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TEXAS AIRCRAFT EXPO
Houston
May 16-17, 2014

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AOPA Regional Manager Yasmina Platt took Houston Mayor Annise Parker on a flight in a general aviation airplane. Departing from West Houston Airport the two took a flight around Houston on April 4. The flight lasted a little over an hour in a Piper Archer. Platt said it was wonderful to be able to show Mayor Parker a new perspective not only on her city, but also on the many ways general aviation serves the people and businesses of Houston and Texas, and there's nothing quite like experiencing general aviation for yourself to get a deeper understanding of what it is and how it's used. For more information go to http://www.aopa.org/News-and-Video/All-News/2014/April/09/Houston-mayor-experiences-GA-first-hand.aspx?WT.mc_sect=adv&cmp=EPLT%3ARGNL&WT.mc_id=140411epilot

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11 - Mothers Day
17 - Armed Forces Day
26 - Memorial Day



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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

PREFLIGHT Breakfast

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PRIVATE PILOT GROUND SCHOOL

Class Started March 31, 2014. Each Class is stand alone come for one or all. Every Monday Evening, 7:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m., West Houston Airport. No prior reservations needed. Licensed Jeppesen Video Presentation! Bring a family member for *half-price*. Don't miss this new and exciting learning experience! Contact C. G. Hankö Henry, Chief Pilot, 281-492-2130.

INSTRUMENT PILOT GROUND SCHOOL

Sign up for the Spring class. Wednesday Evening, 7:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m., West Houston Airport. Call to verify course availability Licensed Jeppesen Video Presentation! Contact Hank Henry, Chief Pilot, for information, 281-492-2130.

FAA SAFETY MEETING

Fourth (4th) Tuesday 7:00p -9:00p 2nd Floor Observatory. Carol Brackley 713-301-5407 or email carolav8@att.net. Dr. Shannon Walker., an astronaut, will talk about her experiences at NASA

99'S MEETING

Second (2nd) Tuesday Every Month, 7:00 p.m., Terminal Building, 2nd Floor. Women's Organization of Pilots, Men welcome! Contact Sophie Thibodeaux 281-391-2958. See website www.ninety-nines.org.

COMMEMORATIVE AIR FORCE (CAF)

Museum open first and third Saturday of the month 10am-3pm. Meetings 3rd Sunday of the Month at 2:00 p.m., Hangar B-5. Memberships available. Contact 281-579-2131 or email info@houstonwing.org, www.houstonwing.org.

EAA CHAPTER 774 MEETING

Third (3rd) Thursday of the month 7:00 p.m. Terminal Building 2nd floor. For Meeting Information and Announcements Contact Rick Human 281-463-6769. Great Meetings! Large Turnouts! Join Today.

GHAFI SEMINAR (Greater Houston Association of Flight Instructors)

GHAFI quarterly Seminar July 19 . Questions or comments contact Carol Brackley at carolav8@att.net, or visit website: www.ghafi.org

Texas Concealed Handgun License Class Saturday, June 14, 2014, 9am to 3pm

New 4 Hour Class plus range time, West Houston Airport, Terminal - Upstairs, 18000 Groeschke Road, Houston, TX 77094. Class includes: lunch, classroom, shooting range (indoor range in the area), instruction and all paperwork. Loaner guns available at no extra charge. First time shooters taught how to shoot at no extra charge. You can bring your own ammo (50 rounds) or buy from me for \$20. Cost is \$90. For Reservations call or email (ktwinkle@hal-pc.org) Kevin Winkle 713-252-7006.

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1991 Cessna 560 Citation V: SOH 3000/2500. Well-equipped! WAAS 500 GPS, Wx, Freon AC, Recent Paint/Interior, Cessna Service Center Maintenance.

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JET A	High	Low	Average
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West Houston Airport	5.38	4.31*	4.84

*with the Volume Discount

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Southwest Region	7.95	4.49	6.43
West Houston Airport	5.75	4.88	5.31

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Dr. Victor Arellano (Baron Pilot)	FAA Medicals (by appt. only)	15410 Ridge Park Dr. Houston, Tx 77095	281-855-2244(o) 281-460-2247(m)	www.tmauc.com

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A.I.C. Security	Total Security System Solutions Hangar B-3	888-242-9777	www.aic-security.com



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