

## CEO Update

Dear Colleagues

Great to see many of our industry colleagues at our Stakeholder Function last night [photos here](#) and our Divisional and Council meetings during the week. It has certainly been a big year for everyone. Last night was a great opportunity to celebrate our successes as an industry over the past year – and there are many of them! We will publish highlights of the last 12 months in our December newsletter, along with an update from our President, so keep any eye out for it.

Don't forget to register for our Women Leaders in Aviation series [here](#). Our unique Christmas gifts are available [here](#).



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## Unique Christmas Gifts – Limited Edition Metal Art

We are very excited to offer 5 of these limited edition DC-3 Art Deco Key Tag holders for auction. These are ideal and unique Christmas gifts! Please email your bid to [Andrew](#). Reserve price is \$50 per item (plus freight).

Our thanks to Flight GSE for providing these. Flight GSE Ltd have recently invested in a state of the art Plasma Cutting system which can effortlessly cut metals from 1mm to 22mm thick, including steel, aluminium, brass and copper.

Unique metal art, branding items, lettering, logos and large-scale hangar signage can all be produced. For queries, please contact Alan Peacock at [alan@flightgse.co.nz](mailto:alan@flightgse.co.nz) or + 64 3 3478 690.

Christmas orders must be received by end of November please.

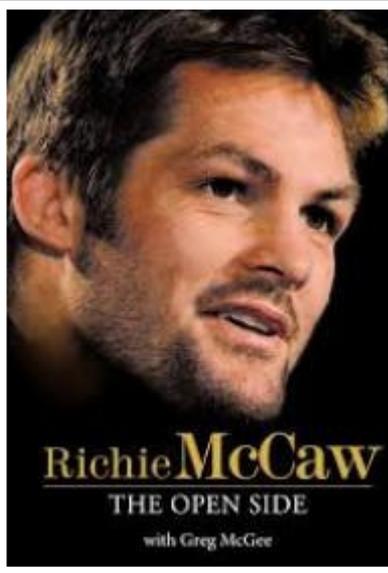
[More photos here](#) and [here](#)

## Christmas Presents

Several have been snapped up but we still have a few autographed copies of 'Richie McCaw, the Open Side', written with Greg McGee, in the office for sale. Great for Christmas. They are available at \$20 each plus postage (\$5.50 for one book, \$6.50 for two). Let us know if you'd like some! [admin1@aia.org.nz](mailto:admin1@aia.org.nz)



[Click to enlarge](#)



## Women Leaders in Aviation

Aviation NZ is delighted to launch our Women Leaders in Aviation Seminars. These quarterly seminars will allow current, future, and emerging women leaders in aviation to come together to: hear from successful senior women (and men) in aviation, to network, to promote diversity, and to encourage women to pursue a career in aviation. All are welcome to attend.

Our first guest speaker is Jan Dawson, Deputy Chair of Air New Zealand.

Jan Dawson is an independent director and is currently Deputy Chair of Air New Zealand, Deputy Chair of Counties Manukau DHB, and also on the Board of Westpac New Zealand. She is a Chartered Accountant and recently retired as Chairman and Chief Executive of KPMG New Zealand, the first woman to hold the top job at one of Australasia's big four accounting firms.

During her career, Jan has specialised in statutory audit opinions, accounting and risk advisory and governance with a particular emphasis on the financial institution and

registered bank sector. After graduating from Auckland University she worked in London and Vancouver for 8 years. She joined KPMG in Vancouver and was made partner in 1987, shortly after her return to New Zealand.

**4 December 4-6pm**

**Service IQ, L14, Plimmer Towers, 2-6 Gilmer Terrace, Wellington 6011**

**\$35 +GST for Aviation NZ Members. \$45 + GST for non-members.**

[Click here to Register](#)



### **Aviation NZ Office – Available for Sublease**

We are moving and are looking for a tenant to sublease our central CBD Office space. Interested? [link](#)

## **Domestic News**

### **Extension of Consultation Period - Impaired Colour Vision New**

Notice of Proposed General Direction: Extension of Consultation Period The General Direction: Impaired Colour Vision (GD/VIS/01/2013.1)

The Civil Aviation Authority have extended the deadline for submissions on the General Direction, Impaired Colour Vision (GD/VIS/01/2013.1). The new deadline for submissions is now 5pm on Wednesday 1st April 2015.

You are invited to make your submissions on this proposal - please use the form on the web site, and when completed, email it to [GD-Consultation@caa.govt.nz](mailto:GD-Consultation@caa.govt.nz) You do not have to re submit if you have already made a submission.

The proposed General Direction on the CAA web site is under "[what's new](#)" and Medical - "[General Directions](#)".

Submissions close: 1st April 2015.

### **Aviation scholarship enhances exceptional focus on safety New**

“Go for it” is the answer you’ll get from the inaugural winner of the Jilly Murphy Scholarship for Aviation Safety, if you ask for her advice for this year’s entrants. [Read more](#)

### **Aviation Community Medical Liaison Group New**

The Aviation Community Medical Liaison Group (ACMLG) is a group of representatives from the aviation community. It has been established to provide a forum for the exchange of information with the Civil Aviation Authority. Minutes of the 21 October meeting are now on the CAA site:

<http://www.caa.govt.nz/medical/acmlg/acmlg.html>





## **New Civil Aviation Rules proposed for unmanned aircraft New**

Industry and the public will soon get an opportunity to have their say on proposed Civil Aviation Rules for unmanned aircraft operations. The proposed rules are part of the CAA's strategy to integrate unmanned aircraft into the aviation system. The latest CAA press [release](#).



