



Lakeway Airpark Newsletter

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President's Letter

We are closing in on the end of our fiscal year, meaning yearly payments are due by month end. You will be receiving your invoice soon (see Treasurer's announcement on page 2). Please pay promptly and note the annual meeting on June 6th at our usual place. We could use a couple volunteers to prepare coffee and cookies, so email Jean Thompson if you are willing and able.



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The airpark social dinner this month will be at Hill Country Pasta House on 620 next to Hudson's. Date: May 12. Time: 6:30 p.m. We would like to give them a close number of attendees. So please let us know if you are coming if at all possible. Hope to see everyone there!!

Please let Angie Thielemans or Jean Thompson know if you can attend. Angie's information is 512.748.6939 or angieinthehills@gmail.com.

Please send event pictures or potential articles and interview suggestions to jeanthompson74@yahoo.com

I have been crushed with the daytime job for the last month. That, and the continuing household updates, keep me busy. Angie located a used golf cart that is not quite up to Airpark snuff (wrong color hub caps and a few other things). Jesse Beckett has already attached a sticker. We can now attend the golf cart movie nights in a proper electric vehicle. The Prius felt a little out of place among the golf carts and would be happy to stay at home.

It has been a relatively quiet month at the Airpark. Many of you noticed radio interference on 123.00. The FCC called and asked about it. They sent an investigator and located a faulty transmitter at the home of an aircraft owner adjacent to the Airpark. I asked who, and was told the investigation is active, and could not get more information.

Traffic is definitely up in spite of the windy days. Erik Mulloy reports fuel sales have not been impacted by the recent price hike, though this could be heavily tilted by the thirsty twin that recently arrived to reside on the Airpark. The erosion control work at the southwest corner has been inspected and approved by the City.

At the April meeting, the board approved a nominating committee which has gone silent on me. Rumor has it that their work was relatively easy - meaning all the incumbent board members have agreed to run again. Sorta sounds like the Lakeway City council election, doesn't it?

The lawsuit is still dangling. The hearing for a summary judgment has been postponed to June.

That is about it for this month. Thanks to those volunteers doing the ramp checks. I got a couple phone calls recently about the envelopes on cars and planes, so we are getting their attention.

If the hangar door is up, stop by! See you at Thursday dinner. - Jeff

NOTICE:

The taxiway on the east side of the airport between the south end of the runway and the hangers is to be used for aircraft **ONLY**. All vehicular traffic should cease and desist. This is a taxiway, **not** a road. Thank you for your cooperation.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

You are hereby notified of the annual meeting of the membership of the Lakeway Airpark Association. The meeting will take place on Monday, June 6, at 6:30 p.m. at the Lakeway Activity Center at 105 Cross Creek. Doors will open at 6:00 p.m. All members in good standing are invited to attend.

Business conducted will be as follows:

1. Minutes of the 2010 Annual Meeting to be approved.
2. Report by the Treasurer to include balance sheet and profit and loss statements.
3. Election of three (3) Directors to the Board who retire by rotation.
4. Any other old and new business to be determined at the May monthly board meeting.

Please be reminded that in order to cast a vote, all members will need to have your dues paid up in good standing. Also needed by each member are 2011-2012 membership application or renewal, taxiway agreement for homeowners and annual dues received by the Treasurer prior to the commencement of the meeting. While it is preferred that dues and paperwork be processed before the meeting, it can be processed there.

Respectfully submitted,
Phil Thompson, Secretary

TREASURER'S ANNOUNCEMENT

The Lakeway Airpark, Inc. runs on a fiscal year of June 1 to May 31. I will be sending out renewal notices and invoices to all current members during the first week of May. Like last year, I will email each of you individually and include (hopefully) the appropriate membership information form, taxiway agreement, ramp/tiedown/hangar/parking lease and fuel discount forms. When you receive these docs, please print and mail them back in with your check. **Remember** that in order to vote at the annual meeting, you need to be paid up.

It would be a huge help if you can get these docs and payment back to me **before** June 1, so that I can get a jump on organizing the meeting paperwork. Yes, you can pay at the meeting on June 6 but please try to take care of this ahead of time, so that we can start the meeting at the scheduled time.

Look for an email in the next couple of days with your renewal packet.

Cheers, and safe flying!
Erik Mulloy



Yet another beautiful bird takes up residence at the Airpark. Stop on by Jim Ward's hanger on Flying Scot and let him give you a look-see.



