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**Dear Executive,**

*The Board of Directors of the Illinois Aviation Museum wishes you and yours the warmest joys of the season and a New Year that is happy, healthy, and prosperous!*



**Notice of Annual Meeting**

Per our By-Laws, the Illinois Aviation Museum will be holding our Annual Meeting on **Wednesday, January 15, 2014 at 6:30 PM** at the Museum. At this meeting, we will:

- Conduct any required business and end-of-year requirements
- Present end-of-year and current financial reports
- Discuss investments
- Discuss projects
- Present 2014 budget items
- Provide summary and highlights of this year, next year, and future
- Receive nominations and hold elections for all Board of Directors vacancies
- Entertain any and all Q&A's

A PDF file of this notice and Nomination Form can be found by [clicking here](#).

Nominations can be emailed to [Joe DePaulo](#) or dropped off at his Clow Airport office prior to the meeting. Elections will be held by private ballot at the meeting.

A meeting of the Board of Directors will be held immediately afterwards to elect officers.

**All members and potential members are encouraged to attend.**

**Clow Airport's Friends of Aviation Plaza**



The stone patio adjacent to Charlie's Restaurant has been designated as the Friends of Aviation Plaza.

The design of the plaza includes four areas that will accommodate engraved paving bricks.

Illinois Aviation Museum has established a program whereby you can order a paving brick in honor or memory of a loved one or to commemorate a special occasion or event such as:

- Weddings
- Anniversaries
- Birthdays
- New baby
- Earning your pilot's license
- Graduation

**They make great gifts, too!**

**You or someone you love can become a permanent part of our local aviation community -- [Click here to ORDER NOW!](#)**

**Support the Museum Every Time You Shop**



Every time you shop online, you can help the museum! Just visit [www.shopformuseums.com](http://www.shopformuseums.com), select the Illinois Aviation Museum to support, and then place your order at any one of the many online stores where you ordinarily shop - you can find links to them on this website. A percentage of the total purchase amount of your order will be donated to the museum, **at no extra cost**. It's as easy as that.

**Finish your Christmas shopping and help the museum at the same time, and remember to shop here year-round to continue your support!**

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**Museum Winter Hours**

The Museum is currently closed to the public through the month of February. However, tours can still be arranged for groups by appointment. Contact our Facilities Manager [Bill Anderson](#) for details.

**2014 Seminars**



**We have a full calendar of seminars coming up in 2014.**

[Click here for details.](#)

**SAVE THE DATE!**

The Cavalcade of Planes will be held on Saturday and Sunday, **June 7 & 8, 2014**, the first full weekend in June. Watch for details as our plans develop!

**Become a Member**

You, too, can become a member of the Illinois Aviation Museum! There are numerous ways you can participate in the activities of the museum, including:

- Volunteering (events, committees, tour guide, etc.)
- Preservation and Restoration
- Education
- Membership
- Fundraising

We are always looking for new members -- you don't have to be a pilot to join! You just need to have an interest in what we do.

[Click here for a membership application.](#)

[Join our eMailing List!](#)

Sign up here to receive our eNewsletter each month!

The Illinois Aviation Museum is a consortium of volunteers who are dedicated to the preservation, education, and advancement of aviation and technology. Great things are happening -- come join us!

Sincerely,

Joe DePaulo, President  
Illinois Aviation Museum

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