donate” or “will you contribute” to build loyalty to your club’s fundraising efforts.

Sponsors
Decide in advance if you wish to have tier levels of sponsorship based on the dollar amount of contribution. Prepare a Sponsorship Solicitation Letter that includes your club name, event name, date and location and lists the project(s) or charity for which you fundraising. Clearly outline the donor recognition ‘levels’ to encourage maximum participation. Be sure to mention that your club is a 501c3 charity and donations are tax deductible. Your letter should also include Club contact information, and your club’s web page if applicable. With your solicitation letter, you may also wish to include a brochure about your club and Pilot International. The more you educate the potential donor, the more likelihood you will receive a response.

Corporations often prohibit walk-in solicitations (especially during the pandemic). Others will refer you to a home office that may not be located near you. You will have to gather information through phone calls or emails about corporate guidelines, appropriate department, and specific contact names and emails. Be sure your solicitation letter is email-able. Also be aware that some companies review donation requests at specific times (quarterly or bi-annually), so the sooner you submit the greater the chance of getting a reply. If you missed the cutoff date for this year’s event, make note of the deadline and submit earlier next year.

Local Businesses: Members should carry a supply of the Sponsorship Letters and Event flyers. When visiting local businesses such as stores, restaurants, salons, gyms, doctor and dental offices, it’s a great opportunity to connect with a potential donor. Small business owners may elect to purchase a sponsorship in lieu of event admission tickets or raffle chances.

Individuals: Share sponsorship opportunities with friends and family members; they may be able to benefit from the tax deduction.

All Sponsors should receive a formal Thank You for their contribution. Be sure to include a copy of any event printed material that lists their name (and logo).

Donors & Attendees
If your letter or flyer asks people to purchase event tickets, show the value of the purchase price – “for $35 you get to enjoy a luncheon along with viewing a fashion show”.

When asking friends to purchase an item that you know they can buy at a store at a cheaper price, try this: “for a $20 donation you get a ‘thank you gift’ of a can of popcorn in the flavor of your choice” or “by supporting our club with $20 you get a free plant”.

Selling raffle tickets: Get your donor excited about the possibility of winning, and encourage them to participate.

Silent Auction: Remind bidders they not only get the item, but they are also helping support your cause.

Always be sure to Thank and remind ALL donors how the proceeds will be used. Clearly state the project or charity being funded/supported.

Reminder: Your event or campaign will only be profitable with donors and/or sponsors. Engage your full membership in the act of solicitation to support the club’s cause. Do More, Care More, Be More and above all, be sure to keep the FUN in FUNDRAISING.
Projects
Written by Judy Wheat
2020-2021 Projects Coordinator
Pilot Club of Baytown, Texas

PROJECTS are the heart of Pilot. But we must agree the total heart must include Membership, for without members we have no Pilots to participate in projects. Leadership is also a main section of the heart, is the willingness to step up, to have the courage to lead. We must include Fundraising as part of the HEART - for without money, our Pilot community contributions are not possible.

Education is Key to Pilot: Pilot Clubs improve lives through education, volunteerism, financial support and research. Pilot clubs around the world offer scholarships to graduating high school students. PI scholarships are available. Pilots are building community leaders through our student Anchor Clubs.

BrainMinders™
PI’s signature program designed in 2001 to teach children to prevent brain injuries has expanded to include presentations for youth and seniors. Most Pilot and Anchor Clubs present BrainMinderTM to all ages. Materials are available on PI website and include new scripts, puppets, coloring, activity books, logo, stickers, bookmarks, t-shirts, banners, and BRAIN-O for Seniors. PI’s Japan District produced a video to educate audiences about BrainMinders™.

Walk to End Alzheimer’s Project
Encouraging Brain health is a long-time Pilot project and our commitment to fundraise and end Alzheimer’s has not changed. Even though the world has been put on hold, the threat of Alzheimer’s disease has not. The 2020 Virtual Walk campaign included no large gatherings, but walking in many ways - Walk was everywhere – on every sidewalk, track and trail. Each of us walking on our own or in small teams of friends and family, while others are doing the same - all walking and fundraising for the same objective: A WORLD WITHOUT ALZHEIMER’S AND ALL OTHER DEMENTIA.

