

New Lapel Pin

The Board of Directors has modified the designation of membership classes. The associate class of membership has been abolished and all members are considered to be Active members.

All Fraternity members who have met the criteria set by the founders of having soloed a powered aircraft at least 25 years ago will be uniquely recognized by a new lapel pin featuring a **Silver Star** atop the traditionally stylized Silver Wings Fraternity wings.



The Board has authorized the membership chairman to begin sending out the new pins to eligible members in good standing. Those members should be receiving their new pins, **at no cost to them**, within the next few months.

The traditional wings with blue center and without the star will represent an active member who has not yet reached the 25th anniversary since first solo. The traditional wings with red center are reserved for a member who has yet to solo. The traditional wings with the Gold Star and wreath may be worn by members who have reached their 50th anniversary of their first solo. Additional pins and other merchandise may be found on our **“Merchandise catalog page”** found in the “Links” menu.