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**3rd Annual**

## **Holiday Party and VFW Charity Drive!**

**December 6, 2013**

**6:30 - 10:30pm**

**Grant-Humphreys Mansion  
770 Pennsylvania Street  
Denver, CO 80203**

*Featured Guest Speaker:*

**Mr. Fredric Arnold**

*WWII P-38 Pilot, Author, Artist*

This important project helps support our Colorado veterans across the state. Donation bins are in place in numerous locations along the Front Range, Western Slope, and Colorado Springs/Pueblo. As with last year's party rather than purchasing tickets, we ask that you bring \$40 worth of toys or nonperishable food items to the party. We are again partnering with state-wide VFW posts and the Metropolitan State University of Denver's Precision Flight Team to deliver donated goods to veterans and their families in an effort to make their holidays a little brighter!

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### ***Scholarships Awarded***

The CABA Fall Industry Training was very successful once again, thanks to the efforts of our Presenters and Organizer Brian Moss. Topics ranged from iPads in the cockpit, to employment law and preparing for safety audits. Doug Carr spoke about the current and future state of aviation safety efforts under his direction at NBAA.

Scholarships were awarded to four aspiring aviation professionals: Daily Davies, Jake Leslie, Zach Powers, and Marijke Unger. Each received \$2,000 in support of their professional training.

In addition, we announced earlier two **NEW** scholarships which will be presented at the 3rd Annual Holiday Party and VFW Charity Drive on

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### **Mission Statement**

*The mission of the Colorado Aviation Business Association is to promote the value of business and general aviation across the state of Colorado.*

Founded in 1994, CABA acts to collectively address and respond to issues impacting Colorado Airports including safety and operational effectiveness; to educate the general public about all aviation activities in the state; to preserve the state's airport related businesses as valuable economic assets to the community at large; and to provide for the training of future aviation professionals through its scholarship fund.

### **Board of Trustees**

December 6: a CAE SimuFlite Lear Jet Type Rating as well as a scholarship to attend the NBAA Leadership Conference in February. Details and application forms for these scholarships are available at the website: [mycaba.org/scholarships](http://mycaba.org/scholarships)

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### Committee News

Our Legislative Committee has been making plans to meet with Senator Michael Bennet. Board members Gene Langfeldt and Barry Stidham met with Bennet staffers Roger Low and Monisha Merchant to arrange a meeting, along with other Colorado aviation stakeholders, with Senator Bennet for the purpose of discussing current GA issues and to raise his awareness of the value of GA.

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We are also making plans for Aviation Day at the Capitol, with details to be announced. *Stay tuned!*

### Volunteers wanted! Committees can use your help

Serving on a committee is a great way to network with fellow aviation professionals of many stripes, give back a little to the community, and very possibly open a new door in your career path. All of our volunteers are people just like yourself who put a little extra effort into doing the things that make CABA a better organization.



Our Standing Committees are Legislative, Educational Outreach, Membership, Regional Groups, Industry Groups, and Marketing/Communications. *They ALL welcome more participation!*

By joining the CABA team you WILL have a positive impact on the aviation community in Colorado. To find out more, email us at [info@mycaba.org](mailto:info@mycaba.org)

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