PICK ME UPS” * “Do More, Care More, Be More.” PI’s mission is to influence positive change around the world. Pilots come together in friendship and service, focus on brain safety, health, and supporting those who care for others. Pilots grant full “Pick Me Up” experiences and give “Little Pick Me Ups” to strangers, family and friends for encouragement. Pilots fulfill Pick Me Ups for Alzheimer’s and Dementia patients in keeping fingers busy? Handmade Fidget Aprons/Mats. Pilot Club of Baytown creates Fidget Aprons and Mats for Alzheimer’s & Dementia patients which are donated to nursing homes. Fidgets may have working zippers, buttons w/button holes, ribbons to tie/untie, belts to buckle/unbuckle, and fabrics soothing to feel. A fidget apron/mat is a perfect gift idea for a loved one.

“Create More with Pilot” 2020-2021 Texas Governor, Linda Vaclavik’s theme. Many other governors have similar logos. Pilots must be creative – especially during the past year crisis of the coronavirus. Pilots have successfully conducted business via Internet video, social media, email, smart phone messenger and phone calls. Projects, usually “hands-on” have been conducted in many innovative ways –

- By contributing financially to organizations in need - which were previously hands-on projects.
- By wearing masks, focusing on methods of passing various caregiving projects through “safe-distance” thereby protecting both Pilots and recipients.
- By contributing to Community Projects, International Relations, Educational projects, Patriotism, Health & Safety projects, Pilot International Foundation (PIFF), Traumatic Brain Injury programs, Alzheimer’s Walk, and more.
- Look forward to returning to creative “normal times”.

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1. **PC of Great Bend, Heartland**

World Autism Acceptance Day was recognized April 2 by a Presidential proclamation and the commission approved the proclamation supported by the Pilot Club of Great Bend to make April World Autism Acceptance Month.

Ros Neeland, Chairman of the Autism Committee with the Pilot Club’s Autism Workshop, spoke to the Barton County Commission Monday. Neeland has a granddaughter born in 2010 that started to show signs of autism after she turned two years old.

“Although they lived in Lawrence, where services were much easier to come by, my daughter and her family made the decision to move to Great Bend when their third baby was on the way,” said Neeland. “Services were not as plentiful here. Thankfully, more support services are seeing the need to provide options for care in Western Kansas.”

Neeland noted there are more services available in the Barton County area dealing with the autism spectrum. Sunflower Diversified Services now has staff trained for an autism program and recently obtained a therapy dog. The Pilot Club of Great Bend has worked to create a workshop to allow parents with autistic children to hear from experts in the field. The next Autism Workshop is scheduled for April 2022.

2. **Pilot Luncheon Club of Morgan County, Alabama**

The Pilot Luncheon Club of Morgan County recently donated Sensory Boards to 3 local schools for their Special Needs classes. These Sensory Boards are built by our Pilots and Co-Pilots with objects that are found around their homes.

Toys, zippers, locks, hinges, door knobs, pet collars, remote controls, velcro and ribbons make up just some of the items used to make these boards. Different textures and putting things together on the board can help children with Autism by allowing them to stimulate their senses at their own pace.

3. **Pilot Club of Lucaya, Bahamas**

Governor Elect Karen along with past Governor Sonia and Immediate Past President Toni represented PCOL at the Official re-opening of the Eight Mile Rock High School’s Library this morning. The invitation was extended to the club who generously donated books from the Pilot Club of Lucaya’s Helping Hands Book Drive. Governor Elect Karen brought remarks on behalf of the Club.

4. **Pilot Club of Bishopville, South Carolina**

At their recent meeting, the Pilot Club of Bishopville celebrated the 100th Birthday of Ms. Margaret Clark. Just like Pilot International, 2021 is Margaret’s Centennial year. She is a spry 100 year old and is so very faithful to the Pilot Club of Bishopville. We were thankful to be able to celebrate her in person this year!

