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International Organization of Women Pilots®



Southeast Section Fall Section Meeting Minutes

October 8, 2022, Knoxville, Tennessee

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Fall Southeast Section Meeting Minutes

Knoxville, TN

October 8, 2022

Janice Pelletti Southeast Section (SES) Governor called the meeting to order at 8:30am EDT. Janice welcomed everyone and thanked them for attending

The chapter roll call was made by Janice McWilliams SES Secretary, there were fourteen chapters in attendance and a quorum was declared

Lois Horne SES Vice Governor introduced the board members in attendance: Janice Pelletti, Governor; Lois Horne, Vice-Governor; Janice McWilliams, Secretary; Ramona Banks, Immediate Past Governor. Caroline Hodges, Treasure; Anita Mixon and Michele Sonier, Directors were not able to attend. Lois introduced Janet Patton, International Director and our International Representative for the Fall SES Meeting. Lois Horne recognized all of the SES Past Governors in attendance: Terri Carbonell, Mae Marquet, Ramona Banks, Corbi Bulluck, and Mary Fletcher.

Janice Pelletti asked if there were any additions or correction to the 2022 Spring Section Business Meeting Minutes as printed in the 2022 Fall Section Business Meeting Packet. There were no additions or corrections to the minutes. Terri Carbonell moved the 2022 Spring Section Business Minutes be approved. Terri Bazacos seconded and the motion passed.

Lois Horne recognized our first-time attendees and newest members. Laurie Reeves was recognized as being a member the longest of all those in attendance.

SES Board Officers' Reports;

Lois Horne, Vice Governor; Janice McWilliams, Secretary; Ramona Banks, Immediate Past Governor; and Janice Pelletti, Governor gave their reports as published in the meeting packet. Ramona Banks announced a SES flyout the weekend of Oct 29 at Land Between the Lakes in Kentucky. Ramona thanked all the chapters who helped with the International Hospitality Suite. Janice Pelletti reported the restart of the Blue Ridge Chapter. Janice thanked the SES Board and all the SES members for their support and help.

International Representative's Report

Lois Horne introduced our International Representative Janet Patton. Janice Patton gave the report from International.

- The 99s International Conference in Charleston June 6-10 held the first ever one person one vote business meeting which was attended virtually and in person. The new meeting format was a huge success.
- The International Board of Directors Fall Business Meeting will be November 4-5 and will be live and virtual (Zoom).

- The deadline for intent to seek election for the Spring 2023 ballot is December 30, 2022. There are two positions open for director, two for the nominating committee. If you are interested in a trustee position, please contact the trustee chair.
- The deadline for the International Awards nominations is January 31, 2023. Please submit nominations for Award of Achievement, Award of Merit, and The George Palmer Putman Award.
- The deadlines for the two classes offered each year for Professional Pilots Leadership Initiative (PPLI) are January 31, 2023 and July 31, 2023. The PPLI is an eighteen to twenty-four-month mentor opportunity for 99s seeking a commercial rating or higher and looking for a career in aviation.
- 99s membership requires membership on the international level. Chapters can collect donations from members but not dues.
- The 2023 International Conference will be hosted by the Arabian Section in Jordan. The dates being considered for the conference are Oct 27 and 28 with optional tours Oct 29-Nov 2.

Janet expressed a thank you to everyone from the International Board of Directors (IBOD) and then asked for questions. Corbi Bulluck asked Janet for a report on how the hiring of an Executive Director (CEO) for International was coming along. Hiring a CEO has been recommended by a consultant that was hired to advise the organization. At this time the IBOD is not thinking of hiring a CEO and plans to focus on fund raising instead. One concern the IBOD has is the salary cost of a CEO. The discussion continued concerning the benefit of a CEO versus the cost.

Janice Pelletti reported that our treasure Caroline Hodges was not able to attend the meeting today, however the financial report is in the meeting packet. Full payment of \$3500, \$2500 from the SES and a donation of \$1000, has been made for the New Horizon Scholarship recipient for 2022. A \$625 donation was received from the Blackbaud Giving Fund. The Florida Firstcoast Chapter was given a \$1000 advance for the Spring Section which will be repaid. Janice then asked for the members input on moving funds from the general operating budget to the scholarship fund and possibly increasing the scholarship amount or adding a second scholarship. Lois Horne spoke more about a second scholarship possibly designed for new pilots and new members. Lois recommended increasing the New Horizon Scholarship to \$3500. Teri Carbonell recommended moving \$10,000 from the SES operating budget to the New Horizon Scholarship fund, increase the scholarship to \$3500 and add a new scholarship of \$2500 for the Fall. Lois added there is no fund raiser in the budget for this year. Janice Pelletti asked members to send their comments about the scholarship funding to the SES board members.

Committee Reports;

Ramona Banks, Ways and Means Committee Chair encouraged everyone to consider making recurring donations.

Lois Horne gave the airmarking report, the complete report is in the meeting packet. Painting a compass rose is a great way for us to get our brand out there. Let Lois know if you are interested, she can help and knows the best techniques and short cuts.

Ruth Jacobs has provided an educational project in the education report which is in the meeting packet.

Mary Woody gave the membership report, the complete report is in the meeting packet. The SES has 226 new members for a total membership of 1030. We are now the second largest section. Mary then recognized all the SES members with milestone anniversaries for their years of membership in the 99s. Sophia Payton was recognized for her 76 years of membership.

Janice Pelletti gave the NIFA report for Marilyn Schaffer, NIFA Chair who was not able to attend. Volunteers are needed for the NIFA event in Louisiana Oct 16-20, the Carolinas Oct 19-22, Tennessee the last of October and Nov 1-5 in Lakeland. Please go to the NIFA website for more details. The complete NIFA report is in the meeting packet.

Ramona Banks reported on the new website for the SES. The new website is live. Ramona asked the chapter chairs to contact her with their chapter information. Ramona needs to add information to the website such as chapter scholarships, events and activities. Please send information to Ramona's email address. Lois added that the SES New Horizon Scholarship will be updated on the website.

Megan Harr gave the Nominating Committee report. Please apply for any position you might be interested in but we are especially in need of candidates for Vice Governor and Secretary. Lois Horne reminded everyone to sign up for electronic voting, this can be done on the international website.

Anita Mixon Awards Chair was not able to attend the meeting so Janice Pelletti announced the SES 99 of Note Award. Ramona Banks is this year's recipient of the 99 of Note Award. Lois Horne presented Ramona with her award certificate. There were six other nominees for the award who will receive certificates for nomination: Christine Rupert, Katherine Hewlett, Kaye Ebelt, Julie Jones, Barbara Sierchio, and Sandra Smith.

Loise Horne reported on the 2023 Air Race Classic (ARC). The 2023 race will start in Grand Forks North Dakota. Stops in the SES include Pell City, AL; Cross City, FL; and the terminus in Homestead, FL. There is also a stop in Jonesboro, AR which is close to the Memphis chapter. Please consider working at a stop near you it could be a great chapter project. Ramona reported that 2029 will be the 100th anniversary of the Powder Puff Derby/ARC. Ramona would like to see the stops at the 99th anniversary race in 2028 be all stops at airports managed by 99s.

Jungyeun (Maria) Choi gave a presentation of the PPLI. The program has three phases designed to help 99s navigate a career path in aviation. Maria is a graduate of the PPLI and is now Chief pilot for Corporate Airlines. Maria continues to work within the PPLI as an assistant online administrator. The PPLI is under the International Career Committee. There are two classes each year for PPLI one starting in March and one in September. The deadlines for applying for the PPLI program are January 31 and July 31 each year. Maria showed a video and gave out brochures to those interested. The program is open to any 99 with a commercial certificate actively flying.

Chapter Reports

The following members gave chapter reports which may be found in the meeting packet;

Ramona Banks, Alabama

Teri Bazacos, Emerald Angels of the Gulf Coast

Terry Carbonell, Paradise Coast

Debbie Dennis, Carolinas

Luna Mallah, FL Suncoast

Karen Weldon, NOLA

Andrea Trembath, Kitty Hawk

Jessica Mendez, FL Firstcoast

Mary Woody, Appalachian Aviatrices

Maria Lamia, Blue Ridge

Linda Quiett, Tennessee

Bunnie Ambrose, Nashville

Lois Horne, Memphis

Jessica Mendez Chapter Chair of the FL Firstcoast Chapter presented an invitation to the SES Spring Section Meeting to be held in St Augustine, Florida hosted by the FL Firstcoast 99s. The Spring Section Meeting will be at the Homewood Suites by Hilton April 28-29. Registration is online. Payment may be made through Square. Early registration is open and a QR code for registration will be in the next Constant Contact. Registration is \$99 and \$79 for students.

