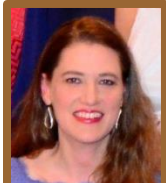


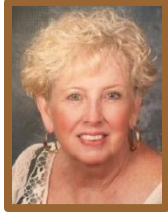
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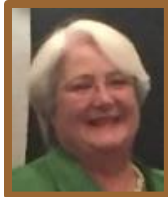
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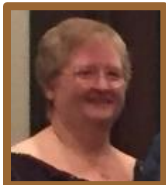
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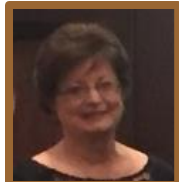
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GOVERNOR CYNTHIA

Fall Council is just a few days away! The West Central Region is working very hard to make this an exciting event. Our Welcome Party will be taking you to a tropical rainforest. The "Stop Hunger Now" event will be held on Saturday morning. It was so wonderful last year to see everyone working together to make over 10,000 meals in just an hour. That's what I love about Pilots; we work well together as a cohesive group for a good cause, just like each Club works together for the Projects and Fundraisers in their communities. Our Workshops will be informative and FUN. During lunch, we will have several speakers. Our main speaker is Peggys Thornburg from the Classic City Pilot Club to tell us about her special journey. There will be a nice variety of items being sold at the Marketplace. The Pilot Club of Hogansville will be raffling a hummingbird quilt. Guess what I'm going to buy tickets for? Irene Klosson-Neumann will have a table to help raise funds for the brand new Pilot Club in Cape Town, South Africa. They would like to be able to send someone to PI Convention in Las Vegas. What a fantastic way to help a fellow Pilot get to know about the Friendship bonds we hold so dear to our hearts.

Looking forward to seeing everyone at the Atlanta Hilton Airport for this year's FALL COUNCIL!

"Just like the hummingbird, I fly joyfully through my days seeing beauty in everything." --Amethyst Wildfyre

Cynthia



Fall Council
Sept. 30 – Oct. 1
Hilton Atlanta Airport
1031 Virginia Ave.
Atlanta, GA 30354

<http://events.stophungernow.org/Pilot2016>

Certificates will be given for Stop Hunger Now Project:



- Clubs with Most Participants
- Clubs with Highest percent of members participating
- Clubs with largest donation per member
- Clubs making the largest donation

Workshops:

Make a Fall wreath, need to bring a 12 inch foam wreath form, 3 yards of burlap ribbon, Fall sprigs of leaves, flowers, pumpkins (Dollar Tree is a wonderful source). You will have a simple Fall wreath to bring home.

Thank you cards for soldiers: bring packages of Thank you cards or blank cards. I need a few Pilots to help with this project. They won't need to stay the whole time because I want you to be able to attend workshops also.

We will need everyone to be taking pictures! A club group shot in front of the Stop Hunger Now sign would be a great picture. Remember to send your pictures to Kirsten (kajorge@yahoo.com)

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CHAPLAIN'S MESSAGE

The tragedy that occurred on Sept. 11, 2001 a Pilot friend sent me a little book of poems entitled One World, One Heart by Susan Polis Schutz. On the front of the booklet there are two sentences that continue to speak to us today:

"Everyone has the same basic needs and emotions. We must put aside our differences and come together as one in peace, understanding, and tolerance."

But read these words from the introduction:

"We all hear the same sounds. We look up and see the same sky. We cry the same tears. Our feelings and emotions are the same. All mothers are sisters. All fathers are brothers. All children are one.

Yet there is hate. There is violence. There is intolerance. There is confusion among people. We don't try hard enough to understand each other. We don't seem to realize that we all have the same basic needs, no matter who we are or what part of the world we come from.

We must understand the differences among us and celebrate the sameness. We must make the world a place where love and friendship dominate our hearts. Equality, respect, compassion and kindness must guide our actions. Only then will we all be able to peacefully and lovingly live the life we each choose."

Let these powerful sentences speak to you today - and everyday - as we all together can help to make this world a place where love can dominate our hearts and kindness guide our actions.

