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November 2015



PFK volunteers from ORF made their first visit to the Children's Hospital of the King's Daughters (CHKD). This group from Delta/VFC-12 and UAL enjoyed their inaugural visit in October and volunteers plan more visits through the holiday season.

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President's Corner...

Dear Members,

According to Webster's Dictionary, the definition of fortunate is "bringing some good not foreseen."

Considering that definition, our organization is indeed fortunate on many levels. We are fortunate to have members who passionately support our vision, financially support our work, and volunteer their valuable time to benefit hospitalized children.

Because of this good fortune, we stand out among many creditable charitable organizations. Unlike many, we have no paid staff and rely on PFK volunteers to assume various duties. The end result is a lot of work with a great deal of reward.

If I can speak for all of us, we, as members, feel fortunate to have the opportunity to help hospitalized children.

Thanks to our caring members for creating PFK's good fortune!

*With Appreciation,
Ed Faath*

President, PFK



Above and left, MCO golfers enjoyed an excellent lunch and silent auction following a morning of golf.

Below, representatives from Signature Flight Support made a generous donation to The Russell Home in MCO. The support of local companies such as Signature is invaluable and is sincerely appreciated!



Giving from the Heart
PFK



More Success for MCO Golf

Captain Baldy was joined by an enthusiastic group of golfers at Rio Pinar Country Club in Orlando on Saturday, October 24th. The golf event was followed by lunch and a silent auction that raised additional funds for Orlando area children.

Special thanks to all of the businesses who donated to make the auction a huge success. The group of generous donors included the Orlando Magic, Jet-Blue, Flight Safety, SeaWorld/Aquatica, i-FLY, Embassy Suites, Hyatt Regency, Wingate, Doubletree, Renaissance, Sonesta Suites, LaQuinta, the Ritz, Shoot Straight, Legoland, Wonderworks, Central Florida Zoo, Cafe Tutu, Alehouse, Sam Sneads, Panera Bread, Outback, Dave & Busters, Maggiano's, Longhorn Steakhouse, Olive Garden, Bonefish Grill, Carrabba's, Ruby Tuesday, Gator's Dockside, Tony Roma's, Cheddars, Texas Roadhouse, Cracker Barrel, Smokey Bones, Chili's, Bubbalou's, Fresh to Order, Cheesecake Factory, Sea Dog, 4 Rivers, Fidelity, Publix, Race Track, Exon-Mobile, Home Depot, Barnes & Noble, Pirate's Cove Golf, Congo River Golf and Rio Pinar Country Club.

Thanks also to the men and women who enjoyed a beautiful morning of golf, to the generous volunteers and to the patient staff at Rio Pinar Country Club.



Golfers and volunteers met on Saturday, October 24, 2015, to participate in the Golf Tourney and Auction in MCO. Proceeds from the event benefit Orlando-area children's hospitals as well as the Russell Home for Atypical Children.

Welcome New Members

John Adkins	Trans States Airlines	Andrea DiPietro	ExpressJet Airlines
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Carlie Burton	ExpressJet Airlines	Pete Feduchak	
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David Buzzard	Delta	Ryan Fogelsanger	Allegiant Air
Ernesto Camaraza	Republic Airlines	Joshua Foley	Air Wisconsin airlines
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Scott Carter	ExpressJet Airlines	Ryan Galis	Envoy Air/American Eagle Air
Rich Catalano	Republic Airlines	George Garzon	Delta Air Lines/AL ANG
MichaelCerrato-Yeomans	ExpressJet Airlines	Bryan Genereaux	USAF/ExpressJet
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Rick Charles	Compass Airlines	Scott Golich	Delta Air Lines
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Brandon Comwill	Delta Air Lines	John Herreshoff	Compass Airlines
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Welcome New Members (cont.)

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John Kendrick	Expressjet	Michael Pascalar	NetJets
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Anyone wishing to contribute to a specific PFK city's hospital/shelter visits can do so by visiting the PFK website (www.pilotsforkids.org).

TO DONATE:
GO TO: www.pilotsforkids.org
CLICK: Donate
SELECT: Direct your donation to (dropdown)
SELECT: City-Coordinator
COMPLETE: Your credit card data

Remember...
100% of your donations are returned to the local pilot group to spend on hospitalized children or those in shelters.

