



**FÉDÉRATION AÉRONAUTIQUE  
INTERNATIONALE  
Ballooning Commission**

**Hall of Fame Nomination**

**DENNIS E. FLODEN  
“CAPT. PHOGG ®”**



**Born in South Bend, Indiana  
Five Indiana High School State Swimming Titles  
Indiana State High School Swimming Hall of Fame  
South Bend Riley High School Hall of Fame**

**BS & MA in Education – University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI  
Three Collegiate All American Selections in Swimming  
Member of three NCAA National Championship Teams  
Past President, The University of Michigan Alumni Association, Flint, MI  
Life Member, The Victors Club, The University of Michigan  
Past National Chairman, The Presidents Club, The University of Michigan**

**Staff Supervisor & Asst. General Agent for Mass Mutual, Flint, MI  
Sr. Financial Consultant for E. F. Hutton & Company, Flint, MI  
Chartered Life Underwriter – Life Member Million Dollar Round Table**

**Owner, CEO & Chief Pilot for Capt. Phogg Enterprises, LTD  
First Flight October 30, 1968 Raven S-50 N2324  
First World Hot Air Balloon Champion**

**U. S. National Hot Air Balloon Champion**  
**Heineken International Balloon Champion**  
**Seven-Up International Balloon Champion**  
**Chief Pilot for 1984 Buick Olympic Balloon Program**  
**22 years as Chief Pilot for Kellogg's Tony the Tiger Balloon Program**  
**Life Member, Balloon Federation of America**  
**Over 2,000 flight hours and 40 years as LTA Pilot**  
**Balloon flights in every state except Alaska & Hawaii plus**  
**Canada, Mexico, Australia, Serbia, Croatia, Sweden, England, Dubai, Phillipines,**  
**Kuala Lumpor**

**Currently from Anna Maria Island, FL**  
**Multi-Million Dollar Realtor in Sarasota, Florida**  
**Distressed Property Specialist**  
**Founding Member, MindWorks Performance Group**  
**Personal Life Development Consultant & Coach**

Additional photos and information can be found on the Balloon Federation of America's National Balloon Museum Website: <http://www.nationalballoonmuseum.com/HallofFame>