

Seasons Greetings fellow PCEA Members,

What a year it has been! From the optimism we all showed last January to the pessimism we felt at the end of the March and the crazy ups and downs since then, 2020 has been an extraordinary event to say the least. I am glad to say that our chapter has fared well despite conditions that weren't kind to an organization that depends on social gatherings. That is thanks to your support, so on behalf of PCEA....thank you all for hanging in there with us.

For those of you that made it out to our combination holiday social and member appreciation event at TopGolf, I hope you all had as good a time as I did. We had about 30 members and guests attend and received a lot of positive feedback from attendees so I'm counting that endeavor as a success. Special thanks to our event chair, Rob Webster, for pulling that together and booking us many fine guest speakers throughout the year. Quality speakers and events are the way that we serve our members and keep them coming back. Unfortunately, with Covid on the rise, we will not be doing an in-person meeting in January, but we will still have a virtual one. We will be holding our annual round-table discussion via Zoom and all attendees will be encouraged to participate with their views on what to expect in the year ahead. Be on the look-out for that meeting invite dropping in your in-box in the next week or two. The meeting will be held on the 2nd Wed of the month 1/13 at 6:00PM. I do hope you will join us. After this next meeting we will reassess the situation and hopefully be able to resume our in-person meetings in February.

That is all for now as I am scheduled to depart for the NC mountains shortly to enjoy that sweet rarity....a white Christmas. I hope all of you stay safe and warm this holiday season and I'll see you in 2021.

Cheers,

Ben Carter
Charlotte Chapter President