

OF PILOT INTERNATIONAL

Governor's Message

Summer is heating up but unfortunately so is COVID19. Each of our states are handling issues differently and you can be assured that the DAC is monitoring this closely.

The DAC was to meet on July 7, 2020 in Columbus OH for a meeting and training. But because of the COVID issues, the meeting/training had to be cancelled. The DAC held a business meeting via Zoom on July 15, 2020. The officer training took place with the individual outgoing officer and current officer via phone.

Fall Council is the next major event for the district. It is to be held October 17, 2020 in Columbus OH. Rest assured that the DAC and Fall Council Planning Committee (members of the Pilot Club of Columbus and Millennium Pilot Club) are keeping updated with the COVID19 issues/restrictions. We will be making a decision regarding Fall Council by the end of August.

So, as you can see, your DAC continues to work on District business and activities despite COVID19. How is your club doing during this challenging time? Are you able to find new ways to do "old" things? Are you meeting in person or using a Zoom type format? Projects and fundraisers may certainly be a challenge this year.

PI President's motto this year is "Pilot: Be the One to Guide Us". Please feel free to contact any of the DAC members if your club is struggling as a result of COVID19 or any other issue. We have a great team of appointees and coordinators who can guide you to a successful year.



Pilot Love,
Marie

GOVERNOR'S CHALLENGE

Submit an article & photo(s) to PI (Pilot International) for the Pilot Log by August 31st.

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Governor Elect, Jan Flinchum (Huntington)

Dreams with hard work become goals and then accomplishments.

Hell-o hoping everyone is staying safe. **John F. Kennedy** once said, "Every accomplishment starts with the decision to try." and "Things do not happen. Things are made to happen."

Pilots make things happen. We are involved and active with our local communities, states, and international chapters. With this era of Covid-19, it is hard to have meetings or to do projects in the community. But each club keeps trying – with phone calls to members, text messages, cards. Each member shows caring in different ways and each way is wonderful. Please consider texting or calling me with any information about your club or members that I may need to know. My contact number is 304-544-8856. There is a lot I need to learn, and I certainly hope you will help me with that. With COVID-19, meetings have been cancelled and training postponed. So please help me so I can be a leader you all deserve.

I need each of the following clubs to tell me your schedule of meetings so that I may come to visit.

Please help me meet the International deadline of December.

Akron: September 15, 2020

Cambridge _____

Dayton _____ (80-year anniversary for the club)

Jackson County _____

Springfield _____

I will need the date, time and, place of the meeting along with a contact number.

Also think if there is something you want the KY-OH-WV district to accomplish or a coordinator job you might like – Drop me a line or call me to discuss.

Yours in Pilot Friendship

Jan Flinchum



REMINDERS

- Send get well, sympathy, and other wishes to Inspirational Leader, Sandy Summers, sbsummers@gmail.com.
- Clubs' plans of work and budget should be sent to Governor Marie Gravely (kyohwvgovernor@gmail.com) and the ECR by August 15.
- Does your club have a copy of the Governor's Challenge? Your club could win a free registration to the 2021 PI Convention to celebrate 100 years of Pilot. Contact Governor Mare (kyohwvgovernor@gmail.com) for more details.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

Fall Council: October 17, 2020
Columbus, OH

The committee is trying to decide if it is safe to have Fall Council this year. We welcome your thoughts and concerns on this matter so that we can make a wise decision on the status of Fall Council. Contact Governor Marie (ky-oh-wvgovernor@gmail.com) and let her know your thoughts/fears in regards to attending Fall Council in the midst of COVID19.

Spring Convention: April 16-18, 2021
Huntington, WV

100TH ANNIVERSARY
PILOT INTERNATIONAL
Atlanta - July 7 to July 11, 2021

It is with great sadness that the PC of Greater Kanawha Valley, Inc. notified us of the passing of Kelly L. George on July 12, 2020.

Kelly was a past Governor of the KYOHVV District and 7-time Club President.



