



# October **RUNWAY 15** 2014 EDITION

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## **WEST HOUSTON AIRPORT**

**Support Your Airport and Its Business Team!**  
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## Fly Back in Time

## October 23-26 IWS

Take a trip back to aviation's barnstorming days aboard EAA's beautifully restored 1929 Ford Tri-Motor. Don't miss the unique opportunity to live aviation history when the Tri-Motor visits West Houston Airport. Continued page 3

## ATTENTION PILOTS

Houston Executive Airport (TME) is scheduled to have a Control Tower, operating daily from 0600 to 2200 local time effective October 1, 2014. It will not have a class D airspace but the operating and communication requirements are essentially the same when less than 2,000 ft MSL and within a four nautical mile radius from the airport center.

The Tower frequency will be 126.975 MHz, Ground Control 132.075 MHz and Clearance delivery will be on ground control. When the tower is closed Clearance Delivery will be from Houston TRACON, Telephone 281-433-5844.

Sport Flyers Airport has exempted Air Space as depicted below.

This new information will not appear on Sectional Charts or Class B Charts before March 2015. Consult NOTAMS until then.

It is recommended that departing and arriving traffic for West Houston Airport plan to avoid TME by at least 4 Nautical miles or cross over Houston Executive airport *at or above 2000 MSL*.



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**OCTOBER DATES**

**Columbus Day - 13**  
**Boss's Day - 16**  
**Halloween - 31**



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**SPECIAL EVENTS**



**FAA HOTLINE: 1-866-TELL-FAA**

**October**

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**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

**PREFLIGHT Breakfast**

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**PRIVATE PILOT GROUND SCHOOL**

**Class starts October 6, 2014. Each Class is stand alone come for one or all. Every Monday Evening, 7:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m., West Houston Airport. No prior reservations needed. Licensed Jeppesen Video Presentation! Bring a family member for *half-price*. Don't miss this new and exciting learning experience! Contact C. G. "Hank" Henry, Chief Pilot, 281-492-2130.**

**INSTRUMENT PILOT GROUND SCHOOL**

**Class Started September 2 2014, 10 week course 7:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m., West Houston Airport. Call for details Licensed Jeppesen Video Presentation! Contact Hank Henry, Chief Pilot, for information, 281-492-2130.**

**FAA SAFETY MEETING**

**Fourth (4th) Tuesday 7:00p -9:00p 2nd Floor Observatory. For questions email or call Carol Email: [carolav8@att.net](mailto:carolav8@att.net): 713-301-5407.**

**99'S MEETING**

**Second (2<sup>nd</sup>) OCTOBER WILL BE OFF SITE Tuesday Every Month, 7:00 p.m., Terminal Building, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor. Women's Organization of Pilots! Contact Becky Nickell 281-859-4923 email [nickellb01@att.net](mailto:nickellb01@att.net), website [www.ninety-nines.org](http://www.ninety-nines.org).**

**COMMEMORATIVE AIR FORCE (CAF)**

**Museum open first and third Saturday of the month 10am-3pm. Meetings 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the Month at 2:00 p.m., Hangar B-5. Memberships available. Call for tours. Contact 281-579-2131 or email [info@houstonwing.org](mailto:info@houstonwing.org), [www.houstonwing.org](http://www.houstonwing.org).**

**EAA CHAPTER 774 MEETING**

**Third (3<sup>rd</sup>) Thursday of the month 7:00 p.m. Terminal Building 2nd floor. For Meeting Information and Announcements Contact Rick Human 281-463-6769. Great Meetings! Large Turnouts! Join Today.**

**GHAFI SEMINAR (Greater Houston Association of Flight Instructors)**

**GHAFI quarterly Seminar October 18. Questions or comments contact Carol Brackley at [carolav8@att.net](mailto:carolav8@att.net), or visit website: [www.ghafi.org](http://www.ghafi.org)**

**Texas Concealed Handgun License Class**

**NEXT CLASS October 4, 9-3 New 4 Hour Class plus range time, West Houston Airport, Terminal - Upstairs, 18000 Groschke Road, Houston, TX 77094. Class includes: lunch, classroom, shooting range (indoor range in the area), instruction and all paperwork. Loaner guns available at no extra charge. First time shooters taught how to shoot at no extra charge. You can bring your own ammo (50 rounds) or buy from me for \$20. Cost is \$90. For Reservations call or email ([ktwinkle@hal-pc.org](mailto:ktwinkle@hal-pc.org)) Kevin Winkle 713-252-7006.**

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**1984 Cessna 172P:** Great Price

## Fuel Price Comparison for September 2014

JET A	High	Low	Avg
Southwest Region	7.88	3.75	5.21
West Houston Airport	5.27	4.21*	4.74

  

100LL	High	Low	Avg
Southwest Region	8.33	4.39	5.65
West Houston Airport	5.58	5.03	5.31

\*With quantity discount

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Carmen Hart, Office Manager  
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Son, Cole age 25 passed away unexpectedly  
September 23, 2014.

In Lieu of Flowers donations may be sent to General  
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Dr. Victor Arellano (Baron Pilot)	FAA Medicals (by appt. only)	15410 Ridge Park Dr. 281-855-2244(o)	www.tmauc.com
		Houston, Tx 77095 281-460-2247(m)	

**Airport Based Non-Aviation Businesses.**

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