



Silver Eagles Newsletter

December 2014

Silver Eagles,

We have no new members this month, but we soon may have. Quick note: look in misc for a couple FAA retirements in two days (the message I got said 2 weeks) – unless I'm confused! My email has been compromised again! Remember, if it doesn't say Silver Eagles in the heading, then ignore and delete it!

New Members: None

Board News:

Sorry, I didn't make it to the Christmas Party and no one sent me a report! Hopefully we will get earlier notice next time!

News from Karen Bury, our inside person:

Mark George (AS-60 survival factors investigator) is going to retire in a few weeks

Dave Watson from RPH is retiring

[I sent invites to both of them.]

Member News:

Ron Battocchi reports that he participates in the Lawns 2 Lettuce 4 Lunch program at his neighborhood elementary school. Over 100 neighbors grow organic lettuce for the project which is harvested twice a year and served at a "fiesta". Ron prepares the vinaigrette dressing for the more than 500 students, teachers and staff at the school. The Washington Post published an article on the program in November and included Ron's recipe. He describes the energy, enthusiasm and excitement of the students as amazing. Here's a link to the article (Ron's photo was in the print edition):

http://www.washingtonpost.com/lifestyle/kidspost/ashlawn-elementary-grows-its-own-lettuce-for-lunch/2014/11/11/dfc9e184-65c7-11e4-9fdc-d43b053ecb4d_story.html

Misc:

From **Jeff Guzzetti**, Manager, FAA Accident Investigation Division (AVP-100) through **Hector:**

FAA AVP-100 Invitation - **Tony James / Bob Drake** Retirement Celebration on December 18 2014.

Don't forget the Silver Eagle Website: www.precisionwrite.com/SilverEagles.html

How about some news about your Christmas or other Holiday merriment or new year's resolutions for next month? Merry Christmas and Happy Holidays to All!

Jim Henderson