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# Southeast Section 99s Women Pilots

## Governor's Radio Call



Hard to believe that it's been almost a month since the SE Section Meeting in Greensboro, NC. The Kitty Hawk Chapter hosted a great meeting. From tower tours to creamery tours, you could not ask for more! As you can see from the picture, we had a great turn out for this meeting. The Kitty Hawk Chapter made my first section meeting as Governor a breeze!

I am heading off tomorrow to Oklahoma City for the 99s International Board of Director's (IBOD) Meeting. On Saturday, Nov. 2nd, we will be celebrating our 90th Anniversary at the 99s Headquarters. I know that many of our chapters are doing their 90th celebrations on this day also, please send me pictures and details!

**Ramona Banks**  
SE Section Governor  
Alabama Chapter



## 2019 Fall Meeting SE Section First Time Attendees

### Vice Governor's Flare

I want to thank the Kitty Hawk Chapter for their hard work in hosting the SE Section meeting in Greensboro. A good time was had by all thanks to your efforts including the last-minute scramble(s).

We had 14 first time attendees at this section meeting. It is always good to see new faces! Think about bringing a new member to the Spring Section meeting.

**Lois Horne**

Vice Governor SE Section  
Memphis Chapter



### NIFA 2019 at Sun 'N Fun

NIFA 2019 is November 3-7 at Sun 'N Fun this year. The details for this event can be at <http://www.polkstateflightteam.com/region-ix-safecon-2019/> Hosted by Polk State College with Aaron Rajanen, Chief Judge.

YOU CAN VOLUNTEER FOR A FEW HOURS, ALL DAY OR ALL WEEK! YOUR CHOICE!

An Airbnb home has been reserved by Marilyn Shafer ( [ProBBMom@gmail.com](mailto:ProBBMom@gmail.com)) with five bedrooms and a pool. Contact Marilyn for more details and to make your reservation.

There will be a social at the Sun 'N Fun 99s building on Clubhouse Row on Wednesday, November 6, from 4 pm – 5:30 pm for the women involved in the competition. There will be hors d'oeuvres and beverages. If you can't volunteer as a judge, please feel free to join the social gathering with these young women and help to tell them about the 99s.

### New Horizon Scholarship

Our Vice Governor, Lois Horne, and the New Horizon Committee is working on the application for the New Horizon Scholarship. The application will be posted before the end of the year on the SE Section website. The New Horizon Scholarship is for any level of flight certificate or rating in the amount of \$2500 for Southeast Section Members. Students may apply providing they have a solo





endorsement in their logbook from a CFI and have been an active member of the Ninety-Nines for one year prior to submitting their application for the New Horizon Scholarship. The 2019 application is posted on the website if you want to look at some of the requirements to ensure you meet the minimum requirements. This is a great way to honor our fellow aviatrix that have soared on to

new horizons.

## Airmarking

Don't forget to send our Airmarking Chairman, **Lois Horne**, your air marking pictures for those who have paintings planned this fall. She would love to get them posted on the website to show where our 99 Logo is residing across the SE Section. Excellent means of advertising who we are and what a great team-building event for a chapter. Feel free to contact her for helpful hints, tips, or information to give to an interested airport manager.



When you submit a picture, please include some details like:

- Location: [airport name, <identifier>]
- Date:
- Size: \_\_\_ ft diameter
- Volunteers: \_\_\_\_\_ 99; \_\_\_\_\_ 491/2; \_\_\_\_\_ 33; \_\_\_\_\_ Friends of the Ninety Nines; \_\_\_\_\_ Others
- Paint used (surface): \_\_\_\_\_ gals White; \_\_\_\_\_ gals Blue; \_\_\_\_\_ gals Black (if applicable)

## 2020 SE Section Flyout - March 20-22, 2020



I want to invite everyone to meet me at Americus, Georgia, on March 20 – 22 to spend a weekend just to hang out and get to know each other better. There will be nothing planned by the SE Section or by me! It will be a friends getting together. You are welcome to bring family and friends.

We will be staying at **Windsor Hotel**. The Windsor Hotel was built in 1892 and is a five-story Victorian masterpiece architecturally designed with tower and

turret, balconies, and a three-story open atrium lobby. Right now, rates are running \$99 a night for a Queen room and \$100 for a Double room.

If you fly in, you will be landing at Jimmy Carter Regional (ACJ). This airport has a rich history in aviation with Charles Lindbergh buying a Curtiss JN-4 "Jenny" biplane and performing his first solo in May 1923 at the airport.

More to come on the get away, but mark your calendars now!

