

Alabama District Governor's Bulletin

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for Pilot*



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District Governor Janice Clark

Issue 1

Pilots, time to begin a new year! 2020-2021, hopefully, will be a banner year for the Alabama District. Our Prayer is for all clubs to get back to a new normal, holding meetings, having fundraisers and projects. All of us want to share Pilot friendship and service. Stay safe and well during these difficult times.

The DAC has been busy this past month. We had a training session led by Kay Chandler and Cindy Weaver. We all have a clear understanding of what is expected of us and how we can serve the District this year. Thank you Kay and Cindy!

We had our first virtual DAC meeting and First Fall Council planning meeting. Pilot Club of Demopolis will be the host club. Start making your plans to come to Orange Beach, October 31-Nov. 1, for a fun and informative event. The theme for Fall Council is "Greatest Show of Pilot". The First Call will go out to clubs along with this issue of the bulletin.

Please share all of the news with your clubs. Communication is vital for a successful year.

June 27th, we had a virtual Council of Leaders Training with the current Executive Committee. We also had officer workshops. I look forward to serving with Ann, Claire and Carolyn this year.

We will begin our assigned club visits soon. Your DAC representative will be in contact with you about the visits. If you have not sent in your club officer form to me, Carolyn Cobb and Claire at Pilot international, please do so as soon as possible.

We are just a phone call, text, or email away. We are here to serve you! Thank you for that opportunity.

Janice



Welcome to Our New Members

Governor Elect

Ann Burch
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Hello! I'm your new Governor-elect. Not new in Pilot, but new in this position and I feel so honored. I am going to need everyone's help and support. It is certainly different than my former career, school teacher. I taught for a total of 42 years and loved every minute of it.

Well, what did I tell you? I'm already asking for help, so just bear with me. I need each club to update their Directory in Microsoft Word and send it to me. I would love to have all of them by July 31, 2020. This deadline will give me time to complete the District Directory before Fall Council.

My husband, John of 57 years, and I have 2 children, a son, Jeffrey, and a daughter, Suzanne. We have 6 grandchildren, 5 girls and 1 boy. We also have 7 great grandchildren, 5 boys and, 2 girls, and another on the way. With each generation the family increases. My family is very supportive of me because they know how much I love Pilot. Have a great day!

Ann

District Treasurer

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Happy New Pilot Year! I am so excited to be serving as the 2020-2021 Alabama District Treasurer and working alongside with the Pilot Club Treasurers this upcoming year. The Alabama District dues are due in full by July 1, 2020. The dues are \$20 per member and should be remitted with a completed Annual Dues Report. The report can be located and printed from the Alabama District Website www.alabamadistrictpilot.com. Please be sure the new member information and the change in membership information is also sent to me.

Governor Janice has assigned me to visit the following clubs Roanoke, Heflin, Enterprise, Luncheon Enterprise and Morgan County. I am so looking forward to visiting these clubs!

Claire

District Secretary

Carolyn Cobb
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The beginning a new year is here. I am so excited to work for all the Pilots and DAC again this year. If you have any questions, I will do my best to get an answer for you. Please contact me by phone, text or email. As District Secretary, I need all of the Club Presidents to send me a list of your officers ASAP.

Carolyn



Social Media

Beverly Wilkerson

A new Pilot year has begun. Several clubs have been able to install their club officers and more will be doing so soon. I would love to flood the District's Page Timeline with installation photos that you have shared. I have been able to recently share posts on the Anchor Timeline of wonderful service projects and Compass Club kick-off presentations on both the District & Anchor pages. We want to see your fundraisers and upcoming special events, so please share. Let's let our presence be known!

Here are the URLs for the District, Anchor, Troy University and Covington Compass Clubs.

<https://www.facebook.com/aldistpi/>

<https://www.facebook.com/anchorsclub20/?modal>

<https://www.facebook.com/troyuniversitycompassclub/?epa>

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/2357439257832755/>



Beverly

Governor's Bulletin Editor

Pam Langhout

Inputs from the DAC, Appointees and Clubs need to be provided to the Governor and editor no later than the 20th of each month to Pam Langhout, planghou@hiwaay.net or snail mail 8218 Goose Ridge Drive, Owens Cross Roads, AL 35763. Please list your name, position and club (if pertinent).

I look forward to hearing from you. If your photo appears on the FACEBOOK page then it will not be printed in the Bulletin per the DAC.

Any errors are the responsibility of the editor.

Pam

Website Coordinator

Lisa Patterson

Our website is up-to-date. As always, should you find something that needs my attention, please let me know ASAP. Lbpatterson72@gmail.com

Lisa

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- **October 31-November 1, 2020** Fall Council, Hampton Inn & Suites, Orange Beach, AL
- **March 6-7, 2021** Alabama Anchor Convention, Birmingham Marriott, B'ham, AL
- **April 23-24, 2021** Alabama District Convention, Birmingham Marriott, B'ham, AL
- **July 7-11, 2001** Pilot International Convention (100th Anniversary), Atlanta, GA

LEGEND: **Highlighted in RED is DAC related;** **Highlighted in GREEN is individual Club related (if any)**

Chaplain

Sammye Hill

Happy New Year! Yes, many of us would like a “do-over” of 2020 but what we’re celebrating is the new Pilot year. We installed our new District Administrative Council via a Zoom meeting and just like that – here it is July and we’re off to our new year!