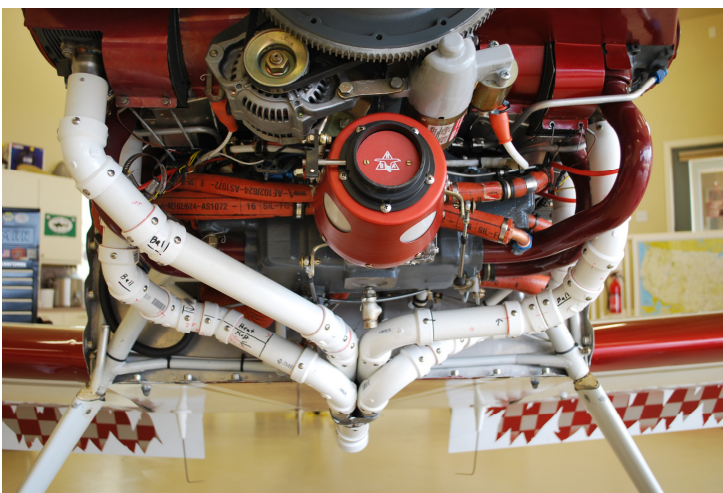
Letter from the Secretary:

At the March board meeting, the Board decided to try and remedy the problem of twin jets and turbine aircraft coming into the Airpark and not paying their landing fees. So for the past couple of months, my trusty assistant and I have been sending letters to try and recoup some lost revenue.

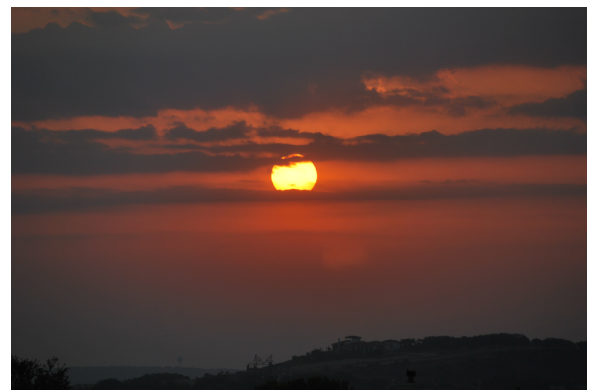
I am happy to report that, as of the date of this newsletter, we have totaled \$875.00 in checks and credit card fees since this letter writing campaign began. We have also had several repeat customers contact Erik Mulloy and request information about the prepaid coupon system that Erik devised. I believe one frequent lander has bought \$500 in prepaid coupons, which is not included in the above total.

Since we cannot be here all day, every day, please feel free to email me or Erik @ concerns@3R9.org or Jean with the tail number of any jet or turbine aircraft (including turbine helicopters) that you see on the ramp. We will check the fee box before sending them a letter. This revenue is a boost to the airpark since landing fees and fuel sales are the backbone of our existence.

Phil Thompson



What looks like something out of an *Aliens* movie is actually the mock-up of a new exhaust system on Phil Thompson's RV7. It has now been sent off to be produced in steel. Once it is coated and installed, invites will be sent out for all to come and view.



Another beautiful April sunrise at Lakeway Airpark - it doesn't get any better.

Jean Thompson

Join our Airpark community! To learn more about the Lakeway Airpark, call any of the board members listed below.

Calendar of Texas Flying Events

Sat, May 7	Addison Airport (ADS) Addison, Texas	Fly-In/Drive-in with free lunch and Wings seminar
Sat, May 7	Bruce Brothers Huntsville Regional (UTS) Huntsville, Texas	Spring Fly-In
Sat May 7	Collin County Regional Airport (TKI) McKinney, Texas	First Saturday Coffee and Donuts
Sat, May 7	David Wayne Hooks Airport (DWH) Spring, Texas	Fly-In/Drive-in with free lunch and Wings seminar
Sat, May 14	Corsicana Municipal Airport (KCRS) Corsicana, Texas	Annual Corsicana Airshow
Sat, May 14	Smithville-Crawford Municipal Airport (84R) Smithville, Texas	Smithville Fly-in and Pancake Breakfast
Sat, May 21	William P. Hobby (DHO) Houston, Texas	Pre-Memorial Day Warbird Fly-In
Sat, May 21	Collin County Regional Airport (TKI) McKinney, Texas	International Learn to Fly Day
Sat, May 27	Ranger Antique Airfield (F23) Ranger, Texas	Ranger Fly-In and Airshow
Sat May 28	Cypress River Airport (24F) Jefferson, Texas	Jefferson Fly-In
Sat, May 28	Gillespie County Airport ((T82) Fredericksburg, Texas	DC-3/C-47 Rides at Hanger Hotel

Spring is here! Check out these and more flying events at www.funplacestofly.com

Deadline for publication is the 28th of each month.

I hope you enjoy this issue!

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Next BOD meeting is Sat, May 14, 2011. Café Lago 7:30; workday 8:30; meeting 9:30