

Greetings Grey Eagle Friends and Family!

2020 has been a year like no other I can recall...or want to! Our organization, not to mention the APA, has been hard pressed on all sides, yet we're still standing through it all.

In order to get ourselves into 2021 and ahead the game, let's get our 2021 Newsletter Reports completed and sent to Newsletter Editor Jock Bethune by December 31, 2020. We did this last year, and it worked out great for both The Grey Eagles and APA.

As you know, Jock Bethune works very hard to put everything together for us with Stacey Hull, APA's Graphic Artist. With all that's going on at APA, the company and the airline industry in general, I'm sure you'll agree that helping them out as much as possible would be in everyone's best interest.

The 2021 Grey Eagle Newsletter will be in the same format and style as the Newsletter from 2020. Because of the pandemic, a lot of the planned activities were cancelled. Rather than saying that "not a lot happened," you could say what actions had to be taken and how it worked out. Include pictures of events that did happen, if any, or pictures from the year before and say that you look forward to meeting again in 2021. Good photos really help convey friendships and atmosphere.

If we can do this, that will give Jock the month of January to finalize the newsletter for EXB approval by January 31, 2021. If approved, that leaves two full months for APA Printing Services to have it printed and mailed to the Membership by April 1, 2021. It's a process. With your help, it'll be a piece of cake.

When we all make our submissions to Jock, please be sure that all text is in Microsoft Word, and have one good, high quality photo to go along with your report. Your submissions can be sent to Jock at:

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All of you have done an excellent job this year, and it has been a pleasure working with such an incredible volunteer group! Next year is a clean slate, and I will do my best to live up to the legacy of this excellent organization.

Yours very truly,

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