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From the Manager..

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Special Events

Open House
Sept. 22, 2018
10am-2pm

Standing Meetings and Events

- **CAP Squadron 35**
Every Wednesday
7:00 PM
- **Whiteman Airport Association**
Every 3rd Thursday
7:00 PM—Civil Air Patrol Meeting Room
- **Aviation Explorer Post 747**
2nd & 4th Monday's
6:30-8:00—2nd Fr Conf Room (Airport Terminal)
- **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

September 26 7:00 PM	KWJF
October 31 10:00 AM	KWHP
November 28 10:00 AM	KEMT

Burbank Air Service (Hangar 31) will be hosting a really interesting showing of some amazing World War II era dioramas next month. The Eastern Front Galleries, which produces the World War II era dioramas will visit Hangar 31 on Saturday, September 29th for a special one day showing from 11a.m. to 4p.m. Attendance is free to all airport users! Hangar 31 is located by the gate at Orbital and Airpark Way. If you plan to attend (and you should!) please park on their ramp in front of the hangar door. Call 818-686-8249 for more information or visit www.theeasternfront.net.



Whiteman Airport Open House. Our annual Airport Open House is scheduled for Saturday, September 22nd from 10 am — 2 pm. Those that would like to participate by exhibiting their aircraft or hosting a booth for an aviation club or organization should contact my office at (818) 896-5271 to make arrangements by Friday, September 7th so that we can ensure space for all. For those that have come out in past years, we hope to see you again this year and for those that have not attended before, we encourage you to come out to say “hi” and meet with fellow pilots and members of our surrounding community!

County Hangar Inspections. We've completed our first round of County hangar inspections and thank you to all that came out to help us complete this important process. For those that missed the inspections; please give us a call in the office at (818) 896-5271 to set up a time for your inspection.

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.

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.

Fire Extinguisher Recertification Pickup. For those that dropped off a fire extinguisher during our recent fire extinguisher recertification; the extinguisher is ready for pickup if you have not already done so.

Support your Airport Association.

Please come 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 **September 20, 2018**.

Aviation Quote of the Month

It isn't often that a writer of superlative skills knows enough about flying to write well about it.

— Samuel Hynes

Spotlight on...

Los Angeles County Aviation Division Honored by SWAAE

We wanted to spread the news to all our customers that LA County Aviation Commissioner, Curt Castagna and Aviation Division Chief, Richard Smith were recently honored by the American Association of Airport Executives' Southwest Chapter (SWAAAE).

At the SWAAAE Summer Conference in Sacramento this past July, Mr. Smith was awarded "Airport Executive of the Year." SWAAAE represents airports primarily in California, Arizona, Nevada, and Hawaii and to have earned this recognition is truly a remarkable accomplishment!

Criteria to be nominated for the Airport Executive of the Year includes providing public service to the community in the form of efficient air transportation facilities; public relation accomplishments in the areas of "good neighbor relations"; environmental achievements in the areas of aesthetics, noise or pollution reduction or control; good business management in budget control, utilization of airport revenue, development of new sources of revenue and control of expenses; efficient handling of the administrative complexities of state and federal grant programs; management functions and good labor relations with employees and tenants; personal integrity and professional reputation, both in the public community and among peers in the airport management field.

SWAAAE also recognized Commissioner Curt Castagna with the "Corporate Award of Excellence" for his long history of taking leadership roles in airport tenant, aviation trade associations and establishing collaborative partnerships through complex industry challenges, while maintaining a focus on compromise and consensus building. Most importantly, Commissioner Curt Castagna has long been devoted to mentoring future aviation professionals, in and out of the classroom, with over 23 years' experience, as an adjunct professor, teaching various classes in the Aviation Administration Bachelor of Arts Program at California State University, Los Angeles.

The Corporate Award of Excellence is presented to a company whose professionalism and recent contributions to the association and the airport industry have made a significant difference in fostering aviation. Members of SWAAAE nominate candidates from all over the Southwestern states for this single award given only once per year. Amazing!

Our congratulations go out to Commissioner Curt Castagna and Mr. Richard Smith for the recognition of what can be summarized as outstanding public service!



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Half Hangars starting at
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Half Hangars starting at
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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