PFK Merchandise
Pilots For Kids items, including sweatshirts, polos, T-shirts, ball caps, travel mugs and luggage tags, are available. You can order your PFK Merchandise by contacting Carol Stocker at 440-382-3090 or email pfkmerchandise@pilotsforkids.org. See the PFK web site for more information.



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2015
Pilots for Kids Award
To Brandon Vondrak

On behalf of Pilots for Kids, we would like to congratulate Brandon Vondrak as our 2015 PFK Award recipient.

Brandon, who flies for Baxter International, assumed the duties as our MKE coordinator in 2007. Since then, Brandon has enthusiastically led MKE area pilots on annual visits to the Walker's Point Teen Shelter and to the Sojourner Women & Children's Shelter. We asked Brandon to fill us in about his experiences. His observations reflect why we do what we do!

Thank you, Brandon, for all you do!

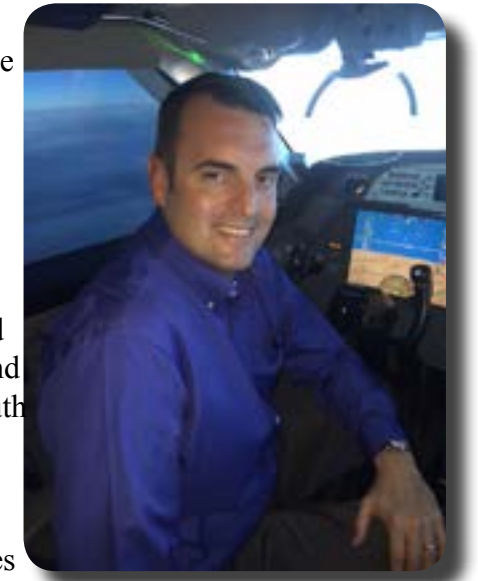
A Coordinator's View...

"The two places that the MKE PFK group visit are Walkers Point (teen homeless shelter) and the Sojourner Truth House (women's domestic violence shelter). When I started this process, Ed informed me to look beyond the hospitals and find a small group to receive the charity. What a great idea! I found Walker's Point, a homeless teen shelter in MKE. This is a shelter that provides a safe haven for runaway teens. When I talked to the director on the phone, I quickly found out that they do not receive many donations and that the shelter is a large old house in a tough neighborhood in MKE. The shelter sometimes lacks household items that we take for granted. Each year we provide a gift to the shelter such as a good vacuum, a crock pot, pots and pans and a DVD player. As for the teens, we decided to give a gift bag full of goodies. The main item in the bag is a \$20 gift card to Target so the teens can get whatever they may need including food, clothes or simple toiletries. In addition to the gifts, we provide a pizza party and have a Q and A session. All pilots have stories, so we keep the teens entertained by telling them the coolest places we have been, the famous people we have flown or a challenging flight we may have had. My fondest memory happened during my first year. At the end of the night, one of the teens who sat in the corner, shy/quiet, came up to me privately and thanked me for the gift bag.

He told me that he definitely needed the gift card. In that moment, I quickly knew that the MKE PFK group made a difference to that young teen."

"The second shelter that we attend is the Sojourner Truth House which is a women's domestic violence shelter. This shelter provides a safe place for women and their children who need to escape their violent home. At this shelter we give Pillow Pets to the children. The first year we attended was very eye-opening and left an everlasting memory. We arrived to a filled house with 20 kids, and their mothers, in attendance. The mood in the room was a mix of a emotions. There were excited kids that knew we were coming but did not know what gifts they were receiving, mothers excited for their kids and mothers who had a somber blank stare. Once we opened the bag of Pillow Pets, the kids went nuts! They each got to choose one of the animals out of the bag. Then they proceeded to happily run around the room with a Pillow Pet that was bigger then some of them. One of the women in the room was holding on to her daughter with the blank somber stare. Her daughter did not come up to receive a Pillow Pet. I watched as one of our pilots noticed this and took a Lady Bug Pillow Pet to the young girl. He bent down, gave it to her and had a little chat. The mother started to cry. In this moment I knew that PFK had an impact on this young girl and her mother. This was a week before Christmas and the majority of the people in the shelter were going to be there over the holiday. It's one of those moments that's hard to put into words."

