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SEA MEC Meeting: The MEC is meeting in SEA Aug 13-16, Renaissance Seattle Hotel, 515 Madison Street. Pilots are always welcome. Open speaking time is allotted on Wednesday, August 14, 12-12:30PM. Contact your LEC representative if you wish to address the MEC at this time.

Strat Planning Update: Ex-Im Bank Chairman Fred Hochberg reported July 29, 2013, in the Chairman's Quarterly report, that aircraft financing to foreign countries is declining. ALPA and Delta's joint lawsuit is helping remove this government sponsored subsidy that is hurting our careers.

Scholarship Opportunities: Air Line Pilots Association annually grants a four-year (renewable based on academic standing) college scholarship of \$3,000. In addition, \$2,000 is authorized for scholarship funding to augment the four regular awards or to establish one or two special one year awards. To be eligible for the ALPA scholarship program an applicant must be the dependent of a medically retired, long term disabled, or deceased ALPA member. Applicants may be currently enrolled college students. Applications accepted January 2014 - April 1, 2014. Required forms are available from Maggie Erzen, Governing Bodies Coordinator, Maggie.erzen@alpa.org.

iALPA Update: Recently the folder structure for iALPA was updated to reflect user preferences. If you previously downloaded the older folder version, it will no longer connect and it will be necessary to delete and reload the new format to your tablet. Pilot feedback has helped in refining this product. iALPA download instructions can be found on the <u>Communications page</u> of the Delta MEC website.

Report Jumpseat Issues: Please submit JSAP and/or FCR reports for jumpseat issues. For issues on Delta or DCI submit both a JSAP and an FCR. For issues with other airlines, please only file a JSAP report. The JSAP report form is on the DAL MEC website, <u>Jumpseat Committee</u> page. Pilots may contact the committee at DALMECjumpseat@alpa.org.

Pilot to Pilot (P2P) Training Opportunities: This is your chance to get involved with ALPA and help your fellow pilots. Please contact Steve Rose at <u>dalp2p@alpa.org</u> for more details.

- SEA, Aug 14, 10AM 3PM, the Renaissance SEA Hotel
- SLC, Aug 16, 10AM 3PM, location-TBA.

SLC Fish Fry PUB: The Delta Pilot Network and Council 81 will be hosting the annual Fish Fry in Park City on 8/17. This is a family-friendly event; spouses & children are welcome! Please RSVP @ www.deltapilotnetwork.org to help us plan for the proper amount of food and beverages.

Upcoming PUBs - Come and socialize with negotiators, reps, committee chairs, and ALPA officers. Find out what's going on; ask your questions. Food and drinks provided. If you are training in ATL this summer join us on Wednesdays for a study break.

- ATL: Wednesday, August 21, Holiday Inn and Suites, ATL Airport, 6:30PM 8:30PM
- SLC: Saturday, August 17
- MSP: Wednesday, September 18
- DTW: Thursday, September 19
- SAN: Wednesday, September 25

Upcoming Council Meetings:

Council 54: Monday, August 12, 10AM - 2PM, SeaTac Conference Center, London Room Council 20: Monday, August 12, Noon - 3PM, McNamara Terminal, Detroit Metro Airport, Crew Lounge Council 81, Monday, September 9, 10AM-2PM, SLC International Airport, Jazz Room

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