For the Good of the Order

- Lois Horne reminded the first-time attendees to stay after the meeting for their photo
- Mae Marquet requested that room sharing and flight sharing be sent out via Constant Contact prior to Section Meetings. Jessica Mendez reported that the FL Firstcoast Chapter has set up room and ride sharing information on their Facebook page.
- Deborah Yarbrough asked if the SES as a group could express support for hiring a CEO for International. Deborah Yarbrough made a motion that the SES support the hiring of a CEO for the International Organization, Ramona Banks seconded the motion. The floor was opened to discussion and then a vote was called for. The motion passed unanimously.
- Corbi Bulluck expressed concern about the amount of money in our operating budget. Corbi presented four motions. The first motion was to move \$10,000 from the operating budget to the New Horizon Scholarship Fund. The second motion was increasing the New Horizon Scholarship to \$3500. The third motion was to add a second scholarship for a new pilot. The fourth motion was to increase our donations to the Museum of Women Pilots and The Amelia Earhart Birthplace to \$500 each. Corbi would like to see the changes made now so they could be in the proposed budget for approval at the 2023 Spring Business Meeting. Janice Pelletti asked that we take each motion separately. Janice McWilliams made a motion to move \$10,000 from the operating budget to the Scholarship fund, Carol Voss seconded the motion and the motion passed. Corbi Bulluck made a motion to increase the New Horizon Scholarship amount to \$3500 starting in the Spring of 2023, Teri Carbonell seconded the motion and it passed. Corbi Bullock made a motion that the SES

add a second scholarship to be awarded in the Fall for a new pilot, the amount to be determined. Terry Carbonell seconded the motion. There was a short discussion about the scholarship. Lois Horne stated the specifics of the scholarship would be written by the scholarship committee and could be presented at the Spring meeting. The board will determine the amount of the scholarship after a review of the budget. A vote was called for and the motion to add a second scholarship in the Fall passed. Corbi Bulluck made a motion that the SES increase our donations to the Museum of Women Pilots and The Amelia Earhart Birthplace to \$500 each. Carol Voss seconded the motion. There was some discussion by the members and due to limited amount of time Corbi choose to table the motion and take it up at a later time.

Janice Pelletti thanked the Tennessee Chapter for all their hard work in hosting an excellent Fall Section

Janice Pelletti adjourned the meeting at 10:39am EDT

Submitted by,
Janice McWilliams
SES Secretary

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Governor Fall Report

During July, I attended the International Conference in Charleston, SC. In addition to the Annual meeting, I attended all board meetings. I assisted Ramona Banks with the hospitality suite, hosted by the Southeast Section. My chapter, the Appalachian Aviatrixes provided some typical Tennessee cuisine. I also coordinated the assembly and arrangement of the centerpieces for the Scholarship Awards banquet.

One of my goals as governor is to rejuvenate the Blue Ridge Chapter. I'm happy to report that new Southeast Section member, Maria Lamia has moved to the area and is actively working with current chapter members as well as recruiting new members. Several recruiting events are planned. I plan to assist with a Girl Scout Badge Day in October and any other events I can attend.

I continue in my duties as Co-Chair of the Appalachian Aviatrixes Chapter, Museum of Women Pilots Trustee, member of the International Conference and Career Expo Committee, and The International Publishing Committee. I have added to these duties by agreeing to co-chair the International Public Relations Committee. I am primarily responsible for out-going Ninety-Nines public relations.

The past eighteen months in my position of Governor have been very rewarding as well as a learning experience. I have to thank all the support I receive from the Section Board and in particular, Vice Governor Lois Horne who keeps me on track.

Janice Pelletti

Appalachian Aviatrixes Chapter Chair
SE Section Governor

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Vice Governor Fall Report**

I attended the Spring 2022 Section Meeting at West Palm Beach, FL. I have been working with chapters in hosting the upcoming section meetings (Tennessee Fall 2022, and Florida Firstcoast Spring 2023). Working with the nominating committee to find SE Section members to run for Section offices. I was credentials chairwoman for Annual Meeting at Charleston, SC. Worked with Ramona Banks and SE Section members to staff the hospitality suite at Charleston, SC. I have been working with Janice on her goals, one of which is reviving the Blue Ridge Chapter. I have been participating with Maria Lamia and Janice in planning activities to revive Blue Ridge. I am a member of the Trademark committee.

I participated in Southeast Section Board meeting teleconferences. I continue to assist chapters with compass rose planning and questions. I was head timer at ARC Tullahoma, TN stop. Assisting Governor with routine activities as needed.

Respectfully submitted,

Lois E. Horne

Memphis Chapter Chair

SE Section Vice Governor

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Immediate Past Governor Fall Report

I would like to thank all the SE Section members who helped in any capacity with the 2022 International Conference in Charleston, SC. With being on the International Conference and Expo Committee (ICCE), I was able to see all the hard work that went into our conference. We had a great turnout for the event and the feedback we received was outstanding! Jenny Conway did a great job chairing the transportation committee and Maria Lamia was outstanding as the chair of the welcoming committee.

Since I had volunteered to chair the hospitality suite, I want to give special thanks to the following chapters who helped in the hospitality suite: Alabama, Appalachian Aviatrices, Emerald Angels of the Gulf Coast, Florida Suncoast, Kitty Hawk, NOLA, and Memphis. These chapters signed up to work the hospitality suite and worked they did! It was never our intent to provide meals for the attendees of the conference, but the quality of food and the amount of food provided by these chapters was enough to serve lunch every day of the conference. The word got out about how delicious the food was and we were packed every day. On Wednesday, the Florida Suncoast Chapter served up some Cuban sandwiches and Guava pastries. On Thursday, NOLA Chapter prepared Red Beans and Rice with Long Island Iced Teas, and Kitty Hawk Chapter supplied local goodies from North Carolina. On Friday, the Appalachian Aviatrices Chapter cooked up some Greens and Ham Gravy with a Moonshine Lavender Lazy Eight shot, and the Alabama Chapter fixed some Alabama BBQ with white sauce, Redneck Caviar, and Sangria. On Saturday, Emerald Angels of the Gulf Coast opened with Cheesy Grits with Bacon, and Memphis Chapter completed the day with Memphis BBQ and Cold Slaw. Our hospitality suite was the go-to place of the conference! Numerous attendees said we have the best hospitality suite ever.

As a 99s Museum of Women Pilots trustee, I volunteered my graphic expertise to edit 11 interview videos for our Women in Sustainable Aviation Education Series. This project was finished at the end of August and the interviews are now available on the Museum of Women Pilots website (www.museumofwomenpilots.org) under the education tab. Please share these videos with family and friends so we can get the word out about this educational series.

One of my goals when I was governor was to have a SE Section flyout, but it didn't happen because of COVID, so finally after 3 years, we are trying it again. The weekend of Oct 29, there will be a gathering of The Witches of the South at Kentucky Dam Village State Resort (M34). There will be a Wicked Lunch on Saturday at 11:00 at the Harbor Lights Restaurant. You are invited to come for the whole weekend or just the lunch. Your warlocks and little goblins are invited to join. I will be there from Friday to Sunday to just hang out and visit with my 99s sisters! I have reached out to the North Central and the South Central Sections and invited them to join us. Reach out to me if you would like my information.

We have an amazing group of women volunteering in our section and I am honored to be serving with the Board of the Southeast Section.

Sincerely,



Ramona Banks
SE Section Immediate Past Governor
Trustee of the 99s Museum of Women Pilots
Alabama Chapter Chair

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Secretary Fall Report**

As secretary I;

Attended the Spring Section Board and Business Meeting and completed the minutes for both meetings.

Completed minutes for the zoom board meeting in May and attended the zoom board meeting in September.

Attended the International Conference in July and did volunteer work in the hospitality suite.

I continue to be active in my local chapter as a member of the by-laws committee and the scholarship committee.

I flew as co-pilot in the Air Derby in September.

Submitted by,
Janice McWilliams
SE Section Secretary

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Financial Fall Report Caroline Hodges Treasurer**

	9/30/2022	06/01/2022	Difference
ASSETS			
Current Assets			
Checking/Savings			
101 · BOA - Operating Account			
101A · Oper Acct-Restricted-WASP Exp	3,806.11	3,806.11	0.00
101 · BOA - Operating Account - Other	32,252.08	30,956.98	1,295.10
Total 101 · BOA - Operating Account	36,058.19	34,763.09	1,295.10
102 · BOA - New Horizons Scholarship	10,939.24	14,139.00	-3,199.76
104 · PAYPAL	0.00	0.00	0.00
106 · Mommy Pilots	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total Checking/Savings	46,997.43	48,902.09	-1,904.66
Other Current Assets			
140 - Due from Florida First Coast	1,000.00	1,000.00	0.00
Total Current Assets	47,997.43	49,902.09	-1,904.66
TOTAL ASSETS	47,997.43	49,902.09	-1,904.66
LIABILITIES & EQUITY			
Equity			
300 · Opening Balance Equity	32,945.48	32,945.48	0.00
320 · Unrestricted Net Assets	16,462.74	16,462.74	0.00
Net Income (<i>current year</i>)	-1,410.79	493.87	-1,904.66
Total Equity	47,997.43	49,902.09	-1,904.66
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	47,997.43	49,902.09	-1,904.66

