

CLALLAM COUNTY PILOTS ASSN/ WPA

NEWSLETTER

CCPA meets on the third Thursday of the month, 7PM, Rite Bros, KCLM

Only this month we meet in Puyallup on February 21 and 22

FEBRUARY 2015 EDITION

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President	Jerry Nichols	452-5403
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WASHINGTON PILOTS ASSOCIATION



**COME TO WPA'S ANNUAL MEETING
AT THE STATE FAIR IN PUYALLUP
SATURDAY, FEB 21 for LUNCH**



Jerry Nichols
CCPA's President

**VOTE BEFORE YOU ATTEND. PLEASE READ BELOW
AND THEN MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO ATTEND OUR ANNUAL MEETING. BALLOTS ARE ALSO FOUND ON THE NEXT PAGE.**

February - March 2015

Important Election Information

On Saturday February 21st during our Annual General Membership Meeting in Puyallup we will hear election results of state officers. This year we have two candidates for the position of VP West so there will be an election by ballot. Voting this year is by mail ballot **ONLY**. For your vote to count, it must be received no later than Wednesday February 18th. Only eligible members (paid current as of 2015) may vote. You must have your 2015 dues paid up in order to be counted. You will notice that both VP West candidates are also running for Director at Large. Simply vote for your choice for VP and

*President's
Message...*



*Les Smith,
WPA President*

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(please read carefully)

the other for Director at Large. The ballot is included with the February/March WINGS and is also available on our state website www.wpaflys.org for download. Either form will only be valid with your name, chapter, phone number and signature so that we can confirm current membership status. As per the bylaws all ballots will be destroyed after the count is verified.

Hope to see you in Puyallup.
Your WPA State Board

Please note: Your ballot must be received by Feb 18 to be counted.

WPA BALLOT FOR 2015 STATE OFFICERS

President

- Les Smith (unopposed)
 _____ (write-in)
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Vice President West

- Frank Hummel
 Jim Posner
 _____ (write-in)
-

Communications Director

- Marian Healy (unopposed)
 _____ (write-in)
-

Legislative Director

- Blake McKinley (unopposed)
 _____ (write-in)
-

Director at Large

- Frank Hummel
 Jim Posner
 _____ (write-in)
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Name _____ Chapter _____ Phone _____
(please print)

Signature _____

Only current members (whose dues are paid up for 2015) are eligible to vote.

Your name, chapter, phone number and signature must be filled in for the vote to be valid.

Ballots **must be mailed** to our State Secretary:

Marjy Leggett, WPA
4019 Horizon Dr.
Pasco WA, 99301

Your ballot **must be received** no later than Wednesday, February 18th.

Clallam County Pilots Association
Sign Up Schedule for Manning the Port Angeles Airport Booth
At the Aviation Conference and Trade Show
Puyallup Fair Grounds

As many of you know, the Pilots Association is assisting the Port Angeles Port Authority with staffing of the booth again this year. Listed below, are the shifts that need of be manned.

Saturday February 21st

09:00 til 11:00 Gary Johnson- Mel Rudin- Jerry Nichols
11:00 til 2:00 Bob Hicks and _____
2:00 til 5:00 _____

Sunday February 22nd

10:00 til 12:00 David Miller- Gene Rimov
12:00 til 2:00 _____
2:00 til 4:00 Jerry Ludke and _____



If you can fill some of those spots, please let Jerry Nichols know:

E-mail :oldnick@olypen.com of Phone: 360-460-5894 or 360-452-5403

Mel, Gary and Jerry will go to Puyallup on Friday to set up. We appreciate your assistance for helping promoting KCLM.



Bremerton Pilots Association Hosts Icing Seminar

A four-hour, two-part seminar on airframe icing will be conducted on February 7th and February 28th at the Bremerton National Airport starting at 0900 and ending at 1100 each session.

Mr. James Vasilj will be the presenter. Mr. Vasilj's credentials are:

Jim Vasilj is the acting Meteorologist in Charge at the Seattle Center Weather Service Unit (CWSU), located at the FAA Seattle Air Route Traffic Control Center (ARTCC) in Auburn, WA. He has been a meteorologist there for five years. Before that he was a meteorologist for six years at the New Orleans/Baton Rouge National Weather Service forecast office as both a general and lead forecaster. And prior to joining the National Weather Service, Jim was a meteorologist for American Airlines in Fort Worth, Texas, for seven years.

