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Col Andrew Carlson

Commander, 107 ATKW Niagara Falls

Thursday 14 December 2023
Rizotto Eatery and Sweetery
930 Maple Road, Williamsville
6:00 p.m. Cash Bar
Dinner at 7:00 p.m.
\$35.00

Please join us this month when Col Andrew Carlson will discuss the mission of the 107th Attack Wing, New York Air National Guard. In addition to the wing's primary mission operating the MQ-9 Reaper, Col Carlson will also address their responsibility for space command and control, tactical air control party operations, and support to domestic operations as deemed by the Governor of New York. A recent example of the latter includes lifesaving support the 107th Mission Support Group provided to Erie County during the paralyzing blizzard last December.

Col Carlson is a distinguished graduate of the U.S. Air Force Academy with a B.S. in Aeronautical Engineering. Following an M.S. in Systems Engineering from George Washington University, he attended Undergraduate Pilot Training at Sheppard Air Force Base Texas, receiving the Air Education and Training Command Commander's Trophy for graduating top in his class. He is a distinguished graduate from Squadron Officer School and received the top flying award for the F-15C division in his USAF Weapons School class. Col Carlson has over 2,300 hours of military flying time including 600 combat hours in the F-15 and MQ-9.

Join us for Col Carlson's talk, a wonderful dinner and a festive evening! Please note we will be holding our Aero Club Annual Holiday Basket Raffle at this meeting! Please consider donating a basket to this worthy cause. (Funds raised at this meeting are used to support Spring 2024 Aero Club of Buffalo Scholarships)

Mary Mattocks 90th President Aero Club of Buffalo

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Petit Filet Chicken Milanese		Members - \$35.00 Guest(s) - \$35.00
Maccarancini	TOTAL	<u> </u>
	Please print your name and email address	

Reservations must be received by Monday, 11 December 2023.

To register for this dinner email: aeroclubofbuffalo@gmail.com, call (716) 901-6126, or mail this form to: Aero Club of Buffalo, Box 676 Williamsville, NY 14231. Please make your check payable to the *Aero Club of Buffalo*.