If you would like to be included on the Pilot prayers and celebrations email message board, do send me your email address to akersjoann@gmail.com

JoAnn



DATES TO REMEMBER

Sept. 30-Oct 1

Fall Council
Hilton Atlanta Airport

Jan 6, 2017

Newsletter Competition
3 Consecutive copies to your
Lt. Governor

Feb 1, 2017

Lynda Goodwin Scholarship
Award (Non-Anchors) to GPF
Rep. Jackie Jones

Feb 3, 2017

District Officer Nomination
Form to Louise Shimer
(District Nominating Chair)

Feb 16, 2017

Awards Due to Nancy Miller
(Awards Chair)

Feb 24-26, 2017

Anchor Convention
Legacy Lodge
Lake Lanier Islands

April 7-9, 2017

District Convention
Hilton Atlanta NE



Pilot Club of Carrollton manned a concession booth fundraiser at the Villa Rica Frontier Rodeo



In Loving Remembrance! The Georgia District extends our deepest sympathies to those who have lost loved ones.

<u>PILOT</u>	<u>CLUB NAME</u>
Joan McNally	Washington Co.
Grace Womble (one of the founders of the club)	Washington Co.
Sue Booth	Washington Co.

<u>PILOT</u>	<u>CLUB NAME</u>	<u>RELATIONSHIP</u>
Susan Fletcher	Atlanta	Husband
Vivian Beasley	Monroe	Husband

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HUMMING ALONG WITH PROJECTS & VISIBILITY



Lavonia Receives the Outstanding Visibility Award at Pilot International Convention in Montreal, Canada

The Pilot Club of Lavonia was awarded the Outstanding Pilot Club Visibility Award at the 95th Pilot International Convention in Montreal, Canada. A juried point system was used to determine the club who had the largest presence in their community through media including websites, Facebook, newspaper articles, club newsletters and promotional flyers and brochures.

The Pilot Club of Lavonia submitted a report of activities which included sponsorship of a CHAMP student at the Lavonia Elementary school, Brain minders presentations made at several pre-schools and to seniors at Brown Convalescent Center. Lavonia Pilots hosted the Georgia Artists with Disabilities traveling show at the renovated Lavonia Depot and supported several organizations in Franklin County including Avita, the Power of Hope, Harmony house and the Northeast Georgia Animal shelter. A power point presentation documenting the year was submitted to highlight the outreach of the Lavonia Pilot Club in the community.

The Pilot Club of Lavonia meets on the 2nd Thursday of each month at the Community center in Lavonia at 6:30 p.m. For more information about the Lavonia Pilot club, please contact Susan Harbin at 706-491-3575. The Pilot club of Lavonia would love to have more volunteers working within our community.

Below Past PI Shannon Clegg presents Club President Susan the award in Montreal.

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KEEP FUNDRAISING HUMMING

This month I would like to share with you some ideas which have been successful for clubs of various sizes.

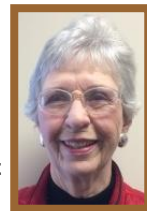
Who doesn't like pecans, pecan pie or anything that uses this wonderful nut? Pecans sell themselves year after year clubs agree. They suggest if or when your club decides to sell pecans to contact the Pecan Company for pricing and date pecans will be harvested and ready for shipment. Your club setting a goal of how much you want to raise is a great incentive for selling pecans. Take orders in advance in late October and early November for delivery before Thanksgiving – just in time for Thanksgiving cooking or as Christmas gifts. Advance orders will make it easier to determine order with plenty to sell to those who did not pre-order. Some clubs only sell halves and pieces and others include specialty pecans – honey glazed, milk chocolate, praline, salted roasted, dark chocolate, variety gift boxes and even pecan pies.

As you plan, be sure to have a place where the delivery will be made and pecans will be stored. Find businesses and or places of employment that will allow you to sell pecans. The first year of sales will provide a base of satisfied customers who will be repeat customers and your best advertisement. Customers will anticipate and ask when pecan sales will begin. Pecan sales could become a signature fundraiser for your club.

A great idea for the upcoming season is a Christmas Bake/Basket Sale. The club that suggested this idea schedules the Sale for the 2nd Saturday in December. The date is advertised to alert the community and also places the sale near enough to Christmas for purchasing holiday gifts and baked goods which can be frozen until the holidays. Members get together in early December for basket making party one night in a member's home and assemble all kinds of baskets – car wash, soup, tool, beauty and others. Club members bake cakes, pies and cookies using their favorite recipes. The community looks forward to the sale so club visibility is high. What a fun and profitable fundraiser!

Joyce

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Pilot Club of Covington presented Sheriff Ezell Brown with a generous donation check in the amount of \$700.00 for Project LifeSaver. Pilot members present were Jane Woodward, Ann Cargile, and Cathy Allen.

