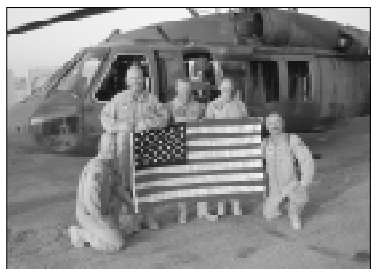


# Rhode Island Aviation Hall of Fame



**Fifteenth Annual Induction and Dinner**  
**Saturday, November 18, 2017**



## **Cooperating Organizations**

**Aero Club of New England**

**Black Air Foundation**

**Civil Air Patrol, Rhode Island Wing**

**EAA Chapter 1363/Ocean State Aviators**

**EAA Warbirds of America/Squadron 7**

**New England Air Museum**

**Ninety-Nines, New England Chapter**

**Quiet Birdmen**

**Quonset Air Museum**

**Rhode Island Air Force Association**

**Rhode Island Air National Guard**

**Rhode Island Airport Corporation**

**Rhode Island Army National Guard**

**Rhode Island Aviation and Space Education Council**

**Rhode Island Historical Society**

**Rhode Island Pilots Association**

**USS Saratoga Museum Foundation**

*NOTE: This list identifies groups that have participated since the inception of these awards. Not every group actively participates every year.*

# Rhode Island's Aviation Community

*Cordially invites you to join with us to celebrate  
our Fifteenth Annual*

## Rhode Island Aviation Hall of Fame

Induction and Dinner

*Saturday evening, the 18th of November 2017*

*at the Scottish Rite Masonic Center,  
1 Rhodes Place, Cranston, RI 02905  
(building on left at the entrance to the  
Rhodes on the Pawtuxet complex)*

*Cocktail Hour begins at 5:30 PM with dinner at 6:30PM;  
program to follow*

**During these centennial years of the US involvement in  
World War I, we honor those who made significant  
contributions to aviation during that conflict.**

**And continue to recognize those who served with the RI Air National Guard,  
or aviation elements of the RI Army National Guard**

- ♦ *Gourmet catering and cash bar*
  - ♦ *Raffle and Silent Auction to benefit Hall of Fame*
- Cocktail/Semi-Formal Attire; Black Tie Optional  
Military Dress Blues; Mess Dress Optional*

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CALL FRANK LENNON AT 401-831-8696  
CASEY DAHM OR DAVID GAMACHE AT 401-398-1000

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## Please join us on Saturday evening, November 18!

Rhode Island Aviation Hall of Fame (RIAHOF) is a volunteer-driven non-profit group dedicated to identifying, honoring and perpetuating the memory of those individuals who have contributed to Rhode Island's rich aviation history.

Over the past fourteen years we have inducted 69 individuals and one entire family (the Allen family of balloonists/aeronauts). We have also given special recognition awards to 33 individuals along with the four WWII WASP (Women Air Service Pilots) from RI, the 20 or so Tuskegee Airmen hailing from this state, and three National Guard units.

Few people know just how rich and varied our aviation history is, and just how many wonderfully skilled and talented contributors to the aerial age have been born in Rhode Island, were educated here, lived here for a portion of their lives or performed some great aviation-related act or service here.

Help us perpetuate this message.

### DIRECTIONS TO THE SCOTTISH RITE HALL 1 Rhodes Place, Cranston. RI 02905

#### **From Providence and points north:**

Take I-95 South and/or Route 10 South. From Route 10, turn left at the last exit onto Park Avenue (RI 12). Continue 3.7 miles, crossing Rte. 1A/117 (Warwick Avenue). Turn right on Broad Street; continue one half mile, then turn right on Rhodes Place. The hall is the **building on your LEFT**.

From I-95, take Exit 16 for Route 10 toward Cranston and continue as above.

#### **From points east:**

Take I-195 to I-95 South and continue as above.

#### **From Westerly and points south:**

From I-95 North; take Exit 16 for Route 10 toward Cranston. Keep right at the fork, and follow signs for U.S. 1/Elmwood Avenue. Keep right at the next fork, follow signs for Elmwood Ave/Park Ave and merge onto US 1 S/Elmwood Ave. Then turn left on Park Avenue (RI 12), right on Broad and continue as above.

**Ample on-site parking is available.**

# YES, I WANT TO ATTEND THE AVIATION HALL OF FAME DINNER

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY/STATE/ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ WORK PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

**SUPPORTING A PARTICULAR HONOREE? PLEASE NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE RESERVE \_\_\_\_\_ PATRON TICKETS AT \$125 PER PERSON \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
*(PATRONS ARE INVITED TO A PRIVATE RECEPTION WITH OUR SPEAKERS, HONORED GUESTS, INDUCTEES AND FAMILIES PRIOR TO THE DINNER AND WILL BE RECOGNIZED IN THE EVENT PROGRAM)*

PLEASE RESERVE \_\_\_\_\_ TICKETS AT \$60 PER PERSON; OR, \$ \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE RESERVE \_\_\_\_\_ TICKETS AT \$110 PER COUPLE; \$ \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE RESERVE \_\_\_\_\_ TABLE(S) FOR EIGHT AT \$400; \$ \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE RESERVE \_\_\_\_\_ TABLE(S) FOR TEN AT \$450; \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
*(SPECIFIC SEATING WILL BE RESERVED ONLY FOR PATRONS AND FOR THOSE WHO PURCHASE AN ENTIRE TABLE.)*

I/WE CANNOT ATTEND BUT WOULD LIKE TO MAKE A CONTRIBUTION TO  
SUPPORT THE RHODE ISLAND AVIATION HALL OF FAME \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE WRITE GUEST NAMES ON BACK OF THIS CARD.**

**ADMISSION IS BY REGISTRATION LIST AT THE DOOR; NO TICKETS WILL BE SENT.**

**IF YOU HAVE ANY FOOD ALLERGIES, PLEASE INDICATE ON BACK OF CARD.**

*(PAYMENTS IN EXCESS OF \$40 PER TICKET ARE TAX DEDUCTIBLE.)*

CHECK PAYABLE TO "RHODE ISLAND AVIATION HALL OF FAME" IS ENCLOSED, OR:

CREDIT CARD: \_\_\_\_\_ EXP. DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ 3OR4 DIGIT CODE \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE RETURN BY **MONDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 2017** TO:

**RHODE ISLAND AVIATION HALL OF FAME**

**PO Box 845, NORTH KINGSTOWN, RI 02852**

**FAX TO 401-885-1290; OR REGISTER ONLINE AT WWW.RIAHOF.ORG**