The family is planning a memorial before the year is out...hopefully. If you would like to send your condolences to the family, see Valerie's address below:

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Inspirational Leader



LEADERSHIP

Our nation observed Independence Day earlier this month. Collectively and with great fanfare we celebrated the freedom, self-determination, and sovereignty that were achieved during our nation's hard-fought War of Independence.

The establishment of our Republic was made possible by leaders who demonstrated remarkable resolve, foresight, and personal sacrifice. Extraordinary tenacity and radical leadership went into fashioning the Declaration of Independence and our Constitution.

Our July 4th celebration is over for another year. The crowds dispersed, the music faded, the red, white, and blue decorations are all packed away. As we begin a new Pilot year, I feel compelled to examine those same skills that make for effective leadership for our organization and community.

I have come to realize that the formation of an individual's sense of purpose, skill set, and ability that enables him or her to lead others is dependent upon the opportunity for leadership development.

Where can one receive (at no cost) real time training and experience as an administrator, mentor, communicator, facilitator, organizer, or ambassador of a community service organization? The answer is Pilot Club.

I appreciate that Pilot Club is intentional in affirming and nurturing the potential and proficiency of all members. I was encouraged early on by members of my own club, the Pilot Club of Jackson County, to pursue a leadership role. In fact, there is an expectation that all members will fill leadership roles on some level. The very culture of Pilot Club centers on club leaders mentoring all members to become future leaders in the club and their community.

Pilot Club provides numerous opportunities for leadership training. The Fall Workshops and the Spring and International Conventions provide leadership resources and promote leadership skills development.

Thank you, Pilot Club, for setting the standard for the development of responsible capable leaders who seek to serve their community.

PIFF (Pilot International Founders Fund)

➤ CHOOSE YOUR PILOT CLUB AMBASSADOR

Submission is due to PI in September to ensure Pilot Log recognition

➤ Pick Me Up Grants due by September 15th

Application available on the PI website

Amount Awarded: Varies, but does not exceed US \$200

Eligibility: Active Pilot Clubs or Districts

Application Deadline: Quarterly Deadlines

At its most fundamental level, the Pick Me Up program is here to provide additional care and kindness to caregivers, individuals, and groups. Pick Me Up grants are to be used to fund Pick Me Up projects that are planned and have not been completed.

<http://www.pilotinternational.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/12/2015-2016-PICK-ME-UP-MANUAL.pdf>

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Other Grants available to Pilot Clubs

Emergency Response Program Grant	
Amount Awarded: Varies, but does not exceed US \$5,000; Application Deadline: October 8th	Eligibility: Active Pilot Clubs or Districts
Matching Grant	
Amount Awarded: Varies, but does not exceed US \$5,000; Application Deadline: October 8th	Eligibility: Active Pilot Clubs or Districts
Safe Harbor Relief Grant	
Amount Awarded: Varies, but does not exceed US \$500 Application Deadline: No deadline	Eligibility: Active Pilot Clubs or Districts
SCHOLARSHIPS	
Amount Awarded: Varies, but does not exceed US \$1,500 Application Deadline: March 15	Eligibility: Undergraduate Students
Becky Burrows Memorial Scholarship	
Amount Awarded: Varies, but does not exceed US \$1,000 Students Application Deadline: March 15	Eligibility: Graduate & Undergrad
Marie Newton Sepia Memorial Scholarship	
Amount Awarded: Varies, but does not exceed US \$1,000 Application Deadline: March 15	Eligibility: Master's & Doctoral Students
Ruby Newhall Memorial Scholarship (International Students Only)	
Amount Awarded: Varies, but does not exceed US \$1,500 Application Deadline: March 15	Eligibility: Master's & Doctoral Students
Bob King Memorial Scholarship	
Amount Awarded: Varies, but does not exceed US \$1,500 Undergrads Application Deadline: March 15	Eligibility: High School Srs &
KC International Scholarship	
Amount Awarded: Varies, but does not exceed US \$2,500 Eligibility: Graduating High School Seniors & Undergraduates (non-U.S. students only) Application Deadline: 4 months prior to enrollment	
KC Anchor Scholarship	
Amount Awarded: Varies, but does not exceed US \$2,500 Undergrads Application Deadline: March 15	Eligibility: High School Srs &
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We did not have our annual Convention and Leadership Conference in Atlantic City, but we still had Council of Leaders and district officer training. Ninety-two district officers and Executive Committee Representatives participated via Zoom. This shows what dedicated leaders we have in Pilot. Fundraisers, fundraisers, fundraisers. Not holding convention did not keep us from raising money. Raffles included PIFF progressive cash, Co-Pilot Calcutta, Reflection of Serenity, and limited-edition convention photo books. Pilot International officers were elected and installed. A budget was passed. None of this was done in the normal Pilot fashion. The challenge of learning new ways to handle Pilot business was accepted and met.

