WHITEMAN AIRPORT



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News & Announcements:

Photo of the Month



Pilot's Eye View of Whiteman Airport:

With over 600 based aircraft and over 100,000 aircraft operations annually, Whiteman Airport is a bustling general aviation airport.



January Commission Meeting

The January Commission Meeting will be held on Wednesday, the 30th, at Brackett Airfield, and will begin at **10:00 am** in the Terminal Building.

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Spotlight on...

Things to Come in 2008:

As we close the final chapter on 2007 and look forward to things to come it '08, we have a lot to be grateful for when it comes to our County owned airports. Over the past year, the airports benefited from pavement rehabilitation projects, slurry seal projects, new security camera systems, lighting projects, and many other capital improvements. In addition to those large projects, there were some meaningful smaller projects like Whiteman's new ATIS, Brackett's new flight planning room with two new computers, and Compton and El Monte's new crash fire rescue trucks.

In 2008, we can look forward to continued improvement projects at the County owned airports. This will include a large pavement rehabilitation/drainage project at Compton, additional pavement rehabilitation at Fox, upgraded security camera systems at Whiteman and Compton, a ramp/pavement project at El Monte, and development of minimum standards for commercial activities for all 5 airports.

Thank you to all who have contributed and participated in helping make the County Airports the best they can be in '07 and we look forward to an even brighter '08!

For Sale or Lease:

Brackett Airport: (909-593-1395)

Tie Downs – From \$52.00/month Portable Hangars – From \$273.00/month Standard T's - From \$408.00/month Executive Hangars 1,824 sq.ft – From \$724/month Terminal Office – 500 sq.ft.

Compton Airport: (310-631-8140)

Tie Downs – From \$49.00 / month

El Monte Airport: (626-448-6129)

Tie Downs – From \$60.00/month Hangars - From \$294.00/month

Fox Airfield: (661-940-1709)

Tie Downs - From \$54.00 / month → Land for Development

Whiteman Airport: (818-896-5271)

Third-party lessee offering 2,500 square feet of office and 2,500 square feet of hangar

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- EAA Chapter 49 at Fox: 7:30 pm @ WJF Terminal Building
- PEMIA at El Monte: 6:00 pm @ EMT Terminal Building 2
- 2 CAP Squadron 35 at Whiteman: 7:00 pm @ WHP CAP Trailer
- Civil Air Patrol at El Monte: 7:00 pm @ EMT Terminal Building 3 3 Brackett Pilots' Association: 7:30 pm @ POC Pilots' Lounge
- 5 SGV Car Show at El Monte: 4pm - 8 pm, EMT Parking Lot
- 5/6 Compton Antique Aircraft & Auto Display: 10:00 am -2:00 pm
- Pacoima Rotary Club at Whiteman: 6:00 pm @ WHP Rocky's 7
- 8 SGV Remote Control Assn at El Monte:
 - 7:00 pm @ EMT Terminal Building
- 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 -SGV Car Show at El Monte: 4pm - 8 pm, EMT 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 -CAP Squadron 35 at Whiteman: 7:00 pm @ WHP CAP Trailer
- Civil Air Patrol at El Monte: 7:00 pm @ EMT Terminal Building 17 -
- 17 -Whiteman Airport Association Meeting: 7:00 pm @ Rocky's
- EAA Chapter 96 at Compton: 10:00am, EAA Hangar 19 -
- EAA Chapter 40 at Whiteman: 9:30 am @ Rocky's 19 -
- 19 -SGV Car Show at El Monte: 4pm - 8 pm, EMT Parking Lot
- Brackett Antique Aircraft & Auto Display: 20 -
 - 10:00 am 2:00 pm @ POC Transient Parking Lot
- 21 -Pacoima Rotary Club at Whiteman: 6:00 pm @ WHP Rocky's
- SGV Remote Control Assn at El Monte: 22 -
 - 7:00 pm @ EMT Terminal Building
- CAP Squadron 35 at Whiteman: 7:00 pm @ WHP CAP Trailer 23 -
- Civil Air Patrol at El Monte: 7:00 pm @ EMT Terminal Building 24 -
- 26 -SGV Car Show at El Monte: 4pm - 8 pm, EMT Parking Lot
- El Monte Vintage Airplane & Auto Display:

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- 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 Brackett at 10 am
- CAP Squadron 35 at Whiteman: 7:00 pm @ WHP CAP Trailer 30 -
- Pomona Valley Pilots' Association at Brackett: 31 -
 - 7:30 pm @ POC Pilots' Lounge
 - 9:00 am @ Terminal Building
- 31 -Civil Air Patrol at El Monte: 7:00 pm @ EMT Terminal Building

From the Manager:

Happy New Year! All of us at American Airports are looking forward to a new year of continued efforts towards achieving the goal of ensuring that Whiteman Airport is safe, secure, compliant and compatible with market-appropriate and high quality products, services, and facilities - overall a great general aviation airport to visit or to call home.

As always, we are open to comments and suggestions on how we can better serve the general aviation community here at Whiteman Airport. All are welcome to visit us at the Administration Office or give us a call at (818) 896-5271. We value your input.

Airport Developments

New or continuing development anticipated to occur at Whiteman Airport during early 2008 should include: Vista Aviation's 4.5 acre construction of a building, hangars and apron area; Argubright Construction's development of additional hangars on approximately ½ acre; Aerotique LLC's development of additional hangars on 1/2 acre; and A&L Partners' development of approximately 1 acre of land for its base to operate its helicopters and potentially provide aviation services.

For more information on any of the development occurring, or potential for new development, at Whiteman Airport please contact Jason Morgan, Airport Manager, at (818) 986-5271.

New Web Site

American Airports has updated its web site to include additional information about the company and, particularly, the five L.A. County Airports - including Whiteman Airport. In the coming weeks, the web site will be further enhanced to provide information regarding available tiedowns and hangars, airport meetings and events, and other relevant and helpful information. The URL for the web site has been changed to: www.americanairports.com

FAA Monthly Seminars

There is an FAA Safety meeting every month. For meeting information, please see the website at http://faasafety.gov. Meetings are held in the Civil Air Patrol trailer.

Support your Airport Association

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. The January meeting will be on the 17th at 7:00 pm.

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