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# **RUNWAY 15**





# WEST HOUSTON AIRP



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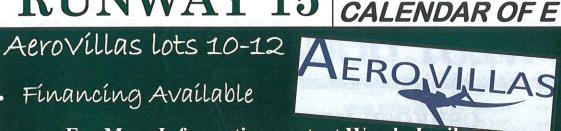
West Houston Airport Frequencies: AWOS: 125.575, (281) 579-9820 Unicom 123.05 ASRI: 129.875

Innovative Aviation Leadership since 1962

Local Frequencies: Clnc 121.150 (281) 443-5844 FSS 1800 WX-BRIEF / 1800-992-7433

# **CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

Financing Available



For More Information contact Woody Lesikar at 281-492-2130 Woody@westhoustonairport.com www.aerovillas.com or www.westhoustonairport.com

FAA Safety Meeting Tuesday, August 22!!

7:00pm - Wright Brother Award Honorees to be announced. Refreshments after the meeting.

# PRIVATE PILOT GROUND SCHOOL

## CALL FOR MORE INFORMATION

Register by Sunday @ 7PM by calling us at 281-492-2130 Contact Brandon Carr, aviation@carrfam.us, once registered

Every Monday Evening, 7:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m., 12 week class series. Each class a stand alone class. No prior reservations needed. Licensed Jeppesen Video Presentation! Bring a family member for half-price. Start learning to fly today. Call for information. 281-492-2130

#### 99's MEETING

Contact 99's for meeting information.

website www.ninety-nines.org. Carol Brackley—carolav8@att.net

# **CHECK FOR OPERATIONAL HOURS:**

#### **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. Contact email for tours and flight information at rides@houstonwing.org or the hangar at 281-579-2131, info@houstonwing.org. Volunteers and donations welcome.

TEXAS BIPLANE Experience Freedom in the Air as you fly in an open-cockpit biplane over Texas! fly@texasbiplane.com 281-698-7524. Hangar G-8

NATIONAL HELICOPTER SOLUTIONS Helicopter Tours and downtown Express flights (281) 795-9995, located at the Terminal.

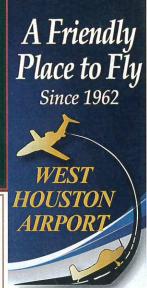
SOUTHWEST BONANZA SOCIETY MEETING Saturday August 26, 2023 10:00am, New Members Welcome! Free Lunch! Discounted Fuel!

## Fuel Price Comparison for July

JET A Southwest Region West Houston Airport \*With Volume/Weekend discount

High Low Avg 10.55 3.10 5.49 4.93\* 3.91\* 4.42\* Published on AirNay com

AVGAS (100LL) High Low Avg Southwest Region 9.88 4.45 6.04 West Houston Airport 6.17\*















# For Sale!!

#### **AIRPLANES:**

1982 Conquest I N425SX — Low Engine Hours, Great Plane!

2007 Cessna 172S N213AA For Sale in a Leaseback Program, Pays for Itself!

2019 Cessna 172S N853PA For Sale in a Leaseback Program, Pays for Itself!

1982 Cessna 425 Conquest I N818PL — 11,500 TTA, 4000 Engine \$365K!!



Experimental for sale—Call today to inquire with F. Donati (713) 539-3452

# 1/2 PRICE!!!

Aerovilla lots (lots 10,11, & 12) are half price with available owner financing!!

Call Woody Lesikar for more information. (281) 492-2130

Last Month For This Pricing!!

# **LOTS & HANGARS**

A4, C8, E1, G2, G15, G16

From 15,904-20,448sq/ft Aerovillas Lots! (281) 492-2130

G2 Hangar For Sale 11,000 sq/ft Income

Call Woody Lesikar (281) 492-2130

woody@westhoustonairport.com

# CONGRATULATIONS!! WEST HOUSTON AIRPORT STUDENTS!!!







New Private Pilot!! Josh Collins CFI: Reese Walker



First Solo!!
Colin Burgard
CFI: Scott Cavalcante



New Private Pilot!! John Pohutsky CFI: Reese Walker





New Private Pilot!!
William Amling
CFI: Scott Cavalcante

# **Employment Positions Available**

West Houston Airport is currently hiring for the following positions. Full time AVAILABLE. Excellent pay and amazing work environment. Interested candidates should inquire directly with the airport at (281) 492-2130

Line Technician, Customer Service Representative, Certified Flight Instructor

When:

Saturday, Oct. 14th, 2023



# Where:

West Houston Airport 18000 Groschke Rd, Houston, TX 77084

# Fire Station CookOff



benefitting



NATIONAL FALLEN FIREFIGHTERS FOUNDATION



LAW ENFORCEMENT FIREFIGHTER-EMS

BBQ CookOff

Entry Fee: \$200 + \$100
 auction item + 5lb pork butt

• 40'x40' space; \$200 per additional space

Brisket, Chicken, Ribs

Bonus CookOff

• Entry Fee: \$50 per category

Sides, Desserts, Margaritas

Fire Truck Pull & Cornhole Tournament

• Entry Fee: \$50

**Admission Fees** 

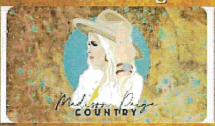
• Entry Fee: \$10 (CASHLESS ONLY)

Kids under 10: FREE

• BBQ Plate (w/ chips & drink): \$10

Special Music Performances:

Madison Paige In Time Band





Questions?
Mark Palmer; mark.palmer@1-800boardup.com.
Annie Inman; annie.inman@us.belfor.com

Check In: October 13th @ 5pm Deadline to register: Sept. 1st

1st Place - Trophy + \$500 2nd Place - Trophy + \$250 3rd Place - Trophy + \$100

1st Place - \$200 2nd Place - \$100

> Additional Events: Silent Auction, Live Auction, 50/50 Raffle, Bouncy House





On Our Way to Montana!!