## **Funding Review**

CAA has produced a summary of the issues raised in Stage One of the Funding Framework for Regulatory Services. As you know, we made a submission. The CAA document: <http://www.caa.govt.nz/funding/index.html>



## **Advisory Circular AC91-21 (draft only)**

CAA has issued Revision 0.1, an interim change that introduces an additional subheading, under Part 1- 'transition clarification'. The content from previous version remains unchanged. This advisory circular covers RNAV 1, RNAV 2, RNP 1, RNP 2, RNP APCH and BARO VNAV—Operational Approvals.  
[http://www.caa.govt.nz/rules/ACs.htm#Part\\_091](http://www.caa.govt.nz/rules/ACs.htm#Part_091)



## **Call for nominations, ACAG**

ACAG (Aviation Community Advisory Group) is a representative industry body that provides advice to the CAA on issues affecting aviation safety and the aviation operating environment. A new appointment is to be made to ACAG at its 11 December meeting in Wellington and nominations are required by that date. A nomination form: [http://www.caa.govt.nz/rules/Rule\\_Dev\\_Process/ACAG/ACAG\\_home.htm](http://www.caa.govt.nz/rules/Rule_Dev_Process/ACAG/ACAG_home.htm)



## **Ministry of Education update**

As part of our programme of developing closer relationships with government agencies, we had an informal meeting this week with the Ministry of Education to discuss policy settings for the current government approach to aviation training, work going on in the Training and Development Division around the development of a professional pilot training programme with CAA and the outcomes of the trainer survey completed in mid-year. We gained support for other initiatives already under way in T&D and mapped out a way to address areas of current concern. A more detailed report will be provided to T&D. Discussions with MoE built on recent meetings with NZQA and TEC.



## **N3 Procurement Savings New**

In the 12 months ended October, members spent \$1.54m on companies that are part of the N3 scheme and saved themselves \$250,000. OfficeMax, NZ Couriers, Bunnings, Noel Leeming, NZ Safety, BOC Gases and Chevron were the most commonly used companies. The largest savings were achieved through OfficeMax, NZ Couriers, BOC Gases, NZ Safety, BP Oil and Chevron. Interestingly, our 8 largest users of N3 saved themselves a total of \$170,000!



## N3 and Plumbers World

From time to time, N3 arranges special promotions with its suppliers. It is currently running a promotion with Plumbers World which gives all card holders access to some special prices for some items up to 31 December 2014. The flyer is [here](#).



## Aviation Safety - Switlik TSO ten year service lifejackets

We now have Switlik TSO ten year service [lifejackets](#) ex stock.  
[Limited Time Offer: Integra 406 AF-H ELTs](#)



## New Drink/Drive limits

Lower drink/drive limits will come into force on 1 December 2014 [more](#)

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## Wings over Wairarapa

Experience 100 years of Aviation at Wings Over Wairarapa in 2015. Wings 2015 will be a 4 day aviation event combining 3 flying display days, an adventure aviation rides day, a tradeshow featuring a national RPAS symposium and two-day RPAS trade exhibition by the New Zealand RPAS industry. For more and to register: <http://www.wings.org.nz/>



## 2015 Royal Aeronautical Society (RAeS) Symposium

Aviation NZ will be supporting the RAeS RPAS seminar on Friday 16 January 2015 in Masterton. The seminar is Shared Skies and the intention is for manned operators to have an open dialogue with the growing RPAS community about how we want to share the skies together going forward. In partnership with Callaghan Innovation, UAVNZ, and Aviation NZ the 2015 symposium will be a forum for the RPAS industry, RAeS members and associates to:

- learn about RPAS regulations and policy
- engage with the wider aviation community
- share knowledge about industry best practice network with technology and business partners

The symposium will be held at the Copthorne Hotel and Resort (Solway Park) Wairarapa on Friday 16th January in conjunction with the Wings Over Wairarapa air show. An industry tradeshow and demonstrations will be held at the air show (Hood Aerodrome) on the 17th and 18th January. Wings Over Wairarapa are offering a 15% discount to symposium attendees who purchase tickets as a package deal.

Details of the seminar speakers are below and the registration form is [attached](#).

- Minister of Transport (invited)
- CAA and RPAS Policy Development – Graeme Harris CAA Director
- Manned aviation perspectives – John Sinclair - (NZAAA and NZHA Executive Officer)
- RPAS integration and the NAP - Mike Haines (Airways)
- Project ResQU (sense and avoid technology development) - Duncan Campbell (ARCAA)
- UAV Insurance and liability – Arden Jennings Boston Marks
- Panel session – Industry perspectives
- The future of RPAS in NZ – Samantha Sharif CEO Aviation NZ

## International News

### Aviation in the media **New**

Good to see in a media report following his visit to Sri Lanka that Minister Guy witnessed a memorandum of understanding signed between the International Aviation Academy of New Zealand and a Sri Lankan pilot training academy, Open Skies Flight Training, that will see New Zealand provide pilot training and technology to their Sri Lankan counterpart.



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