

CLALLAM COUNTY PILOTS ASSN/ WPA

NEWSLETTER

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

**Only this month we will meet at Coldwell Banker, 1115 E Front St
November/December 2015 Edition**

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WASHINGTON PILOTS ASSOCIATION



**Our meeting this month will be at Coldwell Banker on Thursday, November 19 @ 7 pm
Angle of Attack
Spotlight on Take Offs and Landings**

At Our October Meeting

We finally had our voters forum with Michael Breidenbach and Connie Beauvais being our guest speakers. While Connie emphasized "Leadership, Communication, Marketing", Michael emphasized the more or less practical aspects of running a Port: Michael felt when Westport moved out of the Port's building at the airport, "That's exactly what we want". He stated that the Port offers a place for a business to get started, and when such a business grows and moves to somewhere else in the community, we now have a permanent member of the community. And thus the Port turns around and the invites another business to Port Angeles and the cycle begins all over again. A few of us were not so sure that was the way things work.

On the other hand, Connie emphasized the Port's role in creating jobs. In the end Connie won the election.

One other result of the election was that County Commissioners will be chosen only by the district they represent rather than by the entire county. Will the Port Commissioners be next?



Although the meeting room upstairs at Coldwell Banker was occupied through some sort of misunderstanding; as it turned out the fireside room downstairs was the perfect place to hold a voters forum.

Dennis Toepke wins

. . the Wright Brothers Master Pilot award and the Charles Taylor Master Mechanic award. These two awards were presented to Dennis at the October 31 EAA meeting at the Sequim Airport. Sorry, we didn't get any photos showing Dennis receiving these awards. Congratulations, Dennis.



I last ran into Dennis about a week ago. He was walking his favorite dog, Snoopy. So at least, we have a recent photo of Dennis. This will have to do.



Gene (newsletter editor)

**Minutes of CCPA Executive Committee Board Meeting
November 4, 2015**

The Treasurer reports that we have \$3,584.56 in our checking account.

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

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| November 19 th | AOPA Safety Video – Angle of Attack Indicators
- Spotlight on Take-off and Landings |
| December 5 th | EAA Christmas Dinner at Dungeness Golf Course |

The Peninsula Trails Coalition is working on projects around the KCLM airport. They are still working on a route design on the South side of the airport. They are always in need of gravel. We are still waiting for the Port to start working on the development of the new Airport Master Plan.

WPA/CCPA membership dues are due for 2016. WPA has raised their portion, but CCPA portion has stayed the same. Dave Miller requests that members please renew on-line where ever possible.

Safety Breakfasts

November 13th and 27th

Board Meetings

December 2nd

January 6th



Bill Mueller, trail crew volunteer, clears inspection trail through a blackberry patch.

You can find this patch just outside KCLM gate 20/21,

After inspection it was determined soil was unsuitable for airport loop trail. So is there an alternative? We think so.

Programs:

**November 19 AOPA
Flight Safety Program
December 5 Christmas
Celebration with EAA
January 21 Eric Brown**

**Safety Breakfasts are
held at 7:30am and
usually on the 2nd and
last Friday of the
Month at Priscilla's
Cruise In Café. 2341 E
Hwy 101, Port Angeles
November 13 and 27
December 11
January 8 and 29**

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

**November 4
December 2
January 6**

**All members of CCPA
are welcome to attend.**

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

November 2015

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2	3	4 Brd Meet	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13 Safety B	14
15	16	17	18	19 AOPA	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27 Safety B	28
29	30					

December 2015

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	TH	FRI	SAT
		1	2 Exec Board	3	4	5 EAA Xmas Celebration
6	7	8	9	10	11 Safety Breakfast	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25 Christmas	26
27	28	29	30	31		

January 2016

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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3	4	5	6 Exec Board	7	8 Safety Breakfast	9
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17	18	19	20	21 Eric Brown	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29 Safety Breakfast	30
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**CCPA IS INVITED TO THE EAA
CHRISTMASTIME CELEBRATION
ON DECEMBER 6, 2015.**

COST . . \$30/person

Donna Sommer would like to hear from you. So give her a buzz, tell her what main dish you wish, and come join the rest of us who will be having a grand time.

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The next issue of the CCPA newsletter will be published in January 2016.

From Pilots Loop to OVAL (Olympic View Airport Loop on Facebook)

The Airport Loop Advisory Group has been working hard to get a walkers, joggers, bicycle trail to circle the airport. It's a 5 mile long undertaking. So far we are almost finished with the first mile of routing around KCLM. The next mile will get us just shy of the eastern part of the perimeter fence around the new hangar area. So we are now planning the southern section of the route as we try to finish up the northern section.



It is hard to believe that the gravel on the by-pass trail around ACTI was spread, graded, and leveled by hand using wheelbarrows, shovels, and landscape rakes. All that is left to apply is one more layer of 1/2 inch minus crushed rock. After that serious planning for the south section can be done.



The south section of the trail will be at least 10 times more difficult to construct than the north side.