



NC DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S BULLETIN

BY LESLIE MCLAUGHLIN



GREETINGS PILOTS!!

It is almost time for Fall Workshop and your DAC has worked very hard and we are excited!! Please plan to attend as the day will be an opportunity for learning, a time for sharing with other Pilot friends, and just plain fun!

Please note the list of items in this bulletin to collect at Fall Workshop for J. Iverson Riddle.

REMEMBER.....

YOU MATTER IN PILOT!

Governor Leslie



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SEPTEMBER-RECOGNIZE PI AMBASSADOR

**SEPTEMBER 9, 2023-DEADLINE TO
RESERVE ROOM FOR FALL WORKSHOP AT
FAIRFIELD INN-MORGANTON, NC**

**SEPTEMBER 15-PICK ME UP AND GRANT
DEADLINE**

**SEPTEMBER 30-PI AMBASSADOR FORMS
DUE TO PI**

**OCTOBER 7-COMMUNITY PILOT WALK AND
PILOT 1ST SATURDAY**

**OCTOBER 14-FALL WORKSHOP-
MORGANTON, NC**

**APRIL 5-6, 2024- DISTRICT CONVENTION-
SOUTHPORT, NC**

**JULY 17-20, 2024-PILOT INTERNATIONAL
CONVENTION - DENVER, COLORADO**





inspire



Ralph Waldo Trine (1866 – 1958) was an American New Thought writer, philosopher, and animal welfare activist. When I read the following piece that he wrote many years ago, it reminded me of the way we Pilots feel in our commitment to community service. See if you don't agree...

He who, forgetting self, makes the object of his life service, finds his whole nature growing and expanding, himself becoming large-hearted, magnanimous, kind, sympathetic, joyous, and happy; his life becoming rich and beautiful. Please let us know of any concerns, cares, accomplishments, good news, etc. We all care so much about each other and hope to share the joys as well as the sorrows in each other's lives.

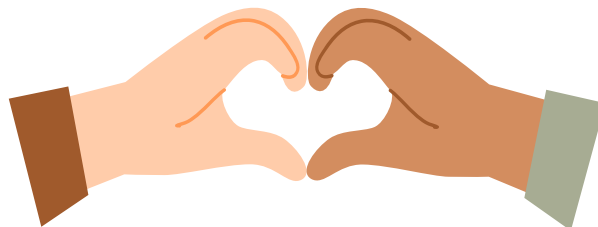
**Sending you all lots of Pilot love and some cyber hugs, too!
Marian**

Cares, Concerns, and Congratulations

Pilot Club of Raleigh – Elizabeth Stock's son Brian is recovering from a stroke. His recovery is going well, but still has lots of physical therapy ahead for a complete recovery.

Susan Fewell's Co-Pilot Glenn is having surgery due to the effects of diabetes. Please keep both Susan and Glenn in your thoughts and prayers.

Florida District- Governor Barbara Keck passed away on August 27. Please keep her family and everyone who loved her in your thoughts and prayers as they try to find peace.





Historic
Morganton Community House
120 N King Street
Morganton, NC 28655



Accommodations
Fairfield Inn & Suites
400 North Green St
Morganton, NC 28655
844-200-8708

SAVE THE DATE

Fall Workshop

Come Join Us For a Day
of Fun and Fellowship

as

We Learn about Pilot and
Share Our Successes.

October 14, 2023

Please call and get your room booked as soon as possible

Rooms have been blocked. Ask for NC District Pilot International rate.

Local Phone# 828-608-0900

Reservations must be made by SEPTEMBER 9, 2023!

If you need to stay Saturday night also, go ahead and book your room. Then let me know about 2nd night. Fairfield will honor same rate if I let them know how many are staying.



YOU ARE INVITED TO

FRIDAY NIGHT SOCIAL



13 OCTOBER 2023 7:00-9:00 PM

THE MAGNOLIA ROOM
FAIRFIELD INN
MORGANTON, NC





ECR MESSAGE

NICKOLA DAWKINS



The month of September is usually associated with fall activities, apple picking and back to school season. Additionally, September is also known for setting goals and moving towards accomplishing those goals.