	Fiscal 22/23 Actuals YTD				remaining	2023	Fiscal 22/23
	General Fund	Wasp Exp	New Horizons	Total	projected	projected total	Budget
Ordinary Income/Expense							
Income							
600 · Income							1038 as of Sept 22
601 · Section Dues	1,779.00		0.00	1,779.00	0.00	1,779.00	4,675.00 957 members @ \$5.00
603 · Fundraising - WASP Expenses	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
608 · Interest Income	0.00		0.36	0.36	0.00	0.36	2.00
609 · Fundraising - Other	668.66		0.00	668.66	0.00	668.66	500.00 blackbaud, \$625; Kitty Hawk - \$25
612 · Fundraising - Raffle Tickets	0.00		0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
614 · Fundraising-Recurring Donations	180.00		285.00	465.00	0.00	465.00	1,500.00 One \$85/month donation dropped off
Total 600 · Income	2,627.66	0.00	285.36	2,913.02	0.00	2,913.02	6,677.00
Total Income	2,627.66	0.00	285.36	2,913.02	0.00	2,913.02	7,617.00
Expenses							
700 · Expenses							
70 Cost of Goods Sold							
701F - Cost of Good Sold Fundraiser	0.00		0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total 701 - Cost of Goods Sold	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
705 · Website & Advertising	498.80		0.00	498.80	0.00	498.80	600.00
708 · Miscellaneous							
708A · Postage & Office Expenses	0.00		0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	150.00
708C · Scholarship Committee Postage	0.00		0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
708E · Bank charges	183.52		0.00	183.52	0.00	183.52	600.00
708G · Section Awards	0.00		0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	200.00
Total 708 · Miscellaneous	183.52	0.00	0.00	183.52	0.00	183.52	950.00
710 · WASP Expenses - Sun n Fun	0.00		0.00	0.00		0.00	0.00
727 · Governor's Expenses	0.00		0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2,600.00
728 · Chapter Outreach Expenses	0.00		0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,000.00
730 · Section Meeting Expenses							
731 · Hotel	0.00		0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,000.00
Hospitality Suite	92.49		0.00	92.49	0.00	92.49	1,250.00 \$1000 for iny!; \$250 for section
736 · Registration Fees	109.00		0.00	109.00	0.00	109.00	500.00
Total 730 · Section Meeting Expenses	201.49	0.00	0.00	201.49	0.00	201.49	4,750.00
740 · Educational Event	0.00		0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	250.00
750 · Contributions							
754 · AE Birthplace	0.00		0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	100.00 add donation to Red Door Films or
755 · 99s Museum of Women Pilots	0.00		0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	100.00 Nat'l Wasp WWII museum???
756A · NIFA	0.00		0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	100.00
758 · Intl Forest of Friendship	0.00		0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	100.00
Total 750 · Contributions	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	400.00
760 · Scholarship Payments	0.00		3,500.00	3,500.00	0.00	3,500.00	3,500.00 Paid to American Flyers for Irene
Total 700 · Expenses	883.81	0.00	3,500.00	4,383.81	0.00	4,383.81	13,050.00
Total Expenses	883.81	0.00	3,500.00	4,383.81	0.00	4,383.81	13,050.00
Net Ordinary Income	1,743.85	0.00	-3,214.64	-1,470.79	0.00	-1,470.79	-6,373.00
Net Income	1,743.85	0.00	-3,214.64	-1,470.79	0.00	-1,470.79	-6,373.00

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Air Marking report

Where do you see the Ninety-Nine Logo in your communities?

- Flyer at your local airport
- Maybe on an article of clothing worn by a member
- The I am a Pilot Button
- Where else?

Branding is a way of defining a business to our members, and external audiences (aviation community, fellow aviators, and on social media). Good brand identity will attract new members, supporters of the Ninety-Nines and new aviators to our local communities. So, if you are relying on your members to wear 99 articles of clothing or a flyer to draw new members for brand recognition then growth will be slow. Companies today use billboards or large advertisements in newspapers and internet sites. We as aviators have the best canvas, the airport tarmac, or hangar roof to place our brand for all to see, while at the airport or from the air. Did you know Air Marking started as a means of navigation in the 1930's. The Ninety-Nine brand has been around for 90+ years.

Now is a good time to check in with your local airports to see if there is a need to REFRESH or RENEW (much like make-up on our faces in the morning) markings on the airport (tetrahedron, landing markers, airport names or symbols or a compass rose). In these cases, the Ninety-Nines supply the WOMAN POWER to get the job done and the airport authority supplies the paint. Memphis has been able to lay down a compass rose complete with 2 coats of paint in an 8-hour period. Want to know how we are efficient at getting it done quickly. We have refined our processes and are willing to share our insights. So, round up your girlfriends, 491/2's, Friends of the Ninety-Nines and your local aviation community members to assist in making our brand more recognizable. Girl Scouts and boy scouts like to get community service activities too. Don't forget to ask your local newspaper to come out and promote the event.

HELPFUL HINTS: The airport's county highway department may have expired paint that you can use for the compass rose activities, since typically using highway white and handicap blue to paint compass roses. Memphis chapter pours straight from 5-gallon buckets to the surface to eliminate paint waste and the number of supplies needed (don't need paint trays). Just need a few folks with paint rollers and sticks to spread the paint out before it dries.

KITTY HAWK: Washington-Warren Airport April 23, 2022

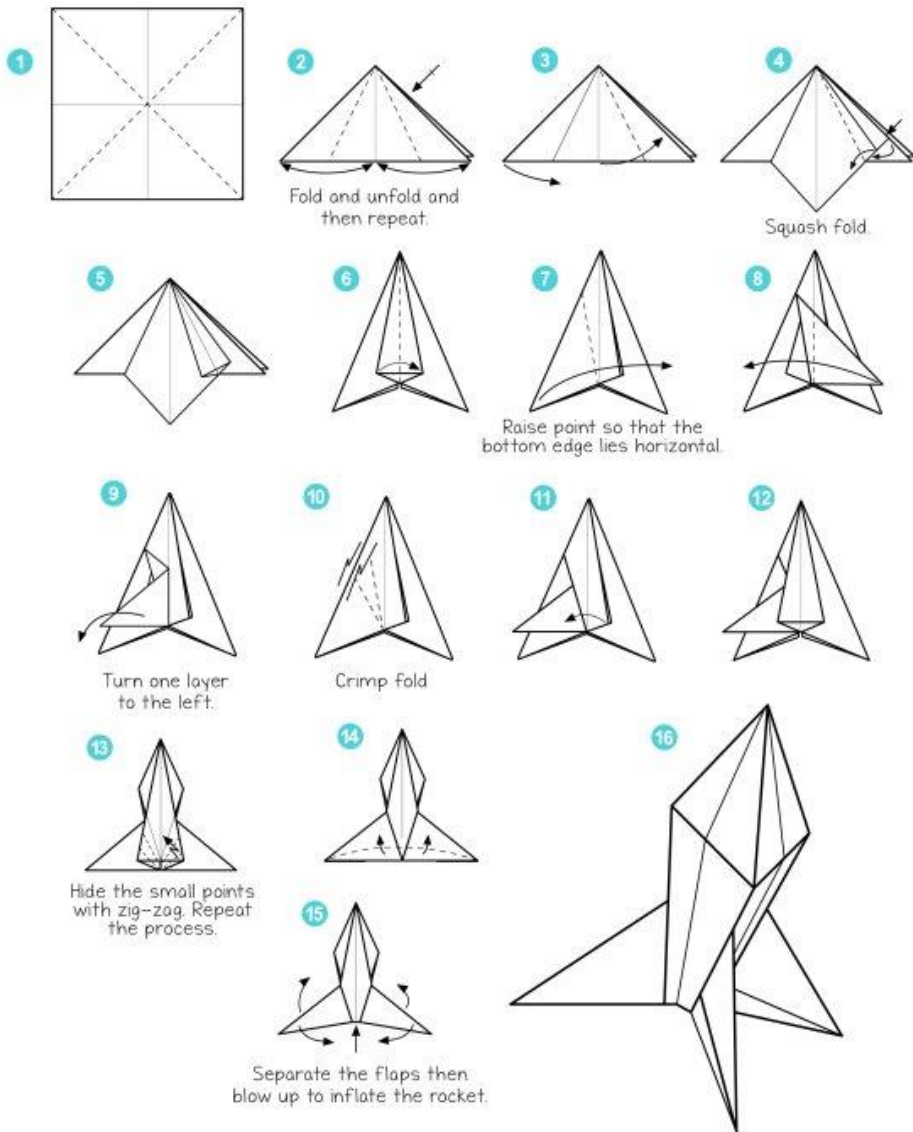
TENNESSEE: Cleveland Jetport (KRZR) October 29, 2022

Respectfully submitted,
Lois E. Horne

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Education Committee

Let's Make a Rocket



Sincerely,
Ruth Jacobs

SE Section Education Committee Chair
561-308-2020



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Let's Fly Now!

Let's Fly Now! is an introductory First Flight Program targeting **females of flying age**. The tagline shares the spirit of the program.

EXPLORE the wonders of aviation

DISCOVER the magic of flight

IMAGINE the possibilities for your future

This program encourages females, ages 14 and older, to fly for the first time. Ninety-Nines, Friends of the 99s, and other properly certified pilots provide their airplanes, fuel, and time to share their passion for aviation as they soar through the skies with women of flying age (*men and older youth are also welcome*) and take them on their first flights. We hope to make an immediate and positive impact regarding the need for new pilots during the next few decades.

