



PILOT PATTER

Pilot Club of Chattanooga, TN

JULY 2015

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Pilots,

We will be busy in the next few months with Pilot business. The program for our July meeting, will include the report from our Delegates, Joyce and Max, about events at the recent Pilot International Convention. Additionally, our new officers will be inducted at our meeting at the Walden Club on July 28th. We appreciate that Past President Bertie Lou has agreed to do the honors in her usual creative way for the induction of our officers.

In August, we will need to select our PI Club Ambassador (formerly known as Club Sweetheart). Also, the District Nominating Committee is in need of a candidate for Governor-Elect. So, be thinking about whom you wish to nominate for these special honors. Additionally, at our meeting, we will have a guest speaker who will be presenting an informative program on the topic of suicide and its prevalence in today's environment.

The September meeting will bring Governor-Elect Evelyn Jenkins, Pilot Club of Cleveland, for our official visit. We are looking forward to her arrival. Of course we want everyone to come to every meeting; but we ask you to please make a special effort to come meet Governor-Elect Evelyn and show her our good Pilot Club of Chattanooga hospitality.

On a sad note, we have just heard that the Pilot Club of Dresden decided to disband. It is difficult to lose touch with special friends made throughout the years at various District events and we wish only the best for each of them. It is our sincere hope that many of their members will stay in Pilot as members-at-large.

Thanks to Judy and Tina for their hospitality for again hosting our June meeting. Also, many thanks to the Darr's, I heard that the food was outstanding as usual. After such a full year of Pilot business, it was wonderful to have the opportunity to unwind and fellowship with all of our Pilot friends. It was difficult to not be with you.

However, I just could not miss the dance event at Disney in Orlando for Granddaughter Lilli.

Your officers, Board, appointees and I look forward to working with you in the coming year. Please let us know of any special programs that you would like to have. We will be calling on you for suggestions as the Plan of Works for the year is developed. All suggestions will be appreciated!

In Pilot Love, *Charlynnne*

Schedule of Activities

July 28 6:00 PM Pilot Meeting, Walden Club.
Aug. 25 6:00 PM Pilot Meeting, Walden Club.
Sep. 22 6:00 PM Pilot Meeting, Walden Club.
Oct. 16-17 Fall Council, La Quinta Inn, Cookeville.

The 2016 Leadership Conference and Convention is in Montreal, Canada.

THINKING OF YOU

Maurice Parson, Co-Pilot of Charlynne.
Mary Jackson.
Venita Martin.
Mary Grace Starnes
Others who don't attend meetings regularly and those with health concerns.

Sympathy

**To the family and Pilots on the death of Betty Chadwick on June 25, 2015.
Betty joined Pilot in 1989 and had served as President, Treasurer and Director of the Chattanooga Club. She also served as Treasurer of the Tennessee District of Pilot International.
A memorial service was held on July 11, 2015.**

AUGUST BIRTHDAYS
ELIZABETH BOYD, PATTI ALVERSON

FROM THE COUNCIL OF LEADERS AND PILOT INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION.

Presentations focusing on being loving, enthusiastic and positive were presented.

Pilot International Officers were elected. Delegates voted to again organize Compass Clubs for 18 – 26 year olds.

Revised materials for Caregiver “Pick-Me-Ups” and Scholarship Applications were presented.

Information on the equipment available (with GPS) from Project Lifesaver was presented.

The Pilot International Founders Fund awarded 20 scholarships (100% of qualified) this past year.

Pilot partnerships and support of CARE, the Zambize, South Africa School Book Project, Military Mamas, and Loved Twice (recycled baby clothes) was presented.

Information on the 501 (c) (3) Application was presented. The Chattanooga Club must decide and indicate whether to be a part (sub group) of Pilot International’s Reapplication or apply separately. The Chattanooga club is now classified as a for profit corporation. A decision is required by Sept. 30.

Additional information from PI is expected.

Approximately 800 attended the convention.

FROM THE EDITOR

Since many of our Pilot members have internet service, the Patter is sent to them by email which means a savings to the club for paper and postage.

If you have some information for the Patter, please send it via email.

Also, note the addition of the email address for the District.

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