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Please Plan to Join Us for GWBAA's Charity Golf Tournament

Enjoy a Golf Outing with GWBAA for a Cause on Thursday, September 8

1757

The date of GWBAA's annual tournament is less than three months away - Thursday, September 8, at the 1757 Golf Club in Dulles, Virginia. We will have a great day of golf in support of the educational projects of the Aero Club of Washington Foundation as well as the Corporate Angel Network.

GOLF ★ CLUB To make this great day happen, we need your support - both from players and sponsors. Some sponsorship opportunities already have been taken, so do not delay and sign up today. We have new sponsorship opportunities this year. The Pint Glass sponsorship is back, and we also are adding a sponsorship for the Goodie Bags each golfer receives. (Sponsorship helps spread your presence with signage during the event, recognition during the welcome address, your logo appearing on the GWBAA and the registration websites, and a thank you from GWBAA's Twitter account.)



You can register both to play at the tournament and to sponsor the tournament by visiting <http://www.planmygolfevent.com/28435-GWBAAgolf/index.html>. (If you do not play golf but want to help out, we always appreciate an extra hand to help. Go to the registration website and register as a volunteer.)

If you have any question, please contact Dan at daniel.walker@flightsafety.com.

Regional News Round-Up

The NTSB has released its final report on the December 8, 2014 accident near **Montgomery County Airpark** which resulted in the deaths of six (three aboard the aircraft and three on the ground). According to the report, the pilot failed to utilize an aircraft deicing system. For more information, please visit <http://www.nts.gov/news/press-releases/Pages/PR20160607.aspx>.



Louisa County Airport has been upgraded to regional airport status by the Virginia Department of Aviation. "The ultimate goal is to have this airfield support the local economy with jobs," Airport Manager Virgil Hill stated in comments on the news. New runway and security lightning recently have been installed, and the airport plans to lengthen its runway from 4,300 feet to 5,500 feet.

On May 24, an accident in Orange County resulted in the death of both the pilot and passenger aboard the Kappa KP-5; the latter was John Joseph Quinn Jr., a flight instructor and hangar owner at **Culpeper Regional Airport**. On June 6, an experimental aircraft crashed at **Stafford Regional Airport**; no serious injuries were reported. As always, fly safely!

Upcoming Events

July 13: International Aviation Club luncheon featuring Deborah Flint, Executive Director of Los Angeles World Airports, at the City Club of Washington. For more information, please visit <http://iacwashington.org/upcoming>.

July 14: Aero Club luncheon featuring Kim Day, CEO of Denver International Airport, at the Capital Hilton. For more information, please visit <http://www.aeroclub.org/events/>.

September 8: Save the date for GWBAA's golf tournament. For more information, please visit <http://www.planmygolfevent.com/28435-GWBAAgolf/>.

September 17: Dulles Day Plane Pull (plus "Race on the Runway" and other events). For more information, please visit <http://www.planepull.com>.

About GWBAA

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