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Snow is falling again at the lake tonight. Oh boy, more shoveling! I don't have to split wood for my exercise this winter, I can't even find the woodpile. Our next meeting will be on **Thursday**, **February 2, 6:30** in the cozy **Community Room** at **THHS**. The board will convene at 6:00.

Last Meeting

In January we met at Blackwoods in Duluth for our annual Holiday Party. We nearly filled the room with happy, familiar faces. The conversations were warm and friendly and the food was hot and tasty. As usual Mike went all out to make sure everyone got a gift and Jim Brown made a generous contribution to the chapter. Kathy Cargil donated two of her books and some fabric handiwork. Mike started a new tradition naming an MVM (most valuable member) for the year. Scott Udenberg took the honor for earning his Private Pilot certificate. I played a couple of original songs and Mike rounded out the evening with some wise words about the benefit of working together within the Association for the good of all. A most enjoyable meeting.

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It was nice to see friends from both of our sister chapters at the party.

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Sadly, another of our original chapter members has flown west. Norm Williams had a Cherokee at the airport for many years and signed our Chapter Charter. He was married to Mavis for almost 65 years. Norm was 84 R.I.P.

Mike and Jon have been diligently working to satisfy the bank's requirements for our new treasurer, Krista Busse.

I saw Dave fly over on moose patrol the other day. You know the day, it was that one day this month when the sun came out.

Because of issues with airport operations the FAA is coming to town to talk with us. Tuesday, January 31 at 1:30 p.m. It is an open meeting and the representative(s) want to hear your comments.

Happy Landings!