

Paul Rinaldo Redfern Aviation Society

Events, publications and research efforts have been promulgated for many years since 1927 to both uncover the mystery of Paul Redfern's disappearance and to keep his historic legacy active. He was a founder of commercial and recreational aviation in South Carolina and has world-wide notoriety.

Following a 2007 (August 25, 2007) symposium commemorating the 75th anniversary of Redfern's final flight a group of interested persons affiliated as the Paul Rinaldo Redfern Aviation Society (PRRAS). PRRAS has met annually on or nearby August 25 each year since 2007.

In 2012 for the 80th anniversary another significant symposium was produced by PRRAS. Here are some pictures and info comments regarding the 2012 PRRAS Symposium and a link to news stories.



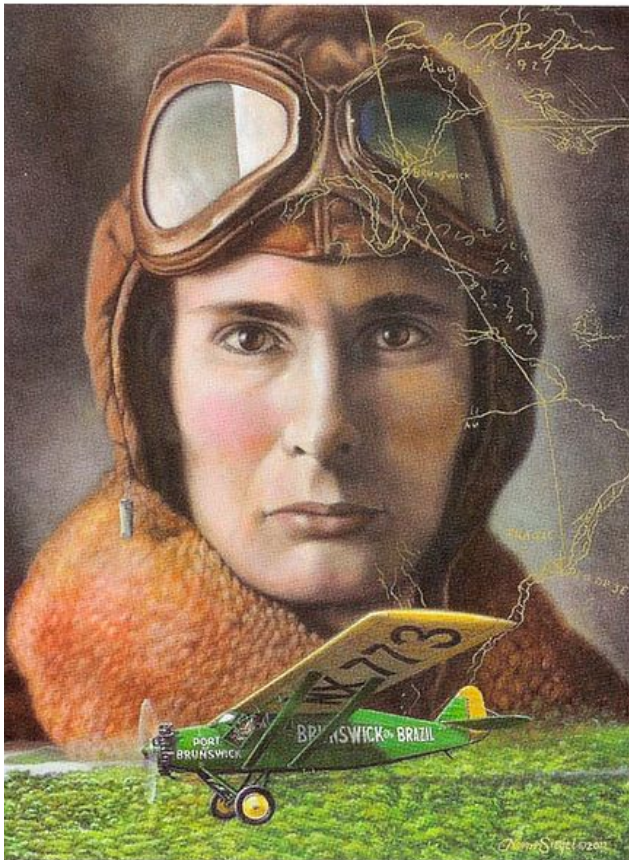
PRRAS 2012 Symposium Committee members and speakers Following the dedication of a new Historical Marker at Dreher High School.

In 2011 Paul Redfern was recognized and honored with membership in the SC Aviation Hall of Fame: <http://www.scaaonline.com/south-carolina-aviation-hall-of-fame/>

http://www.eaa242.org/PaulRedfern/redfern_001.asp

http://www.thecolumbiastar.com/news/2012-08-31/Society/Columbias_famous_aviator_honored.html

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Norm Siegel

"The Lost Pilot"

24 x 18"

Oil

In 1927, Paul Rinaldo Redfern set out to fly to Rio de Janeiro from Port of Brunswick, Ga. He was last seen over Venezuela, trailing smoke from his Stinson "Detroiter." Neither he nor his aircraft has been found.