We have four upcoming Let's Fly Now! events in late 2022 and early 2023. Our Colorado 99s Chapter plans an event on Saturday, October 1. FL Goldcoast and Houston plan events soon. Additionally, I am mentoring a young lady, Autumn "Pepper" Rhodes, who is working on her Girl Scout Gold Award. Her goal is to reinstate the aviation badge/project back into the Girl Scouts. Pepper is coordinating a Let's Fly Now! event with the Paradise Coast 99s.

The online registration program is running smoothly and easy to use. As you look at www.ninety-nines.org, you will see a **red button** on the membership page by NOTAMS. If you wish to set up a **Let's Fly Now!** event, just click on the button and follow the directions. On the Home page, you will see another **red button**. Here is where interested passengers or pilots will fill out their information. Just click and follow the directions. If you have any questions, please contact me at letsflynow@ninety-nines.org or call at (732) 266-0685.

It is important that our chapters begin to use the online registration program. The online registration program is how The 99s will collect data to verify the value of our **Let's Fly Now!** First Flight Program as it impacts our membership numbers. The online program will also collect data about which pilots fly the most flights and the most passengers, as well as which pilots register the most student pilots and 99s. In the future, I hope to find ways to recognize those high flyers.

We appreciate that many of our 99s fly Young Eagles with the EAA and think the EAA is an amazing organization, now is the time for us to put as much effort into our own 99s **Let's Fly Now!** First Flight Programs. Will your chapter accept the challenge to create a **Let's Fly Now!** First Flight Program?

Let's Fly Now! First Flight Program Chapter or Section Leaders may find valuable information on the 99s website. Click on the Library and then **Let's Fly Now!** You will find information about the following:

Logbooks

Certificates

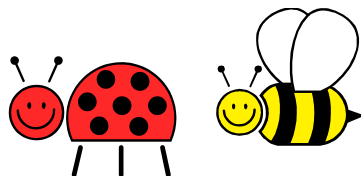
Updated forms on the 99s website (i.e., pilot data forms, passenger liability forms, insurance request forms, Tips for a Successful Event...)

Online Registration (www.letsflynow.org).

Let's Fly Now! is an excellent tool for those of you who like to share your passion about aviation and mentor others. It is also a great recruiting tool and way to build the 7% closer to 50%.

Respectfully submitted,

Myra Bugbee



Fall 2022 Membership Report

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As of September 15, 2022 the Southeast Section of the Ninety-Nines has welcomed 190 new members in 2022 to date.

The Southeast Section now has 1,037 of the organization's 6,812 total Members. Of that 1,037 total, 976 are *Current* members, 32 are listed as on *Standby*, and 29 are on *Hold*. As a reminder, *Standby* means that the member is one month past due on their membership fees, and *Hold* means that they are two months past.

The Southeast section accounts for roughly 15.1% of the international total of Ninety-Nines membership. This ranks us 2nd largest out of the eight US National Sections, behind the Southwest Section.

Since taking this position in June of 2021, I've reached out to every new member with a welcome note, and to date have experienced a 14% response rate.

Mary Woody

Membership Chair

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New Horizon Scholarship Report

New Horizons within the Southeast Section:

FLORIDA SUNCOAST CHAPTER:

November 31, 2021 Bertha Podwys



Bertha Podwys was age 99. Born on November 28, 1922, raised on her family's farm in Berwick Pennsylvania as the twelfth of thirteen children by Paul and Bertha Urban. As a young child, Bertha enjoyed playing outdoor sports with all her older brothers. So, it's no surprise that she would pursue a career which would do something involving planes. Her career started with Grumman Aerospace as a part assembly worker, and later with Northrup Grumman Aerospace as a bookkeeper. While working with Grumman, Bertha joined their bowling and golf teams and excelled and asked to be on the company's team of competition in both area of sports which would involve travelling within the United States and playing against other company teams in which she won several single and team tournaments and accumulated a vast collection of first place awards. Bertha obtained her GED at the age of 65 and continued to serve her community as a school bus driver and later as a driver of the Handicap school bus for a total of 10 years in the school system. Bertha and Stanley shared the same common interest of flying airplanes, enabling her to finally complete her lifelong dream in obtaining a pilot license June 23, 1990, at the age of 68.

GEORGIA FLYING BELLES CHAPTER:

Feb 15, 2022 Janice Massee



Patricia Besselman was age 84 of Clayton, GA. Janice was one of the oldest members of The Ninety-Nines an international organization of women pilots. Janice was the second woman to obtain a pilot's license in the state of Georgia. She loved antiques and owned and operated the Mountain Mama Antiques in Rabun County for many years. She never met a stranger, and always preferred eating out so that she could socialize with

members of the community. She designed and had built her own home, as well as a covered bridge over the stream on her property.

FLORIDA SUNCOAST CHAPTER:

May 14, 2022 Barbara Sierchio



Barbara Sierchio was age 90, of St. Petersburg Florida. Barbara joined the 99s in 1981 after obtaining her pilot certificate at age 50. She was an avid pilot and active member of the 99s. She dedicated much of her time and resources towards making a place for the 99s at Sun n Fun. Barbara started volunteering at Sun n Fun in 1982. In 1989 Barbara asked that the 99s become a part of the Sun n Fun family. In 1992 Barbara worked with Sun n Fun administration to have a location at Sun n Fun granted to the 99s and a modular building erected. In 2000 Barbara lead the way for the house that we have today at Sun n Fun to replace the modular building. Barbara will be remembered not only for all the work she has done for the 99s but for her welcoming spirit, joyful heart, and amazing wit. Barbara was always at the 99s house at Sun n Fun greeting the 99s who visited. She took new members under her wing supported and encouraged us. She will be greatly missed.

TENNESSEE CHAPTER:

September 13, 2022 Judy Wayman



Judy Wayman was age 77. She attended East Tennessee State University before transferring to University of Tennessee, Memphis where she earned her Bachelor's in Medical Technology. While raising her children, Judy went on to earn her master's degree in education from the University of Tennessee Knoxville. She married her best friend, Sam Robinson in 1990. Her career included teaching high school chemistry, working in medical technology, and was a chemist at Y12 in Oak Ridge. Judy was adventurous and talented. She enjoyed hiking, snow skiing, cycling, swimming, and even received her pilot's license at 50 years old. She was an amazing artist, baker, and gardener as well. She was a humanitarian at heart, a lover of animals and dedicated caregiver to her parents.

2023 New Horizons Scholarship Update:

If you are interested in being on the New Horizon Scholarship board for the 2023 scholarship application process, please contact me. The board consists of 5 members and 2 of the 5 are locked in already.

Respectfully submitted,
Lois E. Horne

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National Intercollegiate Flying Association



NATIONAL INTERCOLLEGIATE
FLYING ASSOCIATION

Submitted: Marilyn Shafer

Section NIFA Chair

September, 2022

Since the Spring Section Meeting and International Conference, the following tasks have been completed or begun:

*Attended NIFA Nationals in Columbus, Ohio. The 99s booth in the competitors' hangar was womaned by All Ohio and Scioto Valley chapters. I experienced the interview process for the 99s Women's Achievement Award with the retiring judges.

*Wrote NIFA REPORT in the July/August issue of the 99s Magazine highlighting the bios of the three winners.

*Began work on streamlining the application and judging process for The 99s Women's Achievement Award with the help of Marie Grein. This work continues.

*Working with HQ about their support of The 99s Women's Achievement Award through the booth presentation/handouts, etc. This discussion continues.

*Emailed Chapter Chairs and Section Governors about the upcoming NIFA Regionals planned across the United States and the need for judges. Asked for photos of the 99s group from each of the 9 regional SAFECON competitions for publication in the 99s Magazine.

*Coordinated with Barbara Yeninas to host a social for the Region 9 women competitors at the 99s House at KLAL on November 2, 2022 at 1630.

*Made hotel reservations and emailed Section Chapter Chairs about the availability of an extra bed to any 99 needing an overnight accommodation. Included information about tie

downs at Sheltair FBO and my offer to pick up anyone flying into KLAL for the Region 9 SAFECON.

*Contacted Lori Plourd, editor 99s Magazine, and will place group photos (space permitting) of the 99s who judged from all 9 NIFA regions in the January issue.

*Placed the Thank You ad in the September/October issue of the 99s Magazine to all the supporters of The 99s Women's Achievement Award which was given last May in Columbus, Ohio at the NIFA National SAFECON.

*Reached out to all Chapter Chairs and Section Governors for their continued support of The 99s Women's Achievement Award through needed donations.

*Updated all NIFA Regional SAFECONs' information on both the online calendar and in the 99s Magazine calendar.



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Sun 'n' Fun 2023

April 2022 marked the 99s first *“Trailblazers in Aviation”* Luncheon at Sun ‘n’ Fun. This event replaces our previous WASP Luncheon. Since our treasured WASP are no longer living nor able to participate in Sun ‘n’ Fun, the new focus of the luncheon is to showcase trailblazers in the field of aviation and inspire a new generation of, as well as current aviation enthusiasts.

I started a conversation with event planners at Sun ‘n’ Fun regarding the 99s luncheon for 2023. Martha and John King, true trailblazers in aviation, have tentatively committed to speaking at our 2023 luncheon.

