

McDonnell Douglas/Boeing C-17 Globemaster III Model

In preparation for the Douglas event on February 17, the current Douglas display case has been refurbished and additional display items created. A very significant acquisition has been the donation by Boeing (through the efforts of the DAC-MDC-Boeing Retirees Club) of a handsome C-17 transport model diorama. The Globemaster is used as the Air Force's preeminent heavy lift transport capable of both strategic and tactical operations, due to its capability to operate in austere environments.



Airtech International Patron Tour

Jeff Dahlgren, CEO and President of Airtech International, hosted the Patron Society at his Huntington Beach division, the largest manufacturer of vacuum bagging and composite tooling materials for prepreg/autoclave, resin infusion, and wet lay-up processes up to 799°F. Business focus areas include aerospace, wind energy, marine, automotive, printed circuit board, solar energy and general FRP composites. There are six locations strategically placed worldwide.

SoCal Restoration Council

MCAS Miramar hosted the restoration council meeting at their Flying Leatherneck Museum to share information, expertise and artifacts as a means to mutually optimize operations and value to the public of all participating organizations. Pictured are reps from Flying Leatherneck Museum, USS Midway and Western Museum of Flight.



New Volunteer Coordinator

New Volunteer Coordinator, Patty Alessi, applies the same enthusiasm that has characterized her previous museum role to ensure efficient organization and optimum use of our volunteer talent pool.