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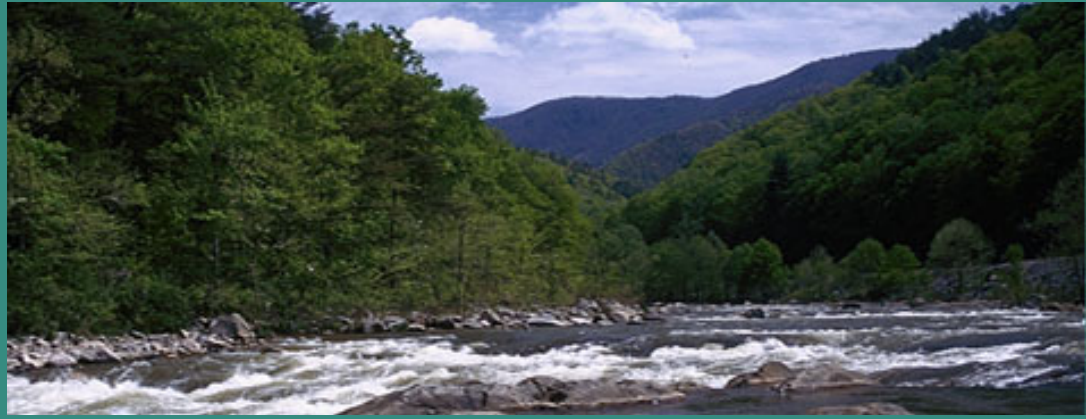
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**Special Airfare Alert!**

Passengers can travel from Asheville Regional Airport (AVL) to Houston, Texas, (IAH) on Continental Airlines for as low as \$238 this month. See [Continental.com](http://Continental.com) for details!



**Construction Update**

Terminal upgrades are still progressing at Asheville Regional Airport, moving AVL toward the goal of superior customer service.

Pictured here is the future Guest Services Center, set to open in November, and the Bag Claim area, which is being remodeled to include two bag carousels and increased security for passengers.

"We are very proud of the developments at Asheville Regional Airport," says Lew Bleiweis, Deputy Airport Director. "We consider these changes an investment in the community and are pleased with the high level of service they will allow us to provide to travelers."

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### **FlyAway Winners**

Asheville Regional Airport is proud to announce the winners of all the FlyAways AVL and the following co-sponsors gave away this past month. Congratulations to the winners!

Lisa Lewis (pictured with KISS morning show hosts Sharon Green and Eddie Foxx, and Asheville Regional Airport Marketing Director Patti Michel) won a trip for two to Indianapolis, IN, to see the last show of Kenny Chesney's "Poets & Pirates" tour, courtesy of Asheville Regional Airport and 99.9 KISS Country.

Mary Jo Eskritt of Asheville won roundtrip tickets for two to New York City from Asheville Regional Airport and the Asheville Tourists.

The winner of the Apple Festival "Win a Trip to the Big Apple" is Lisa Gurney. She will be headed to New York City courtesy of AVL and 96.5 WOXL.

Becky McPeak of Asheville was the winner of the STAR 104.3 FlyAway to New York, and also took home \$1043 to spend on her trip.

Keep your eyes open for future contests and FlyAways -- you could be the next winner!

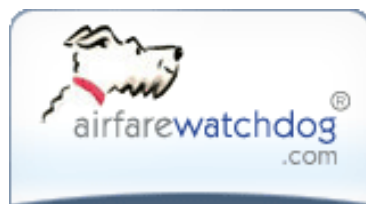


## Historic B-17 Returns to Asheville Regional Airport

The Experimental Aircraft Association (EAA) Chapter 1016 of Asheville is hosting "Aluminum Overcast," a restored B-17 bomber, at the Asheville Regional Airport on October 10–12. The B-17 is visiting Asheville as part of EAA's 2008 "Salute to Veterans" national tour.

Weather permitting, the public will have the opportunity to tour the aircraft October 10–12 and fly a mission just as brave soldiers did more than 60 years ago. "Aluminum Overcast" will be stationed at Million Air, Asheville Regional Airport's Fixed-Base Operator. Flights will take place every 45 minutes from 9:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. A minimum of six people is required per flight.

Pre-booked flights range in price from \$359-\$399 and can be scheduled by visiting <http://www.b17.org/> or calling 1-800-359-6217. Once the plane arrives in Asheville, flights cost \$385-\$425 and can be booked by calling 920-371-2246.



## Book Holiday Travel

It's that time of year again -- time to start thinking about holiday travel! Before you know it, the holidays will be here. Now is a great time to make your travel plans and get your tickets squared away.

Flyavl.com now has a feature called Airfare Watchdog, which lets you check airfare from Asheville. And you can book your travel, including hotel and rental car, on our website at [www.flyavl.com](http://www.flyavl.com).



**Call to Artists for *Art in the Airport***

The Asheville Regional Airport Authority is now accepting applications for the seventh *Art in the Airport* exhibit!

*Art in the Airport* showcases the work of Western North Carolina artists in a dedicated gallery space.

Artwork selected for the upcoming exhibit will be on display from November 14, 2008, until March 4, 2009.

Artists are invited to submit between four (4) and ten (10) pieces of artwork in any medium, bearing in mind that artwork must be suitable for all audiences.

Applications must be received by Friday, October 3, 2008. To be considered for *Art in the Airport*, artists must reside in Buncombe, Haywood, Henderson, Jackson, Madison, McDowell, Mitchell, Polk, Rutherford, Transylvania or Yancey Counties.

Visit <http://www.flyavl.com/> to view a downloadable brochure and application packet, or e-mail [art@flyavl.com](mailto:art@flyavl.com) or call (828) 654-3236 for more information.

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