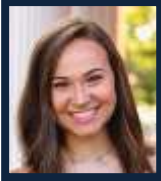




# "Anchors Aweigh"

## Anchor President



**President**  
Eliza Kate Floyd  
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Hello Georgia Anchors!

It's time to start getting geared up for the 2019 GA District Anchor Convention! Make sure to view the forms attached to register soon! Your 2018-2019 board members have planned a fun and exciting convention for you all!

As you already know, the theme this year is "Anchors Down South", only fitting for us sweet Georgia Anchors! Our Convention Chair, Anna Kubas, has more detailed notes on the activities we have planned for convention, but I'd like to highlight a few things to get everyone pumped up!

Our food this year will be centered around the southern kitchen table, with dishes like barbecue, mac and cheese, banana pudding, and much more! Workshops this year will include oldies, like jewelry making, and team building, but also some new ones such as line dancing, where the anchors who attended International Anchor Summit in Nashville, TN, will teach some cool moves, and Scrapbooking, where you will learn how to make a winning scrapbook for convention (make sure to bring a few pictures if you plan to participate in this workshop!).

We will be contouring the tradition of painting hospital art in the hospitality suite, and collecting pop tabs from each club. Be sure to remember your clubs \$5 door prizes! We hope that you will enjoy the convention, as your board has put much time and effort into making it an awesome year!

See you soon!

*Eliza Kate*



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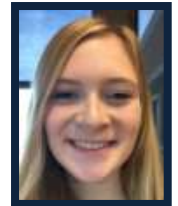
Realizing that in unity there is strength, we, as members of the Anchor Club, are resolved:

To work together in friendship and loyalty; to render service to our home, school and community, knowing this course will take us over a sea of happiness; to steer our ship of life by the bright stars of Hope and Faith; to follow words of guidance from parents, teachers, and Pilot friends, for those, as gleams from the Lighthouse of Truth, are of wisdom, to set full sail through channels of achievement which lead us to the port of success; and, when our ship of life is tossed by the tempests of misunderstanding and the angry winds of injustice we will cast our Anchor of courage, wisdom, and trust to hold us fast.

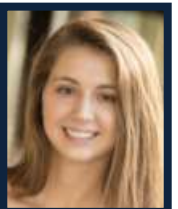
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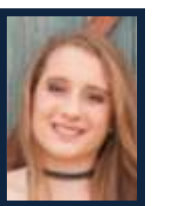
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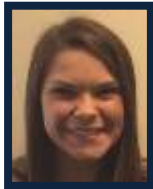
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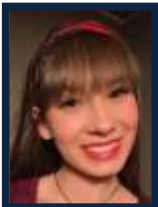
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Anchor SE Region Chair  
Kayley Perry

Hello everyone, my name is Kayley Perry, your Southeast Region Chair. I hope everyone's year is going great so far and I hope everyone is doing great things in their Anchor Clubs. My school West Laurens has been deeply involved in our community starting with BrainMinders. The event has helped us go into the elementary schools in our community and talk to 1<sup>st</sup> graders about bicycle safety. We also had the opportunity to visit our local VA hospital recently and show love to them at their event honoring Veterans' Day. Our local businesses and Pilot Club organized a road race for young kids and parents that we gladly had the opportunity to attend. This race was called Monster Dash. We painted faces, played games with candy, and got the chance to engage with the young kids and families while dressed in Halloween costumes. Another project I am excited about is the CASA Christmas Project where we have the chance to sponsor three kids in foster care and provide them with gifts. It has been a great year so far and we still have lots of projects to go. I can't wait for convention and to see what the rest of the year holds.



Anchor NE Region Chair  
Sarah Justice

The leaves are falling, and Anchors are falling for serving their community! Anchor Clubs all over the Georgia District are finding ways to enrich their local area through service projects. Franklin County HS Anchors always find time to visit a nursing home. It always brightens the residents' day to sit and listen to their stories or play a competitive game of bingo. They also love for us to come and decorate the nursing home—this season we were able to decorate with fall leaves and Thanksgiving greetings. No matter how you serve your community, make a statement. If necessary, go against the crowd and help out places that people neglect to think about.

Have a happy fall y'all!



Anchor Convention Chair  
Anna Kubas

Georgia Anchors, mark your calendars!

This year's anchor convention will be held from February 22nd to February 24th 2019 at Lake Lanier Lodge. These dates may seem far away, but they'll come up faster than you know. So, start putting together those scrapbooks, designing your T-shirts, and recruiting club members to join us for this fun and informative weekend! Not only will you get to participate in activities and workshops with anchors from all across the state of Georgia, you can see what other clubs are doing, listen to speakers who have gone above and beyond in community service, and get some new ideas on how to continue to serve your own community.

