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Paul Shuch performs with Flying Musicians

LOCK HAVEN – The Flying Musicians Association, Inc. (FMA), a non-profit alliance of aviation and music enthusiasts, has recently expanded its educational focus, by establishing an advisory board.

Among the group of distinguished educators appointed is Prof. H. Paul Shuch, founder of AvSport of Lock Haven, the Sport Aviation school on the Piper Memorial Airport.

“The mission of the Flying Musicians is to share our passions in order to inspire, educate, and encourage others by creating enthusiasm, and promoting personal growth through aviation and music,” says the group’s founder, pilot and musician John Zapp. “With his half-century of flying experience, 40 years in the academic community, and his lifelong love of music, I expect Paul will make significant contributions toward meeting our educational goals.”



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Prof. H. Paul Shuch is backed up by other members of the Flying Musicians Association, during a concert at the Sport Aviation Expo in Sebring Fla. in January.

FMA, founded in 2009, is an organization of pilots who are musicians, spanning the globe, proficiency levels and genres. The

skills required to play an instrument and fly an aircraft have marked similarities, from precision and multitasking to listening and

fine motor skills. By educating others about these common attributes, the organization hopes to further interest in both.