"PFK is a great charitable organization and I'm proud to be a member. I encourage every member to either attend or donate money to an event. The smallest amount of money or time goes a long way. I have seen first hand the effects that it has had on our recipients as well as the members of PFK. Have a great holiday and charity event season."



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your limit!

May your deflector shields be at full power,
your phaser banks be charged,
and your starship be at warp speed
a stardate before the Klingons
even know you were there.

Live long and...oh, you know.

Thank you so much for your
good will and blessings!!

My son absolutely loved the
visit from all the pilots and
the fantastic gifts. He really
loved the huge dragon.

☺ Alex Aguirre
& Family

Rock United 4

DENVER

DEN PFK members held their annual "Rock United" Charity event on October 26th. The all-day event included 4 bands, consisting of pilots, rampers, flight attendants, and their friends/band members. There were 300+ in attendance throughout the afternoon/evening. Raffles and donations generated \$ 19,562, of which, over \$10,000 went to PFK. (The remainder went to

"The Cause", a foundation to help ill/disabled flight attendants). As always, a great time was had by all. Thanks to PFK members, family and friends who supported this event again this year.



CITY: IAH/Houston, TX

COORDINATOR: Bill Bella

PARTICIPANTS: United, United Express and Envoy Air

The Houston Pilots For Kids group had another successful visit to Texas Children's Hospital in Houston on June 2. Thirteen (13) dedicated pilots visited approximately 155 children. The Houston PFK volunteers have been conducting hospital visits for the past 21 years. "We always visit children at Christmas time and last year we added an Easter visit. This was our first mid-year hospital visit when less organizations are present. This visit we flew solo without Santa or a Mascot accompanying the pilots," said Captain Bill Bella, Houston PFK Coordinator.

The volunteers formed two separate groups, each with a Spanish speaking pilot. Several new members were welcomed and did a great job spreading happiness and discussing the children's interests and hobbies. A specially designed small teddy bear with a United t-shirt and Pilots For Kids Captain Baldy dolls were given to the children as a memory of the visit.

Texas Children's Hospital staff has often said, "The Houston Pilots For Kids are one of our best and favorite groups. They proved it again today!"

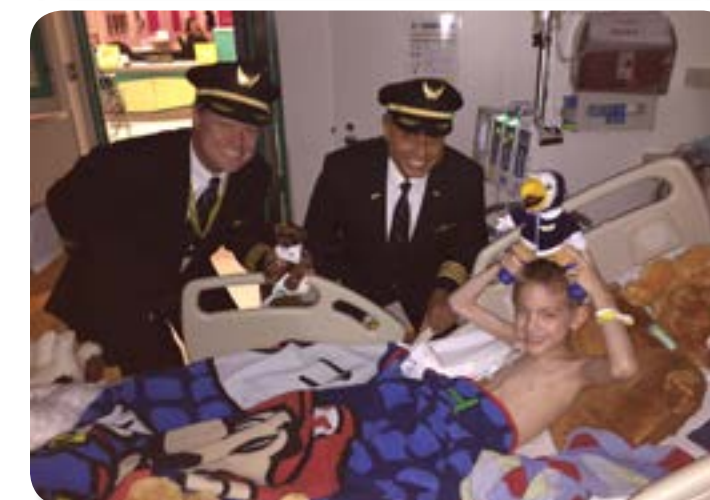
For those who couldn't attend the hospital visit, your support is always appreciated through donations at any time.

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100% of your donations are tax deductible and are fully returned to the Houston Pilots For Kids to spend on hospitalized children in the local area.

Your time and support is greatly appreciated by the children, their families, the hospital staff and the Pilots For Kids Organization.

You can make a big difference in many lives!



Above, IAH volunteers visited over 150 children during a mid-year visit to Texas Children's Hospital on June 2nd.

CITY: ATL/Atlanta, GA

COORDINATOR: Donald Myers

PARTICIPANTS: Delta, American, NetJets, Express-Jet and Envoy

May 20th was the date selected for a mid-year visit to the young patients at Hughes Spalding Children's Hospital in Atlanta. Eight pilots delivered gifts and good cheer as they visited with patients and families. PFK volunteers are always a welcome diversion when children are hospitalized! The group looks forward to their annual holiday visits as well.

Below, volunteers from ATL Pilots for Kids made a mid-year visit to Hughes Spalding Children's Hospital to visit with young patients.



