

Alabama District Governor's Bulletin

GOVERNOR - LAURIE FRASER'S MESSAGE

Happy Holidays Alabama District!



Whether you are celebrating Christmas, Hanukkah, Kwanzaa, or something else, I wish you a very love-filled and happy time. I am looking forward to a Very Merry Christmas with a visit from my son Kyle. Between time with him, and the celebration of the birth of our Lord, it will be a bright and happy time for us! I see that the lights are already starting to come out throughout the city. This is always such a fun time of year!

Please keep in mind that there are people that have a rough time during the holidays. It might be obvious, and it might not. Please keep them in mind. Something as small as a text **to say hi** can lift someone's day.

If you're interested in sending cards, the mother of a soldier sent me a note. He is not at home for the first time at Christmas and most of his unit is overseas for their first time as well. If you are interested in writing, his address is:




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I want to thank all of you for such a wonderful start to our Pilot year. I am humbled by your generosity and hard work. I wish you the very best this Christmas and I extend my love to you as I consider each of you part of *my (Pilot) Family*.

I look forward to the New Year and new projects! **Pilots in Action!**
Laurie

ALABAMA DISTRICT PILOT INTERNATIONAL 2024-2025 DATES TO REMEMBER

-  March 7-9, 2025, Anchor Convention, Embassy, Downtown Montgomery, AL
-  April 11-13, 2025, TBI at Camp ASCCA
-  April 24-27, 2025, District Convention, Embassy, Downtown Montgomery, AL



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GOVERNOR-ELECT – LISA PATTERSON

My wish for each of you is a Holiday Season filled with love, happiness, and lots of good food shared with family & friends.

We are each filled with love for others, caring for others and making a difference to so many. As a member of the Alabama District Pilot family, what we do for one, we do for all, AND what one does in the name of Pilot for someone else is representative of all Pilots. Whether it's a Pick-Me-Up, gifts for Caregivers, gifts for others in need, or simply a smile and when we wish someone "Merry Christmas", it comes from each of us. THANK YOU!

In addition, I wanted to let each of my 2025-2026 appointees know you touched my heart every time you answered "Yes" when I asked you to serve our District. That was 100%, because no one declined!
THANK YOU!

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to each of you!

See you next year!

Lisa

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TREASURER - KAY CHANDLER

As we come to the end of 2024 and halfway through our Pilot Year, let's reflect not only on all we have done, but also all we can do in the next six months.

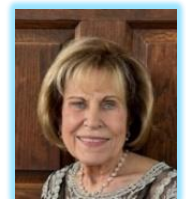
Have you invited someone to Pilot? Let's each one get one! Can you imagine what a wonderful year end that would be in June?? Our membership would be doubled! Remember, new members bring in new members.

It's time to turn in your District Project fundraising tickets. It's how we will fund next year's projects. And wouldn't it be amazing if a Pilot won the \$1,000.00??? Or a Pilot Club?

In just about 30 days we will start registering for TBI Camp. Hopefully we can have 25 Campers and Caregivers and 25 Campership donations from Pilot Clubs to fund them. Remember **Camp is April 11-13, 2025**. I hope you have already made plans to join us down at beautiful Camp ASCCA!

As we enter our Christmas Holiday Season, remember someone that may not have a reason to celebrate. Include them in your plans. We can each spread a little sunshine to someone. I wish for each of you a wonderful Christmas and hope Santa stops by to see every one of you. You are all very special to me and together we will make a difference in the Alabama District.

Kay Chandler, Treasurer



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SECRETARY - MOLLIE RILEY

Happy Holidays, My Pilot Family!



My wishes for you all are:
The Gift of Happiness,
The Gift of Joy,
The Gift of Family and Friends,
Gift of Love.

Wishing you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. I am so blessed to be a member of such a caring, loving, and devoted organization.

Hugs with Pilot Love,

Mollie Riley



*Season's
Greetings*



from



Alabama D. A. C.



Alabama District 2024-2025 Fundraiser \$1,000.00 Give Away

Tickets: \$10.00 each



Each Pilot to sell 10 Tickets.



For each 10 tickets a Pilot sells-they get one free ticket in the drawing



For each \$1,000.00 worth of tickets a Club sells, they get one free ticket in the drawing.

Cash Prizes: \$1,000.00

\$ 500.00

\$ 250.00

\$ 100.00

\$ 50.00



****If only 200 Pilots sell 10 tickets each we could net \$18,100.00 less expenses**

Drawing to be held December 7, 2024

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INSPIRATIONAL LEADER - NADEEN IVORY PILOT CARES & CONCERNS



The Bible commands us to give thanks to God in all circumstance for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus. (1 Thessalonians 5:18)

During this holiday season we should give thanks because when we express our gratefulness, we acknowledge the sovereignty and wisdom of God. He is in control of everything we face and will take whatever we experience and transform it for our good and His Glory. If we only trust him.

Remember those that have lost loved ones, this will be a difficult season for them. As Pilots, we can encourage each other during the holidays and let others know they are not alone, and everything is going to be alright. May each of you have a Merry Christmas and a Joyous New Year.

♥ Please pray for all families that have lost loved ones this year.

♥ Pray for our United States of America.

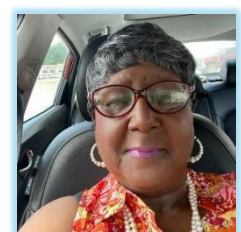


FAITH STEPS: Next time you run into a problem, make prayer your first resort instead of your last.

Please send all Prayer Requests or Celebrations to nivory2055@att.net

DO MORE, CARE MORE, BE MORE!

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ECR – LISA PALMQUIST






Do you believe that it is December? Where has the time gone? It was just July, and plans were made and set into action. However, there is still enough time left in the Pilot year, to accomplish your goals.



December 1 is the deadline for the Governor Elects to identify the District Appointees, as well as the dates and locations of the Fall Councils and the District Conventions. The new teams must start to think about where they want to charter the course for the next Pilot Year! Good luck, in advance, and happy planning.

At this time of year, we are reminded of how fortunate we all are, and how we are drawn to share with others. The funds raised because of Giving Tuesday will go a long way in assisting Pilot with its many goals this year. As the **Giving Tuesday program** is a little later this year, **please remember to donate towards this exercise.**

December 15 is a major milestone in Pilot. This is the quarterly deadline for:

-  The Pick Me Up Grant.
-  The Helmet Grant.
-  BrainMinders™ Grant.



It is also the deadline for the Heritage Garden brick orders.

Please get your applications and orders in on time.

As we get ready for the holidays, whatever you do for the end of the year, please remember to share your happiness. There are many who may struggle in their happiness, so reach out where possible, share a meal or simply a smile.

2025 will bring new experiences. As you prepare for the new year, remember the reason why you joined Pilot and share that feeling with someone else.

Happy Holidays!



In Pilot Friendship and Love,
Lisa