Jim attained his undergraduate degrees in Meteorology and Mathematics at Saint Louis University, in St Louis, Missouri, and a Master of Science in Atmospheric Science at Purdue University in West Lafayette, Indiana. He frequently has helped with writing computer programs and developing web pages along the way. Many of the local mapping elements of the Seattle CWSU web pages were designed by Jim.

The first session will cover icing theory to give us all a refresher on the subject and bring us up date on the latest information.

The second session will focus on the practical application of that theory in flight activities. Flight planning, go-no-go decision making, available tools and how to use them for intel on current and forecast conditions, "Plan B" development, in-flight decision-making, escape tips and other practical knowledge.

This seminar is NOT just for IFR pilots. VFR pilots should know how to conduct similar planning and make go-no-go decisions before their flights.

The seminar will be held in the Port of Bremerton conference room located in the main terminal at the airport. There is ample free parking both for cars and aircraft right outside the room (cars in the lot west of the room, aircraft on the ramp east of the room).

Light refreshments will be served and there is no cost.

WINGS credit will be available for this seminar.

Please let me know if you are planning to attend. We will send out copies of the slides ahead of the sessions for review. Also, we need a head-count for the goodies!

Jim Posner

President – Bremerton Pilots Association, a chapter of the Washington Pilots Association

The photos below are from a WPA board meeting held in Bremerton in 2010.

I don't know if Jim Posner is in any of the photos. However, Bremerton is showing a lot of life in its activities. Perhaps we should organize a car pool or two and go down on Feb 28th and meet some of these folks.

Gene



Programs:

**February 21 and 22
NW Aviation Confer-
ence and Trade Show.**
Can you help us staff
the Port's booth?

**February 28 Structural
icing at Bremerton**

Safety Breakfasts are
held on the 2nd and
last Friday of the
Month. At Priscilla's
Cruise In Café. 2341 E
Hwy 101, Port Ange-
les

Feb 13 and 27
Mar 13 and 27

**If you have a program
that you would like to
present, please call
Jerry.**

Executive Board
meetings are held at
Coldwell Banker, in
Port Angeles at 1115 E
Front Steet @ 7pm on
the first Wednesday of
the month.

March 4
April 1

All members of CCPA
are welcome to
attend.

February 2015

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2	3	4 Executive Board	5	6	7 Icing Seminar at Bremerton
8	9	10	11	12	13 Safety Breakfast	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21 Northwest
22 Conference and	23	24	25	26	27 Safety Breakfast	28 Icing Seminar at Bremerton

Have you paid your 2015 CCPA/WPA dues yet?
On line: CCPA dues are **\$12.00**
 WPA dues are **\$19.00**
 Total **\$31.00**

[//www.WPAflys.org](http://www.WPAflys.org)

Off line:
 Call Dave at 452-7136

**Collins Foundation
 will be at KCLM
 on June 24/25/26.**

March 2015

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2	3	4 Executive Board	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13 Safety Breakfast	14
15	16	17	18	19 CCPA Membership meeting	20	21
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Minutes of CCPA Executive Committee Board Meeting February 4, 2015



The Executive Board Meeting minutes for January 7, 2105 were approved as sent out.

The Treasurer reports that we have \$3,490.37 in our checking account.

Tentative programs for upcoming General Membership meetings are anticipated to be:

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|---------------------------|--|
| February 21 st | Road Trip to Puyallup for NW Aviation Conference |
| March 19 th | Trail Around Arlington Airport |
| April 16 th | AOPA Flight Safety Program |

Gene will put a reminder in the Newsletter to request members to renew dues for 2015; preferably online.

The February 21st meeting of CCPA will be a road trip to the NW Aviation Conference in Puyallup. CCPA has offered to help man the Port's booth. CCPA members should contact Jerry N. if you are interested in helping man the booth.

We received a Thank You letter from the Peninsula Trails Coalition for CCPA's \$250 donation. There have been numerous work party sessions by the Coalition to help open and maintain the trail on the North side of the KCLM Airport. They have made significant progress.

There is no real news on the road congestion caused by logging trucks on the entrance to KCLM. There still is traffic issues due to the logging trucks operating on Port properties. Luckily there have been no accidents yet!!!!

The new sign at KCLM has been installed and looks nice. It is now lighted and will be landscaped soon.

The Collins Foundation is scheduled to be at KCLM again on June 24/25/26th. Alan Barnard is coordinating the event. Contact Alan if you are interested in helping out!!! He can be reached at abarnard@olypen.com.

Safety Breakfasts

February 13th and 27th

March 13th and 27th

Board Meetings

March 4th

April 1st

