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Last Chance to Register for GWBAA Golf Tournament

Eighth Annual GWBAA Tournament Scheduled for September 12



GWBAA will be holding its annual golf tournament on September 12th at the 1757 Golf Club in Dulles, Virginia, with a shotgun start at 8am. The tournament benefits the Aero Club of Washington Foundation. This is a great opportunity to enjoy the day with other aviation professionals (the Economist last year printed an article on the usefulness of golf as a way to strengthen business connections). To learn more about the 1757 Golf Club's course,

please visit http://www.1757golfclub.com. There are some sponsorships still available as well as golfer spots are still available but time is running out. To register, please visit http://2012gwbaagolf.eventbrite.com.

Since 1909, the Aero Club has hosted hundreds of national and international aerospace leaders at its monthly luncheons - from aviation's early heroes to those making current headlines. Today, the Aero Club continues its founding mission of fostering and promoting interest in the principles and development of aeronautics. Through the Aero Club Foundation, the Aero Club sponsors educational



initiatives for middle and high school students in the Washington area, supports the National Air and Space Museum, and arranges special training opportunities for those interested in careers in aviation.

GWBAA to Co-Sponsor Gulfstream Educational Event

GWBAA is a co-sponsor of this year's Gulfstream Fall Educational Seminar Series to be held Wednesday September 5th at the Dulles Marriott from 9am - 1pm. This interactive session is focused on the aviation industry's future avionics requirements. It will consist of brief updates and technical presentation on the current overall avionics environment; timeframes for various mandates; and what is on the horizon for corporate operators to be prepared for in the coming years. An open-floor question-and-answer period will also be conducted during lunch. This seminar is open to both Gulfstream and non-Gulfstream operators. To RSVP, please contact Kelly Brown at either (912) 965-4729 or kelly.brown@gulfstream.com.



Schedulers and Dispatchers Scholarships

For the past 15 years, NBAA and member companies have provided nearly half a million dollars in scholarship funds and training awards for aviation professionals looking to pursue their goals and explore new horizons. Up to \$10,000 per applicant currently is being offered for S&D-related training. Applications are available online from the NBAA website at http://www.nbaa.org/prodev/scholarships/ and are due on September 28.

Membership Appreciation Winner

June was GWBAA's "Membership Appreciation Month", and GWBAA held a raffle for a Kindle Fire to any new or renewing member who visited us at the Teterboro Regional Forum or joined the fun at the First Annual Membership Picnic at the Dulles Airport Marriott. GWBAA is pleased to announce that Oskar Zayas of Chantilly Air (who stopped by the GWBAA booth at TEB on June 7th) was the lucky winner.

Regional News Round-Up

GWBAA President Paige Kroner recently provided comments to an NBAA article highlighting the runway extension project now under way at **Manassas Regional Airport**. "Aircraft that haven't used Manassas before this expansion will now be able to utilize the airport and its full-service facilities," which include two FBOs and customs facilities. Once complete, the runway will be 6200 feet in length. The work is expected to be finished by November 30; until then, there will be periodic restrictions on the usable length of the runway.

Neighbors of **Montgomery County Airpark** have requested that the FAA designate the area as "congested," which potentially would place restrictions on overflights. The "Airpark Concerned Citizens Association" asserts that the airport has ignored complaints about noise.

The NBAA Air Traffic Services desk has issued a warning about an error in Jeppseen chart effective July 26, 2012 for the FRDMM ONE ARRIVAL (10-2C) and TRUPS ONE RNAV ARRIVAL (10-2H) at **Reagan Washington National Airport**. The charts show the LACKE waypoint as a "Fly Over"; it should be depicted as a "Fly By". Corrected charts will be included in the August 31 revision; an alert also has been posted on the Jeppesen website at http://ww1.jeppesen.com/documents/aviation/notices-alerts/chart-alert/KDCA/KDCAalert.pdf.

If you're aware of any news of interest to business aviation occurring around the greater Washington area, please let us know at info@gwbaa.com. For links to news stories compiled by GWBAA, please visit http://www.gwbaa.com/links.html.

Upcoming Aviation Events

• **September 5:** Gulfstream fall educational seminar on avionics (of which GWBAA is a co-sponsor) at the Dulles Marriott. For more information, please contact Kelly Brown at either (912) 965-4729 or kelly.brown@gulfstream.com.



- **September 6**: Frederick Municipal Airport update and safety meeting, sponsored by the FAA Safety Team, at 6pm. For more information, please visit http://www.faasafety.gov/SPANS/event details.aspx?eid=45255.
- **September 12:** Hold this date for the eighth annual GWBAA golf tournament at the 1757 Golf Club in Ashburn, VA. For more information, click here.
- **September 13:** International Aviation Club luncheon featuring Tim Clark, President of Emirates, at the City Club of Washington. For more information, please visit http://www.iacwashington.org/Events.aspx?eventId=494848.
- **September 15:** "Wings & Wheels" fly-in at Essex Skypark. For more information, please visit http://www.essexskyparkassn.org/essex/index.jsp.
- **September 18:** Aero Club luncheon featuring Deborah Hersman, Chair of the NTSB. For more information, please visit http://www.aeroclub.org/luncheons.htm.
- October 1-3: ATCA 57th annual conference and exposition at the Gaylord National Resort. For more information, please visit http://www.atca.org/57Annual.
- October 18: International Aviation club luncheon featuring Andrew Herdman, Director General of AAPA, at the City Club of Washington. For more information, please visit http://www.iacwashington.org/Events.aspx?eventId=494853.
- October 26: Aviation Education & Career Expo for high school students at Leesburg Executive Airport. For more information, please contact Julie O'Brien at ProJet Aviation, julie@projetaviation.com or (703) 889-8558.
- October 30-November 1: NBAA 65th annual meeting and convention (in Orlando, Florida). For more information, please visit http://www.nbaa.org/events/amc/2012/.
- **November 16:** Dulles 50th anniversary gala, sponsored by the Committee for Dulles and the Washington Airports Task Force. For more information, please visit http://www.celebratedulles.com.
- May 3, 2013: NBAA tax seminar the intermediate-advanced tax program will visit the Greater Washington area for the first time; let your tax advisors, lawyers, and accountants know. For more information, please visit http://www.nbaa.org/events/date/.

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