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IAM is now open on Saturdays and Sundays
from 10 am - 2 pm

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A message from our president

Happy New Year to all our members and their families. This is a new year and another round of Covid. I hope everyone is safe and getting used to the new normal. I am not, and don't know that I ever will be.

I am writing this as I have been aware of for some time now, and just recently informed, that we do NOT do a good job of informing our members of what's going on in a timely manner.

You would think with all the ways to communicate these days (email, facebook posts, facebook messenger, newsletter, US Mail mailings, twitter, email blasts, texting, robo-calling and all of the others, that this should not be a problem. But apparently it is.

As we are moving forward with our Vision 2025 initiative, it will be more important, now than ever, to be able to communicate with our membership. Part of our drive this year is to increase our membership. We feel the more people we get involved in our museum (IAM), the better the chance we will find people who are just as passionate about aviation as we are, and that those people will want to get more involved. So please, invite your friends, family, co-workers, et al, to become members of one of the fastest growing organizations in the Bolingbrook area. It will never be a better value than right now, as we have waived our normal \$30 membership fee for all of 2022. And we have some really exciting things coming up.

At any one time, we are in need of volunteers for regularly scheduled things as well as special events, facility management, artifacts, special projects, education programs, and the list goes on.

I leave it up to you, our members. Let us hear from you. What is the best way to keep you informed of whats going on at IAM. Please let me know via email (execdir@illinoisaviationmuseum.org) or just let any of our directors know. They will happily pass on your information. I know alot of people use as little electronic communication as possible, so we'd like to know what works best.

I'd also like to congratulate members Bob Coon, Marti Barton, Dan Christine, Janet Lindsey, and Ray Jakubiak on their recent elections to the board of directors

I can't wait to hear what you have to say!

Stay safe and let's go flying!!
Larry M. Greenwich
President
Illinois Aviation Museum



Board Briefs

For the first time, we are open all winter long, Saturdays and Sundays from 10am-2pm! Come see us and find out what our Vision 2025 Committee is working on! Click [here](#) to view our January board meeting agenda.



MEMBERSHIP AND BRICKS

Becoming a member is easy! Join today and enjoy the benefits of membership, and we are waiving 2022 dues! That's right, \$0 to become a member!

Click [here](#) to email our membership director.

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. We can also accommodate business logos and sponsorships.

Click [here](#) to download the order form



Upcoming events at IAM!

Investigating ForeFlight

ForeFlight is one of the most awesome aviation tools every created! However, it takes quite a bit of practice and investigation to be able to access and use its most beneficial aspects. This seminar will do the practice and investigation for you! Join us on **Thursday, January 20th at 7 pm** as Nick Scholtes, CFI, takes us on a VFR Cross Country flight where we use all of the interesting and practical aspects of ForeFlight. Spots are limited, to register click [here](#).

Recent economic impact study
Did you know that
Bolingbrook's Clow Airport
has a \$34 million dollar impact locally?



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