

NEWS RELEASE

Award Winning Art Giveaway at NBAA

Seattle, Washington. October 14, 2010... Aviation Partners, Inc. (API) will give away an original oil painting by American Society of Aviation Artists (ASAA) member, and award winning artist, John Reinhold, during the NBAA Convention (October 19-21, 2010).



The painting, titled "On Step With the Past" is a multi-show, multi-award winning piece and features a Sikorsky S-43 getting on step and departing Kona, Hawaii. John, a professional pilot for more than 20 years, will be on hand at the API booth to discuss both his artwork, and his time spent flying an API Blended Winglet equipped Hawker 800XP. Visit API booth 4508 to meet John, learn more about API Blended Winglet technology, and drop a business card for a chance to win this unique artwork.

Aviation Partners, Inc.

Seattle, Washington based Aviation Partners, Inc. (API) is the world leader in advanced Winglet technology. API's patented Performance Enhancing Blended Winglets have been designed and certified for a number of commercial and business aircraft; applications include Boeing, Falcon, Hawker and Gulfstream airframes. Over 4,000 in-service aircraft have saved an estimated 2.3 billion gallons of fuel. In addition to the 5-7% improvement in fuel burn, Blended Winglets have reduced global CO₂ emissions by over 24.7 million tons. Additional airframe programs are in-development for existing Blended Winglet technology, and future Winglet designs will lead to greater incremental improvements in performance, fuel savings and emissions reduction. To learn more about Blended Winglets go to www.aviationpartners.com. (* patent #5348253)

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John Reinhold

Flying professionally for more than 20 years, including several years in an API Blended Winglet equipped Hawker 800XP, has given John an unlimited amount of subjects to paint. He is an Artist member of the American Society of Aviation Artists (ASAA). In addition to many commissions, his works have won national awards including the James V. Roy Jr award (best of show by an ASAA artist) and have been featured in several publications including Aviation Week and Space Technology.

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