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Jim Hickin
President, DAHF

What a great event! On October 19th, the Delaware Aviation Hall of Fame inducted six more outstanding Delawareans into the Hall of Fame. This year's inductees not only represented the entire state, they lived up to our theme – Delaware, a World of Flight. The accomplishments of our new inductees have been felt around the world (and beyond). My thanks to my fellow Trustees for another successful banquet!

But, with this year's induction behind us, it's time to think about next year. DAHF is always looking for deserving Delawareans to honor for their achievements in aviation. If you know someone that should be honored, please visit our website (www.dahf.org) for details on how to nominate them.

The Board of Trustees selects inductees from the public's nominations. Please help us out by submitting your nominations today.

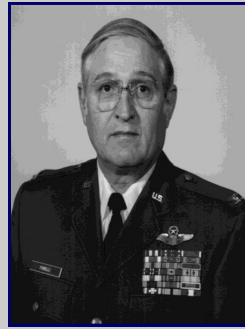


2013 DAHF Inductees:



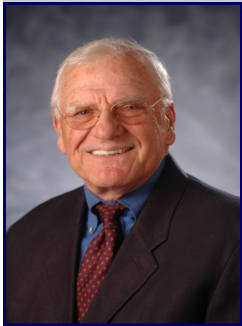
Allen Chorman, Milton

With his diverse aerial applications company, has made a real difference in the strength of Delaware agriculture and aviation; proactively developed Chorman Airport for public use to serve the general aviation community; has accrued over 30,000 hours of accident-free flying.



James V. Fiorelli, Colonel, USAF

(Deceased), Wilmington
Flew 20 continuous months of combat in South Vietnam; 30 year career fighter pilot, with leadership roles at squadron and group levels; graduate of Salesianum High School and U.S. Air Force Academy; died on active duty.



Joseph R. Hudson, Milton

Strong champion of the First State's agricultural industry and the professionalism of its supporting aviation community; longtime aviator, regional aerial agricultural and mosquito spraying business entrepreneur, land developer, farmer, and philanthropist.



John Pavlock, Wilmington

In 1991 flew 36 combat missions over Iraq during Operation Desert Storm, earning a Distinguished Flying Cross and 3 Air Medals; 20 years' experience as a combat fighter pilot on active duty and with the Air National Guard; graduate of the U.S. Air Force Academy.



Rogelio Rodriguez, Jr., Major, DANG, Bear – As an aeromedical evacuation flight nurse in the DE Air National Guard, logged over 150 combat missions and almost 700 combat flying hours transporting over 2,000 wounded to needed medical care; has 25 years of military service, 14 years as a nurse.



Stephanie M.G. Wright, Ed.D, Bear
Early NASA Teacher-in-Space-Program finalist; founded the Delaware Aero-Space Education Foundation (DASEF), an independent non-profit body, to raise the visibility and value of K-12 STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics) education.

Would you like to nominate someone to the 2014 DAHF?

2014 AVIATION HALL OF FAME

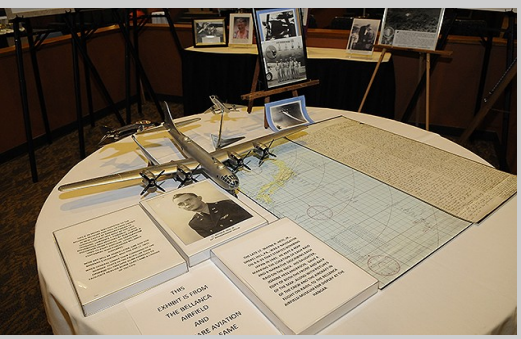
If you wish to nominate someone just send us a letter not exceeding two single spaced typed pages. Please explain why you feel your nominee deserves induction into the DAHF. Supporting documents, news articles, citations and photographs are welcome. Qualifications may come from any aspect of space, air or ground involvement in flying. The nominations for consideration in 2014 must be postmarked no later than March 1, 2014. Be sure to include your return address.

2014 YOUTH ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

This award is given to the young man or woman who has distinguished himself or herself in aviation training, career development and participation in aviation community activities. Delaware youths 15 to 21 who are pursuing careers in aviation, in the air or on the ground are eligible as are youths enrolled in aviation training programs in Delaware. Supporting materials are encouraged. The nomination itself should not exceed two typewritten pages single-spaced. June 1, 2014 is the deadline for nominations for the 2014

Send nominations to Delaware Aviation Hall of Fame P. O. Box 4303 • Greenville, DE 19807-0303

DAHF 2013 Photo Gallery



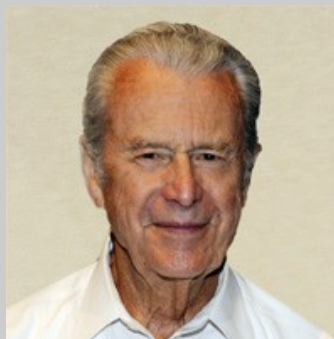
(visit our website at www.dahf.org/mediagallery.html for additional photos)

Message From The President:

As we end this year, we say good-bye to two of our hardworking Trustees.



Bill McCabe joined us this year after being inducted into the Hall of Fame himself in 2012. Bill re-energized our publicity and promotion program and provided a fresh perspective on how we select and honor our inductees. Thank you, Bill, for all your hard work this year!



Hugh Horning leaves the Board after 13 years of service. Hugh is a founding member of the DAHF and has held every job on the Board of Trustees. He has guided the DAHF from the beginning with his hard work, sound advice, and a sincere dedication to honoring Delaware's aviation heroes. Thanks, Hugh, and best wishes for the future!

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