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PILOT INTERNATIONAL FOUNDERS FUND

Dear Pilots,

Since the water bottles "Dimes for Dollars" get all members participating, we will do that again. Bottles will be distributed at Fall Council. Be creative at your monthly meetings to raise extra dollars. I am working on a neat raffle prize, which will have to remain a secret for now.

I hope all of you selected and honored your 2016 Ambassador this month and sent your donation to PI so that your Ambassador's name will appear in the Pilot Log. Sometimes these donations, your Pacesetter and 250 Club contributions are all that PI receives to be able to distribute Grants and Scholarships to our clubs.

GEORGIA DISTRICT PACESETTER CONTRIBUTIONS

Due: February 1 Amount: \$10 per active, dues-paying member
Recognition: Certificates are presented at District Convention and ribbons for name badge. Mail to: Pilot International

"250 Club" CONTRIBUTIONS

DUE DATE: FEBRUARY 1 AMOUNT: \$250 per club or individual
Recognition: Certificates are presented at District Convention and ribbons for name badge. Mail to: Pilot International

This money is used for PIFF Grants and Scholarships, Emergency Response Grants and Grants for Very Special Arts Festivals.

Please make sure if you mail both contributions in one check that the intended fund is clearly marked. Please designate how much each fund is to receive.

PILOT'S SAFE HARBOR DISASTER RELIEF FUND

There have been so many weather disasters this year all over our country. Your donations, no matter the amount will mean so much to so many and will make you feel better. To contribute, visit the following link and click on Make a Donation: <http://tinyurl.com/donatepilot>

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS

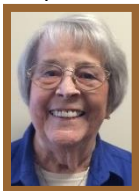
Due Date: Postmarked by March 1
Applications can be found at www.pilotinternational.org under Founder's Fund.

Mail to me:
Jo Farish, PIFF Representative
736 Bankhead Ave
Carrollton, GA 30117

If you have any questions, please email me at jo@farishrealty.com

Jo

**Jo Farish
PIFF Representative**



GA District New Members...

<u>PILOT</u>	<u>CLUB NAME</u>	<u>SPONSOR</u>
Mary Hunt	Madison Co.	Jayne Lackey
Eve Faircloth	Dublin	Nancy Brewer
Cori Miller	Dublin	Elaine Harden
Robyn Thomas	Dublin	Lynn Wyatt
Evelyn Jones	Statesboro	Cendra Brown
Linda Smith	Statesboro	Virginia Yarber

Past Governors

**Evelyn McCain
October 18**

**Hazel Sweger
October 23**

**Myrna Warner
October 28**

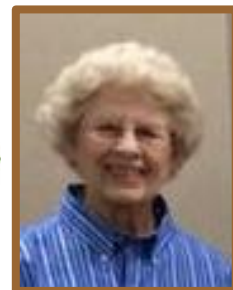


Dear Pilot Sisters,

You will never know the blessings I received from each of you this past summer. The cards of encouragement and the many prayers helped sustain me during my illness. Most of you do not know that because of Pilots like you, I have made it through many rough waters since I joined Pilot. I treasure all of the friendships, the laughs, and just plain fun I have had in Pilot for over 25 years. You are my rock! Without you my ship would have sunk. I thank you; I bless you; and hope to have you by my side for many years to come.

Much love and prayers,

Martha Mitchell

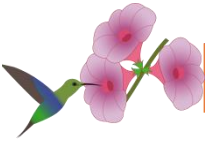


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EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPRESENTATIVE

To most of us October is known for ghosts and goblins, changing leaves, and, of course, football. Did you know that October is National Chili Month, National Popcorn Poppin Month, Breast Cancer Awareness Month, National Dessert Month, to name a few? To Pilots, however, it is much more. October is Membership Month for Pilot. We also celebrate Founders' Day on October 18. The fourth Saturday in October is Make a Difference Day, the largest national day of community service.

Do we limit our search for prospective members to October? I hope you are all answering with a big "NO". Recruiting new members is a year round campaign. We all talk about the need to increase membership which is vital to every club and to Pilot International. So how do we increase our membership? Learn Pilot International's new Mission Statement and use it! Consider printing the Mission Statement on a small card or bookmark to share with others. Be ready to tell your Pilot story. Let prospective members know why Pilot is special to you and why you joined. Wear your Pilot shirts and pins. Be visible. Invite guests to your meetings. Host an exciting Share Pilot event. The membership workshops at Pilot International Convention and Leadership Conference in Montreal were informative and provided creative ideas for recruiting new members and maintaining current membership. The information from these workshops is on the Pilot website under "Member Resources".