We hope to see you there!

**Anchor Convention**  
**February 22-24, 2019**  
**Legacy Lodge**  
**Lake Lanier Islands**



**2018-19 Service Project**  
**Pull Tabs**  
**Anchor Convention**



Please save your pull tabs. We will have a competition to see which Anchor club can bring the most to convention. Please place the tabs in gallon jugs and label them with your club name. The club turning in the most full gallon jugs of pull tabs will win. These will be donated to the Ronald McDonald House.



**"Anchors Down South"**  
**Convention Theme**



**Attention:  
Anchor Sponsors/Advisors  
Anchor Coordinators of Pilot  
Clubs**

In order to get timely information timely to the Anchor Advisors and Pilot Anchor Coordinators, We need your correct information. If you have not already done so, please e-mail your updated e-mail address, mailing address and phone number to Kerrin Daniels at [kerrin.daniel@gmail.com](mailto:kerrin.daniel@gmail.com).



**Anchor Coordinator**

It's already November! Football is in full swing, temperatures are starting to cool off... and Christmas is everywhere! I hope you all are checking items off your shopping lists! Another item to check off your list is making plans to attend our 2019 Anchor Convention. Our Anchors have worked hard to make sure it's the best yet! Also, we are looking for some hard working and dedicated leaders! Is that you? Start thinking about running for District Anchor Board! Information is attached that explains the responsibilities, the nomination process, and important deadlines. Come be a part of the excitement and gain valuable leadership skills along the way! Talk to your Region Chair or any Anchor Officer about their position. Can't wait to see your name on the ballot at Convention! Make your reservations now and get those nominations in!

See you all soon!

*Kerrin*

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**GA District Governor  
Doretta Broughton**

Throughout this Holiday season, you will have an opportunity to spend priceless time with family and friends. As you enjoy this time, think of how blessed you are and do not forget to reach out to those who are less fortunate. The influence you have as Anchors promotes positive change on your school campus and in your community. Your volunteer hours and service projects are very much appreciated!

Time is quickly approaching for Georgia District Anchor Convention February 22-24, 2019. Your Officers are planning a fun and informative convention with exciting activities and speakers. I hope you all are planning to attend.

It is not too soon to think about attending the Annual Anchor International Summit in Chicago, IL July 3-7, 2019. What a wonderful opportunity to meet and learn from other Anchors throughout The United States and abroad. I look forward to seeing Georgia Anchors there!!

*Doretta*

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**facebook**

Georgia District Anchor has a Facebook page. Please go and like us on Facebook. This is a place where you can share your service projects and programs.



Roswell HS Anchors delivered 200 sandwiches packed for MUST Ministries Summer Lunch Program



Centennial HS Anchors Hudson, Mabel & Sophia received Pilot thanks from Past Governor/Atlanta Pilot member Louise Shimer following their presentation on Founder's Day

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Each year **West Laurens Anchor Club** members volunteer at the BrainMinders Program sponsored by the Dublin Pilot Club. The programs are presented at each of the county elementary schools and teach children about the importance of brain safety. This year we had the opportunity to present the safety program at Northwest Laurens Elementary and Southwest Laurens Elementary. The anchor members sang songs and presented the newly revamped puppet show for the students. This is a wonderful event that we enjoy volunteering at each year.



During puppet show



Pictured left to right: Kay Hughes, Elsie McGowan, Kayley Perry, Emma Powell, Cassie Stancil, Katie Powell, Colt Matthews, Sydney Hayes, Lacey Baker and Christina Howell



The 2nd Annual Monster Dash sponsored by the Dublin pilot club was a huge success!! Over 300 participants, Anchors painted faces, passed out candy, and helped entertain the kids before the candy walk.



The **Washington County High School Anchor Club** and the **Brentwood School Anchor Club** joined together along with the Pilot Club of Washington County (Sandersville, Ga) on a joint project to benefit Alzheimer's patients in our county. In July, students from both schools, with the help of Pilot members Diane Davies and Dianna Armstrong, joined together and made activity lap mats. These mats have different textured material, zippers, buttons, etc. and were designed to safely stimulate and soothe people with Alzheimer's and other cognitive challenges. The students learned to sew in the process!



### "Anchors Aweigh"



The Georgia District Newsletter "Anchors Aweigh" is published 4 times a year in September, November, January and March.

We would like to spotlight your club in our next edition of "Anchors Aweigh." Please send us your news on special awards, projects, fund-raisers or other activities of your Anchor Club. Photos are also welcome.

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Please make copies and share "Anchors Aweigh" with your Anchor Club members. If lack of money for photocopying is a problem, print a few copies and pass around at your next meeting.