



“READY ROOM”

NEWSLETTER

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Our Mission is to increase the awareness of aviation through the flight of historic aircraft, while supporting the Anna Shaw Children's Institute.

Members and Friends,

I sit here, still full from yet another delicious plate of Thanksgiving leftovers and the opportunity to be with family for a few days. I see from my calendar that this newsletter is already past its release date. My apologies.

We have activities that our members can participate in during the winter months with the annuals and maintenance of the aircraft, and we are always in need of docents and people willing to help with archives and displays. Watch for updates in your email. No experience necessary.

So enjoy the articles about museum activities such as the prep work for the new hangar or the successful Hearts 4 Heros event. As shown in the image above, the Marines walked off with a box full of toys donated to Toys for Tots. Thank you for your generosity!



Speaking of Christmas, again... If you are doing your online shopping through Amazon, please use [AmazonSmile](#) where the museum can benefit from your purchases and it won't cost you a penny. You can even set it up in the Amazon App on your phone. So convenient and financially benefits the museum with a donation for every dollar you spend.

As always, we rely on our members to make this museum a success. We made it through 2020 and 2021 with all of the COVID challenges. We are still here thanks to your support, memberships and donations.

So, the MOF Board, Staff and Volunteers at the Museum of Flight wish you a very, Merry Christmas, Happy Holidays, followed by a Happy New Year!

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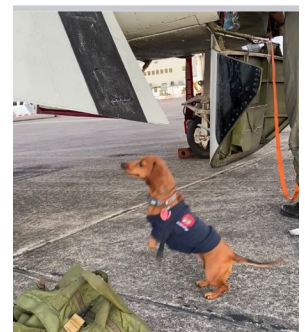
The inside aviation and military memorabilia and outdoor displays are open 10-4 (Tues-Sat) at the Paulding County Airport.

Paulding Co. Airport
730 Airport Parkway
Dallas, GA 30157

Tours of our flying aircraft in Rome (Richard B. Russell Airport) by appointment only. [\(423\) 228-2FLY](tel:4232282FLY).

Hangar: 304 Russell Field
Rd NE, Rome, GA 30165

Office: 1824 E. Crabtree
Road, Hixson, TN 37343



Mascot: Quimby

Quimby's Corner

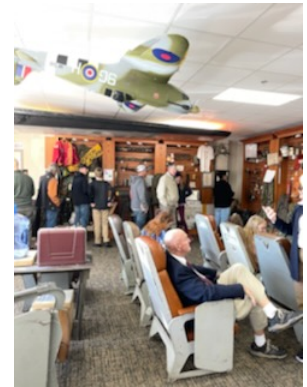


"When it comes to maintenance, cleanliness is next to godliness. It's also safety for our members and visitors."

~Quimby

Hearts 4 Heroes at Paulding

Having this event at 'our' airport, gives us the opportunity to share our vision and displays with a wide range of visitors. We also had the Marines with Toys for Tots at the event. As you can see, the Toys for Tots bin was successfully filled and overflowing!





Progress on the New Hangar

It is always exciting to view each step closer to our new hangar. Stay tuned for future developments!

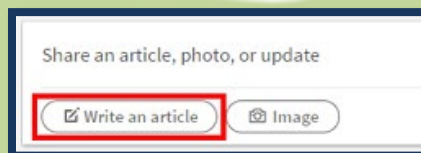




2021 MOF Calendar

As we learned in 2020, all events are subject to change.

<u>DATE</u>	<u>EVENT</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
1/09	Safety & MX Stand Down - Controlled Flight into Terrain (CFIT): Jim Brown	MOF – Rome
1/16	Safety & MX Stand Down - Aircraft Ground Handling/Tug Training: Pete O’Hare	MOF - Rome
1/23	Safety & MX Stand Down - History of The Museum’s Aircraft: Gil Espy, Johnny Shook, Wain Bates	MOF - Rome
1/30	Safety & MX Stand Down - Airspace & FAR Review: Joel Megginson	MOF - Rome
2/06	Safety & MX Stand Down - Personal Protection Equipment (PPE): Ben Gilam	MOF - Rome
2/13	Safety & MX Stand Down - T-28A Engine/Prop: Kenny Thomas	MOF - Rome
2/20	Safety & MX Stand Down - All Pilot Training Session: Fred Amicangioli	MOF - Rome
2/27	Safety & MX Stand Down - Insurance: Pete O’Hare	MOF - Rome
4/17	Museum Gala – <i>Purchase Your Tickets, TODAY!</i>	MOF Paulding KPUJ
5/14 – 5/16	Wings over Atlanta	Dobbins ARB
5/28 – 5/30	Museum Open House and Fly-In (Note fly-in date change)	MOF – Rome Hangar
7/3	Pops on the River	Chattanooga, TN
7/15 – 9/1	Mid-Season Maintenance and Projects every weekend	TBA
9/25-26	MCAS Cherry Point Airshow	Havelock, NC
10/2	Crossville, TN Fly-In	Crossville, TN
November	Member Mess Night	TBA
11/6	Honoring Those Who Serve Parade and Festival	Fort Oglethorpe
11/4 – 11/6	NAS Pensacola (canceled)	Pensacola, FL
11/13	Hearts for Heroes	Paulding KPUJ
12/4	Santa Flies into Dallas - KPUJ	Paulding KPUJ



Have a story to share? Maybe a bit of history? We would love to share your writing for a future edition. Send the story and any pictures you wish to share to Becky McAllister, communications@mofts.org.



LIFETIME MEMBERS

Fred Amicangioli
Shawn Barber
George Barron
Jeanne & Tony Bass
Wain Bates
James Beaver
Ray Bell
Ernie & Nancy Betancourt
David Biloz and Family
Jay Bostic
James Brown
Andy Butler
Ed Callahan
Thomas Calvanelli
Danny Camp
Phil Cataldo
Dr. Donald H. Chamberlin
Nancy Coddington
Easy Cragg
Richard Dean
Peyton, Erich & Logan DeHart
Ron Dobbs
Scott Ducker
Thomas and Barbara Ducker
Mike Ellis
Vance Engle
Gil Espy
Jesse Evans

Rick Ferrin
Matt Fox
Ben Gillam
James Greene
Bill Hall
Carson Hawkins
Rob & Cindy Henninger
Mark Homen
James Howard
Larry Jarrett
Dave Johnston
Chris Keefe
David Lawson
Greg & Jennifer Leach
Anne Lewinson
Christine M. Lewis
Arthur Matthews
Pamela McAllister
Rebecca & Sean McAllister
Rusty & Leigh Ann Miller
Spencer Morgan
Scott Murray
Tony Neal
Jeffrey Newcomb
Pete, Susan, Hanna &
Savannah O'Hare

John Osterhage
Clarence Greer Parramore
Edward Perman
Susan Reed
Hollis Reese
Tim Rhyne
Gerad Riester
Rob Riester
Brant Robinson
Karl Schwelm
Peter Serodino
Dr. Daniel Serrato
Don Shepard
John Shook
Harold Slep
Woodrow Smith
Sol Snyder
John Sullivan
Kerry Tidmore
Jorge Veridas
Wayne Vick
Alan Ware
Kim Watkins
Gary Watson
John Webb
David Wells
Brent Westfall
Terri & Doug Woodruff

BLUE SKIES AND FAIR WINDS

Gone West

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Joan Beaver
Lloyd Blackwell
Dr. Gary Caldwell
Ronnie Cox
Dr. James Creel

Frank Davey
Jimmy Eskew
Deming Gray
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Grady McDowell
Patricia O'Hare

Richard Robinson
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Bill Wallace
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