

PIONEERS DINNER – FALL 2013

PRESENTED BY:



FEATURING
Mr. Bob Sieck


Apollo Systems Engineer and Space Shuttle Launch Director

Keynote Address: Apollo 13...Lessons Learned for the Future

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Friday, 11 October 2013, 6:00 PM Social 7:00PM Dinner

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About Bob Sieck: Bob Sieck served as NASA's Space Shuttle Launch Director during the height of the Space Shuttle program and presided over 52 Space Shuttle launches. Mr. Sieck's aerospace career began in 1960 when he was a Lieutenant in the Air Force assigned to aircraft and missile operations in Arizona and Florida. He joined NASA at the Kennedy Space Center in 1964 as a manned spacecraft test and launch operations engineer, responsible for prelaunch checkout and servicing of Gemini and Apollo spacecraft systems. After Apollo he was the ground operations Engineering Manager for the Shuttle Approach and Landing Tests at Dryden Flight Research Center. In 1978, he became the project engineer responsible for NASA's Shuttle processing integrated tests and procedures. He was then appointed Director of Launch and Landing Operations and served as Launch Director for 11 missions until becoming the KSC Shuttle Operations Director. In 1986, he was again appointed Launch Director for return to flight after the Challenger accident and held this position for STS 26 and all subsequent missions thru STS 63. In 1995 Mr. Sieck became Director of Shuttle Processing where he managed the transition of the KSC ground operations to the Spaceflight Operations Contractor. After retiring from NASA in 1999 he was appointed to the Aerospace Safety Advisory Panel and served on NASA's Columbia Return to Flight Task Group and review teams for the Constellation Program. He is currently a member of the NASA Advisory Council and is active in the Astronaut Scholarship Foundation, Astronaut Memorial Foundation, National Space Club, Space Walk of Fame, Habitat for Humanity. Mr. Sieck holds a B.S. in Electrical Engineering from the University of Virginia and did post graduate work at Texas A&M University and the Florida Institute of Technology.

