

Gaylord Regional Airport NEWS



OVER 100 attended the 5th Anniversary of the monthly Veterans Coffee held at the Gaylord Regional Airport. Including the New Gaylord City Mayor elect Bill Wishart, the Otsego County Administrator, Rachel Frisch, the Chairman of the Otsego County Board, Ken Borton and even the Governors appointee to head the Michigan Veterans Affairs Agency, Zaneta Adams. Every first Wednesday of each month at 9am the airport hosts a coffee and donuts hour for veterans. No speeches, No agendas, just coffee & donuts!



Pictured Below :

Friend and former Otsego County Commissioner and retired Navy Veteran Mike Hyde receives a handmade quilt from the "Quilts of Valor" Organization at the Gaylord Regional Airport. The "Quilts of Valor" organization recognizes the sacrifices our veterans have made and presents quilts to veterans in recognition of their service. Local TV News was here to capture it all.



With November showing our first significant snowfall, our (GLR) "Runway Warriors" maintenance team are well engaged in the winter battle. This fight will last us from now till late into April of 2020.

Winter is here! Sporting their new warm AVFUEL winter hats, the GLR Airport Crew was just featured on the Global AVFUEL Facebook page. GLR and AVFUEL have partnered for over 20 Years! Thanks AVFUEL!



I haven't worn our nation's uniform in many years but on this **Veterans Day** I'm reminded that whether you lead troops or lead an airport the same rules still work !

1. Make Common Sense the First Standard You Apply
2. Create Stability
3. Believe in Your People
4. Preserve Pride in your Job
5. Care... Enough That it Hurts

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