Each year we will continue to engage speakers who may include: astronauts, fighter pilots, Thunderbirds, helicopter pilots; those in unique aviation jobs such as crop dusters, mosquito control, aerial photography pilots, hurricane hunters, drone pilots, pilots of the ORBIS eye lab; and youth influencers – all trailblazers in their own way and all who inspire us.

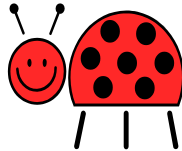
Volunteers are always needed in several areas.

- 1) To find motivating and inspiring speakers
- 2) Fundraising -- We will need fundraising efforts to help pay for rooms and travel for the speakers.
- 3) Escorts at SNF
- 4) Volunteers at the luncheon

It has been my honor to work with the WASP for the past 8 years, as well to launch our new *“Trailblazers in Aviation”* luncheon. 2023 will be a transition year in which I will mentor and work closely with Anita Mixon who will take over the project. If you are interested in volunteering for this interesting event, please contact Anita to discuss how you may help.

Respectfully submitted,

Myra Bugbee





Southeast Section Chapter Reports Alabama Chapter



Section Meeting

Date: Oct 8, 2022

Location: Knoxville, TN

Officers

Chapter Chair: Ramona Banks

Vice Chair: Faith Hooper

Secretary: Alex Merrill

Treasurer: Caroline Hodges

Number of Members: 81

Activities Accomplished:

- June 21-24, 2022: The Alabama 99s sponsored the hospitality suite at the Muscle Shoals stop of the Air Race Classic.
- July 6-10, 2022: The Alabama 99s provided BBQ pork sliders and members to work the hospitality suite at International in Charleston, SC.
- August 27, 2022: The Alabama 99s participated in the Girls Scouts of North-Central Alabama (GSNCA) 5th Annual Girl Scout Leadership Summit. This event provided the girls with an opportunity to investigate professional careers. We had our hands-on Weight and Balance display along with letting the girls build FPG-9 Styrofoam Plate airplanes.
- August 31, 2022: The Alabama 99s long with other aviation organizations hosted the FAA Safety Seminar: ATC Operation, Capabilities, and Considerations. We invited HSV ATC to talk to the aviation community about the lates in their capabilities and how best to communicate with them.
- September 10, 2022: The Alabama 99s hosted an educational seminar 'Meet a DPE' which included our local DPE. We opened the seminar up to area student pilots and new CFIs. The DPE discussed what to expect when a student pilot comes in for their private checkride.

Upcoming Events

- October 22, 2022: The Alabama 99s will be having a tea with the Auburn Wing of the Alabama 99s.
- December 10, 2022: The Alabama 99s will be having our Christmas Luncheon in Cullman, Alabama.



Southeast Section Chapter Reports Appalachian Aviatrixes



Section Meeting

Date: October 8, 2022

Location: Knoxville, TN

Officers

Chapter Chair: Mary Woody, Janice Pelletti

Vice Chair: Pam Phillips

Secretary: Adrienne Smith

Treasurer: Meagan Harr

Number of Members: 17

Activities Accomplished:

- A record number of members and 49 1/2s toured the new aviation technology facility. This is a two-year program at Northeast State Community College located in Blountville, TN. The group was hosted by program chair, Richard Blevins. Members received a hands-on opportunity to try out some of the equipment used to train the students. Several members also flew the program's flight training device.
- Members also attended an informal meeting followed by a grill party at KTRI. Thanks to Pam and Bryan Phillips for providing the hangar space. Several members were able to update the group on flying accomplishments and career opportunities. Brenda Robinette shared her story of training for the Tri-Cities version of Dancing with the Stars.

Mentoring Opportunities

- **Date:** We are working to set up a program in a local school.

Education

- Date: We are working on a spring FFAST program.

Scholarships Presented

- Megan Armstrong \$1000 toward her private certificate.

Community Outreach

- Working with a local school to set up an aviation program
- Thanks to Candace Lamb we are now selling our new t-shirts in the Mountain View Country Market

Upcoming Events

- Date: October 14-15 community festival in Chuckey, TN
- Working on a touring of the KTRI control tower

New Ratings

- Meagan Armstrong-solo
- Candace Lamb-solo



Southeast Section Chapter Reports Blue Ridge Chapter



Section Meeting

Date: October 8, 2022
Location: Knoxville, TN

Officers

Chapter Chair: ACTING: Maria Lamia
Vice Chair: TBD
Secretary: TBD
Treasurer: TBD

Number of Members: 10, with approximately 15 others to join 99s or transfer to Blue Ridge

Activities Accomplished:

The Blue Ridge Chapter is in a rebuilding phase. We are recruiting new members and encouraging prior members, to step up to assist in events and provide knowledge.

- Mainly in Recruiting Activities at various Aviation Meetings/Activities
 - Trip Tree Workshop September 24, have a table to promote 99s/Blue Ridge
 - Career Day at Greenville Technology Charter School – October 14
 - Tentative KSPA meeting at 6 pm dinner and get to know social October 17, prepare for Girls Scouts Badge event
 - Girls Scouts Badge Event October 22 at KSPA with 50-70 Students
 - If Successful more events to occur.
 - Another Leader has contact us to create an event Spring 2023 via KGMU
 - KGMU War Birds – October 30, 99s presentation at table with bakery goods and water for sale
 - Social at Maria's home November/December

- Presentation to Upstate Aviation Commission about 99s January 10, 2023
- Spring Girls Scouts Badge day TBD
- Pancake Breakfast Fly in TBD with GMU activities
- Fly Now activity with Triple Tree Aerodrome June 2023 details in discussion

Mentoring Opportunities

- Date: Opportunity -- Too Early for this due to rebuilding process

Education

- Date: Opportunity -- Too Early for this due to rebuilding process

Scholarships Presented

- Date: Scholarship - Too Early for this due to rebuilding process

Community Outreach

- Date: Event See event above that us part of our recruiting process

Let's Fly Now!! Event

- Date: Event - Too Early for this due to rebuilding process

Upcoming Events

- Date: Event (Please provide a copy of your chapter calendar of events)
 - - See event above that us part of our recruiting process

New Ratings

- Members Name and Rating (Any members obtain any new ratings since last section meeting)
 - - Too Early for this due to rebuilding process

Other

- Too Early for this due to rebuilding process

Report was submitted by D Maria Lamia September 20, 2022



Southeast Section Chapter Reports Carolinas Chapter



Section Meeting

Date: October 7-9

Location: Knoxville, TN

OFFICERS

CHAPTER CHAIR: PAULA CAMPBELL

VICE CHAIR: DEBBY DENNIS

SECRETARY: KIM BOST

TREASURER: KIM BOST

NUMBER OF MEMBERS: 60

MENTORING OPPORTUNITIES: MEMBERS ENCOURAGED TO BRING A POTENTIAL MEMBER EACH MEETING.

EDUCATION: AN AVIATION TOPIC IS PRESENTED AT EACH MEETING REGARDING TO SAFETY.

UPCOMING EVENTS: JOINT STEM PROJECTS THIS FALL WITH OTHER 99'S CHAPTER IN SOUTHERN PINES/GREENVILLE SOUTH CAROLINA AT THE GMU AIRPORT.



Southeast Section Chapter Reports Daytona Chapter



Section Meeting

Date: October 8, 2022

Location: Knoxville, TN

Officers

Chapter Chair: Jisoo Oh and Bailey Baker

Vice Chair: Amanda Fallon

Secretary: Kirsten Kasper

Treasurer: Lauren Thompson

Number of Members: 37

Activities Accomplished:

- 6/17/2022 - Chapter Social
- 7/24/2022 - Chapter Social
- 8/18/2022 - Executive Meeting
- 9/3/2022 - Chapter Social

Mentoring Opportunities

- N/A

Education

- N/A

Scholarships Presented

- 04/15/2022 - Amelia Earhart Memorial Scholarship - Jisoo Oh (Commercial Rating)

Community Outreach

- WAI GIAD September 2022

Let's Fly Now!! Event

- N/A

Upcoming Events

- October 8th Chapter Social

New Ratings

- Jisoo Oh - Commercial Certificate
- Bailey Baker – Commercial Certificate



Southeast Section Chapter Reports Emerald Angels of the Gulf Coast



Section Meeting

Date: October 8, 2022

Location: Knoxville, TN

Officers

Chapter Chair: Terri Bazacos

Vice Chair: Susan Freeman

Secretary: Aisha Rimbano

Treasurer: Carol Voss

Number of Members: 33

Activities Accomplished:

- April 29, 2022: The chapter met at the Roy E. Ray Airport (5R7). Chapter members held a pancake breakfast to raise funds for scholarships and provided educational information about the Ninety-Nines.
- May 14, 2022: Chapter meeting with an educational speaker.
- June 11, 2022: Chapter annual business and planning meeting followed by lunch at a local restaurant.
- July 9, 2022: Chapter members were invited to attend the International Ninety-Nines Conference & Career Expo either in person or virtually, so a local chapter meeting was not held.
- August 13, 2022: Annual Chapter Picnic. Chapter members gathered at the Blue Angel Recreation Center for a chapter meeting with a BBQ. Members enjoyed the beach and one chapter member shared rides on her boat.
- September 17, 2022: Chapter members met at the National Naval Air Museum, Pensacola. After the chapter meeting, a tour was led by an amazing docent followed by lunch at the Cubi Café.