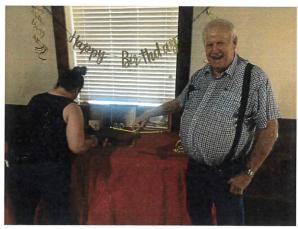


Our CFI / MEI Jenna Showing the ropes to this future student on his recent Discovery Flight!



It's not Goodbye but rather Farewell for now!

IWS sends best wishes to our senior CFI / Italian Chef / Resident Pianist / Flight School Admin Asst. / Breakfast Coordinator / Newsletter Editor Scott Cavalcante, as he embarks on the next leg of his journey toward becoming an Airline Pilot. We thank him for his contributions to our team over the past two years and wish him the best at FL330 and beyond!!



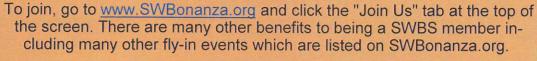
Many Happy Returns....
Happy Birthday Don Euton!!!

West Houston Airport/AOPA Representative Since 2003



Attn: Bonanza and Baron Owners and Enthusiasts -

Registration is now open on the Southwest Bonanza Society website for a SWBS fly-in event to be hosted by West Houston Airport on August 26. If you would like to participate and are not already a member of the Southwest Bonanza Society, there is time for you to join SWBS and register for the event.



The Airport Terminal has a Bulletin Board for Patrons to post their flight gear for sale—including headsets, portable GPS's, tow bars, etc. Feel free to utilize it!







#### \*PILOT SUPPLIES\*

Available for Rent Bonanza
Dual Yoke

Call Ahead to Reserve

281-492-2130

\*\*Now with Life Rafts and
Life Preservers. FREE TO
PATRONS!!!

*West Houston Airport Subdivision Hangar Rentals (When Available)*							
Enautix Inc	210-380-1145	F-13					
DAS Hangar LLC	713-781-6400	E-16					
BLH Hangar LLC	281-948-8508	E-6					
Aleph Investments LLC	713-539-3452	E-8					
A.I.C Incorporated	281-492-2585	B-3					
Pale Orb LLC	512-363-9417	G-2					

# Hurricane Harvey Reminder

To those who flooded up and downstream during Hurricane Harvey, a reminder that the deadline for filing a claim is the end of August 2023. If you have not filed your claim for damages to real or personal property, contact the Easterby Law Firm at (713) 936-9365. You will not have to pay legal fees.

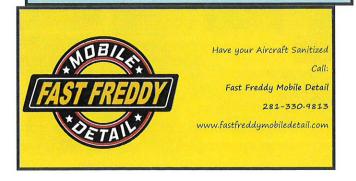
Hangar Upgrades?

Remodeling / Repairs

Contact: PACIFIC OCEAN CORPORATION

(281) 802-0281

\*With 11 years working at IWS\*



#### ROBERT E. SINGER, ESQ

Attorney At Law / GA Advocate LLC's, Leases, Contracts, Estate, Divorce 713-269-0592





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All comments, complaints, and suggestions are welcome please send to: Woody Lesikar, Airport Manager, 281-492-2130, woody@westhoustonairport.com www.westhoustonairport.com

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West Houston Airport (Since 1962)	Flight School, Pilot Supplies	Terminal Building	281-492-2130	www.westhoustonairport.com				
General Avionics (Since 1995)	Avionics Sales and Service	Hangar #1 White East	281-647-9600	www.generalavionics.com				
Sky Aircraft Interiors	Aircraft Upholstery	Hangar #1 White West	281-682-4454	jenni@skyaircraftinteriors.com				
Dr. Victor Arellano (Pilot) FAA Medicals	(by appt. only) 15410 Ridge Park	Dr., Houston, Tx 77095	281-855-2244(o)	281-460-2247(m) www.tmauc.com				
Dr. Fakhri Kalolwala MD (Pilot) FAA Medicals (by appt. only) 16125 Cairnway Dr, Houston, TX 77084 832-786-8195 www.aqeeqinternalmed.com								
Fast Freddy Mobile Detail	Aircraft Detailing	T-Hangar F2	281-330-9813	www.fastfreddymobiledetail.com				
VT Aviation Academy of America (AAA)	Flight School	Hangar #2 East side	281 562-7195	www.vt-aaa.com				
National Helicopter Solutions	Helicopter tours and charter	Hangar F13	281-795-9995	www.fly-nhs.com				
Texas Biplane	Biplane Tours	Hangar G8	281-698-7524	www.texasbiplane.com				
West Houston Aero	Maintenance/Repairs	Hangar 3E	713-724-5002	www.westhoustonaero.com				
Pat Brown	IWS Resident DPE	Terminal Bldg	832-654-9831	www.houstondpe.com				

#### WEST HOUSTON AIRPORT TEAM

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doehe@consolidated.net - volunteer

Bill Heiam, President, West Houston Airport Subdivision Owners Association, Inc.,

\* Denotes years of service







CFI TEAM:

REESE\* DRAGOS **JENNA** CHRISTOPHER











**ERIK** \*10 JOSE \*7 SEAN \*8 MATT













Chief







CSR TEAM:

PAT BROWN

**IWS** Resident

DPE

KRISTY\*\* ASHLEY **SAMANTHA** 





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