Compton/Woodley Airport
Monthly Newsletter

September 16, 2024

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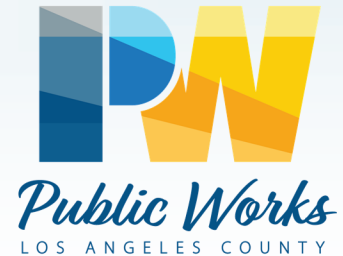
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Hello, Compton/Woodley Airport! We are already in September and I would like to take a moment to talk about safety and remind you to check your fire extinguishers in your hangar and at home. Make sure that they are in good working order just in case you ever need to use them. This is also a great time to make sure that you are prepared for an earthquake or an emergency. It is suggested to have a three-day supply of food and water for each member of your household. Please remember that it makes sense to have small emergency packs in your vehicle as well as your hangar.

We are still asking you to share some of your older pictures on and around the airport. We would love to showcase them in some way during the centennial celebration event. If you would like to share, please bring old photos to the terminal building so that we can scan them. I thank you all in advance for your much-needed support on this.

I would like to take a moment to invite you all to the planning meetings for the 100th year celebration. We are on a call every Thursday leading up to the event on October 26, 2024. Please let me know if you would like access to the meetings to share your input.

Airport Ops & Admin

We are scheduling and conducting the annual hangar inspections. Please contact us to schedule your inspection and go over the updated documentation that we will require you to provide.

Airport Events & Activities

Aircraft Display Day:
October 12, 2024
10 a.m. to 1 p.m.
(2nd Saturday of the month)

Centennial Celebration of Compton/Woodley Airport:
October 26, 2024
10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Aviation Commission Meetings

Wednesday, September 25
7 p.m. to 9 p.m.
Fox Airfield
4725 Wm. J. Barnes Avenue
Lancaster, CA 93536

Wednesday, October 30
10 a.m. to 12 p.m.
Whiteman Airport
10000 Airpark Way
Pacoima, CA 91331

Wednesday, November 27
10 a.m. to 12 p.m.
San Gabriel Valley Airport
4233 N. Santa Anita Ave.
El Monte, CA 91731

Contact the Airport for Available Hangars & Tiedowns

Compton/Woodley Airport
(310) 631-8140

Brackett Field Airport
(909) 593-1395

Fox Airfield
(661) 940-1709

San Gabriel Valley Airport
(626) 448-6129

Whiteman Airport
(818) 896-5271

Fuel Services

Los Angeles County
Self-Service 100LL
(310) 292-7442

Airport Tenant Portal

Scan the QR Code below to make **hangar/tiedown rent payments** and **file hangar maintenance requests**.

County Airports Serve As Cooling Centers During the Hot Summer Months

This year has been and continues to be a hot one! In fact, temperatures in Los Angeles reached 114 degrees this summer, which some climate officials have said has been the hottest on record.

The County's Office of Emergency Management coordinates with various partners/public facilities throughout the County to provide Cooling Centers (indoor air-conditioned locations) where people can keep cool during periods of extreme heat weather conditions.

During periods of excessive heat warnings (when temperatures meet or exceed 105 degrees for at least two days), the terminal buildings at the County's airports, particularly General Wm. J. Fox Airfield in Lancaster, Whiteman Airport in Pacoima, and San Gabriel Valley Airport in El Monte, have been made available this summer as Cooling Centers.

Hopefully, we'll now see a cooling trend as we leave summer and enter fall. However, the County's airports will continue to serve as Cooling Centers when needed, which is one more way the airports can serve not only general aviation but the diverse constituents of, and visitors to, the County of Los Angeles.

For a list of Cooling Centers or ways to escape the heat, visit https://211la.org/cooling-centers-2024 or dial 2-1-1 for more information about the County's Cooling Centers.

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More information about the airport and the other 4 County-owned airports is available at:
https://pw.lacounty.gov/avi/airports/