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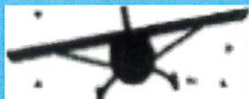
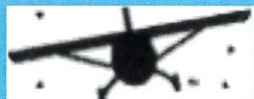
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is good business!



Lisa Castillo  
Editor

### YOUR INVITED!

Woody Lesikar  
Publisher



*AOPA Rusty Pilots Seminar at West Houston Airport (IWS)*

**Saturday, October 12, 2024 From 9:00 AM - 12:30 PM CDT Houston, TX**

**Hosted by West Houston Airport**

**Contact Information: Please call AOPA (800-872-2672) or Pat Brown**

**Instructed by AOPA Foundation Scholarship Mentor Pat Brown**

Life may have gotten in the way, but the dream of flight can be yours again. Returning to the skies is not as difficult as most rusty pilots think. We are inviting you back in the cockpit and will help you get there. Come and participate in this Rusty Pilots program with fellow lapsed pilots. We will help you understand what's changed in aviation since you last took the controls and brush up on your aviation knowledge. AOPA developed the Rusty Pilots program in partnership with local flight training providers in order to create the best environment for getting you back in the air and a part of the general aviation community. - It is easier than most people think - no FAA check ride or test. - You might not even need a medical. - Plus, you'll get two to three hours of ground instruction toward your flight review! Pre-registration is encouraged since seats fill up fast! \*AOPA is proud to offer WINGS credit for attendees at this event! In order to receive credit, be sure to update the WINGS email address associated with your FAASafety.gov account during the registration process. We also have a custom registration link up:

**<https://webforms.aopa.org/rustypilotsKIWS101224>**

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## "As The Beacon Turns" CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**For More Information contact Woody Lesikar at  
281-492-2130 Email: [woody@westhoustonairport.com](mailto:woody@westhoustonairport.com)  
[www.aerovillas.com](http://www.aerovillas.com) or [www.westhoustonairport.com](http://www.westhoustonairport.com)**

**Fourth Tuesday evening of the month at 7:00 pm.**

**Contact Susan Haas at [flyingpyrs@gmail.com](mailto:flyingpyrs@gmail.com) or at (713) 385-6123 for more information!!**

### PRIVATE PILOT GROUND SCHOOL CALL FOR MORE INFORMATION

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### 99's MEETING

Contact 99's for meeting information.

Website [www.ninety-nines.org](http://www.ninety-nines.org) or Carol Brackley: [carolav8@att.net](mailto: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](mailto:rides@houstonwing.org) or the hangar at 281-579-2131, [info@houstonwing.org](mailto:info@houstonwing.org). Volunteers and donations welcome.

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### Fuel Price Comparison for August

JET A	High	Low	Avg	AVGAS (100LL)	High	Low	Avg
Southwest Region	7.83	4.77	5.96	Southwest Region	8.66	4.80	6.20
<b>West Houston Airport</b>	<b>5.39*</b>	<b>5.23*</b>	<b>5.31*</b>	<b>West Houston Airport</b>	<b>6.31*</b>	<b>5.16*</b>	<b>5.74*</b>

\*Price Indicates With Weekend Discount But Without The Volume Discount For Jet Fuel Purchase

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# Airplanes For Sale!!

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**PRICE  
REDUCED!**

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

2007 Cessna 182T Skylane: Low Total Time!

1977 Cessna 172— Immaculate! Low time vintage except avionics

1979 Beech B60 Duke N818KT — Low Low Time!

1980 Cessna T210 N4878Y — Like New with Fresh Annual!

1980 Piper PA32 301T Turbo Saratoga SP — Recent Paint, "5" SMOH!



1979 Beech B60 Duke!



1980 Cessna T210!

## LOTS & HANGARS FOR SALE

**C8, E1, G2, G15, G16  
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**AEROVILLAS LOTS!  
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**Lots D10, D12, D14, & E9 For Sale**

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(361)293-8759

[rjanksy@kw.com](mailto:rjanksy@kw.com)

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# CONGRATULATIONS!! WEST HOUSTON AIRPORT STUDENTS!!!

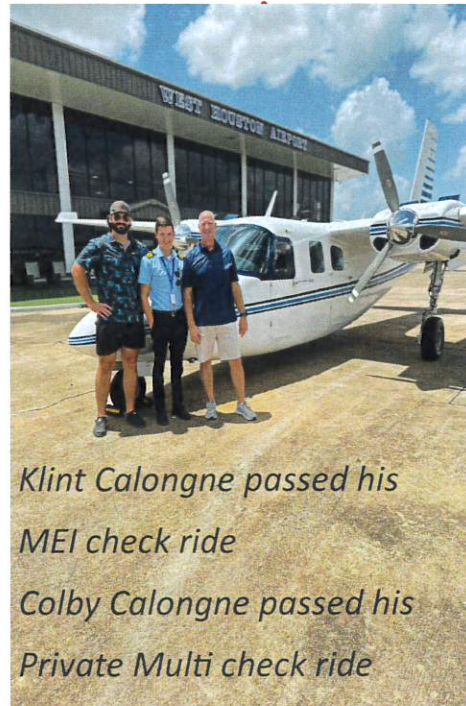
## CONGRATULATIONS!



