

# CLALLAM COUNTY PILOTS ASSN/ WPA

## NEWSLETTER

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

Only this month we meet on June 24, 25, and 26 at KCLM

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### WASHINGTON PILOTS ASSOCIATION



Our program for June is the Wings of Freedom tour. Do you remember these folks? They were here two years ago.

## The Wings of Freedom Tour



June 24, 25, and 26



P-51 MUSTANG  
(full dual control)



B-17 FLYING FORTRESS



B-24 LIBERATOR

Scan the code  
folks!



EXPERIENCE WWII FLYING HISTORY  
TOURS ~ FLIGHTS

It is very expensive to maintain and operate WWII aircraft. In order to afford this, the aircraft crews and the pilots are volunteers. So why don't you volunteer too. Call Jerry at 452-5403. Although our sign-up for the flight line is just about full, extra folks helping with ground operations are welcome.

There is always the chance that someone who signed up will forget or have a conflict occur.

Normally, we would meet on Thursday, June 18, but the Wings of Freedom replaces that meeting date. Also, the times of operation indicated on the next page are not usually accurate. So expect them on Wednesday as early as 11am. If there are folks who wish to fly after 5 pm, then they usually will be flown up to an hour later.



**At our May meeting  
Jim Posner, WPA vice  
president—west, gave us  
some ideas for strength-  
ening CCPA.**

Basically, Jim Posner wanted CCPA to grow. He felt that signing folks up to swell our numbers made good sense. The numbers that WPA has will affect how the aeronautical division of the State's Dept of Transportation (DOT) and the legislature perceives us. When WPA has approx-

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**PORT ANGELES**

William R Fairchild International Airport  
at East General Aviation Ramp

Jun 24 -	2:00 PM to 5:00 PM
Jun 25 -	9:00 AM to 5:00 PM
Jun 26 -	9:00 AM to 12:00 PM

*Tour – Explore - Fly*  
The Ultimate Living History Experience.  
Walk-through tours: \$12 for adults and \$6 for children 12 years and younger.

Three of the most famous WWII bomber and fighter aircraft are visiting your community as part of the Wings of Freedom Tour. Tour the beautifully restored aircraft and even TAKE TO THE SKIES YOURSELF in an ultimate flight experience aboard the bombers - or - get some "stick time" in the world's only full Dual Control P-51C Mustang. 30-minute bomber flights are \$450 per person. P-51 flight training is \$2200 for a half hour and \$3200 for full hour. The Collings Foundation is a 501c3 non-profit. The majority of your flight is a tax-deductible donation.

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imately 1000 members while there are 15,000 pilots residing in the State, then our clout is small. However, Washington has a fairly good record of keeping airports open and viable along with dedicated members that contact their legislators and congressmen often and in large enough numbers. This also applies at the federal level with AOPA. Right now we need to obtain our airman's bill of rights—2. Simply joining CCPA/WPA will help us get those numbers up. Let's keep flying healthy, safe, fun, and affordable.

Jim felt that often regular meetings don't accomplish too much, but attending or putting on flying events seems to be more effective. WPA will have a fly-in to Stuart Island on August 14, 15, and 16. CCPA will have the Collings Foundation June 24, 25, 26. EAA will have a Young Eagles event here in Port Angeles on June 13. The suggestion that we have a bicycling fly-in so that pilots can bike the Olympic Discovery Trail (We furnish the bicycles) was met with approval. Work parties are often reasons to have fly-ins. CCPA needs an events coordinator. So we need to identify a person for that job. Is there anyone willing? Jim will mentor him.

WPA's missions include 1. Advocacy, 2. Outreach, 3. Education, 4. Social.

Accompanying Jim on his trip to Port Angeles was George Steed. George indicated that if we wanted to attract younger pilots, we needed to use the internet and social media. He recommended that our group joins Facebook. Visit WPA's Facebook page: "Flights Above The Pacific Northwest"(FATPNW). Social media gets results and joining Facebook is free. Although websites are also effective, they take more effort and usually cost a bit to set up and keep up to date.



## Minutes of CCPA Executive Committee Board Meeting

June 3, 2015

The Executive Board Meeting minutes for May 6, 2015 were approved as sent out.

The Treasurer reports that we have \$3,601.37 in our checking account.

