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2024 GWBAA Events

Please mark your calendars for GWBAA's 2024 events - a safety day on Wednesday, April 24 and the annual golf tournament on Monday, September 9. For information about the safety day, please visit https://gwbaa.com/event-5514964. For preliminary information about the golf tournament, please visit https://gwbaa.com/event-5513198. Additional details will be available in future newsletters.





Regional News Round-Up

The Maryland Board of Public Works has approved a \$32 million rehabilitation project at **Martin State Airport**, which will include pavement and other improvements. Construction is expected to start this spring and continue through the end of the year or into early 2025.

In other Martin State news, state delegates representing the region have expressed opposition to Air Force plans to eliminate the 175th Wing of the Maryland Air National Guard, which is based at the airport.

According to GAMA, in 2023 - for the first time in more than a decade - more than 4,000 general aviation aircraft were delivered, including 730 business jets.

A minor accident involving a Pilatus PC-12 occurred at **Leesburg Executive Airport** on January 26; as always, fly safely!

Upcoming Events

March 14 - Aero Club of Washington luncheon, featuring Candace McGraw, CEO of CVG. For more information, please visit https://www.aeroclub.org/march-12-2024-luncheon-registration/.

March 19 - International Aviation Club luncheon featuring FAA Chief Counsel Marc Nichols. For more information, please visit https://iacwashington.wildapricot.org/event-4457115.

About GWBAA

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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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