



Happy Holidays...
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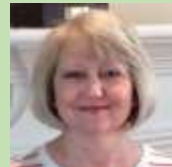


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MESSAGE FROM OUR GOVERNOR

Throughout this Holiday Season there will be numerous gestures of kindness, sharing of gifts and priceless time spent with family and friends. My Christmas wish for you can be summed up in a poem written by Catherine Pulsifer.

My Christmas Wish to YOU

If I could wish a wish for you,
it would be for peace, faith, and happiness
not only at Christmas,
but for the whole year through!

I wish that there always be food on your table.
That you always give to those less fortunate.
May you always take time to share,
and thank those who have blessed you.

I wish for time, so you may reflect
on the blessings that you have,
and that you express your love
to those who are dear to you.

May you never feel lonely,
because there are those who care.
That you realize: you are special,
you are unique, you make a difference,
not only at Christmas, but all year!

I wish for your thoughts to be positive ones,
that you never quit, that you never give up,
and that you continue to learn.

I wish for the love, peace and [joy]
to be yours always.

Doretta



Royston-Franklin Springs Pilot Club's 40th Anniversary Tea (LtoR): Governor Doretta, Peggy Berryman, Royston-Franklin Springs President; Susan Harbin - NE Lt. Governor.

Season's greetings! You can tell that it is a special month as you look around your community. People are coming together in celebrations and observances. There are holidays such as Hanukkah, Christmas, Boxing Day, Kwanzaa, Omisoka, and New Year's Eve. Our world is made much brighter as we celebrate the season.

Many clubs have projects and fundraisers in December. It is a wonderful time to give a little joy to those who need it. Pick Me Ups are great during the holidays. Fundraisers can help people too. Events such as bake sales and gift wrapping booths end up giving the supporters the gift of more time to spend in other ways. In the end, Pilots spread friendship in their communities.

December is also the month to review your charitable giving for the year. You can make donations to Pilot International by mailing in the donation form found on the website or just click "donate" on the website. Please adhere to the

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appropriate guidelines if you plan to use charitable giving on your tax returns.

Our Pilot Store has new items! We add items to our selection throughout the year. The ones that were just added will help keep you warm this winter. Keep in mind that they make good gifts – even for yourself!

December is made brighter as we go through the holiday season together. We may not all celebrate the same holidays, but we do come together in friendship and service as Pilots. I hope that each of you finds joy and happiness in the season.

Peggy

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INSPIRATIONAL MESSAGE



At this time of the year thoughts turn to Christmas and all the festivities and celebrations that take place during this holiday season.....this is also a time when stores go crazy with "deals" and we have cyber Monday as well as lots of other "opportunities" to spend.....But let me share with you this:

Eight Gifts You Can Give at no COST!

1. The Gift of Listening.....

But you really must listen. No interrupting, no daydreaming, no planning your response. Just listening....

2. The Gift of Affection.....

Be generous with appropriate hugs, kisses, pats on the back and handholds. Let these small actions demonstrate the love you have for family and friends....

3. The Gift of Laughter....

Clip cartoons. Share articles and funny stories. Your gift will say, "I love to laugh with you."

4. The Gift of a Written Note.....

It can be a simple "Thanks for the help" note or a full sonnet. A brief handwritten note may be remembered for a lifetime and may even change a life.

5. The Gift of a Compliment.....

A simple and sincere, "You look great in red," "You did a super job" or "That was a wonderful meal" can make someone's day.

6. The Gift of a Favor....

Every day, go out of your way to do something kind.

7. The Gift of Solitude....

There are times when we want nothing better than to be left alone. Be sensitive to those times, and give the gift of solitude to others.

8. The Gift of a Cheerful Disposition....

The easiest way to feel good is to extend a kind word to someone; really it's not that hard to say, "hello" or "thank you."

May each of you and yours have a blessed, peaceful and happy holiday season.

JoAnn

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Eastman Pilots signing a proclamation for Pilot's 97th year of friendship and service.

Prayer & Praises



Please send your notifications and if you would like to receive the notifications to: JoAnn (akersjoann@gmail.com)

Georgia District, Pilot International 2018-19 Memorial Forms need to go to:

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

<u>Pilot</u>	<u>Club</u>
Terry Duemberger	Warner Robins
Janet Marchman	Jones Co.
Jeanette Robinson	Carrollton
<u>Family</u>	<u>Club</u>
Cassie Wright (Husband)	Carrollton
Margaret Perkins (Sister)	Carrollton
Ann-Margaret Perkins (Aunt)	Carrollton



Battlefield 2018-19 Officers

Tina Lovren (Sec.), Betty Geary (Pres-Elect), Patsy Stickel-Holsonback (Pres.), Barbara German (Dir.), Patricia Cooke (Dir.) & Kay Cooke (Treas.)