Pictured Above: Pilot Club of Bishopville President, Laura Hawkins, with Pilot Member, Margaret Clark.

5. **PC of Macon, Georgia**

Pilot Club of Macon, Georgia, donated 448 bottles of water to the Warming Center. The Warming Center provides shelter from the cold weather as well as food and other services. Shown left to right Dyann Moore, Pat Vickers, Tamika Johnson case worker, Surelle Pinkston Joan Burney and Carolyn Glover.

6. **Onomichi Pilot Club, Japan**

The Onomichi Pilot Club, Japan, has been supporting a facility for the disabled on a monthly basis and interacting with these people through singing, dancing, playing rhythms using musical instruments. They hope to restart this sort of activity as soon as the COVID-19 spread has been controlled.
5. Pilot Club of Jones County, Georgia

In recognition of Brain Awareness Week the Pilot Club of Jones County had Chap Nelson, Administrator of Autumn Lane Health and Rehabilitation, as guest speaker at its March meeting. Mr. Nelson shared his experience about his brain surgery. Thank you Mayor Barbee for signing the proclamation for Brain Awareness Week (BAW). BAW is a global campaign to increase public awareness of the progress and benefits of brain research. It unites the effort of partner organizations from around the world in a week long celebration of the brain every year in mid March. The club prepared Cookie bags for the residents and staff of Stone Brook Assisted Living. They also delivered cookie bags to several of our Jones County residents that are unable to get out. In addition, the club donated school supplies to the Middle schools of Jones County.

6. Quitman Pilot & Anchor Clubs, Texas

Pilots and Anchors joined forces in March for a day of community service and friendship. The Anchors, Pilot/Anchor advisor Patrice Hightower, Janet-Coats Turner, and Elijah delivered their scent hearts to the NICU at Christus Trinity Mother Frances in Tyler. These were all cut and sewn by the Anchors. The parents of the premature babies will wear one while visiting their baby and when they leave, it is put in the incubator for the baby to be able to smell the scent of their parent. The club started the project last school year, their goal was to do 1,000 hearts. But due to COVID hitting spring break last year and not being able to have meetings this year due to it still, they made their delivery of 750. This is their second time to do this, first time they had 500.

7. Pilot Club of Belen, Southwestern

The Pilot Club of Belen created over 200 bears made from washcloths and rubber bands! They had three groups working on them from different houses using Zoom. The bears will be donated to the Children’s Hospital.

10. PC of Seneca South Carolina

In March, the Pilot Club of Seneca, South Carolina, delivered Brainminders coloring/activity books with crayons to Blue Ridge Elementary school. These books show ways to stay safe and protect children’s brains.

11. PC of Rutherford Co. North Carolina

The Pilot Club of Rutherford County, North Carolina, presented their local Health Department with a variety of cup cakes, chips, Doritos, etc. on one of their days administering the COVID-19 vaccinations. The club wishes to show the department how much the community appreciates the many hours and days these medical teams have put in administering the vaccinations.
The Pilot Club of Nassau hosted a Share Pilot in January via zoom. In attendance were seven (7) prospective members. The moderator was Angela Rahming, Membership Coordinator. President Elaine Clare opened with a prayer and welcome, followed with a wonderful and engaging ice breaker lead by Pilot Thora, one of the Clubs Directors. Past Governor Emily Glass then gave a brief history about Pilot International and how we came to be a part of this wonderful organization. As we don’t want persons joining and not realizing just what is expected of them, Past Treasurer Asenath Cartwright spoke on the financial obligations of each member. The real highlight was when two members shared their personal reasons of “What it means to be a Pilot” and “Why I joined Pilot”. Both were powerful as each story came with situations they were facing (health and death). The love and friendship that they both felt from the other members of the club during this time was heartfelt.

