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### ***Flint Bishop Airport to Host the Nash Car Club of America on July 14, 2021!***



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#### **MEDIA ADVISORY**

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(Flint, Michigan) As part of the 2021 Grand NASHional, the Nash Car Club of America (NCCA) will be visiting Flint Bishop International Airport to view the Charles Nash Statue located on Baggage Claim #2. They will also hear from the statue artist, Joe Rundell, about his process creating the sculpture.

- Date: Wednesday, July 14th
- Time: 9:00am
- Location: Baggage Claim
- Note: This event is closed to the general public, and masks are required inside the terminal building at all times.

The Nash Stature is one of nine life-size bronze statues created by Back to the Bricks®, the organization that produces the annual car show in downtown Flint each August. A statue of Walter Chrysler is also at the Airport.

The 2021 Grand NASHional is hosted by the Erie Shores Region of the NCCA and is themed "A Bavarian Christmas in July". The Bavarian Inn in Frankenmuth is the host hotel.

In addition to the visit to Bishop Airport, NCCA members will be touring the Durant-Dort Carriage Office; the Durant-Dort Factory One; the Charles W. Nash House, and the Montrose Historical & Telephone Pioneer Museum. All are located in Flint and Genesee County.

They will also be visiting the Gilmore Car Museum and the R.E. Olds Museum.

**For detailed information on the 2021 Grand NASHional:**

<https://sites.google.com/view/2021grandnashional/activities>

“It has always been a great honor to be the home of the Charles Nash statue and all that it stands for in Flint’s history. Having the Nash Club come out today to view it deepens that honor even further,” said Airport Director, Nino Sapone.

Media attending the event are welcome to park in any parking lot and bring their parking ticket in to the Police Station for validation.

For more information, please contact Bill Sturgeon, Chairman of the Grand NASHional, at [wsturgeo@live.com](mailto:wsturgeo@live.com) or Jerry Preston at 810-348-4777.

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