WHITEMAN AIRPORT



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News & Announcements:

Photo of the Month

Shown here are Mark Bullock (L) and Matthew Graham (R), part of our staff at Compton/Woodley Airport, as they help keep the airport grounds well maintained. Good work, gentlemen!



Upcoming County Hangar Inspections

AAC will be conducting hangar inspections in the months of August and September. Each Airport Manager will coordinate inspection dates at their respective airports during those months.

August Commission Meeting

The next airport commission meeting will be at Fox Field on Wed., Aug. 30th, beginning at 7:00 pm in the Fox Terminal Building.

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Spotlight on...

Recent "Developments" at County Airports

There is a significant amount of leasing activity, construction, and new development at the County airports. We wanted to inform you of them, and hope you will support them:

New Commercial Tenants

CPM Museum Café: Snack Bar, Pilot Supplies

EMT HD Wireless: High-definition Aerial Filming

POC Blue Diamond Aviation: Flight School

POC Eagle Helicopters: Helicopter Service/Training

Leases Awaiting Board Approval

EMT Aircraft Parts Sales

POC 121,420 sf Hangar Development

Under Construction

EMT 24,000 sf Hangar Development

WHP 36,745 sf Hangar Development

WJF 70,200 sf Hangar Development

WJF 9,690 sf Hangar for Avionics Shop

WJF 27,000 sf Hangar Development

Potential Ground Lease Development

EMT 58,000 sf Hangar Development

POC 17,000 sf Hangar and Office Development

WHP 80,000 sf Hangar Development

WJF 127,610 sf Hangar Development

Did you know that...

- since 2001, American Airports has paid in to the County airport system over \$15 million in rent and fuel flowage fees?
- from 1994 to 2005, the total amount of AvGas sold in California has decreased 35.5%, from 37.4 million gallons to 24.1 million gallons?

For Sale or Lease:

Brackett Airport: (909-593-1395)

Tie Downs – From \$52.00 / month Hangars – Call Airport Office for Availability

- → Office Space for Lease
- → Land for Development

Compton Airport: (310-631-8140)

Tie Downs – From \$71.00 / month

El Monte Airport: (626-448-6129)

Tie Downs –From \$60.00 / month D Row Hangar – From \$386.76 / month

Fox Airfield: (661-940-1709)

Tie Downs – From \$54.00 / month

→ Land for Development

Whiteman Airport: (818-896-5271)

Tie Downs - From \$76.00 / month

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- 1 EAA Chapter 49 at Fox: 7:30 pm @ WJF Terminal Building
- 2 PEMIA at El Monte: 6:00 pm @ EMT Terminal Building
- 2 CAP Squadron 35 at Whiteman: 7:00 pm @ WHP CAP Trailer
- 3 Civil Air Patrol at El Monte: 7:00 pm @ EMT Terminal Building
- 3 Brackett Pilots' Association: 7:30 pm @ POC Pilots' Lounge
- 5/6 Compton Antique Aircraft & Auto Display: 9:00 am 4:00 pm
- 5 San Gabriel Valley Car Show at EMT: 4pm-8pm in Parking Lot
- 7 Pacoima Rotary Club at Whiteman: 6:00 pm @ WHP Rocky's
 8 SGV Remote Control Association at El Monte:
- 7:00 pm @ EMT Terminal Building
- 9 FAA Safety Seminar at El Monte: 7:00 pm @ EMT Terminal
- 9 CAP Squadron 35 at Whiteman: 7:00 pm @ WHP CAP Trailer
- 9 Latin American Pilots' Assn at Whiteman: 7:30 pm @ Rocky's 10 - Civil Air Patrol at El Monte: 7:00 pm @ EMT Terminal Building
- 10 Brackett 99s: 7:30 pm @ POC Pilots' Lounge
- 12 Fox Airfield Open Hangar Day (all day)
- 12 San Gabriel Valley Car Show @ EMT: 4pm-8pm in Parking Lot
- 13 Whiteman Display Day: 10 am-2 pm
- 14 Pacoima Rotary Club at Whiteman: 6:00 pm @ WHP Rocky's
- 16 PEMIA at El Monte: 6:00 pm @ EMT Terminal Building
- 16 FAA Safety Seminar at Brackett 7:00 pm @ POC Pilots' Lounge
- 16 CAP Squadron 35 at Whiteman: 7:00 pm @ WHP CAP Trailer
- 17 Civil Air Patrol at El Monte: 7:00 pm @ EMT Terminal Building
- 17 Whiteman Airport Association Meeting: 7:00 pm @ Rocky's
- 19 San Gabriel Valley Car Show @ EMT: 4pm-8pm in Parking Lot
- 20 Brackett Antique Aircraft & Auto Display:
 - 10:00 am 2:00 pm @ POC Transient Parking Lot
- 21 Pacoima Rotary Club at Whiteman: 6:00 pm @ WHP Rocky's
- 22 SGV Remote Control Association at El Monte:
 - 7:00 pm @ EMT Terminal Building
- 23 CAP Squadron 35 at Whiteman: 7:00 pm @ WHP CAP Trailer
- 24 Civil Air Patrol at El Monte: 7:00 pm @ EMT Terminal Building
- 24 Pomona Valley Pilots' Association at Brackett:
 - 7:30 pm @ POC Pilots' Lounge
- 26 San Gabriel Valley Car Show @ EMT: 4pm-8pm in Parking Lot
- 27 El Monte Vintage Airplane & Auto Display:
 - 9:00 am 1:00 pm @ EMT Center Field
- 28 Pacoima Rotary Club at Whiteman: 6:00 pm @ WHP Rocky's
- 30 L.A. County Aviation Commission Meeting at Fox
 - 7:00 pm @ WJF Terminal Building
- 30 CAP Squadron 35 at Whiteman: 7:00 pm @ WHP CAP Trailer
- 31 Civil Air Patrol at El Monte: 7:00 pm @ EMT Terminal Building

From the Manager:

Runway Closure:

Whiteman Airport is scheduled to have the runway closed for three consecutive days for the completion of a new slurry seal project. A NOTAM will be issued as soon as the construction dates are received. At this point, the runway closure will be on the days of Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. The taxiway portion of the project will be completed in two phases, and this will take longer than the three-day runway closure.

Hangar Waiting List: Whiteman Airport currently has a hangar waiting list of approximately 30 people. Though we will soon be conducting hangar inspections, if anyone is aware of any non-aviation use of a County hangar on their hangar row, please report the hangar number to Airport Administration. It is our goal to accommodate those people on the hangar waiting list who have airplanes.

<u>Calling for Fuel:</u> When calling for fuel, please remember to use either the **Unicom Frequency** (122.95) or the fuel phone number (818-312-2911).

<u>Driver Safety:</u> This is always an important safety issue here at the airport. We are all aware that driving your vehicle in the taxiways can cause an extremely dangerous situation to quickly materialize. Please remember that aircraft have the right of way at the airport, and to please drive slowly.

FAA Monthly Seminars: There is an FAA Safety meeting every month. To find out the date and topic of the meeting, please go on the web to: http://faasafety.gov. It will be held in the CAP trailer.

<u>Support your Airport Association:</u> Please come out on the 3rd Thursday of each month to *Rocky's Restaurant* and join the Airport Association. For \$10 a year in dues, you can help provide input on how to better run your airport. August's meeting is on the 17th from 7:00 pm.

Goodbye – Just a quick note to say "thank you" for giving me the opportunity to be the Airport Manager at Whiteman Airport. It was a pleasure meeting all of you, and I appreciate all of the support I received.

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