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Open House & Aircraft Display - April 26, 2023

Plans are underway for GWBAA's 2023 Open House & Aircraft Display, which will be held on Wednesday, April 26th at Washington Dulles International Airport, and supported by Dulles Jet Center, from 3PM-8PM.

We will have a host of new aircraft on display such as the Dassault Falcon 2000LXS, Bombardier Global 7500, and many others! Plan to come see these beautiful aircraft, network with industry peers and enjoy a lovely day. Also plan to come hungry as we will have a variety of chic food trucks, ice cream truck plus a beer and wine truck for you to sample.

Registration is now open at <https://gwbaa.com/event-5067811>. Many thanks to our sponsors so far:



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Regional News Round-Up

The Prince George's County Council is considering a bill that would withdraw a zoning change which allows dense residential development on the site of **Bowie Freeway Airport**; separately, an appeal of a court decision which held that the original zoning change was illegal was argued before the Maryland Supreme Court earlier this month.

The new hangars at **Winchester Regional Airport** have been profiled in an article by AOPA - <https://www.aopa.org/news-and-media/all-news/2023/january/03/high-end-hangars-come-to-winchester-regional>.

The Warren County Board of Supervisors has reviewed the capital improvements planned at **Front Royal-Warren County Airport** over the next five years - approximately \$8 million worth of hangar construction, runway rehabilitation, and obstacle removal, mostly to be funded by FAA grants.

The Peninsula Airport Commission has terminated the contract for Michael Giardino, Executive Director of the **Newport News-Williamsburg Airport**, apparently based on the airport's lack of success in attracting and maintaining commercial services.

Upcoming Events

March 1: Deadline for applications for Aero Club Foundation of Washington scholarships for high school students. For more information, please visit <https://www.aeroclub.org/foundation/scholarship-program/#toggle-id-8>.

March 4: Walking tour of College Park Airport. For more information and to register, please visit <https://web1.myvscloud.com/wbws/mdpgparks.wsc/iteminfo.html?module=AR&fmid=203328436>.

March 8: Aero Club luncheon featuring Bob Jordan, CEO of Southwest. For more information, please visit <https://www.aeroclub.org/events/luncheons/>.

April 26: As above, please plan to join us for GWBAA's Open House & Aircraft Display.

About GWBAA

GWBAA President Caleb Stitely (calebstitely@chantillyair.com) and GWBAA Secretary Jol Silversmith of KMA Zuckert LLC (jsilversmith@kmazuckert.com) write and edit GWBAA News.

GWBAA's success and ability to make a difference depends on the breadth of its support and your participation – so please send any ideas or comments for future newsletters, or for GWBAA, in general, to Caleb or Jol.

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