For Pilots, September is the month for deadlines and goals namely, PI Ambassador, the Pilot Walk, Fall/Council/Workshop and Matching Grants.

PI Ambassador

During the month of September, which is Founders Fund Month (PIFF Month), the club nominates one or more members, per the guidelines and presents a PI Ambassador certificate. The Ambassador's name(s) by club and district, is printed in the January/February issue of THE PILOT LOG. This can only be done if the deadline is met.

Please note that the due date is September 30th, 2023. The minimum amount to be sent to Pilot International, is \$25.00.

Pilot Walk

On October 7th, 2023, Districts are encouraged to host a Pilot Walk. The Pilot Walk is a way to showcase Pilot in your communities and to highlight our Pilot Spirit! Districts/Clubs use the Walk for members to fellowship with each other, have fundraising events, share a meal or healthy treat and also to invite new members to join. Participate in the Pilot Walk on October 7th and remember you too, Matter IN Pilot!

Fall Council/Workshop

At the discretion of the District, a Fall Council or Workshop can be held. The Fall Council/Workshop can be used for:

- Training/Workshops.**
- Conducting emergency business.**
- Fellowship**

The sessions take place over one to three days. The District Governor invites members to the meeting, sixty days prior to the meeting. Members can also use this time to share ideas regarding projects and other club activities which may be useful to other clubs.

In addition, to the working sessions, there is usually a period set aside to allow members to fellowship with others.

For additional information on Fall Council/Workshop, please see the link below:

<https://www.pilotinternational.org/members/smartbook>

Matching Grants

A Pilot, Anchor or Compass Club or District can apply for a Matching Grant to assist with the funding of a project. The project can fall into one of the following categories:

- Brain Safety & Health.**
- Supporting Those Who Care for Others.**
- STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts & Math) – Related Projects.**

There are three important dates to note when submitting your grant applications:

- October 15th. This is the deadline for submission of the application.**
- January 31st. This is when checks and denials notices are sent out to applicants of grants.**
- October 1st. Grant evaluation forms are due after grants have been approved.**

Please note that all applications must be signed by the District PIFF Representative and all applications must be signed.

For additional information, please check the Pilot International Website using the link below:

<https://www.pilotinternational.org/members/smartbook>



TOGETHER
WE CAN MAKE A
DIFFERENCE 

Leadership
September 2023



Are you ready to Make a Difference in Pilot this year? If so, we are going to have a great time talking Leadership and all that it entails. Did you know that Pilot International was founded in Macon, Georgia by 40 local business women. They had the name "Pilot" which was inspired by the riverboat pilots of that day who represented leadership and guidance. It took a special kind of person that could guide the riverboats and get them to their destinations, much like our leaders guide our club and district.

Our goal this year is to help members see their potential in being a future Club, District or International leader. We'll make sure we get the questions answered that members have (and we've heard lots of them) and we'll dispel the myths. I hope you'll take a few minutes and click on this link or copy and paste it into your web browser

(<https://forms.gle/eZeqjptVW2hehgVv8>) to share your thoughts with me prior to Fall Workshop. For those that submit comments, you'll be entered into a drawing for a fun prize at Fall Workshop.

So, I hope you'll come along for the ride and have some fun as we explore leadership at all levels in Pilot. See how you can Make a Difference. We'll share more at Fall Workshop. Thank you for the opportunity to serve as Leadership Coordinator this year. I'm looking forward to Making a Difference with all of you.

