



Ninety-Nines

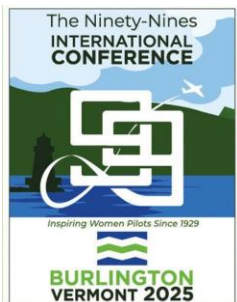
## New England Section



New England Section 99s

# Squawk

International Organization of Women Pilots



**It's just over a month away** - the International 99s Conference in Burlington, VT! July 9 - 13, 2025!

As we, the New England Section, are the hosts for this year's event, **we invite you to participate.**

**Here are some suggestions:**

**Volunteering** in the Hospitality Suite - a Sign Up Sheet is below.  
**Donating** to the Hospitality Suite - with a New England specialty food or drink.

The suite is always a welcoming spot to meet other 99s from across the country and around the world.

**Snacks & beverages, laughter & connections happen here.**

**Other opportunities** will arise as we get closer to the date.



## **Chapter News**

### **Eastern New England Chapter**

**Long-time member and honorary scholarship benefactor, Anne Bridge Baddour, who passed away early this year, has bequeathed two significant donations to continue scholarships for the Chapter. The ENE Scholarship Committee is very appreciative that larger scholarships can now be awarded.**

Heart-felt thanks go to **Beth Young** for her extended service as Chapter Chair of the Eastern New England 99s. She stayed on and continued as Chair (with wonderful ideas, zest and leadership) until new officers were found. Her farewell comments are in the latest issue of Flylines, which can be found on [www.womenpilotsene.org](http://www.womenpilotsene.org)

I love Beth's quote from Amelia Earhart, which encourages all in the face of challenge to: "Use your fear, it can take you to the place where you store your courage."



**Connecticut Chapter**  
**CONGRATULATIONS**  
**to the**  
**Connecticut Chapter**  
**Scholarship Winners!**

**The CT Scholarship Committee is happy to announce the winners of the  
2025 Scholarships in memory of Evelyn Kropp and Maryellyn Page:**



**LUCIA (LUCY) CRETE (with Kim Edwards)  
Higganum, CT**



**ELLIE POWERS  
Simsbury, CT**

An award ceremony was recently held at the Goodspeed Airport.

*CT Chapter Scholarship Committee,  
Sarah Smith-Dufton  
Joanna Swanson  
Kim Edwards*



### Women In Aviation Event



Women In Aviation is having a paint night on June 10, and we would love to invite the 99's to join us! It's going to be at Minuteman Airfield, and all 99's can register at the "member" price if they'd like to attend! We did this last year, and it was a big hit! We would love to see you there!

Here is the sign up link:

[Women In Aviation - Boston Chapter Paint Night!](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/women-in-aviation-boston-chapter-paint-night-tickets-755555555555)  
[eventbrite.com](https://www.eventbrite.com)



## Conference Corner

### Sign up to volunteer!

The New England Section is responsible for managing the Hospitality Suite Wednesday-Saturday, July 9-12 during the 99s Conference.

#### ***WE NEED YOUR HELP!***

To volunteer, please click on the following web link (or copy it into your web browser if clicking doesn't work) to go to the signup sheet:

[volunteersignup.org/YJMKC](http://volunteersignup.org/YJMKC)

To sign up, just follow the instructions on the page. It only takes a few seconds to do.

You will receive an email notification one week prior to the conference with a reminder of the shift(s) you have signed up for. If you need to cancel or change your shift, contact Beth or Glenna to make that change.

Thank you for volunteering!

***The New England Section Hospitality Suite Planning Committee***

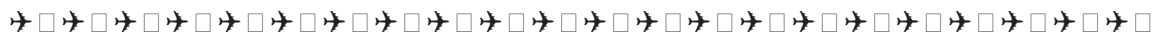
Questions or need to make a change? Contact:

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## **Donate**

**All donations of regional specialty foods will be appreciated.**

**We're not *whining*, but we need**

### **WINE DONATIONS!**

**The 2025 Int'l Conference Hospitality Planning Committee is looking to serve a diverse assortment of wines from around New England at the upcoming July Conference in Burlington. If you have a connection with a winery in your area, please reach out to them and ask for a donation. Or if you have a favorite wine that you'd like to donate, please let us know.**

**Very much appreciated!**

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**Blue skies and tailwinds,**

**Margot Cheel**

**Governor**

**New England Section of The Ninety-Nines**