Mentoring Opportunities

- The chapter continues to offer one-on-one mentoring to local youth interested in aviation. Youth are encouraged to attend chapter meetings.

Education

- May 14, 2022: Erin Warwick, a chapter member offered an educational presentation about flying as a US Coast Guard helicopter pilot.

Community Outreach

- September 14 – 18, 2022: 2022 Stihl National Championship Air Races; Carol Voss volunteered as a Pylon Judge.

Upcoming Events

- October 7-9, 2022: Chapter members have been encouraged to attend the Southeast Section Fall 2022 meeting either in person or virtually.
- October 15-16, 2022: Thomasville, Georgia 55th Annual Fly-in. Weather permitting, chapter members will be camping overnight on the field.
- October 21-22, 2022: DeFuniak Springs Marvel of Flight event. Chapter members are planning to fly into the event.
- November 5, 2022: Girls in Aviation at the National Naval Aviation Museum, Pensacola. The chapter will have an informational table at one of the stations and share aviation opportunities with the participants.
- November 12, 2022: Chapter members will be meeting at the National Coast Guard Facility in Mobile, Alabama for a meeting and tour of the facility.
- December 10, 2022: Chapter Annual Holiday Celebration will be held at the Roy E. Ray Airport, Alabama.
- January 14, 2023: Midyear Chapter Business Meeting with Educational Guest Speaker.
- February 11, 2023: FAASTeam Seminar
- March 11, 2023: Tower or Tracon Center Tour
- April 8, 2023: National Flight Academy Tour

New Ratings

Morgan Gutierrez earned her private pilot certificate



Southeast Section Chapter Reports Florida Firstcoast



Section Meeting

Date: October 8, 2022

Location: Knoxville, TN

Officers

Chapter Chair: Jessica Mendez

Vice Chair: Meagan Huerta

Secretary: Laurie Reeves

Treasurer: Ecia Truesdale

Number of Members: 48

Activities Accomplished:

- May 14: Meeting, Fly-In & YE Rides Haller Airpark
- Jul 30: Lunch Meeting
- Sept 24: Lunch Meeting

Mentoring Opportunities

- Chapter student Pilot Mentoring program in the works now!

Education

- June 25: Anastasia Mosquito Tour

Scholarships Presented

Community Outreach

- April 23: Brownie Girl Scout Aviation Day

Let's Fly Now!! Event

Upcoming Events

- Oct 22-23: NASJAX Airshow
- Nov 5: Juniors/Cadets Girl Scout Aviation Day
- Jan 07, 2023 Holiday Party
- April 27-29, 2023 Hosting SE Section Meeting! St Augustine, FL

New Ratings

- Jul 29: Instrument Rating Allyson Mangold
- Sept 24: First Solo Jill Olsen



Southeast Section Chapter Reports Florida Heartlands



Section Meeting

Date: October 7-9, 2022

Location: Knoxville, TN

Officers

Chapter Chair: JoAnne Alcorn

Vice Chair: Kathy Howitt

Secretary: Vikki Greenleaf

Treasurer: JoAnne Alcorn

Number of Members: 18 with 1 'standby'

Activities Accomplished since Spring Section Meeting 2022:

- Date: Chairmanship of and volunteers for Air Race Classic 2022 Start in Lakeland, June 14-21, 2022
- Date: July member newsletter publication; website and member photo directory updates

Scholarships Presented

- Date: Flight training scholarship for 2022 has been advertised; applications are being received; deadline is October 31, 2022
- Date: June 14-21 Air Race Classic Start 99s Merchandise Sales Fund Raiser

Community Outreach

- Date: Consideration for an Avon Park Youth Aviation Day in fall or winter 2022

Let's Fly Now!! Event

- Date: Chapter will consider an event for spring 2023

Upcoming Events

- Date: To be discussed at next chapter meeting on September 10, 2022

New Ratings

- Jensen Dix – First Solo



Southeast Section Chapter Reports Florida Suncoast



Section Meeting

Date: October 8, 2022

Location: Knoxville, TN

Officers

Chapter Chair: Kelli O'Donnell

Vice Chair: Amanda Barker and Luna Mallah

Secretary: Jennifer Jones

Treasurer: Jeanne Burklund

Number of Members:

Activities Accomplished:

- **June** – Chapter Chair installed new co-Vice Chairs to fill position until official elections happen in May 2023 and attended Air Race Classic start events.
- **July** - Chapter summer break. Chapter board met to discuss plans for upcoming year. Some members attended the International meeting in person and represented our Chapter in the hospitality suite by making Cuban sandwiches.
- **August** - Chapter summer break
- **September** – Had a presentation from the Albert Whitted Airport Preservation Society (AWAPS) for updates on what the City of St. Petersburg mayor is wanting to do with the airport, AWAPS future vision for the airport, and how the 99s can help achieve the vision.

Mentoring Opportunities

- **Fall 2020 to present** - Chapter Chair mentored Chapter member Sally Frakes as a First Wings and Marie Grein scholarship recipient.

- **Fall 2022 to present** - Chapter Chair became mentor for Chapter member Amanda Barker for First Wings.

Education

- None as we are just getting back into meetings and events after our summer break.

Scholarships Presented

- Our Chapter scholarship will be issued in October. Our Jessie Woods scholarship will be issued in November.

Community Outreach

- None as we are just getting back into meetings and events after our summer break.

Let's Fly Now!! Event

- Date: None

Upcoming Events

- Still being developed.

New Ratings

- Student pilot members Michelle Burklund, Amanda Barker, and Sally Frakes all completed their first solos.

Other

- None at this time.



Southeast Section Chapter Reports Georgia Flying Belles



Section Meeting

Date: October 8, 2022

Location: Knoxville, TN

Officers

Chapter Chair: Kimberly Ewing

Vice Chair: Kerbi Mueller

Secretary: Jeanel Wehner

Treasurer: Jeanel Wehner

Number of Members: 67

Activities Accomplished:

- Monthly Zoom meetings the third Tuesday of every month in addition to in-person events
- Fly-In/Drive-In Pancake Breakfast 5/22/22
- Pool Party 8/30/22

Mentoring Opportunities

- N/A

Education

- N/A

Scholarships Presented

- None, zero applicants

Community Outreach

- Fly-In/Drive-In Pancake Breakfast was jointly hosted with a local flying club in Georgia (Old Farts Breakfast Club) to foster good community relationships and introduce young people to aviation that may not ordinarily have the opportunity.

Let's Fly Now!! Event

- N/A

Upcoming Events

- Airmarking tentatively planned in 2023 at KDHN. I am waiting to hear back from the airport manager and will reach out to neighboring chapters once we have a date.

New Ratings

- Emily Dykstra: CFI
- Diya Patel: CFII, Commercial Multi, MEI
- Kimberly Ewing: Captain on the Boeing 717 for Delta Air Lines



Southeast Section Chapter Reports Kitty Hawk Chapter



Section Meeting

Date: October 8, 2022
Location: Knoxville, TN

Officers

Chapter Chair: Andrea Trembath
Vice Chair: Trisha Hess
Secretary: Angela Taylor (interim)
Treasurer: Angela Taylor

Number of Members: 50

Activities Accomplished:

- 04/23/2022: Airmarking event at KOCW, Washington-Warren Airport

Mentoring Opportunities

- 03/2022- Present: Margaret Riddle and Sandra Smith mentored Kayoko Stewart re: instrument pilot training
- 03- 06/2022: Margaret Riddle mentored Angela Taylor re: Instrument pilot training
- 03/2022- Present: Sandra Smith mentored G. Vargas, who passed his private pilot written test and is now working on his practical

Education

- 03- 06/2022: Margaret Riddle taught a free instrument ground school
- 03- 06/2022: Sandra Smith taught a 12-week free online ground school that graduated 24 students

- 03/09/2022: Jan Squillace presented a FAAST webinar: IMC Club – Discussion for IFR Pilots
- 03/16/2022: Jan Squillace presented a FAAST webinar: VMC Club – Discussion for VFR Pilots
- 04/06/2022: Jan Squillace presented a FAAST webinar: IMC Club – Discussion for IFR Pilots
- 04/13/2022: Jan Squillace presented a FAAST webinar: VMC Club – Discussion for VFR Pilots
- 05/11/2022: Jan Squillace presented a FAAST webinar: IMC Club – Discussion for IFR Pilots
- 05/18/2022: Jan Squillace presented a FAAST webinar: VMC Club – Discussion for VFR Pilots
- 06/08/2022: Jan Squillace presented a FAAST webinar: IMC Club – Discussion for IFR Pilots
- 06/15/2022: Jan Squillace presented a FAAST webinar: VMC Club – Discussion for VFR Pilots
- 07/06/2022: Jan Squillace presented a FAAST webinar: IMC Club – Discussion for IFR Pilots
- 07/13/2022: Jan Squillace presented a FAAST webinar: VMC Club – Discussion for VFR Pilots
- 08/10/2022: Jan Squillace presented a FAAST webinar: IMC Club – Discussion for IFR Pilots
- 08/17/2022: Jan Squillace presented a FAAST webinar: VMC Club – Discussion for VFR Pilots
- 09/07/2022: Jan Squillace presented a FAAST webinar: IMC Club – Discussion for IFR Pilots
- 09/14/2022: Jan Squillace presented a FAAST webinar: VMC Club – Discussion for VFR Pilots