We trust that all those in attendance would decide that they would like to become members of this wonderful organization Pilot International and how we came to be a part of this wonderful organization. As we don’t want persons joining and not realizing just what is expected of them, Past Treasurer Asenath Cartwright spoke on the financial obligations of each member. The real highlight was when two members shared their personal reasons of “What it means to be a Pilot” and “Why I joined Pilot”. Both were powerful as each story came with situations they were facing (health and death). The love and friendship that they both felt from the other members of the club during this time was heartfelt.

In early February, five of the prospective members who attended Share Pilot were initiated and became a part of Pilot International. The new members were pinned with their Membership pins, presented with their corsage and a token of a Pilot mask via a drive by prior to the meeting. We are so happy to have them on board and we welcome these ladies to this great organization “Pilot”.

The Pilot Club of Fort Myers, Florida, sponsors Zuke, a 3-year-old German Shepherd. He steals the show whenever he is on the job, including at the Florida District Conference.

Therapy dogs are not service dogs. Service dogs provide only for their handler. Therapy dogs have been obedience trained and screened for their ability to interact favorably with all humans and to not be aggressive toward other animals.

Many people are able to connect with dogs and be empowered by the non-judgmental love that they provide. As an example, a therapy dog can come alongside an abused child and help him or her be more comfortable speaking with psychologists and police. They are often called “comfort dogs.”

Zuke “steals the show” whenever he is “on the job.” Zuke was a big hit at the recent Florida District Conference. He appeared in costume and made friends with all the Pilots in attendance. He appears regularly at hospitals, schools, churches, and the Lee County Sheriff’s Department. He is often asked to come to the Lee County Court House to assist in difficult cases.

Zuke joins the Pilot Club in fitting and donating bicycle helmets at numerous non-profit organizations’ safety-related events as well as bringing distraction and furry love to the Gresham-Kike Scholarship house on the Florida Gulf Coast University Campus; the scholarship house is sponsored by the Pilot Club of Fort Myers.

Zuke’s AKC titles include Therapy Dog Excellent, Rally Novice, Farm Dog Certified, Canine Good Citizen Advanced, Canine Good Citizen Urban, Trick Dog Intermediate, and AKC Temperament Test. Zuke is also registered with the United States Kennel Club and has earned his designation, SPOT ON, Socialized Pet Obedience Test, Outstanding Neighbor.
The Lancaster Pilots, in the Northeast-Potomac District, are frontline workers!

Their club has not missed a beat with the 24/7 Project Lifesaver service project. COVID protocols were developed and have been followed since the March pandemic changed their “typical” routines.

The monthly transmitter maintenance sessions at various county police departments are held outside as weather allows. When an inside setting is needed, there are further steps to ensure the safety of all involved. They have enrolled individuals over the past ten months; mostly outside their homes. The police and the caregivers are extremely grateful for this “essential work” that they provide to their Lancaster County residents who are at risk to wander!

Pilot Club of Pensacola, Florida

Jeanne Clark, Sue Levin, Linda Petty, and Shirley Jacques presented a $10,500 check to Escambia Westgate School. Accepting the check on behalf of the school were Principal Joanna Sellers and Assistant Principal Karen Robinson. The money will be used to purchase equipment canopies and shade sails to provide protection from the sun for the children who attend Escambia Westgate School. These will be installed over their new playground equipment to make it safer for the students to play outside on sunny days. The joint venture was accomplished as part of the matching grant program from the Pilot International Founders Fund.

Approximately, 200 children ages 3 years to 22 years of age attend Escambia Westgate with developmental disabilities and delays. Disabilities include Autism, Cerebral Palsy, Down Syndrome and intellectual disabilities.

North Carolina attends District Convention using Zoom!

North Carolina District Pilots Zoomed their wonderful 82nd North Carolina District Convention April 9-10, 2021! Governor Kim explained many great friends came together celebrating a unique adventurous year, and an upcoming year of unending successes!
Bus Tour to Pilot International Headquarters

Bus rides to tour Pilot International Headquarters and the Heritage Garden are planned for Friday, July 9, 2021 during convention. One of the highlights of the tour will be the newly created Archives Room. Hundredth Anniversary Committee Members Laura Keever, Judy Langley and Beverly Wilkes are shown looking through some of the historic documents stored in the room. When completing your convention registration form, you may choose either the morning or afternoon bus tour. The cost is $15. While visiting Headquarters, you also will see the many improvements made to the Heritage Garden, Donor Recognition Room, and the Heritage Library. Reservations for the tour are required due to the capacity of Headquarters dictated by the Fire Marshall.