We cannot walk side by side in Atlantic City, but we can walk together as Pilots wherever we are. The 2020 Convention PIFF Walk will be combined with the Pilot Walk on October 3, 2020. Join with your fellow Pilots and raise Pilot awareness and support the Pilot International Founders Fund. You still have time to order your Walk Shirt. All orders must be submitted by August 14, 2020. Shirts will be mailed to you after September 1, 2020. There is another incentive to buy a Walk T-shirt. Wear it to pick up your registration packet at the 2021 Annual Convention and Leadership Conference next year in Atlanta, Georgia and receive a prize.

We are in our 99th year of Pilot Friendship and Service. Start making your plans to attend the 100-year anniversary convention in Atlanta, Georgia, July 7-11, 2021. You will not want to miss the fun and fellowship of this momentous convention.

Keep wearing those Pilot shirts on the first Saturday of the month. Show your Pilot spirit and increase Pilot visibility. Continue to grow your membership. The district with the largest percentage of new members in 2020-2021 will be recognized in Atlanta, have their picture in the Fall issue of the Pilot Log and receive \$100.

Please consider applying for Pick Me Up Grants and Helmet Grants. Pick Me Ups are a great way to uplift and appreciate those who care for others. Pilot International Helmet Matching Grants will provide your club with an opportunity to participate in our Signature Project. Applications can be found on the PI website and are due September 15 for this quarter.

It is time to name a Pilot Ambassador. A donation to PIFF and the Ambassador's name is due by September 30. The donation helps fund Pilot's Safe Harbor grant program. Your Ambassador's name will appear in the Pilot Log. PIFF matching grant applications are due October 15. Matching grants are a good way to fund projects in your community.

Pilot International – Be the One to Guide Me. Let us make 2020-2021 a great year.

Love and Hugs!

Treasurer's Note:

2019-2020 DAC voted there will be no District Dues for current and new members for 2020-2021.

PLEASE continue to send New member or change of membership forms to PI and District Treasurer.

COMMUNICATION IS THE KEY TO SUCCESS

Do you have a Pilot International Member Click login? You will find all member resources online at <https://pin.memberclicks.net/login#/login>

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Creativity is
 allowing yourself
 to make mistakes.
 Art is knowing
 which ones to keep.
 ~Scott Adams

We are living in unknown times. During the last few months many of us have had to make changes to our everyday lives. Some of us learned to be teachers to our children at home. A few of us worked from home while teaching our children or grandchildren. I have always had a great respect for those that are able to teach. Since March of this year, this respect has turned into awe

My child has dyslexia. We have struggled for years trying to help him with homework and understand how his mind works. This time during covid-19 quarantine has amplified this hardship. Intervention Specialists have been in schools for years helping those children that struggle to learn within the box. We realized that most of the teachers provide supplies for their class; it is because of this that Pilot Club of Cambridge has developed a grant for Intervention Specialists in our area. For the past 3 years we have raised money to give back to these teachers.

