

Pilot International Bylaws Cheat Sheet on Club Section

Membership

VII. 1. Any member may sponsor a new member. Each Club may choose how to process invitations to membership. Invitations remain open for 6 months.

A Pilot may transfer to another Club and a former Pilot may be reinstated upon request and payment of any reinstatement fee, if fee is required.

VII. 2. Active Members – have all rights

Privileged Members – May vote if attend meeting; must pay District & PI dues; Club dues set by Club; may NOT hold appointed or elected office.

Emeritus Members – Must have been a Pilot for 15 years or a Charter member. Pays no dues; may not vote or hold office.

Membership-At-Large – May NOT vote or hold appointed or elected office. Pay District and PI Dues.

Honorary Members – Non-Pilot recognized for meritorious achievement. May NOT vote or hold office. Do NOT pay dues. Executive Board must approve the candidate and submit their name for approval to the Club.

Associate Members – Are not Club members – they are only members of Pilot International.

Provisional Members – Must be a former Anchor or Pilot Scholarship recipient. Limited to six years only for Anchors and for Scholarship recipients while receiving scholarship from Club. Do NOT pay dues or hold appointed for elective office.

E-members – No attendance requirements but may vote if attend meetings. Must pay District and PI dues; Club sets Club dues. May NOT hold elected or appointed office.

VII. 3. The Executive Board

Grants Leave of Absences (up to 1 year)

Grants changes in membership type – i.e., Active to e-member

Terminates memberships for nonattendance or failure to meet financial obligations.

Dues and Fees

IX. 1. Pilot International dues for new members are prorated.

Clubs may set a Club initiation fee.

Dues are due by July 1 to PI and District.

Fifty-year members do not pay Pilot International dues.

Officers, Terms, Qualifications

X. 1. Each Club needs to note who their officers will be in their Standing Rules.

X. 2. Terms of office are for one year; for Directors, 2 years

President Elect automatically becomes President at close of the term.

X. 3. Only Active members may be officers.

Nominee for President Elect must have served on Board for one year.

Nominations, Election, Installation, Vacancy in Office

XI. 1. Clubs should put in Standing Rules if their Nominating Committee will consist of 3 or 5 members. They must also elect 2 alternates. Election of Committee will be no later than March and must report no later than April.

XI. 2. Election of officers will be in April. Nominations may be made from the floor. Majority vote elects.

XI. 4. If an officer resigns between the Committee report and the installation, the Committee recommends a candidate to the Club for approval.

Vacancies occurring after installation shall be filled with 30 days.

President – President Elect moves up.

President – Elect – Board recommends and Club approves.

All others – President appoints with approval of Board.

Meetings – Regular, Special, Quorum

XIV. 1. Meet at least once a month – do not have to meet in July – PI Convention
Non-Pilot guests may attend meetings with consent of President.

XIV. 2. Special meetings may be called by: President, Board, 5 members of the Club. All members must be notified in advance.

XIV. 3. Quorums will be set by the Club. (Note from Parliamentarian: If you do not have anything in your Standing Rules, your quorum is a majority of your members eligible to vote – Active, Privileged and e-members.)

Divisions of Activity and Special Committees

XV. 1. Clubs must have Club Operations, Fund Raising and Projects Divisions.
Anchor and Leadership Development Divisions are optional.

XV. 3. The Treasurer is the Chair of the Budget Committee. President, President Elect, Vice President and Fund Raising Coordinator are on the Committee.

XV. 5. Unbudgeted expenditures must be approved by the Club.

Pilot International Bylaws and Amendments

XVI. 1. Standing rules will not conflict with the Pilot International Bylaws.

XVI. 2. Standing rules may be amended at any regular business meeting by majority of eligible voters after the amendment has been presented at a previous club business meeting for discussion.