

PILOT CLUB OF LENOIR CITY



Brain Awareness



Community Service



Friendship

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President's Corner

Hello Pilots!

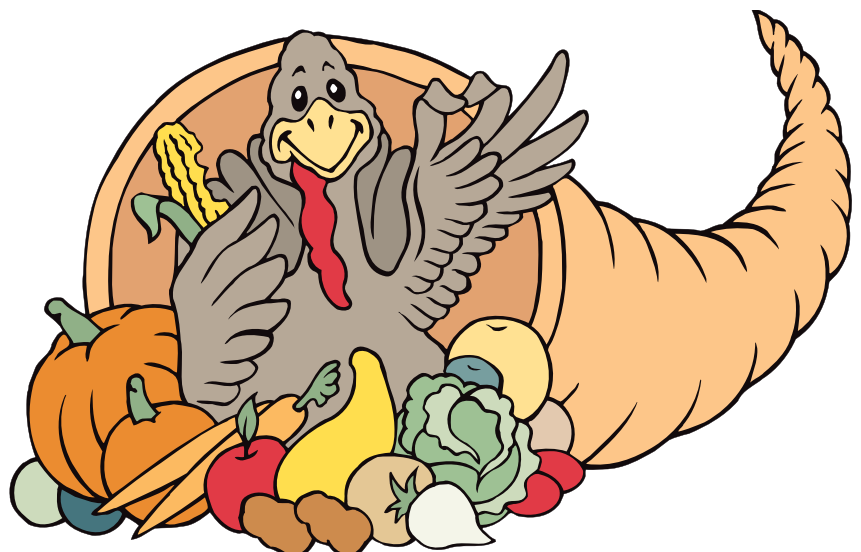
The leaf colors are changing and so has the time. The latter I'm not real thrilled about. Now it seems that I have children from dark till dark. It makes for a long day.

I'm so excited that the nuts are here and seem to be going well. Lets make sure that we keep a count on what we have and what others might need. Kim and I will be calling everyone periodically to check our progress. Thanks so much for the hard work from Ed, Kristen and Kim. There should be a joke about how many Pilots it takes to count nuts! Please bring any collected money from nuts to our November meeting.

Remember our meeting on the 19th which will be our holiday meal. Please bring a side item and a guest. Thanks, Pam



Fantasy of Trees Benefit for
East TN Children's Hospital
November 27-Dec. 1



ANCHOR CLUB



Anchors had their Sign Up Pizza Party back in September to sign up new members to Anchor Club, and also participated in Club Day to recruit new members, then in October they participated in the Alzheimer's Chocolate Fest, Alzheimers Walk for Monroe, Loudon, and Roane County, and will be helping in November with the Fantasy of Trees to benefit East Tennessee Children's Hospital.





Fundraising Division



Sell, Sell, Sell!

Hopefully everyone has picked up their nut orders at Pams. You can start turning in money ASAP to Pam or myself so we can make that first payment to the nut companies. Let Pam know if you need extra nuts or know of a venue to sell the remaining extra boxes of nuts that we have.



Viva Las Vegas Luncheon & Fashion Show

Everyone mark March 22 on their calendars for our annual Fashion Show fundraiser. Instead of waiting till the last minute, please start now acquiring great items for our raffle auction after the fashion show. We made more money this way last year and want to do it again this year, but try to improve on getting it to move faster.

I also need everyone to save their wine bottles again for me. I think I will do something similar to last year on the tables. So drink up! You can start bringing them to me at the Jan meeting. Thanks, Kim



Membership Division



Meet New Member Amanda Spencer

Home: 8814 Eagle Pointe Drive
Knoxville, TN 37931
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aspencer@ssmgrp.com

Occupation: Regional Director Sales & Marketing (healthcare)

Hobbies: Baking & Decorating

Pilot Sponsor: Lisa Harvey

Welcome Amanda!



Community "All Access" Playground Update

Our Pilot International grant application was forwarded by the Tennessee District to the grant committee. Notifications of approval & denial are due to be mailed by January 31, 2014.

As a reminder, Lenoir City Parks, in partnership with the community, is working to build a community playground that is accessible to all children. The goal to provide this type of playground was established when the City was made aware that over 10% (or 739+) of the area's children are living with some type of disability. An "all access" playground will afford all children the opportunity to play and interact, so it will be both physically and socially inclusive. It will provide an environment that not only facilitates exercise, but also encourages understanding and an awareness that similarities far outweigh differences.

To date, the Pilot Club of Lenoir City has already presented \$1250 in support of the project and has budgeted another \$1250 this year. Our hopes are that the remaining \$2500 of our \$5000 commitment will come in the form of this matching grant from Pilot International.

Fall Council 2013 Recap

Judy Fleming, Linda Oakman and Allison Sousa represented our club at Fall Council, held in Athens last month. The program centered around PI's newly unveiled causes & campaigns, called "The ABCs of Pilot":

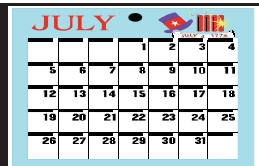
- A = Anchor Clubs (Youth Development & leadership)
- B = Brain Safety & Fitness
- C = Caring for Families in Times of Need

More information about each of these will be shared at the next meeting, but in the meantime, the second week of November is "International Care & Kindness Week." During this week, Pilots & Anchors provide "Little" Pick Me Ups for strangers, friends, neighbors and especially caregivers to show how much they care. Always packaged with a specially designed "A Little Pick Me Up" tag (see Pilot International website), "Little" Pick Me Ups are just what they sound like! A little gift from the heart - a homemade pie, a plate of cookies, a knitted scarf, a handmade craft, a bouquet of flowers or a small favor of any kind - little Pick Me Ups are simple gifts meant to show how much we care.

International Care & Kindness Week was created to bring awareness to how simple acts can change a day, a life or the world by showing someone you care. Giving A Little Pick Me Up is just that kind of act. Simple, Gracious, Caring, Kind. Give "A little Pick Me Up" during International Care & Kindness Week and show someone YOU care!



Mark Your Calendar!



Reading for Pre-School on Thursdays is at 9:00 am this year.

- Nov. 19 Tuesday-** Monthly meeting 6:30@ The Lenoir City Visitors Center
- Nov. 27- Dec. 1-** Fantasy of Trees@ The Knoxville Convention Center
- Dec. 3 Tuesday-** Bingo at Baptist Healthcare @ 6:30 pm (need 6 volunteers)
- Jan. 21 Tuesday-** Monthly meeting 6:30@ The Lenoir City Visitors Center
- Feb. 18 Tuesday-** Monthly meeting 6:30@ The Lenoir City Visitors Center
- Mar. 22 Saturday-** Annual Fashion Show & Luncheon@ St. Thomas Catholic Church
- May 2-4-** District Convention @ Murfreesboro, TN
- April 15 Tuesday-** Monthly meeting 6:30@ The Lenoir City Visitors Center
- June 17 Tuesday-** Monthly meeting 6:30@ The Lenoir City Visitors Center