Thank you, Governor Janice, for appointing me to the position of Inspirational Leader. Many of us have had the experience of finding Pilots are some of the most inspiring people we could ever meet. So I’m humbled and honored to be appointed to this leadership position. When your club officers and appointees are in place, please let me know those who need our thoughts and prayers.

Blessings on you and yours,
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- **PC Cullman:** We send condolences to Julie Burks and Susan D’Andrea in the loss of their brother, Thomas Barfoot. Cards to Julie may be sent to 193 County Road 1249, Vinemont, AL 35179. Cards to Susan may be sent to 166 County Road 1376, Vinemont, AL 35179.
- **PC Demopolis** would like to extend our deepest sympathies to Catherine Manning Ferguson in the death of her nephew, William McDaniel. Cards may be sent to Catherine at 3550 County Road 21, Demopolis, AL 36732.
- **PLC Morgan County:** Our thoughts and prayers are with Mary Ballard in the loss of her sister-in-law, Terri Plummer. Send your caring cards to 4020 Saddlehorn Bend, SW, Decatur, AL 35603.
- **PC Tuscaloosa:** We send comforting prayers and sympathy to David and Starr Hudson in the loss of their grandson, Danny. Send your condolences to 1907 Woodridge Road, Tuscaloosa, AL 35406.

Sammye

Leadership Coordinator

Kay Chandler

A good leader always includes others. Every Pilot is a Leader in some way. Some of us can and do lead from an officer role, but most of us like to do small things behind the scenes. These “behind the scene” roles are very, very important to the success of a Pilot Club. It takes a “village” to make a good Pilot Club. Officers, coordinators, writers, bakers, sellers, decorators, recruiters, communicators, motivators, and encouragers make our clubs. Whatever your role is, you are important. To keep our Pilot Wheel turning, it takes all of us all working together. You are a Pilot; you are a Leader!

Kay



Fundraising Coordinator

Teresa Doty

Wow 2020 has been a whirlwind so far! I hope that this find all Pilots doing well. As Pilots, while we are practicing Social Distancing it makes it difficult for some fund raisers; but I am sure we will persevere through this challenging time. Let's share our ideas with each other and make this a profitable year for all clubs. I look forward to hearing from all of you in the future with your ideas. Thanks!

Teresa

Pilot International Founders' Fund (PIFF) Representative

Peggy Harris

Greetings! I am again serving as AL District PIFF Representative for 2020-20. I offer my services as a resource by seeking answers to questions you may have, (256-531-2525). Clubs Presidents have received by email, "The PIFF Resource Manual", which has everything you need to know. Read and study so that you can take advantage of the monthly opportunities provided by PIFF to BE MORE, DO MORE, CARE MORE.

JULY REMINDERS: GET STARTED EARLY!

- * PI Ambassador - Select in August, honor them in September, Founder's Month. (pg. 8 Resource Manual, deadline 9/30/20).
- * Founder's Month, September Club meeting PIFF Program, include your club history.
- * Grants (pg. 11 Res Man + pilotinternational.org/grants for information and application - survey your county for projects. Identify members or community sources to assist with Grant writing - Economic Development Offices
- * Scholarships (Pgs. 11-13 Res Man) pilotinternational.org/scholarships. Download. Provide school guidance counselors or websites with information.
- * \$250 Goal for Grants & Scholarships (pg. 8 Res Man) Plan club fundraiser to participate. (P I)
- * Pacesetter (\$10/member, pg. 8 Res Man) Plan club fundraiser to participate. (P I)
- * Personal Printer Ink Cartridges – monthly collections. (AL Dist.) Turn in at Fall Council & convention.
- * M & M tubes – buy, eat, fill with quarters - turn in. (AL Dist.) Turn in at Fall Council & convention.

Peggy



What busy Pilots! Let us know! Club Presidents- Please share what your club is doing for your community. Please send your photos with a write-up to the Governor's Bulletin Editor, Pam Langhout at planghou@hiwaay.net

CLUB HIGHLIGHTS

Luncheon Pilot Club of Enterprise

Jacque Hawkins



Jacque Hawkins (left), President of the Luncheon Pilot Club of Enterprise, is shown presenting a certificate congratulating Elizabeth Woodham on being the winner of the Pilot International Alabama District Pearl Sparks Scholarship for Nursing. The scholarship for \$1,600 will be paid to her nursing program over a two year period. Woodham is an Elba High School Graduate with a grade point average of 3.5, who in the last two years of high school attended the Elba Career Academy and after passing a written (receiving an unprecedented 100%) and skills test was awarded the title of Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA). While attending Enterprise State Community College, she was accepted into the nursing program for the Summer Semester at Wallace Community College with online classes starting May 26th. Woodham is putting her CNA certification to good use working at the Elba Nursing Home and Rehabilitation Center. Woodham is the daughter of Michael and Amy Woodham of Elba.