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# Deck Chatter

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## From Our President



Hey Pilots:

And hello to September! We talked about it at our last meeting, so here is your reminder: Saturday, September 2nd is #PilotFirstSaturday where we should wear our Pilot shirts as we go out

and about to share our PI pride! Take a picture or two and send it in to Claire. We also get to select who is going to be our club ambassador. The lucky Pilot will have their picture submitted to be included in the Winter PI Log. Also, the donation we submit for the Ambassador Fund benefits the PI Safe Harbor Fund. It's a good thing! Have a safe and fun Labor Day Weekend and I look forward to seeing you at our meeting on Monday, September 11th.

In remembrance of our Florida District Governor Barbara Keck: Be like a peacock and dance with all of your beauty.

"Strut Your Pilot Pride"

In Pilot Friendship,

*Annette*



## FUTURE EVENTS

- September** - Classroom Connection Hartsfield TBA
- September 8** - BrainO St Augustine Plantation 1:30 p.m.
- September 11** - Club Meeting 6:00 p.m. - Momo's
- September 15** - BrainO The Grove at Canopy 10:30 a.m.
- September 22** - BrainO Canterfield 3:00 p.m.

# Pilot International History



Pilot International was chartered on October 18, 1921 in Macon, Georgia by Elizabeth Leonard and forty local business women. The name "Pilot" was inspired by the mighty riverboat pilots of that day who represented leadership and guidance.

**Pilot Principles:** Friendship and Service

**Motto:** True Course Ever

**Colors:** Green (life and vigor) and Gold (sincerity of purpose)

**Emblem:** A riverboat pilot's wheel with eight spokes

**First Pilot President:** Lucy B. Allen, elected at the organization's first convention in 1922

Ruby Newhall, President of Pilot International in 1949, first envisioned Anchor Clubs - Pilot's youth service organization arm

The first issue of The Pilot Log was published in January 1924. Early issues were single page bulletins containing club news. Pearl Sparks, author of the Pilot Code of Ethics, once served as editor of The Pilot Log (1927-1928)

Pilot International Founders Fund (PIFF) was established in 1975 to further Pilot's humanitarian efforts. Since PIFF grand and scholarship program began in 1977, more than \$3.2 million has been awarded to Pilot Clubs and students seeking higher education.

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## Pilot Scholarship House Foundation



Janene Anderson (Pilot Club of Quincy), Judy Housel (Pilot Club of Titusville) and Judy's sister Anice Prosser, joined the our club members for the delivery of our annual breakfast food to the residents at the LaVerne Weddle Pilot Scholarship House at FSU. Some of the residents were already there and joined us in the picture.

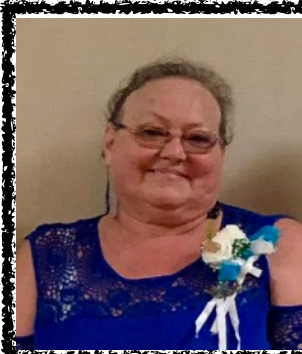
# Pilot International Founders Day

The first official Pilot Club meeting was held on October 18, 1921. From that day on, Pilots around the world gather together to meet, celebrate and honor this historic day, October 18, as Founders Day, the birthday of a grand idea, the day of our noble club's founding. On this day, we celebrate Pilot International. We honor the history and tradition of our storied organization, and we celebrate the gifts that we – as today's Pilots – are able to bestow through our strength, through our friendship and through our service.



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## Florida District



Barbara Keck, Florida District Governor, Pilot Club of Fort Pierce, passed on August 27. Barbara had been a Pilot member since July of 2006. Please keep her family in your thoughts and prayers. Rest in peace, Barbara.

Hurricane Ivalia has come and gone. We were very fortunate that we did not receive any significant damage from the storm. Each District Administrative Council (DAC) officer checked on their clubs to make sure our Florida Pilots were safe. The reports are that everyone is safe. Good news!

There will be six of us (Annette, Claire, Mallory, Charlotte, Barbara and Pam) attending Fall Council on October 13-15 at the Hilton Rialto in Melbourne. We will have a raffle (along with our cookbooks, stitching, scrubbies and Pilot pin holders) in Marketplace, to raise money for our club. You know we are going to stand up and show our "talent" in the lip sync performance.



Like peacocks, don't be afraid to "shake your tail feathers" – embrace your gifts and what you can do. Let us continue to strive to make a better world. Don't hold back and begin now.

Pilots are proud and confident – like peacocks

# Club Happenings

We had a fulfilling month - finished installing the Chiles High School Anchor officer; conducted Chiles High School Anchor officer training; BrainO at Tapestry and Brookdale; bought and delivered breakfast foods to the residents of the LaVerne Weddle Pilot Scholarship House (see page 2); attended the Civic and Faith Based School Volunteers' breakfast; and had our monthly meeting.

