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The International Organization of Women Pilots

## Florida Suncoast Chapter

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## Vice Chairman's Message

I would like to say CONGRATULATIONS to Barbara Strachan for her huge achievement with the race she did last month. What an accomplishment!! It takes a very strong woman to do that and I commend you Barbara on that, we are honored to have you as part of the 99s.

Florida Suncoast Chapter is a voice for women who share a passion for the aviation industry. Our mission is to promote and support the industry, educate consumers of all ages and encourage women involved in flying and related aviation business. We offer leadership development, education, volunteer opportunities, national programs, and we participate in the strategic planning process of the aviation industry.

Having said that, I would like to also mention that we cannot do it alone and we all need each other's support. I sure hope that each and everyone of us is doing her part in recruiting new pilots, asking your friends and family for support as well.

My way of giving is doing this work as the Vice Chair

and giving up of my time to do what ever it takes to get the job done. I am doing another Wine Tasting Fundraiser on November 9th, at Clearwater Beach, FL. I look forward to the camaraderie and wine tasting experience this event will provide in addition to the fundraiser. Hope you mark your calendar for this great event!! More information will be provided next month.

Please email or call me and the home office about updating your personal information on line so the next printing of the directory is correct.

To contact home office to make changes, please click on this link:  
<http://www.ninety-nines.org/contact.html>

The Sun'n Fun has started a quarterly newsletter and if you wish to be on the list, email them at : [newsletter@sun-n-fun.org](mailto:newsletter@sun-n-fun.org) , in case that doesn't work, try their web site for more info and it is <http://www.sun-n-fun.org>

If you have a story to tell us or something you want to get out to our members, please send it to me, send me pictures or what ever you wish to be in the newsletter and we'll try to

accommodate you.

Thanks to all the wonderful people offering to donate money, food, drinks, plates, utensils, cups, decorations, raffle items, silent auction items, transportation, set up, and cleanup. Unfortunately, we are still short and need more. Please don't be afraid to go to your employers, friends, and family for help, this is a non-profit organization and it is a write off to donate to us !!

Hope you are having a wonderful summer !

Dima



## Upcoming meetings/events

### SPECIAL EVENT AT THE TAMPA THEATRE

WEBSITE:

<http://www.tampatheatre.org/comingAttractions.php#WINGS>

Sunday, August 31 at 3pm

### WINGS

movie is playing (silent, 1927)

Featuring LIVE MUSICAL ACCOMPANIMENT by Theatre Organ Legend

ROSA RIO at the Mighty Wurlitzer Theatre Organ *Wings* was the first film ever made that graphically captured the emotional combination of freedom and fear of flying in combat. Director William Wellman drew on his years in an elite flying squadron and pushed the cinematic technology of the day to its limit when he created this film's timeless aerial sequences. The story revolves around two young men, of different classes, who have both fallen for the same young woman before they head off to combat. Richard Arlen and Charles Rogers are well paired as they fight it out over both Clara Bow and enemy soil, and Gary Cooper makes a memorable cameo appearance, which launched his career. The emotional current created by the three stars is as intense as the film's special effects, and the result adequately reflects the lasting brutality of war. This drama won the very first Academy Award for Best Picture.

1927/2:21/drama, romance, war/35mm

Academy Awards: Best Picture, Best Effects

Library of Congress National Film Registry

#### \* TICKETS:

\$11.50 Adult

\$10.50 Student (with ID)

\$9.50 Senior, Military

### NEXT CHAPTER MEETING

Date: Saturday September 13, 2008  
Time: 10:30

Location Name: Crystal River Airport  
Address: 718 N. Lindbergh Drive,  
Crystal River, FL 34429

Phone number: (352) 795-6868

Web site for maps & directions or any other info:

<http://www.crystalaerogroup.com/contact.html>

Email of location if available:

[fullservice@crystalaerogroup.com](mailto:fullservice@crystalaerogroup.com)

Cost or RSVP needed: None

99 contact person for emergency:  
Dima 727-482-3131 or 877-Dima Fly

### Other important dates you might want to put on your calendar.

October 3, 4, & 5th Will be the 99s SouthEast Section Annual meeting in St. Petersburg, FL and should prove to be a dynamic event!! The flier with more information is on our website.

October Albert Whitted Air Show has been canceled.

November 9<sup>th</sup> at 3:00 PM Wine Tasting Fundraiser at Clearwater Beach, FL

### Other Nationwide Events :

<http://www.ninety-nines.org/events.html>

November 5-8-10, 2008 : AOPA Expo 2008, San Jose, CA.

July 22-26, 2009 : The Ninety-Nines International Conference, Chicago, IL

July 2010 : The Ninety-Nines International Conference, Kona, HI

July 2011 : The Ninety-Nines International Conference, Oklahoma City, OK



### MESSAGE FROM THE SOUTHEAST SECTION PLANNING CHAIRMAN

Here we are planning for the fall section meeting in St Pete.