Hopefully, as summer comes to a close, and we look upon the upcoming school year, we can reflect on this time. We have spent months wearing numerous hats and in doing so with a bit of luck we now have a newly found admiration for those unspoken heroes. Teachers were there and shaped us when we were learning. Now as adults, they are helping us by shaping the minds of our children. To all those teachers out there, thank you! You are appreciated more than you know.

MARGIE ATER AWARD

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THE AWARD PROVIDES A FREE DISTRICT CONVENTION REGISTRATION TO A PILOT MEMBER WHO SPONSORS THE MOST MEMBERS DURING THE CLUB YEAR FROM APRIL THRU MARCH

CLUB AND MEMBER SPOTLIGHT



Shannon Hill from the Millennium Pilot Club

2020-2021 PI Founders Fund Grants Chair

Thank you for serving on the International level of Pilot Club!

GET WELL

Mary Graham of the Pilot Club of St Albans on her recent eye surgery.

Congratulations!!!!

Pilot Club of Columbus received a PIFF Matching Grant to help purchase six (6) new iPads for a school's Therapy Dept.

Look for more details in the Pilot Log



Wishes for a speedy recovery!

Terry Utterback, DAC Treasurer from Toledo, OH Club recently had a ruptured appendix. She is home now in good spirits but will need follow up over the next several weeks!

NEXT MONTH:

Email club, member, appointee and/or coordinator articles to kyohwvsecretary@gmail.com by the 20th to be included in the next month's bulletin.

CLUB: Cambridge

Coordinator: Leadership by Suzette Lowe

Can your club be found on an Internet or Facebook search? Why would you want to.....look what I found!

Pilot Club of St Albans

Greta Tillinghast Tyler and Suzette Lowe had the honor and pleasure to attend the installation of officers at the St. Albans Pilot Club (Greta was the installing officer). It looks as though they had a lovely ceremony at Angela's on the River.



FACEBOOK Post on

[St. Albans On Purpose Project](#)

[October 11, 2019](#) · [Saint Albans, WV](#) ·

I enjoyed meeting so many interesting people and learning about some of our civic groups in St. Albans, there are so many opportunities to be involved!

- 25177 Foundation
- Coal River Group
- Star Club Inc.
- Rotary Club of St Albans WV
- St. Albans Ladies Club
- Kiwanis Club of St. Albans, West Virginia
- St. Albans Lions Club **[St. Albans Pilot Club](#)**

Pilot International

2020 Pocket Calendar

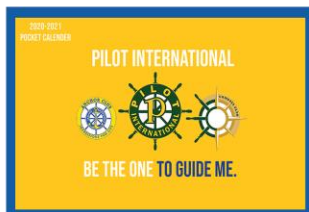
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WE ARE PILOT INTERNATIONAL

Pilot International's mission is to influence positive change in communities throughout the world. To do this, we come together in friendship and service, focusing on encouraging brain safety and health and supporting those who care for others.

A Pilot Club in the neighborhood means an informed, aware, caring, and active presence in the community.

International dues to PI Headquarters by July 1.
 Celebrating 100th Anniversary paid by Club Treasurer to PI HQ by July 1.
 Club Officer Nominations, Programs, and Budget sent to District Governor by August 15.
 District and Club Treasurers deliver books to the Audit Committee by July 31.
 Convention report presented by delegate at business meeting (July or August).



Register for PI Convention, July 7 - 10, 2021, Atlanta, GA - 100 Year Anniversary
 Anchor Club of the Year (ACOTY) will be due to PI HQ by April 15.
 Anchor Advisor of the Year submission due to PI HQ by April 15.
 Club Officer Nominations to PI HQ, District Governor, and ECR by May 1.
 Pilot Award applications due to PI HQ by May 15.
 Proposed Budget Resolutions made by the Treasurer and Executive Director no later than 60 days prior to first day of PI Convention.

JULY 2020						
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