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Next Dinner Meeting

January 11, 2007

5:30pm Cocktails - 6:30pm Dinner

Holiday Inn - Mt. Kisco, NY

(directions on the website at www.wamahpn.org)

\$20.00 Members - \$25.00 Non-Members



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Calendar of Events

WAMA Events

January 11, 2007
WAMA Dinner Meeting
Holiday Inn - Mt. Kisco, NY
Sponsor: AirCell

Training Events

February 3, 2007
Long Island PAMA
IA Renewal Class

February 21, 2007
Training event TBD

Industry Events

None Scheduled

From the Editor's Desk:

Len Dalton Celebrating 40 Years With Wayfarer/TAG

Excerpt from the TAG Aviation USA, Inc. company newsletter:

"Forty years ago a young mechanic went to work at HPN, and now we celebrate Len Dalton for all he has contributed to TAG and our industry. It is an honor to have Len as part of our management team. His reputation in the maintenance world is unparalleled. What he brings to TAG is priceless. Congratulations on this milestone, Len. Every now and then a person stands above his peers because of his integrity, character, wisdom, and warmth. You stand out, my friend. We are proud to say we work with you, and we thank you."

(Mr. Jake Cartwright, President /CEO, TAG Aviation USA, Inc.)

There is nothing more to say.

DON'T MISS A SINGLE WAMA NEWSLETTER

Please make sure WAMA has your current email address so you can be sure to receive your copy. Email addresses will be collected at the dinner meetings.

— Upcoming WAMA Training —

Al Bailas is planning a training event for February 21, 2007. The subject matter is yet to be determined. It will of course qualify for IA renewal requirements. More info to follow soon.

President's Letter

I hope everyone had a great Christmas and New Year Holiday. As we begin 2007, I hope that it will be a prosperous and safe one for our members and sponsors.

The December meeting was well attended and allowed old friends to share a drink and catch up with each other. I was pleased not only at the attendance, but at the number of ladies present. They always add a little class to our events. Thanks gentlemen for inviting them. I encourage our members to continue to attend the monthly meetings. We owe it to our sponsors to fill the room with members. Their objective is to reach as many of us as possible to update us on their Company and it's products and services. It is costly for our sponsors to host a dinner meeting; if the attendance is poor, we might lose them.

I hope that all of you like our new web site. It is still a work in progress and will get better as time goes on. I have to acknowledge our entire Board of Directors for their many hours of work this past year in keeping this organization functioning. Without them I would have drowned a long time ago. It must be the high salaries (ya right!) that keep them so devoted to WAMA!

Jody Kerton has devoted many hours to getting our new site organized and up and running. We are fortunate to have Guy Carducci join us (arm twisting, kicking and screaming) in various aspects of site management to help Jody out. What can I say about Bob Brega? Bob has and is working very hard at getting sponsors for our monthly dinner meetings. Bob's goal is to have sponsor commitment for the entire year that can be posted on our web site. He is also working on commitments thru 2008 for us. As always, if you can assist with any contacts we would appreciate your help and input.

Thanks to Dassault Falcon Jet for their December sponsorship. Mr. John Loh presented us with updates on changes in customer service and spares support with increased inventory. We were also briefed with the latest information on the Falcon 7X program as well as Falconcare. If you have any questions concerning any of these programs, please contact your Falcon representatives. Thank you Dassault Falcon Jet for your continued support of WAMA, and to you John for your informative presentation.

Respectfully,
Bob Accosta - President



IA RENEWAL CLASS

The Long Island PAMA chapter is sponsoring an 8 hour IA renewal class on February 3, 2007 (Snow Date 2/10/07). It will be held at BOCES, Wilson Tech in Farmingdale, Long Island, New York. The cost is \$25/ person which includes bagels and pastries in the morning and a Hot/Cold buffet lunch. Please call Tom Baird (631-981-1080) or Lloyd Kasten (516-578-7687) for further details.

IN THE NEWS...

A new arrival for Dan Kearney!



Dan Kearney, of Interlaken Capital Aviation in White Plains, has welcomed a baby girl. His daughter was born on December 21st, 2006, weighing 6 lbs. 3oz. Congratulations to Dan and his family! Welcome to the world, little one!

Westchester Aircraft Maintenance Association



Happy New Year!

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Welcome to AirCell

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WAMA MEMBERSHIP

Membership is open to all who wish to join. Visit our website for membership forms or email Eric DiNicola at ericd@wamaHPN.org.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Volo Aviation- is currently hiring licensed A&P's for its maintenance base in Stratford CT. Please forward resume and contact information to kyle@voloaviation.com or fax to (203) 378-9200.

Cessna Citation Service Center - Newburgh, New York is looking to hire two (2) A & P Technicians for the first quarter of 2007. Interested applicants should contact Michael Schipp, Maintenance Manager, Tel. (845) 567-9210, Fax (845) 567-0032, email MHSchipp@cessna.textron.com.

Dassault Falcon Jet - Wilmington Corp.

Great company has immediate openings for A & P Technicians w/ Falcon experience; experienced Avionics Technicians; experienced 731 Engine Technicians.

Pentastar Aviation, LLC- Aircraft Technicians, contact

mbaker@pentastaraviation.com. Location: Waterford, Michigan.

Bombardier Aerospace- A & P, Avionics Tech., AQ Inspectors. Windsor Lock, CT. Contact: John Carter at (860)292-7212 or Sarah J. H. Contardo at (860)292-7218.

Duncan Aviation- Avionics Technicians. Teterboro. Contact: Ron Giannini (201) 288-1550.

Lee Aerospace- is looking for an A&P licensed maintenance person in the NY/NJ metro area to repair/replace/polish windows for corporate jets. The person will be factory trained. Good salary and benefits.

CitationShares- based in Greenwich, CT has the following opportunity: Maintenance Coordinator. A&P and previous Citation experience a plus. Excellent salary and benefits package. Please contact Sean Toth at (203)542-3124 or stoth@citationshares.com.

First Aviation Services- Aircraft Maintenance Technicians for 3rd shift and weekends. Please fax resume to Bill Dunne at (201)288-1810.

TAG Aviation- A&P Certified Maintenance Technicians for all types of aircraft, at all locations. Please visit the TAG web site at www.tagaviation.com and click on Employment Opportunities.

General Dynamics Aviation Services- We have several openings for licensed A&P mechanics and also an NDT Technician at our Westfield Facility. Gulfstream, Falcon, Hawker and/or Challenger experience a plus. Great company with an excellent benefit package! Send resume to peggy.champagne@gulfstream.com or fax: (413)572-3359.

Interlaken Capital Aviation Services, Inc.- is accepting resumes for a licensed A&P Technician. Falcon experience a plus. Please send resume and contact information to gintrocaso@icasflightops.aero or fax to: (914)948-3569.



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