Scholarships Presented

- 04/15/2022: Amelia Earhart Memorial Scholarship Fund Awards- Kayoko Stewart and Trisha Hess
- 05/19/2022: Kitty Hawk Chapter Marcia Keaton Scholarship Award- Angela Taylor

Community Outreach

- 04/02/2022: She Belongs Fest, MayCay Beeler and Kayoko Stewart hosted a networking event for women interested in STEM, agriculture and skilled trades in Graham, NC
- 04/30/2022: Women of the Wilderness, Sandra Smith, Kelli Howell and Kayoko Stewart promoted the Kitty Hawk 99s in Kernersville, NC.
- 05/25/2022: Broadview Middle School- Kayoko Stewart and Paul Hesse represented The 99s at an 8th grade career day event representing the possibilities of aviation related careers in Burlington, NC

Let's Fly Now!! Event

- Potentially Spring or Fall 2023 at KTTA (Raleigh Executive) or KHNZ (Henderson-Oxford) Airport

Upcoming Events

- 10/28 and 10/29/2022: Festival d'Avion at KSOP Airport, Kitty Hawk 99s to be featured and PR table to be hosted
- 11/2022: Sandra Smith to teach a free live online 12-week private pilot ground school

New Ratings

- Angela Taylor earned her Instrument Rating in August 2022

Other

- 03/29/2022, Katie Mack was interviewed by Sporty's in the podcast, Pilot's Discretion, episode 22, entitled, "An Astrophysicist Learns to Fly, with Dr. Katie Mack
- 05/09/2022, Natasha Gilliam hosted an Instagram Live Interview for The 99s International featuring Miss USA
- 09/2022, MayCay Beeler was featured in AOPA magazine in an article "Heart to Heart" featuring her inspiring story of wing walking on a biplane piloted by her son
- 07/29/2022, Sandra Smith was promoted to commander of the NC Wing, Civil Air Patrol of the Sugar Valley Composite Squadron
- 07/2022, Maddie Zotter was featured on the cover of Ninety-Nines Magazine in an article entitled 'Blazing her own path' detailing her aviation journey from student pilot to Air Force Academy



Southeast Section Chapter Reports Memphis Chapter



Section Meeting

Date: April 30, 2022

Location: West Palm Beach, FL

Officers

Chapter Chair: Lois Horne

Vice Chair: Mandi Hill

Secretary: Linda Richards

Treasurer: Linda Richards

Number of Members: 23

Activities Accomplished:

- Jan 8, 2022: Pancake Breakfast at Fayette County Airport, TN
- March 26, 2022: Chapter Flyout to the Boathouse Restaurant at Reelfoot Lake, Samburg, TN (6 people flew, and total attendance 11)

Mentoring Opportunities

- March 2022: Mentoring Christin Bell who is working on her private certificate

Education

- None

Scholarships Presented

- None

Community Outreach

- Pancake Breakfast at Fayette County Airport – Jan 8, 2022

Let's Fly Now!! Event

- None

Upcoming Events

- May 14, 2022 – Pancake Breakfast and community outreach Fayette County Airport, TN
- June 18-19, 2022 – Memphis Airshow, Millington, TN
- June 21-24, 2022 – Air Race Classic – Tullahoma, TN Stop
- August 20, 2022 - Pancake Breakfast and community outreach Charles Baker Airport, TN
- Oct 1, 2022 – Open House at Savannah airport and airshow at Fayette County airport.

New Ratings

- none



Southeast Section Chapter Reports NOLA



Section Meeting

Date: October 8, 2022

Location: Knoxville, TN

Officers

Chapter Chair: Karen Weldon

Vice Chair: Julie Jones

Secretary: Jan Oreck

Treasurer: Margaret Jones

Number of Members: 53

Activities Accomplished:

- April 23 hybrid meeting at Oreck Farm (MS88); safety moment—upset training emphasizing unusual attitudes and stalling...system issues, weather, or turbulence can happen at any time
- May 14 hybrid meeting at Lakefront Airport (KNEW); safety moment light signals from the tower demonstration and pop quiz; Stennis Restricted Area R-4403 A/B/C/D/E
- June 2 Top Gun-Maverick premiere showing complete with our flight suits
- June 25 very short meeting at Oreck Farm (MS88) with fish fry and ice cream machine for Mae Marquet's surprise 70th birthday (meeting got her there without expecting anything)
- July 7 International conference in Charleston Hospitality Suite—Red Beans and Rice and drink of the day
- Aug 6 hybrid meeting at Slidell airport (KASD); Safety moment via Zoom on stabilized approach and landing
- September 24 hybrid meeting at Oreck Farm; Safety Moment on Strategies to Avoid Mid-Air Collisions

Mentoring Opportunities

- Continual

Education

- Safety Moments at every monthly meeting
- September 3 FAA Safety Wings Seminar at Lakefront Airport (KNEW) given by Mary Donahue on Human Factors in General Aviation, Aeronautical Decision Making (ADM); 2 members attended and 1 new member was recruited
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Scholarships Presented

- Above and Beyond Chapter Scholarship for NOLA Members who are Private Pilots or Commercial Pilots and meet membership requirements for \$2500 open for Applications in October and to awarded in November

Community Outreach

- Attend 2nd Saturday of each month Fish Fry at Louisiana Regional Airport (KREG)
- September 24 meeting followed by fish fry with local QB's celebrating David Oreck's 99th birthday

Let's Fly Now!! Event

- April 9 at Louisiana Regional Airport (KREG) with 28 participants, 1 becoming a Student Pilot and a 99s NOLA Chapter member, and 15 saying they would like to become pilots

Upcoming Events

- November 4-6 – It's Back...Top Gun at Oreck Farm (MS88) including Top Gun-Maverick

New Ratings

- Annemarie McMillan, 1st Wings Awardee, soloed and passed her written
- Brittany Snyder, Private Pilot, April 18
- Jessica Twiddy passed her Instrument written in August
- Lisa Mannina was named Assistant Chief Pilot at Tradewinds
- Allie Balding type rating ATP 757 Cargo



Southeast Section Chapter Reports MS Chapter of the Ninety-Nines



Section Meeting

Date: October 8, 2022

Location: Knoxville, TN

Officers

Chapter Chair: Shelia Willis

Vice Chair: Kellie McInvale

Secretary: Asia Clay

Treasurer: Kellie McInvale

Membership: Cheri Anglin

Number of Members: 20

Activities Accomplished:

- Date: May 21, 2022
- **CAF Aviation Open House** – Madison Bruce Campbell Field, Madison, MS
- This was a community event hosted by the MS Wing of the Commemorative Air Force. Over 1,000 were in attendance and visited our Ninety-Nines and W.A.S.P. exhibits throughout the day. It was a wonderful opportunity to meet with aviation enthusiasts of all ages and to educate the community about our program.
- Date: June 21 – 24, 2022
- **Air Race Classic** – Hattiesburg Bobby Chain Airport, Hattiesburg, MS

Chapter Chair Shelia Willis served as Stop Chair for this event. Chapter members Cindy King, Asia Clay, Denise Touchstone, Marisa Barron, Peggy Tucker, and Cissi Herrington volunteered as Timers, helped with Transportation, Scheduling and Hospitality. Deb McGee of the Iowa Chapter of the Ninety-Nines served as Head Timer. It was a wonderful team building event and a wonderful way to support women in aviation.

Date: July 24, 2022

Chapter Luncheon Meeting – Shaggy's on the Rez

Community Outreach/Upcoming Events

- Date: September 20, 2022
- **C-17 Military Transport Aircraft Tour**
- **Air National Guard Facility – Thompson Field @ Jackson/Medgar Wiley Evers International Airport**

- Chapter members are scheduled to tour the Aircraft along with pilots associated with Madison Flyers – a local flight school.

- Date: September 24, 2022
- **Hangar Hangover Event** – Classic Car & Bike Show to be held at Madison Bruce Campbell Field. This is a fundraising event for the MS Wing of the Commemorative Air Force. Classic airplanes will be on site for event. Our Chapter members will set up and attend Ninety-Nines and W.A.S.P. exhibits.

Date: October 22, 2022

Girl Scout Aviation Badge Event – Madison Bruce Campbell Field,
Madison, MS

In conjunction with Girl Scouts of Greater Mississippi, our Chapter will host an event offering cadettes an opportunity to earn their Aviation Badge.

We anticipate approximately 50 young ladies from around the State.

Chapter members will set up and attend various stations designed to help cadettes complete the requirements to earn their aviation badges.

Other

- Chapter Member Asia Clay is a member of the MS Air National Guard. She has been selected as a candidate to fly the C-17 Military Transport Aircraft. She anticipates an October start date for initial training.
- Chapter Member Marisa Barron is also a member of the MS Air National Guard. She is scheduled to interview as a candidate to fly the C-17 Military Transport Aircraft.