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

June 24/25/26	Collins Foundation Fly-in (No CCPA General Membership meeting)
July 16	CCPA Communicating with Social Media – Iris Sutcliff
August 20	EAA Video – Hints for Homebuilders and Harrison Ford flies the Rockies
September	Women in Aviation

Gene will ask Gordon Taylor to give a presentation on future plans for a walking/biking trail on the South side of the KCLM airport.

Lincoln Park tree removal is now at least 3 years out due to need for Port's Master Plan Update and Environmental Impact Statement (EIS). Hopefully, select trees that grow up into the clear-zone will be allowed to be removed as needed during this time frame.

**AOPA has asked for pilot support in contacting legislators regarding the "Pilot's Bill of Rights 2" which encompasses the Third Class Medical Reform. All pilots are requested to e-mail or otherwise contact their legislator and encourage them to support this important bill!!! If you have problems writing the letter go to <http://govt.eaa.org/17422/support-pilots-bill-rights-2/> to give an automated e-mail message to you legislators. It really is a simple process. AOPA needs the support of all pilots on this important issue!!!!**

The Collins Foundation is scheduled to be at KCLM again on June 24/25/26<sup>th</sup>. Alan Barnard is coordinating the event. Contact Alan if you are interested in helping out!!! He can be reached at [abarnard@olypen.com](mailto:abarnard@olypen.com). Gene will send out a sign-up sheet in the next newsletter.

Mike will remove people who have not paid their WPA/CCPA dues for 2015 from the e-mail distribution list.

The recommendation now is to have your transponder on "Standby" when taxiing on all airports, especially towered airports.

### Safety Breakfasts

June 12<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup>  
July

### Board Meetings

July 1  
August 5a





Programs:

June 24,25,26 Collins Foundation

July 16 Iris Sutcliffe: Helping the pilots navigate those virtual skies.

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

June 12 and 26  
July 10 and 31

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

June 3  
July 1

All members of CCPA are welcome to attend.

If you have a program that you would like to present, please call Jerry. 452-5403

# June 2015

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1	2	3 Executive	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12 Safety Breakfast	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24 Wings of Freedom arrives in PA. P-51, B-24, B-17	25 W of F & CCPA/WPA Flightline . . . help will be needed.	26 <u>Safety Breakfast &amp; Wings of Freedom fly away.</u>	27
28	29	30				

For our program in August or September, we are looking at either a program on women aviators or the Airport Loop Advisory Group (south side), or a program on Harrison Ford.

There will be a fly-out to Stewart Island on August 14, 15, and 16.

# July 2015

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1 Executive Board for CCPA	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10 Safety Breakfast	11
12	13	14	15	16 Iris Sutcliffe Facebook and Younger Pilots	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31 Safety Breakfast	

# Have you been locked out?

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## Port of Port Angeles WASHINGTON

Date: June 5, 2015

Subject: Airport Vehicle Gates and Access Cards

To: Airport Tenants

The Port of Port Angeles has contracted with Olympic Electric to replace all gate controls and electric vehicle gates at William R. Fairchild International Airport this summer.

The gate replacement schedule is:

June 1-June 30

Gate 1 (next to 300 hangar on east side)

Gate 5 (east side of airport terminal bldg.)

Gate 37 (near ACTI on north side of airfield)

Gate 24 (by Critchfield Road on west side)

July 1-July 31

Gate 47 (next to 100 hangar on east side)

Gate 14 (next to Rite Bros. Aviation)

Gate 36 (near Rwy 31 on north side of airfield)

Starting June 15th new gate access cards will be available between 8am and 5pm Monday through Friday at the Port admin building (338 West 1st Street).

Please bring your old card(s) for identification purposes as well as a picture ID for photocopying. Before new gate cards are issued, the required deposit is \$20 per card. If Port records indicate you already have a deposit on file of \$20 per card, there will be no additional cost.

The new gate cards will not be activated until July, however, so hangar tenants currently using Gate 47 and Gate 14 should continue to use their existing cards as long as those gates remain open.

After Gate 47 and Gate 14 are closed in July, hangar tenants will use their new cards to access:

- 1) The east hangars through Gate 1; or
- 2) The west hangars through Gate 15 (the new airport access road extension gate)

We appreciate your patience during construction as we make these improvements to operations and security at your airfield.

If you have any questions, please contact me at [JerryL@portofpa.com](mailto:JerryL@portofpa.com) or call 417-3363.

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