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Whiteman Airport



From the Manager..

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Standing Meetings and Events

- **CAP Squadron 35**
Every Wednesday
7:00 PM
- **Whiteman Airport Association**
Every 3rd Thursday
7:00 PM—Admin Building
- **Aviation Explorer Post 747**
2nd & 4th Monday's
6:30-8:00—Pilot's Lounge
- **Young Eagles**
Every 4th Saturday
10:30 AM—Grassy Area adjacent to Pilot's Lounge
- **Whiteman Display Day**
Every 2nd Sunday
10:00 AM — 2:00 PM

2018 Aviation Commission Meetings

February 28 10:00 am	KCPM
March 21 10:00 am	KWJF
April 26 7:00 PM	KWHP

Aviation Quote of the Month

The airplane has unveiled for us the true face of the earth.
— Antoine de Saint-Exupéry

2018 Hangar Inspection Schedule. We have scheduled our 2018 annual hangar inspections here at Whiteman. The emphasis of these inspections is both safety and lease compliance. If you are unable to be at the hangar briefly on the date listed below please contact the Airport Administration Office at (818) 896-5271 so that we may arrange another more convenient appointment time for the inspection. The inspection will only take a few minutes and will focus on fire hazards or hazardous materials in the hangar, making sure there is a working fire extinguisher in the hangar, checking to see if the aircraft in the hangar matches the aircraft on record and any signs of unauthorized commercial operations.

Each hangar row is listed below with a date. We will be stationed at these hangar rows on that date from 8:30 am until 5 pm and you may show up anytime during these hours for the inspection.

- B, C, D Rows: **Thursday, March 8th**
- E, F, G, H, J Rows: **Friday, March 9th**
- BB, CC, DD, U & T Rows: **Monday, March 12th**

We will also be available on Saturday and Sunday March 10th and 11th between 10 am and 2 pm. If you are interested in opening the hangar during these times please contact us ahead of time at (818) 896-5271 to let us know. In addition, you can also call the Airport Ops line on that weekend between 10 am and 2 pm at (818) 312-2911 and we will meet you at the hangar.

Vehicle Access Gate Cards. As a reminder; the new vehicle access gate cards that were issued in 2014 when our new gates were installed require annual renewal, which is scheduled to coincide with the holder's birthday. Please stop by the office or call us during office hours (Monday through Friday, 8am-5pm) at (818) 896-5271 before your birthday to have your card renewed.

Storm Water Season. Our annual storm water monitoring season has started and requires that we inspect all ramps for possible pollutants. Please remember that painting, sanding or the use of any chemicals or solvents is not permitted in or around storage hangars or tie downs. If you see potential storm water issues around the airport please do not hesitate to contact my office at (818) 896-5271 or Airport Operations at (818) 312-2911 so that we may clean up any potential problems before they become one. Thanks in advance for your help!

Looking For a New or Different Hangar? If you currently lease a tie down or if you're in a hangar and would like to move to a different hangar please stop by the Administration Office, Monday through Friday between the hours of 8 am and 5 pm, to discuss hangar spaces that are currently available. If the particular hangar of your choice is not available now, we will provide you with a hangar waitlist application to fill out so that we can move you in to the hangar of your choice as soon as possible.

Support your Airport Association. Please come out on the 3rd Thursday of each month to the old Airport Admin Building meeting room (New CAP HQ) and join the Airport Association for \$10 a year in dues. The next regular Airport Association meeting will be held on February 15th.



Photo of the Month

The airport ramp at sunset after a passing rain storm on January 9th

Spotlight on...

AOPA Offers Safety Seminars On Midairs

By Mary Grady | January 17, 2018 | www.avweb.com

Pilots may think that talking to ATC or using ADS-B protects them from midair collisions, but mistakes still can happen, and they can be fatal. AOPA's Air Safety Institute is taking on the midair threat in a big way, offering in-person seminars at 48 sites across the U.S. this year. "What we hope pilots take away from this seminar is that even if you are doing everything right, you can find yourself in a situation where you are closer in proximity to other airplanes than you realize," said Richard McSpadden, executive director of the AOPA Air Safety Institute. The new seminar identifies high-risk scenarios and locations, then lays out strategies for avoiding them.

Among the topics covered are human eye limitations that impact the "see and avoid" philosophy, proven techniques for improving your visual scan, maximizing your visibility to other aircraft, the limits of cockpit technology and "danger zones" you may not be aware of. The seminars are funded in part by a donation from Joyce Gardella, whose husband, Paul, a flight instructor, died in a midair crash near Washington, D.C. The first Collision Course event was held last week, in Fairfax, Virginia, and drew a crowd of 225. A full listing of the seminar locations and more information can be found at the ASF website https://www.aopa.org/forms/event-calendar/SAFETY_SEMINAR

Available for Lease

Whiteman Airport (818-896-5271)

Hangars (790sf) starting at
\$355.71/month



Brackett Field Airport (909-593-1395)

Half Hangars starting at
\$133.42/month



Compton/Woodley Airport (310-631-8140)

Half Hangars starting at
\$194.93/month

San Gabriel Valley Airport (626-448-6129)

Half Hangars starting at
\$152.19/month



Fox Airfield (661-940-1709)

Half Hangars starting at
\$137.59/month

Airport Display Days

KPOC

Every 3rd Sunday
10AM-2PM

KCPM

Every 1st Saturday & Sunday
10AM-2PM

KEMT

Every 4th Sunday
9AM-1PM

KWJF

Every 2nd Saturday
All Day

KWHP

Every 2nd Sunday
10AM-2PM

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