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PTC PUB: The Peachtree City PUB Event is a family-friendly airport cookout with fun for the kids and planes to keep the pilots happy. Food and refreshments provided. Wednesday June 19, 2013, 5:30PM, Falcon Field FBO Ramp Peachtree City ([See Map](#)). RSVP: www.deltapilotnetwork.org.

Flying: June 4th, Delta reported [Financial and Operating Performance for May 2013](#). Mainline ASMs were up 2.0 percent, and regional carrier ASMs were down 6.7 percent. Overall system domestic flying was approximately flat, but this trend is positive.

AE: Check and update your preferences. The June 3, 2013 bid closes at Noon EDT, Thursday June 13th.

Study Break PUBs: Training? Take a break and socialize with negotiators, reps, committee chairs, and ALPA officers. Find out what's going on; ask your questions. Food and drinks provided. Wednesday, June 12th and 26th, 6:30-8:30PM, Holiday Inn and Suites ATL Airport.

The Fight is (Still) On: FFDO Funding and Abu Dhabi: Thanks to thousands of ALPA pilot partisans, ALPA-PAC, and the efforts of ALPA's Aviation Security Committee, pilot volunteers, and Government Affairs staff, the House of Representatives approved a Homeland Security Appropriations bill on Thursday that included two amendments: funding for the FFDO program for FY2014, and blocking taxpayer funding of the Abu Dhabi Pre-Clearance Facility. Our [efforts on the Hill are paying off](#). There are three active [Calls To Action](#). We must [continue to tell Congress about our issues](#) as we now focus on the Senate.

ALPA Pilots on Capitol Hill: Delta pilots and MEC members were among nearly 100 pilots from 15 ALPA pilot groups at ALPA's Legislative Summit this past week. They met with >110 members of Congress and made clear the need to level the playing field.

Upcoming Council Meetings:

- Council 66: Wednesday, June 12, 1-3PM, Hilton New York JFK Airport
- Council 108: Tuesday, July 9, 2013, time and location TBD
- Council 44: Thursday, August 1, 11AM-2PM, location TBD

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