100th Anniversary Luncheon

Hundredth Anniversary Chair Laura Keever and Committee Members Beverly Wilkes and Judy Langley met recently with SDR Chef Michael Davis and SDR General Manager Shirley Revere, along with Terminal Station Manager Andy Stroud, to confirm the plans for the special luncheon planned for Monday, October 18, 2021. This celebratory luncheon will be held at the historic Terminal Station in Macon, Georgia. The City of Macon, Georgia, purchased the historic Terminal Station in 2002. As many Pilots know, Pearl Sparks composed the Code of Ethics while riding a train to convention.

Service Project

The 2021 International Service Project is to provide needed school supplies for students in Macon (Bibb County School District). If you have not already given funds to help purchase supplies for children in Macon schools, we hope you will consider doing so. We still have a number of classrooms that need our help. $50 will provide school supplies for one classroom. Mail your check to Pilot International and note on your check that it is for the International Service Project. Names of those donating will be listed in the Convention Program.

Through you, our organization is hoping to Touch 1,000 Lives!
BrainMinders™

The Pilot International BrainMinders Committee is pleased to announce that the Executive Committee has approved the set of five PI BrainMinders Videos.

Guidelines for accessing and using these videos are NOW available and are located on the Pilot International website.

We hope this will be a great resource for Pilot Clubs during times that students are meeting virtually.

During the month of March 2021 the Pilot Club of Eastman, Georgia District, presented the puppeteer video program "BrainMinders" to Kindergarten and 1st grades at both elementary schools in Dodge County. Approximately 420 students and 20 teachers were present for these presentations. This program teaches children the importance of protecting their brain from injury for life.

Each character shared some safety tips:

- Wise Ole Owl narrates the skit.
- Gerald Giraffe encourages children to wear a helmet while riding a bike or a skateboard.
- Penny Panda teaches children to wear a seatbelt.
- Fiona Fox teaches street safety and how to cross a street by looking both ways.
- Martin Monkey focuses on playing on a soft surface on the playground to prevent head injuries and being careful not to run into a friend while playing.
- Danny Deep, the Pilot fish, teaches about water safety and swimming in clear water.
- Captain Kitty teaches children to wear a personal floatation device while boating, and also to exercise and stay fit.
- Tulip Pig educates children about calling 911 in an emergency, fire or accident.
- Hero Horse teaches children to wear a helmet while riding a horse.
- Bob Beagle instructs children about gun safety; not to touch guns but to notify an adult.
- Diego Dalmatian teaches children about the dangers of fire, fire safety and how to escape from a fire.

For more information about the Pilot Club of Eastman and how you can give back to your community through BrainMinders, contact any Pilot Club member or visit these websites at www.pilotgeorgia.org or https://pilotinternational.org/brainminders.
Why did you charter/join your club? And how long have you been a member?

The Pilot Club of Greensboro, NC was chartered May 6, 1937. The club always drew the preponderance of their members from women who worked at the University of North Carolina at Greensboro. Many of my colleagues at UNCG were members and encouraged me to join. At the time, I was very involved in the Greensboro Jaycettes (some clubs were called Jaycee Women), which definitely dates me because prior to August, 1984 women were not allowed to join the Jaycees. We could only be Jaycettes! Our local chapter merged with the Jaycees in July, 1985. I was not interested in becoming a Jaycee as I really wanted to continue to be involved in an organization that encouraged women to become leaders in their community.

Finally in February, 1987, my co-worker, Shirley Greer, convinced me that joining the Pilot Club was the best way for me to offer service to my community and grow my network of professional women. I have now been a member for 34 years, and have thoroughly enjoyed all of the service opportunities and friendship.

What is your favorite part of being a member of your club?