Pilot International Founders Fund has several grants that are available. Take advantage of these grants to establish or continue projects that are beneficial to your community. Pilot International Founders Fund Matching Grants are available to Pilot Clubs, Anchor Clubs or Districts. If you are interested in applying for a matching grant, first determine which category of the ABC's of Pilot best fits your project and then complete the grant request. Your application must be postmarked by October 15. Information packets and forms for completing applications for these grants are on the Pilot website under "Member Resources".

Also available to Pilot Clubs is the Pick Me Up Grant. The goal of the Pick Me Up Grant is to provide additional care and kindness to caregivers, individuals and groups. This will help Pilots realize our vision that all are valued. Pick Me Up Grants are not for reimbursement. They are to be used for projects that are planned but not completed before the club receives the grant. The application and scoring criteria for the Pick Me Up Grant has been revised and are on the Pilot website under "Member Resources".

Be inspired in October to Do More, Care More, Be More!

Elena

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SOARING INTO ANCHOR SERVICE

I hope everyone is ready for the fall! Please encourage your Anchor Clubs to get their dues in by November 1. Pilot International dues are \$14.00, and should be mailed to Pilot International, and Georgia District dues are \$8.00 and should be mailed to Shelby Holland. The Anchor Board met in August to plan Anchor Convention. I would like to encourage every Pilot club that supports an Anchor club to encourage your Anchors to attend convention. We will once again be a Lake Lanier Island. This year's theme will be: "Anchors Swingin' on a Star". The Anchors will have a pull tab competition. Please help your Anchors save pull tabs for this service project. The pull tabs will be donated to the Ronald McDonald house. Please remind your Anchors to place the tabs in gallon jugs. Look for more information concerning Anchor Convention soon. Please encourage your Anchors to enter the awards. If you do not enter you cannot win.

Mary

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PARLIAMENTARY PROCEDURES

The new Pilot year is three months old. Business is being conducted each month as decisions are made. This may be a good time to review parliamentary procedure as it pertains to motions.

There are generally three basic steps when bringing and disposing of a motion before a group.

1. Any member can make a motion (remember, it is "I move that, to" whatever the motion is to be, never "MAKE " a motion. A good parliamentarian friend once said, "You MOVE a motion, you make a cake."
2. Another member seconds the motion. Remember, the presiding officer DOES NOT ask for a second; if it is not spontaneously seconded, the motion dies for lack of a second.
3. After the motion and second, the chair states the question on the motion and, after discussion, a vote is taken. First, the chair asks for those in favor to respond by voice or the raising of the hand. After the count is made, the chair asks for those opposed to respond in the same manner. After the vote, the chair states that the motion has passed or failed.

Orderly meetings takes place when parliamentary rules are followed and everyone has an opportunity to participate.

Pat

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"Spotlight Our Clubs"



Pilot Club of Winder hosted a reception for outgoing NE Lt. Governor Jenni Overbey



Roswell HS Anchors Cathleen and Lauren, and Centennial HS Anchor Gillie celebrated PG and Pilot Club of Atlanta member Frances McKibben's 90th birthday. Frances launched Anchor Clubs in Georgia!



Pilot Club of Adel Hosts 16th Annual Salad Luncheon: What can one do with 160 pounds of chicken breasts, 36 pounds of broccoli, 35 pounds of grapes, 12 pounds of apples, and 13 dozen deviled eggs? If you're a member of the Pilot Club of Adel, you serve a delicious Salad Luncheon to hundreds of local patrons who have supported this major fundraising project since 2001!

Earning over \$3,000 this year, the club will invest the money earned back into the community through our City Park project, Jacob's Ladder Therapeutic Horseback Riding for special needs students, gifts for local nursing home residents, a Safety Supper for all of Cook County's first responders, college scholarships for graduating high school seniors, and many other worthwhile projects.



Pilot Club of Eastman held a prospective new member brunch. L-R: Keith and Lynn Beckworth, Andrea Yawn, Alicia Simmons, Mallory Guyton, Mandy Adkinson, Casey Pruet, Tammie Rowe, Nylan Hinson, Gloria Clay, Kimberly Young (not pictured Madelyn Wright)



CCPC 4th Annual Brain Fitness Dianne's 5k Run/Walk

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