***Please note the date has changed from the weekend of March 14th to the weekend of March 21th!***

# T E A M Together Everyone Aviates More



One of the best things about being a member of the Ninety-Nines organization is the organization's ability to help ladies achieve their aviation goals.

Together Everyone Aviates More when you have 900 members who.....

- Inspire you to reach bigger dreams.
- Offers guidance to help you achieve your aviation goals.
- Share stories on their aviation experience that helps you stay safe.
- Information to help you navigate your aviation journey.

So please continue to highlight the TEAM concept in your meetings, outings, or interactions with one another. As you know, we are working on retaining our lovely ladies in the SE Section of the Ninety-Nines, so let someone know how much you appreciate their wisdom, encouragement, support, and financial support. It is how we all WIN in pursuing dreams, goals, and happiness.



## Plan now for 2020 Spring SE Meeting

Start planning to attend the 2020 SE Section Spring Meeting in May hosted by the Florida Heartland Chapter. The dates are May 14-17. The theme is "I'm Ready.... Is My Airplane?" The registration form will be out soon, but if you want more information now contact [Bev Mautner](#).

## Bee is Turning 99!

The 99s celebrate their 90th year as WWII pilot Bernice "Bee" Haydu (WASP) turns 99! There will be a presentation of Bee's Aviation History.

The anniversary/birthday party will be held Saturday, December 7th, 2019 from 4pm to 9pm. Cake will be served after dinner at 7pm.

Palm Beach Shores Community Center, 100 Edwards Lane, Palm Beach Shores (on Singer Island), Florida 33404.

We invite you to join us in commemorating this special day at our wonderful event.

RSVP [Ruth Jacobs](#), Florida Heartland.



## Forest of Friendship

by Myra Bugbee



Have you ever been to Kansas? If not, click your ruby red slippers and take a trip.

The 43rd annual celebration and induction ceremony was held in Atchison, Kansas, on September 20 - 21. This year's theme was Discovery through Flight.

The Forest of Friendship is a dynamic, living arboretum that honors and memorializes men and women who have contributed to aviation and aerospace. The inductees include general aviation aviators to professional pilots to famous astronauts. The Honorees need not be pilots. However, they are all women and men who have given dedicated service, leadership, friendship, and support to help others achieve aviation goals and have contributed to furthering aviation.

Trees from all 50 states in the USA and 36 countries are positioned throughout the Forest grounds, where stones engraved with over 1500 honorees line the walkways.

*In September, SE Section members, Myra Bugbee, Terry Carbonell, and Ellen Herr, were inducted into the Forest of Friendship.*



## Share Your Chapter's News and Upcoming Events

Has your chapter done something you want to brag about or one of your members has received a new rating or her pilot's certificate? Are you have a fly-in and would love for other chapters to join you? Share it with the SE Section by sending an email to me at [ramona.banks@alabama99s.org](mailto:ramona.banks@alabama99s.org).



## Chapter News!



### Alabama Chapter

**Oct 12:** Alabama Chapter volunteering at the WAI in Aviation Day

**Nov 2 :** Flyout to Prattville, AL 1A9

**Jan 25:** Amelia Earhart Luncheon at Southern Museum of Flight, Birmingham, AL. Speaker Nelda Lee, retired Boeing Flight Test Engineer. First woman to record fly time in an F-15! Contact Nancy Miller-Borg for more information.

### Florida Goldcoast

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2019

**90th Anniversary Celebration &  
Scholarship Award presentation  
Saturday NOV 9, 2019**



**Nov 9 - 90th Anniversary Celebration and Scholarship Award Presentation**

9:00 AM - 11:00 AM  
LET'S FLY NOW Program

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
Social and Costume Contest and Judging

12:00 PM - 12:30 PM  
Catered Lunch Served

12:30 PM - 1:00 PM  
Key Note Speaker Terry Carbonell. The Ninety-Nines, Inc | Then and Now

1:00 PM - 1:30 PM  
Scholarship Awards Presentation



**Florida Suncoast**

**Nov 2:** 99s' 90th Birthday celebration at Painting with a Twist, St.Pete

**Nov 3-7:** NIFA SAFECON at Lakeland Airport

**Nov 9:** NOAA Hurricane Hunter tour at Lakeland airport

**Memphis Chapter**

**Oct 26:** Jackson McKellar Aviation Adventures Camp, Let's Fly Now, and 99s Birthday. Weather didn't cooperate for flights but still had a great day!

**Nov 2:** Let's Fly Now flights McKellar/Sipes Regional (MKL).



**Nashville Chapter**

**Sept 15:** Organized the 99s booth at AOPA's Fly-in in Tullahoma

**Oct 19:** First Chapter Meeting at BNA. Chapter is currently 18 members!



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