Even though historically most of our members worked at UNCG, I did not know many of them. A perfect example is my buddy, Shannon Clegg, who worked in another division on campus. Being part of an organization that emphasizes friendship is so important to me. Women are always so busy looking after everyone else (children, spouse, parents, and siblings) that we don’t make time in our busy schedules to take care of ourselves. Pilot events are excellent girls’ outings while making a difference in our communities.

What is your favorite club project and what makes it so wonderful to be a part of?

Our club tried numerous times to form a partnership with our Sheriff to offer Project Lifesaver in our county. Not giving up, Laura Keever and I met a deputy at an emergency management meeting for the county, and he became our ally. Finally, in May 2011, the Sheriff said ‘yes’ and we secured funding from a local foundation that enabled us to offer this wonderful tracking system to our neighbors in need. A Sheriff’s deputy and a Pilot make the initial contact to install the bracelet and our Pilots take over from there changing the batteries and making new friends with our clients! Several of our Pilots who are no longer club members are so dedicated to the project that they continue to assist their Project Lifesaver clients. Over time, we adapted to the needs of our community by offering this service to older adults with Alzheimer’s, as well as to people with Autism. I am so proud that we are making our community safer for anyone who needs this tracking system.

Why is it important for you to attend the PI Convention – what is your best take away from being with all the other Pilots/clubs?

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How does your community benefit from Pilot?

Greensboro Pilots are known in our community as being “doers”. We have other service organizations come to us for assistance when they need dependable help. We are making a positive difference in our community and it is a win/win!

What would you like other Pilot/clubs/districts to know about your club, its challenges or successes?

Like everything else, our club has changed a lot since 1937 but we remain committed to the belief that Pilot is our life’s work and we should never omit an opportunity of doing a kindness or making a friend. That’s what Pilots do!

Lastly, why do you feel it is important to give to Pilot?

I cherish my 34 years in Pilot, and look back on those years with pride and fond memories. As the Grants Trustee for 4 years, I saw the difference that clubs are making in their communities across the world. The matching grant applications proposed some impressive solutions for communities, but the amount of funding we had available limited the clubs/projects we were able to support financially. I encourage every Pilot to consider financial gifts, understanding that no gift is ever too small. The more donations we receive, the bigger impact we can make by funding more matching grant applications and assisting more young people to pursue their dream of a college education. What matters is not how much each of us gives to the foundation, but the total amount available to assist others. I am proud to be able to give back to an organization that has given so much to me. Remember, “the impact of one, the power of many”.

Carol Sanders, PC of Greensboro, NC

Pilot International Donor Profile

Why did you charter/join your club? And how long have you been a member?

The Pilot Club of Greensboro, NC was chartered May 6, 1937. The club always drew the preponderance of their members from women who worked at the University of North Carolina at Greensboro. Many of my colleagues at UNCG were members and encouraged me to join. At the time, I was very involved in the Greensboro Jaycettes (some clubs were called Jaycee Women), which definitely dates me because prior to August, 1984 women were not allowed to join the Jaycees. We could only be Jaycettes! Our local chapter merged with the Jaycees in July, 1985. I was not interested in becoming a Jaycee as I really wanted to continue to be involved in an organization that encouraged women to become leaders in their community.

Finally in February, 1987, my co-worker, Shirley Greer, convinced me that joining the Pilot Club was the best way for me to offer service to my community and grow my network of professional women. I have now been a member for 34 years, and have thoroughly enjoyed all of the service opportunities and friendship.

What is your favorite part of being a member of your club?

Even though historically most of our members worked at UNCG, I did not know many of them. A perfect example is my buddy, Shannon Clegg, who worked in another division on campus. Being part of an organization that emphasizes friendship is so important to me. Women are always so busy looking after everyone else (children, spouse, parents, and siblings) that we don’t make time in our busy schedules to take care of ourselves. Pilot events are excellent girls’ outings while making a difference in our communities.

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2021 District Conventions

Thank you to all the Pilot International Districts, Clubs, and Members for making the 2021 District Conventions a huge success!