We need your support!!!!!! It is not fair for that a chapter as large as ours can't get any help,

We are planning a great Welcome Party, a really fun buffet by the pool and one of the best Hospitality Rooms in the southeast. Our reputation for having one of the best Hospitality rooms is well known. We want to keep it that way. In order to maintain this reputation we need your help and donations.

If you wish to send a cash donation let us know.

Food ---let Nancy Wright or Barbara Yeninas know and we will tell you what we need.

Cash--- send to Jeanne Burklund 1659 Palmwood Drive, Clearwater, FL 33756.

PLEASE PLEASE HELP US!!!!!!

If you have never been to a section this is a great chance to go to one close to home.

Fill out the registration from the newsletter and come to St Pete. If you can't come to the meeting come to the Pool Party. Bring your friends. It will be a good meal and a great speaker. Fill out the dinner part of the registration and come on down.

WE NEED YOU AND WE NEED YOUR HELP!!!!!!

Fly Safe...

Mary and Nancy

# Aviation Scholarship for Women

Criteria: Must have a Private Pilot's License and be an active and current member of a Florida Chapter of the Ninety-Nines for One Year.

Scholarship may be used for: FAA Certificate or Rating, College Program or other Worthwhile Aviation Endeavor

Maximum Amount Awarded: \$2000.00

Scholarship Deadline: October 15<sup>th</sup>, 2008

Given by the Florida Goldcoast Chapter of the Ninety-Nines

Download Application at  
[www.fgoldcoast99s.org](http://www.fgoldcoast99s.org)

For Any Additional Information contact:  
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# Welcome to Downtown

# ST PETERSBURG Florida



Your home away from home **Oct. 3 & 4**

99 Southeast Section Meeting

Hosted by the Florida Suncoast 99s

**HILTON St. Petersburg Bayfront**

333 First St. South, St. Petersburg, FL 33701

**\$109**dbl. per night plus tax ■ parking \$12

**1-800-HILTONS ■ 727-894-5000**



**Deadline for Room Reservations: Sept. 3**

[www.stpetersburg.hilton.com](http://www.stpetersburg.hilton.com)

Outdoor heated pool and complete fitness center... Starbucks Coffee center in hotel. Walking distance to museums, the Pier and Bay Walk shopping. Within steps of downtown Albert Whitted Municipal Airport



Visit the St. Petersburg Museum of History home of the replica of the world's first commercial airliner, the Benoist.

Visit the Salvador Dali Museum, the Museum of Fine Arts or have fun at the Pier. ***This is the place to be Oct. 3 and 4!***



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# ST PETERSBURG

## Southeast Section Ninety-Nine Fall Meeting

October 3 & 4, 2008



Hilton St. Petersburg Bayfront • [www.stpetersburg.hilton.com](http://www.stpetersburg.hilton.com)  
 333 First Street South, St. Petersburg, FL 33701  
 Ph: 727-894-5000 • Fax: 727-723-4797 • 1-800 Hiltons

### SCHEDULE:

Friday- Registration in Hotel Lobby    Hospitality Room open at 2 pm  
 Friday Night Reception Hospitality Room 6 – 10 pm

Saturday Hospitality Room (breakfast) 7 – 9 am  
 General Session 9 am – 12 noon  
 Lunch on your own  
 Hospitality Room Open: 2 pm – 5 pm  
 Saturday Buffet Dinner by the Pool 6 pm – 9 pm  
 Special guest speaker, Tony Jannus, pilot of the Benoist Airplane

Sunday Hospitality Room (breakfast) 7 til 9 am

**Remember** rooms are reserved by calling the Hilton St. Petersburg Bayfront  
 Rate is \$109 per night +tax (\$12 parking if you drive) if reserved no later than September 3rd.  
 up to 4 persons per room. Say you are with the Southeast Section 99s

### REGISTRATION FORM

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
 Chapter \_\_\_\_\_

**Full Registration:** \$65 before September 26, 2008. \$70 after September 26th.  
**Full registration includes:** Saturday meeting, Continental Breakfast (2) Friday night reception,  
 Saturday Night Buffet Dinner, goodie bag and full use of the hospitality room)  
**Extra Tickets:** Friday night Welcome Reception \$15  
 Saturday Buffet Dinner Tickets \$45  
**Total Enclosed** \_\_\_\_\_

**Fly into Albert Whitted Airport** (free transportation to hotel) TOWER/CTAF: 127.4 GROUND 121.8  
 ETA: \_\_\_\_\_

**Make check payable to Florida Suncoast 99s and mail to:**  
**Nancy Wright 122 Highland Rd., Tarpon Springs, FL 34689 Phone: 727-937-0561**  
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