Chatsworth members Jan McNeill (left) and Ruth Ann Holcomb deliver cookies and hand lotions to ER nurses and staff as a thank-you for all their service to the community of Chatsworth! Thank you, Murray Medical! This is Chatsworth PC's Pick-Me-Up Project for Pilot International Care and Kindness Week.



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Past Governors

Judy Jackson
December 17

Gail Sharber
December 21

Katharine Banning
December 30





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THE MISSION OF PILOT INTERNATIONAL IS:

to influence positive change in communities throughout the world.

TO DO THIS, WE: come together in friendship and give people an outlet for service.

WE FOCUS ON:

- Preparing youth and young adults for service.
- Encouraging brain safety and health.
- Supporting those who care for others.

DATES TO REMEMBER

January 5, 2019

Newsletter Competition

February 1, 2019

Lynda Goodwin Volunteer Scholarship

February 3, 2019

District Officer Nomination

February 15, 2019

Ann Adams Attendance Award
Edwina Gill Growth Award
Nancy Henrick Friendship & Service Award
Vivian Hartman Memorial Award

February 22-24, 2019

Anchor Convention
Legacy Lodge at Lanier Islands

April 5-7, 2019

District Convention
Hilton Atlanta Northeast

July 3-7, 2019

PI Convention
Sheraton Grand Chicago



ANCHOR

It's a very important time in Georgia for elections! The same is true for Anchor. We need hard working, dedicated Anchors who want to be active and involved at district level! Reach out to your Advisors and Sponsors and make sure they are encouraging their outstanding Anchors to run for office. Forms and information are attached to the Anchor newsletter. Being a part of the Board provides valuable experience in leadership and parliamentary procedure. It is a building block for their future- not to mention how great it looks on college applications and resumes. Do your Anchors have what it takes to make a difference? I bet they do! Encourage them to apply for nomination to a district position. You will be steering them in the right direction! I'm just a phone call or email away if you have questions! And don't forget Anchor Convention coming in February, 2019! Hope to see lots of Pilots there!

Kerrin

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<u>PILOT</u>	<u>CLUB NAME</u>
Miranda French	CRSA
Shona Bales	Eatonton
Tricia Anne Ash	Jones Co.
Kerie Rowe	Monroe
Sheila Ransom	Monroe
Chloe Crawford	Haralson Co.
Patsy Lwowski	Washington Co.
Karen Scott	Washington Co.
Taylor Armour	Washington Co.
Rhonda Kaye Brummett	Hogansville

Jefferson members distribute candy at the annual Jefferson Halloween Walk

L-R: Cathy Huska, Helen Gunnels, Cathy Brown, June Murphy, Connie Lynn



FUNDRAISING

Achieving Success Together

Most of our Clubs are in full swing of fulfilling our plan of works, Projects, Membership and Fundraising. Even though we are in a Division, it takes every member to make all of the plans successful. Together we are powerful or you could say 'Forte!' My local club – the Pilot Club of Oconee Co – is working on getting sponsors for our 5K in Jan. 2019. As the treasurer of our club, it is so exciting to go to the PO Box to see what sponsors will support our club's activities. Each member is encouraged to set a goal for themselves. This also provides a way for each member to share with the community what our Pilot club is able to achieve with our sponsors help. The Pilot Club of Madison Co. recently held a fundraiser that looks like they had a fun time also. The Pilot Club of Madison County host a Chili Cook Off & Dinner on Thursday, October 11, 2018.



Please e-mail me with your Fundraising Projects. Sharing encourages us to try again!

Cathy

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Pilot Club of Elberton hosted a sign painting party
(L to R) Margie Milner, Valgene Anderson, Donna Dixon, Lisa Seawright, Lindsey Avery and Karen Swann

Jones Co. Pilot Club celebrated 45 years with guest EC Lt. Governor Beth Copeland here with President Denise Partee



Gainesville Pilots Lesley Congdon, Sherrill Day, Lisa Shows and Scott Crain with Law Enforcement Officers learning how to handle Project Life Saver



Madison Co. members Linda Hazinski, President, Jean Samples 3rd Place 2018 Chili Cookoff Winner, and Karen Fitzpatrick, Fundraising Coordinator



Founders Day was celebrated by the Pilot Club of Carrollton by reviewing the past, celebrating the present, and looking forward to the future. 100 YEARS in 2021!



Congratulations to Maureen Stoy, crowned Pilot Club of Cochran's Ambassador for 2018 with club president Cathie Davis