WE ARE PILOT PROUD!
### New Members

Reported to Pilot International from February 4, 2021 - May 3.

#### ALABAMA
- Angelina Jenkins
- Shannon Hudson
- Charlotte Booth
- Debbie Connell
- Joy Morgan
- Peggy Turner
- Andalusia
- Roanoke
- Andalusia
- Roanoke
- Andalusia
- Roanoke

#### MISSISSIPPI
- Leslie McMullen
- Kayla Schafer
- Houston
- Houston Community

#### BAHAMAS
- Andriel Newry
- Anya James
- Carol Morley
- Portia Moxey
- Shylvonne Anderson
- Amanda Bethell
- Denise Hepburn
- Lavernne Thompson
- Yvette Hall
- Nassau
- Nassau
- Nassau
- Nassau
- Nassau
- Sunshine PC of Nassau
- Sunshine PC of Nassau
- Sunshine PC of Nassau

#### NORTH CAROLINA
- Brianne Benton
- Maryann Bartolomeo
- South Brunswick Island
- South Brunswick Island

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#### NORTHEAST POTOMAC
- Deborah Neal
- Patchogue

#### FLORIDA
- Jodi Walborn
- Barbara Lesso
- Vickie Kramer
- Caroline Gabel
- Lisa Weaver
- Jennifer Valliere
- Pennie Valeska
- Fort Myers
- Jacksonville
- Jacksonville
- Ocala
- Rails 2 Trails
- South Brevard
- Titusville

#### SOUTH CAROLINA
- Linda Davis Pearre
- Seneca

#### GEORGIA
- Jeanne Walker
- Crystal Calhoun
- Helen Lewis
- Daniell Savoy
- Madison Glenn
- Jeanne Manget
- Audrey Justice
- Sherry McDuffie
- Evelyn Romans
- Kipling Eldridge
- Adel
- Carrollton
- Carrollton
- Greene County
- Greene County
- Hartwell
- Lavonia
- Madison County
- Ocilla-Irwin County
- Ocilla-Irwin County

#### SOUTHWESTERN
- Carol Benavidez
- Celia Dawn Dittmaier
- Cindy Scholer
- Missy Duenas
- Priscilla Cordova
- Los Lunas
- Los Lunas
- Los Lunas
- Los Lunas

#### TENNESSEE
- Reba Hollis
- Jill Tarter
- Hohenwald
- Lenoir City

#### HEARTLAND
- David Schatte
- Shawnee Mission

#### LOUISIANA
- Debbie Causey
- Janie Armbruster
- Kathleen McAvey
- Marianne Lockhart
- Summer Sexson-Peters
- Tracy Smith
- Darin Lindsay
- Leesville
- Leesville
- Leesville
- Leesville
- Leesville
- Leesville
- Main Street

#### TEXAS
- Lydia Woods
- Amanda Harrison
- DeDe Eastveld
- Kim Reynolds
- Debbie Ward
- Diana Cabezuela
- Janice Brownlow
- Melissa Grantham
- Myra Zumwalt
- Shirley Sawyers
- Elisabeth McGee
- Bay City
- Brenham
- Brenham
- Brenham
- Hereford
- Hereford
- Hereford
- Hereford
- Shiner
- Shiner
- Wharton
Memorials & Honorariums

Memorial contributions to Pilot International, Inc. honor the memory of friends, relatives, and acquaintances. Memorial Contributions support the programs and function of the Founder’s Fund and enhance the work of Pilot Clubs around the world. The name of the deceased is listed first in bold followed by the contributors.

Honorariums are contributions made to Pilot International to honor a Pilot or Pilot Club. For donations in excess of $25.00, a card is sent to the honoree advising them of the generous donation and identifying the donor. Honorariums support the programs and function of the Founder’s Fund and enhance the work of Pilot Clubs around the world. The name of the honoree is listed first in bold followed by the contributors.

