

WHITEMAN AIRPORT



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News & Announcements:

Happy Thanksgiving!

In the spirit of the Thanksgiving holiday, American Airports Corporation would like to thank the tenants and airport users at each of the Los Angeles County airports for your patronage. We wish you a safe, sane and Happy Thanksgiving.

Monthly Aircraft Display Days

Each of the five airports in our Los Angeles County Airports System holds aircraft display days every month for based and fly-in aircraft. These informal get-togethers are a great way to get to know your airport neighbors, exchange news and flying stories, and promote and support general aviation in your local community. You may even qualify for a property tax exemption if your aircraft is considered historical and meets certain other criteria. Visit the Los Angeles County Office of the Assessor's web site at <http://www.boe.ca.gov/proptaxes/pdf/ah577final2003.pdf> for details on exemption criteria.

Display day dates and times are posted in the Calendar of Events section of this newsletter every month.

November Commission Meeting

The next meeting of the County Aviation Commission will be held on Wednesday, Nov. 30, here at Whiteman Airport. The meeting will begin at 10:00 a.m. in the Terminal Building.

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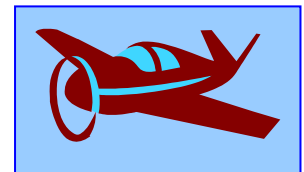
Spotlight on...

Security

Security continues to remain a top priority at Whiteman Airport, especially now as we are approaching the Holiday season. Please report any suspicious activity to the offices listed below:

- ➔ National Response Center –
GA Reporting:
T: (866) GA SECURE
(866-427-3287)
- ➔ FBI Joint Terrorism Task Force:
T: (310) 477-6565
- ➔ LAPD Anti-Terrorist Division:
T: (213) 485-4391
- ➔ Airport Management:
T: (818) 896-5271

Thanks for doing your part in keeping our GA airports safe and secure!



For Sale or Lease:

Brackett Airport: (909-593-1395)

- Tie Downs – From \$52.00 / month
- D & J Row Hangars – From \$381.68 / month
- L Row Hangars – From \$251.39 / month
- S Row Hangars – From \$302.29 / month
- Commercial Space for Lease
- Land for Development

Compton Airport: (310-631-8140)

- Tie Downs – From \$71.00 / month
- G Row Endroom – From \$219.84 / month
- I Row Hangars – From \$396.91 / month
- Commercial Space – Prime Terminal Location!

El Monte Airport: (626-448-6129)

- Tie Downs – From \$60.00 / month
- E & K Row Hangars – From \$603.54 / month
- N Row Hangars – From \$367.40 / month
- T Row Hangars – From \$294.12 / 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

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

From the Manager:

The Importance of Reading Your Newsletter: We announce important events and information in your newsletter. If you do not read them, you may miss out on key info you need to know.

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

Common Courtesy: We have had several complaints about people pulling their aircraft out of their hangars and doing a pre-flight/post-flight or just walking away and leaving it in the taxiway. Please be considerate and do not block any taxiways for any time longer than necessary. HH Row seems to be getting the most complaints, but there are a few other areas of the Airport people are worried about.

Derelict Aircraft: We have noticed that there are a great many aircraft on the field that could not be rolled/moved if there was a fire because they have at least one flat tire. According to Title 19, your aircraft should be airworthy or on its way to being airworthy. If you have an aircraft with flat tires, please ensure the tires are inflated by 1 December 2005. It is good for the safety of all parked aircraft that they can be moved in case of an emergency to mitigate damage caused by fire. Thank you for your help.

Hangar Access: Please provide the Airport Manager a key or the combination of your lock to your hangar, if you have not already done so, by 1 December. A key will allow us to gather up the fire extinguishers when we service them, or to have access in case of an emergency.

Safety and Security First: Please remember that you are the frontline person on the Airport to provide the Airport Staff with information of any strange or improper behavior on the Airport. If you notice people who don't seem to belong or are acting in a strange manner, do not hesitate to notify your Airport Staff **immediately**. When you enter the gates, please ensure the person coming in behind you, riding in on your gate card, should be coming in. If you are coming in behind someone, please display your gate card so they can see you have one, or display your WHP Hanging Mirror Pass so that they can see you belong here. This is not a right to be rude to someone trying to get in, as the flight school students still have to come through the gate to get to the schools. The flight schools should be telling their students to use the gate keyboard to get entry to their respective school. If you do not have a hanging mirror pass, they are free, just come by with proof of insurance on your car, and the license plate number, and we will issue you one.

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

Aviation Fuel Pricing: While the price of fuel per barrel is coming down, the cost of Avgas and Jet A has seen a large increase. We hope to see an end to this trend by December, but please note that AAC's cost per gallon of Avgas has gone up significantly since July.

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 per year in dues, you can help provide input on how to better run your Airport.

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