CITY: ORF/Norfolk, VA

COORDINATOR: Mike Stock

PARTICIPANTS: Delta/VFC-12 and UAL

On October 21st, PFK volunteers in ORF conducted their first visit for Pilots for Kids at Children's Hospital of the King's Daughters (CHKD). The group visited six children ranging in age from about 5 to 9 years old. Coordinator Mike Stock purchased small wooden suitcases along with paints and stickers for the youngsters to design their own suitcase. Overall it was a great time. Parents and children all seemed to enjoy the diversion.

Since this is a new city for PFK, Mike and his group plan to visit the hospital again during the holiday season and hope to add more volunteer opportunities.

Welcome and thank you for your time and efforts!

CITY: PHX/Phoenix, AZ

COORDINATOR: Win Copeland

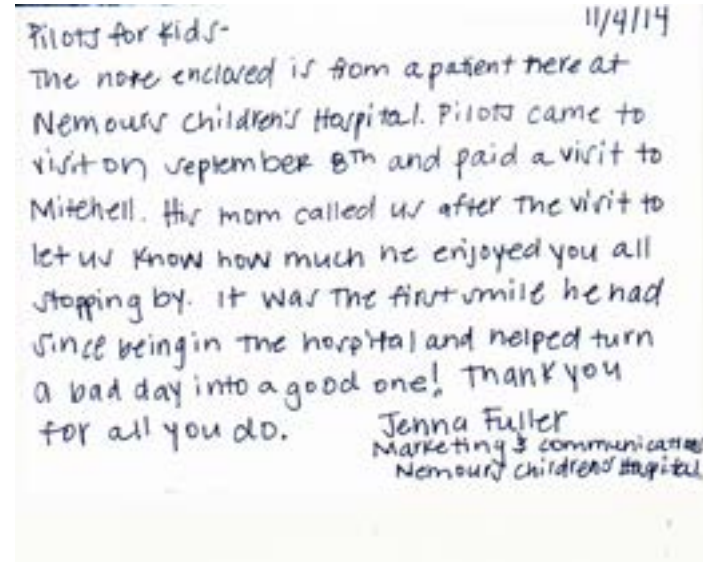
PARTICIPANTS: United/United Express

Over forty PFK volunteers assembled on a beautiful Monday morning (Dec. 22) in Phoenix to visit 250 plus children at Phoenix Children's Hospital.

This year's visit was special for two reasons. First, the group was joined by Samantha Anderson, Miss Teen Arizona. She was accompanied by Mrs. Arizona, Kathryn Denslow, Ms. Arizona, Jessica Ward and Miss Arizona, Savanna Troupe.

Samantha chose Pilots for Kids as her charity to support because her parents were both supporters. She is the daughter of Sherman and Sherry Anderson, both of whom were killed in an aircraft accident earlier in the year. Sherman was a pilot for US Airways and Sherry was a pilot for United Airlines. Samantha is a remarkable young lady with a very tender heart for children.

The second thing that made the visit so special was that the 13 year old daughter of one of our own US Airways pilots was at Phoenix Children's recovering from a stroke suffered in November. All four pageant winners were able to visit with her in her room which made for a very special day for everyone. PFK is fortunate to have such a generous and caring group of volunteers!



Above, PFK volunteers in PHX were joined by Miss Teen Arizona, Samantha Anderson. She was accompanied by Mrs. Arizona, Kathryn Denslow, Ms. Arizona, Jessica Ward and Miss Arizona, Savanna Troupe. The group visited over 250 children at Phoenix Children's Hospital.

DFW Celebrates 13th Annual Golf Tournament Fundraiser

On Monday, May 18th, PFK members held their 13th annual golf fund raiser at Lantana Golf Club, about 15 miles North of the DFW airport. Approximately one hundred golfers participated in the four player scramble that raised money for PFK hospital visits in the DFW area.

Following the golf, participants enjoyed a buffet lunch and libations.

According to tournament coordinator, Paul Brown, PFK had another very successful year that will allow the group to provide some nice presents to the children at area hospitals.

Thanks to all who participated, volunteered, or donated, with special thanks to those who helped coordinate this year's event.



Below and right, members of the DFW Pilots for Kids group held their 13th Annual Golf Tournament at Lantana Country Club raising funds to support DFW area children's hospitals. It was another successful event and participants all had a wonderful time.



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