Memorials

Barbara Bekaert  
Midwest District

Betty L. Lacina  
Grace Walsh  
Jan Russell  
Jim Roberts  
Judith Dempsey  
Pilot Club of Iowa City

Bob King  
Shirley King

Bobbie Nell Pitts  
Pilot Club of Mantachie

Cindy Lucas  
Debbie’s Bouquets

Dan Payne  
Loretta Parris  
Shirley Pyle

**Dan Payne (Note: Ms. Pyle had given this memorial to Dan Payne in the last Pilot Log, however, we accidentally noted it as “Don” Payne. Our sincere apologies for this error.

Danny Reesor  
Midwest District

Darlene Kuhl  
Pilot Club of Greater Toledo

Dian Sellers  
Tennessee Past Governors

Doretha Wadsworth  
Virginia District

Doris Adams  
Ercel Quick

Edna Ruth Franks  
Pilot Club of Mantachie

Elaine Ewing  
Loretta Parris

Eloise Knowles  
Loretta Parris

Etheline Bounds; Pilot Club of Huntsville and Former Governor, Alabama District  
Pilot Club of Huntsville

Gail Harrelson  
Nell Beasley

Heidi Hida  
Midwest District

Jane Jackson  
Pilot Club of Jones County

John C. Knowles  
Loretta Parris

Johnny Henson  
Shirley Pyle

Marie Edwards Noyes, Past Governor, former Kansas-Missouri District  
Donna Fisher  
Past Governors, Heartland District

Martha “Marty” Menke  
Barbara Burkhart  
Cedar Rapids Metro Pilot Club  
Dale & Helen Sheets  
Debbie Hays  
Deborah Archer  
Gary & Pat Jarvis  
James & Ruth Dane  
Marilyn Morley  
Maryann & Clarence Frazer  
Rosemary Menke Liegler & Family  
Sheila Vedder  
Shirley Pyle  
Vickie Austin  
Warren & Sandra Lacina  
Midwest District

Martha Lou Britt Jones  
Rebecca Downie

Mary Anna McFerrin  
Pilot Club of Mantachie

Mary Jane Morgan  
Deborah Archer

Mimi Wold  
Mary Mueller  
Shirley Pyle

Polly Click  
Pilot Club of Lenoir City

Robert Lucassen  
Debbie Hays

Ron Pierce  
Debbie Hays

Lisa Pierce

Sharon Hunt  
Lisa Patterson  
Judy Jackson

Sue Wiele  
Midwest District

Thomas Benanti  
Northeast Potomac DAC

Venita Martin  
Pilot Club of Chattanooga

Wayne Horton  
Barbara Hinson  
Judith Finke

William “Crazy Jack” Frazer  
Maryann & Clarence Frazer  
Cheryl Wernimont  
Cedar Rapids Metro Pilot Club

William “Buddy” Crow  
Debbie Hays  
Shirley Pyle

Zelma Dean  
Deborah Archer

J.C. Blaauw, brother of Maryann Frazer  
Debbie Hays

Jan Flinchum  
Pilot Club of Springfield, OH

Janice Clark, Governor, Alabama District  
Alabama District

Karen Beck, Northeast Potomac District Governor Elect  
Pilot Club of Lancaster

KY-OH-WV District DAC  
Cindy Forman

Marie Gravely  
Millennium Pilot Club of Central Ohio

Nancy Bowen  
Melanie Horton

**Nancy Bowen (Note: Ms. Horton had given this honorarium to Ms. Bowen in December 2020, and we accidentally noted it as a memorial. Our sincere apologies for this error.

Pansy Morgan  
Pilot Club of Danville

Peggy Benton  
Terry Jordan  
Judy Langley  
Linda Hubbard  
Rachel Kostelnik

Sherry Bath, NC ECR 2020-2021  
North Carolina District

Sue Wage  
Pilot Club of Danville, VA

Susan Kahl  
Michigan/Indiana District

Vickie Green  
Glenda Dowden

Polly Click  
Pilot Club of Lenoir City
Future Convention Dates

June 29-July 2, 2022
Rochester, NY

June 28-July 1, 2023
Bellevue, WA

July 17-20, 2024
Denver, CO