*New Private Pilot! Andy Moss*



*New IFR Pilot! David Light*



*Klint Calongne passed his  
MEI check ride*

*Colby Calongne passed his  
Private Multi check ride*



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*New Commercial Pilot!*

*Ryan Yang*

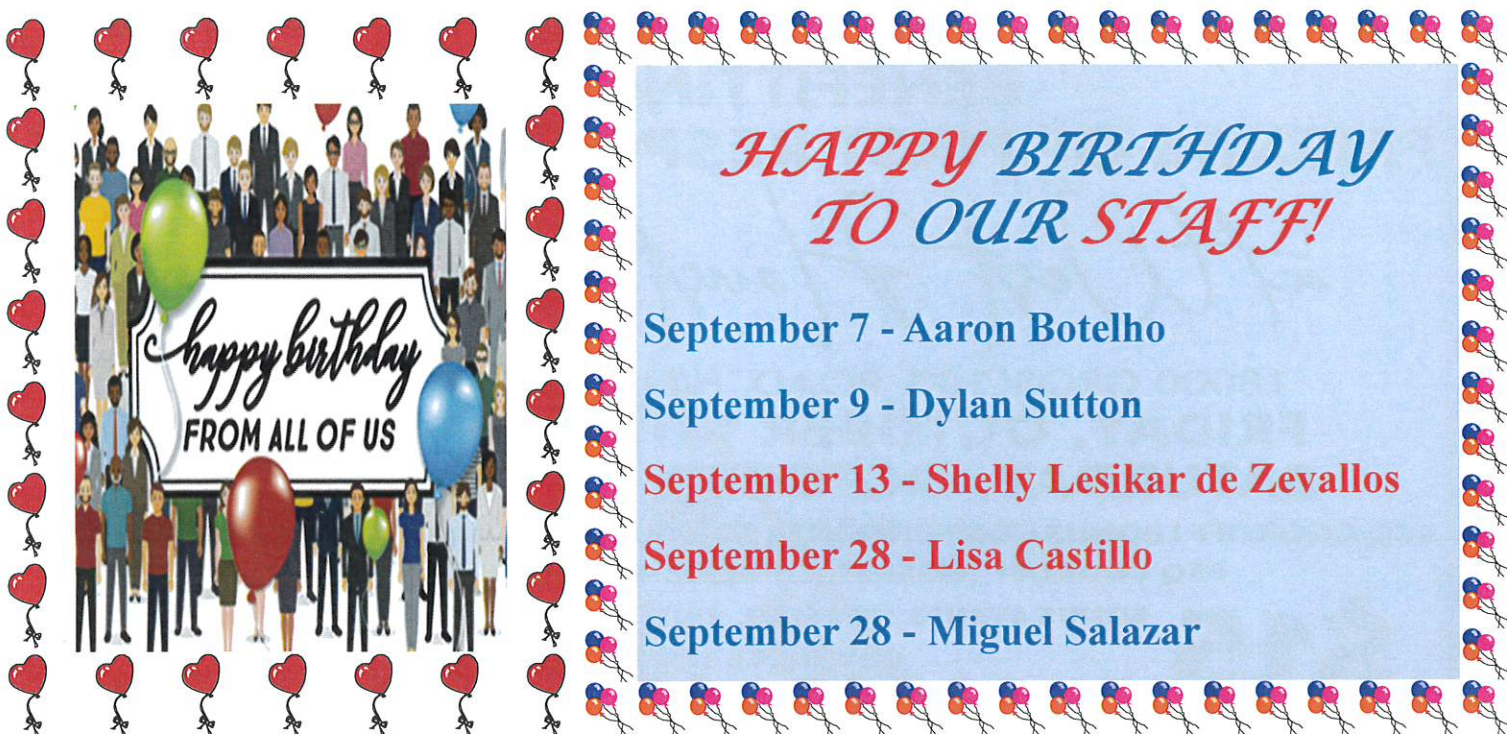
**SKY AIRCRAFT  
INTERIOR  
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**GENERAL  
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**Employment Positions Available**  
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# WHATS NEW?



**Free BBQ Lunch: Saturday, October 19th with purchase of 20 gallons or more fuel. One ticket per plane. See other side for more information. Check with CSR for details.**

**For Sale/Trade On/  
Against a Plane.**

**2024 Grand Wagoneer  
Series III**

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leather interior.**

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BBQ COOKOFF {BRISKET, CHICKEN, & RIBS}: \$300 + \$100 AUCTION ITEM

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QUESTIONS? Mark Palmer: [mark.palmer@1-800boardup.com](mailto:mark.palmer@1-800boardup.com)



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In Bear Creek  
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**Business / residential LOTS for SALE**  
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**281-492-2130**  
[woody@westhoustonairport.com](mailto:woody@westhoustonairport.com)



**\*West Houston Airport Subdivision Private 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

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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) On Airport		Terminal Building	281-460-2247 (m)	
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
Texas Biplane	Biplane Tours	Hangar G8	281-698-7524	www.texasbiplane.com
Pat Brown	IWS Resident DPE	Terminal Building	832-654-9831	www.houstondpe.com

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BILL HEIAM, President, West Houston Airport Subdivision Owners Association, Inc., volunteer

\* Denotes years of service

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### Line Crew Supervisors:

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SEAN \*11  
ETHAN  
DYLAN \*4



### Line Team:

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