Southeast Section Chapter Reports Paradise Coast



Section Meeting

Date: October 7-9

Location: Knoxville, TN

Officers

Chapter Chair: Constance Hite-Leege

Vice Chair: Christy Kahealani

Secretary: Autumn Rhodes

Treasurer: Colleen Wright

Number of Members: 52

Activities Accomplished:

- Date: Activity

Mentoring Opportunities

- Date: Opportunity

Education

- Date: Opportunity

Scholarships Presented

- Date: Irene Lopez – Becki King Scholarship presented May 2022

Community Outreach

- Date: Event

Let's Fly Now!! Event

Upcoming Events

Fort Myers Meeting	September 14, 2022 6:30pm-8pm	Paragon - KFMY
SE Section Fall Meeting	October 7-9, 2022	Knoxville, TN
Naples Meeting	October 12, 2022 6:30pm-8pm	TBD
Witches Fly-In 2021	October 29, 2022 11am-1pm	Sebring, FL
Punta Gorda Meeting	November 9, 2022 6:30pm - 8pm	Punta Gorda - KPGD new FBO
Holiday Fly-IN	??	Lakeland, FL
Christmas Party 2021	TBD	TBD
Chapter Elections	TBD	TBD
Fort Myers Meeting	January 11, 2023, 6:30pm-8pm	TBD
Girls In Aviation Day	TBD	Punta Gorda
Naples Meeting	February 8, 2023 6:30pm-8pm	TBD
Punta Gorda Meeting	March 8, 2023 6:30pm-8pm	TBD
End of the Rainbow Fly-In	March 18, 2023 11am-1pm	LaBelle, FL
Sun-N-Fun 2023	March 28-April 2, 2023	Lakeland, FL
SE Section Spring Meeting	TBD	Florida First Coast
Fort Myers Meeting	April 12, 2023, 6:30pm-8pm	TBD
End of Seaason Party	May TBD, 2023	TBD
Air Race Classic 2022	June 20-23, 2023	Homestead, FL
Punta Gorda AirShow	November 4-5, 2023	Punta Gorda

New Ratings

- Members Name and Rating (Any members obtain any new ratings since last section meeting)
- Christy Kahealani – Pvt
- Amanda Grossman – CFII



Southeast Section Chapter Reports Spaceport 99s



Section Meeting

Date: October 7-9

Location: Knoxville, TN

Officers

Chapter Chair: Judi Oswald

Vice Chair: Marcelaine Lewis

Secretary: Sandy Parks

Treasurer: Donna Wilt

Number of Members: 50 (44 current according to Southeast Section)

Activities Accomplished:

- May 14 – Lindsay Niles, Senior Launch Engineer at SpaceX told us about her journey to this special job
- June 11 – Installation of Officers
- July / August – no meetings
- August 23 – Boards of Directors meeting
- September 10 – Astronaut Winston Scott will speak to the Spaceport 99s chapter meeting at Florida Institute of Technology

Mentoring Opportunities

- Ongoing – Continuous mentoring of scholarship recipient and future members once they reach required hours of training

Education

- Judi Oswald has given out Ninety-Nines, AOPA, and WAI magazines to students at her high school and continues to encourage interested female students to go into aviation
- Mary Anne Demmer has been following up with the public library system to buy more books about Amelia Earhart

Scholarships Presented

- None at this time. Presented yearly in May.

Community Outreach

- Spaceport 99s continue to support Serene Harbor women's shelter with donations of toiletries and paper products
- Donna Wilt was going to fly young EAA students in August at an EAA event at Valkaria Airport – but the event was postponed to September due to weather

Upcoming Events

- Tentative Spaceport 99s schedule for 2022/2023:
- September 10 - Astronaut Winston Scott – speaker
- Rachel Pityk – from SpaceX, Dragon Crew – speaker
- November 12 – tour and demo at Larson Motorsports – Elaine Larson, jet car World Champion racer
- December – Toys-for-Tots, Merritt Island Airport
- January 14 – Holiday party
- February 12 – DPE Frank Gallagher will present Part 2 of his Flight Safety presentation
- March 12 – Tour of Melbourne Airport's new tower

New Ratings

- Yuko Query was awarded a scholarship through Delta Airlines to use for her ATP CTP training
- Yuko Query – obtained her ATP CTP certification in Dallas on January 12th. On January 14th, she passed her MEI check ride. January 17th, she started training with SkyWest Airlines on the ERJ175. In May, she passed all her training and check rides and is now a First Officer with SkyWest and is based at Salt Lake City.
- Diana Aguilar earned an AE Fly Now Scholarship to get her Private Pilot Certificate
- Leah Murphy earned an AE Academic Scholarship
- Sharon Dhillon was accepted into the PPLI program
- Jade Chien has accepted a job as first officer at SkyWest Airlines and will report to her new job in November.

Other

- Websites we shared at meeting: Female aviators sticking together - www.fastpilots.org
- Female Aviators Sticking Together (FAST) is an established international network of female pilots. From young girls to retiring pilots, we want to touch the lives of female aviators at every stage. FAST partners with some of the world's leading airlines, such as United Airlines and Alaska Airlines, to provide scholarships and support our growing community of female aviators.
- Great Reads – we share some great aviation books at every meeting: for example – 1. Finding the WOW: How dreams take flight at midlife by MJ Marggraff 2. The Aviatrix Mindset: Stop stalling and start soaring in every aspect of life – Dawn Cook
- Ellie Hoffman (former Chair) is now the Chair of the Board of Directors of Serene Harbor, a safe house for abused women and children and their pets. Ellie helped the local Zonta chapter celebrate Amelia Earhart month by speaking at their January meeting.
- Florida Institute of Technology (FIT) College of Aviation provides a room for our chapter meetings – with all the technology needed – and a notification about the meeting and speaker is sent out to all the female aviators at the College
- Meetings are planned around our Chapter area so it gives everyone in our large area a chance to attend a meeting closer to their home
- More Exciting News! An early member of our chapter, Mary Blackwell Joehrendt, has been included on the Wall of Honor at the National Air and Space Museum, at the Steven F. Udvar-Hazy Center, which is in Virginia. Our chapter scholarship is named for Mary. Following is the information that is displayed about Mary. “Mary Blackwell Joehrendt became a certificated pilot in 1958 and in 1960 became a certificated flight instructor. She had logged more than 11,300 flight hours (450 of them in a prop jet) and had an additional 4,800 flight hours as a flight instructor. She was an FAA designated pilot examiner and in 1973 received the FAA's First District "Flight Instructor of the Year" award. Mary held an airline transport certificate and was also a member of the International Organization of Women Pilots (the 99's), the Organization of Women ATR Pilots, the Airplane Owners and Pilots Association and the National Association of Flight Instructors. She was listed in the 1972 edition of Who's Who of American Women. Tragically, she died in an airplane crash in 1973, while giving instruction. The Florida Spaceport chapter of the 99's established a scholarship named after Mary Blackwell Joehrendt and Anne Walker, honoring two early members of their chapter who were killed in aviation accidents.



Southeast Section Chapter Reports SRQ “Ladybug” Chapter



Section Meeting

Date: October 8, 2022

Location: Knoxville, TN

Officers

Chapter Chair: Jacki Adams

Vice Chair: Elina Lunin

Secretary: Cherileigh Dawson

Treasurer: Sandy Gurley

Number of Members: 21

Activities Accomplished:

- November 17, 2021: Painting with a Purpose Fundraiser
- March 31, 2022: Chapter Dinner
- May 13, 2022: Glider Flights and Overnight Trip to Seminole-Lake Gliderport

Mentoring Opportunities

- N/A

Education

- N/A

Scholarships Presented

- December 2021: Daniel E. Offutt III Trust Scholarship to Angela Bach

Community Outreach

- N/A

Let's Fly Now!! Event

- N/A

Upcoming Events

- N/A – New events coming soon!

New Ratings

- Members Name and Rating (Any members obtain any new ratings since last section meeting)



Southeast Section Chapter Reports Tennessee Chapter



Section Meeting

Date: October 7-9

Location: Knoxville, TN

Officers

Chapter Chair: Linda Quiett

Vice Chair: Karen Hughes-Collins

Secretary: TBD

Treasurer: Nancy McGinnis

Number of Members: 35

Activities Accomplished:

- Date: June 21-24 assisted with the Tullahoma stop for the ARC

Mentoring Opportunities

- Date: No date, just mentoring a couple of current student pilots.

Education

- Date: Opportunity

Scholarships Presented

- Date: Scholarship applications have not been made.

Community Outreach

- Date: October 7 – Cirrus Sales Center visit and invite female staff pilots to join.
- Event: Planning a Girls Fly Too in February of 2023

Let's Fly Now!! Event

- Date: Panned for the future

Upcoming Events

- Date: Event: Southeast Section Fall Session in Knoxville, TN October 7-9;
- Compass Rose painting at Cleveland Region Jetport (KRZR) October 22. (No Calendar)

New Ratings

- Members Name and Rating: Samantha Danielle Smith – Private Pilot; Kimberly Nicole Farwick – Instrument Rating

Other

- Your choice