TAKE SURVEY



Shannon Clegg
2023-2024 Leadership Coordinator
2015-2016 Pilot International President
2008-2009 NC District Governor





**FALL WORKSHOP
OCTOBER 14, 2023
MORGANTON, NC
\$30/PERSON INCLUDES LUNCH**

PILOT CLUB _____

No	Name	Paid	1st Timer
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**REGISTRATION DUE SEPTEMBER 30, 2023
MAIL FORM AND PAYMENT TO:
FRANCES WRIGHT
1404 CANTERBURY ROAD
TARBORO, NC 27886**





J. IVERSON RIDDLE LIST (MARTHA'S CLOSET)

MEN'S WHITE UNDERSHIRTS (ALL SIZES)

WOMEN'S GOWNS (MED. & LARGE)

**BODY WASH (SOME OF THE BODY WASHES NOW CONTAIN
CAFFEINE. WE CANNOT GIVE RESIDENTS BODY WASH WITH
CAFFEINE.)**

SHAMPOO & CONDITIONER

BABY DOLLS (ALL ETHNICITIES)

FINGERNAIL POLISH & REMOVER

**LEISURE ITEMS (EX: LARGE UNO CARDS, OLD MAID, BOARD
GAMES)**

ADULT COLORING BOOKS/ PICTURE TRACING BOOKS

CRAYONS

MARKERS

SOCKS

ELASTIC WAIST PANTS (MEN & WOMEN)

MEN & WOMEN BODY SPRAY

BASEBALL HATS (MEN & WOMEN)

MAGAZINES

***ASKING EACH CLUB TO BRING ITEMS FROM
THIS LIST TO FALL WORKSHOP FOR OUR
SERVICE PROJECT.***



FROM YOUR PIFF REPRESENTATIVE -AMY HURST

MEET OUR NEWEST BRAINMINDER BUDDY! TIANA THE TIGER IS OUR NEWEST BUDDY. IN CASE YOU ARE NOT ON FACEBOOK OR THE INTERNET, I HOPE SOMEONE IS PRINTING YOUR GOVERNOR'S BULLETINS FOR YOU. I "BORROWED" THIS POST AND THOUGHT IT WOULD BE AN APPROPRIATE PIFF MESSAGE FOR THE SEPTEMBER BULLETIN.

TIPS FOR A SUCCESSFUL GRANT APPLICATION:

1. START EARLY
2. READ ALL DIRECTIONS
3. HAVE MULTIPLE MEMBERS CHECK BEHIND YOU BEFORE SUBMISSION
4. TAKE SUGGESTIONS/CORRECTIONS GRACEFULLY

MATCHING GRANTS: DEADLINE IS OCTOBER 15

HELMET GRANTS AND PICK ME UP GRANT : DEADLINES ARE SEPTEMBER 15, DECEMBER 15, MARCH 15 AND JUNE 15
YOU MAY APPLY FOR BOTH A HELMET AND A PICK ME UP GRANT DURING THE CLUB YEAR, BUT YOU ARE LIMITED TO 1 HELMET AND 1 PICK ME UP GRANT (JULY1, 2023-JUNE 30, 2024).

GOOD LUCK!!

MEET TIANA THE TIGER, OUR FEARLESS NUTRITION CHAMPION! DIVE INTO THE BRAINMINDERS™ GRANT PROGRAM AND MAKE A DIFFERENCE FOR KIDS, YOUTH, AND ADULTS, WHILE PROUDLY SUPPORTING PILOT INTERNATIONAL. APPLICATIONS OPEN DECEMBER 15TH FOR A CHANCE FOR PILOT, COMPASS, AND ANCHOR CLUBS TO SECURE UP TO \$200. EATING HEALTHY IS ONE OF THE BEST WAYS TO TAKE CARE OF YOUR BODY & BRAIN! #TIANATHETIGER #BRAINMINDERS™ #PILOTINTERNATIONAL #NUTRITION #HEALTHYEATING #BRAINHEALTH FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THIS GRANT, PLEASE VISIT: [HTTPS://WWW.PILOTINTERNATIONAL.ORG/.../APPLY-FOR-GRANTS...](https://www.pilotinternational.org/.../apply-for-grants...) (THIS SITE IS ACCESSIBLE EXCLUSIVELY TO MEMBERS.) OR SEND AN EMAIL TO [BRAINMINDERS@PILOTHQ.ORG](mailto:BrainMinders@PilotHQ.org)



Meet our newest member:
Tiana the Tiger

Tiana is this year's mascot for the BrainMinders™ Grant!

