

JANUARY  
2015 Edition

# RUNWAY 15

## WEST HOUSTON AIRPORT



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Local Frequencies: CInc 121.150 (281) 443-5844, Apch 123.80 FSS 1800 WX-BRIEF / 1800-992-7433

West Houston Airport Frequencies, AWOS: 125.575, (281) 579-9820 Unicom 123.05 ASRI: 129.875

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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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### JANUARY DATES

News Year Day 1

Martin Luther King Day 19

Robert E. Lee Birthday 19



THE NINETY-NINES, INC.  
International Organization of Women Pilots



COMMEMORATIVE  
AIR FORCE



### SPECIAL EVENTS

### PREFLIGHT Breakfast

Saturdays 7:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. Pilots/Prospective Pilots Invited. Bring Your Plane! Discounted, full service fuel. ALL week-end at the Terminal. Windshields Cleaned and Tires Aired. CREDIT CARDS ACCEPTED!

### PRIVATE PILOT GROUND SCHOOL

Class start January 5, 2015. 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. "Hank" Henry, Chief Pilot, 281-492-2130.

### INSTRUMENT PILOT GROUND SCHOOL

**Call to Sign Up for Spring class, 10 week course** 7:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m., West Houston Airport. Call for details **Licensed Jeppesen Video Presentation!** Contact Hank Henry, Chief Pilot, for information, 281-492-2130.

### FAA SAFETY MEETING

Fourth (4th) Tuesday January 27, 2015 7:00p -9:00p 2nd Floor Observatory. **NOAA Winter Weather Flying, Melissa Huffman**; Email:[carolav8@att.net](mailto:carolav8@att.net); 713-301-5407.

### AOPA SAFETY TRAINING

January 20, 2015 7pm at Wyndham Houston West; **After the crash surviving an aircraft accident.**

### 99'S MEETING

Second (2nd) Tuesday Every Month, 7:00 p.m., Terminal Building, 2nd Floor. Women's Organization of Pilots! Contact Becky Nickell 281-859-4923 email [nickellb01@att.net](mailto:nickellb01@att.net), website [www.ninety-nines.org](http://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. Call for tours. Contact 281-579-2131 **OPEN HOUSE April 18 & 19**, **CAF DANCE February 21st** or email [info@houstonwing.org](mailto:info@houstonwing.org), [www.houstonwing.org](http://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! Join Today.

### GHAFI SEMINAR (Greater Houston Association of Flight Instructors)

**GHAFI Quarterly Seminar** Saturday, January 17, 2015 check website for location. Questions or comments contact Carol Brackley at [carolav8@att.net](mailto:carolav8@att.net), or visit website: [www.ghafi.org](http://www.ghafi.org)

### Texas Concealed Handgun License Class

**NEXT CLASS February 28, 2015** Hour Class plus range time, West Houston Airport, Terminal - Upstairs. 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](mailto:ktwinkle@hal-pc.org)) Kevin Winkle 713-252-7006.



### AIRCRAFT FOR SALE

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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.

1982 Conquest I: Easy to fly!

1981 Conquest I: Corporate owned well maintained.

1981 Conquest I: 1/2 Interest \$225,000 including Financing!

1976 Baron 55: Doctor owned possible 1/2 interest

1970 Turbo Aztec: Beautiful In & Out Priced Right

A36 Bonanza & B58 Baron: COMING SOON!

1975 Cessna 172M: Lots of Mods

### AIRCRAFT FOR RENT AND INSTRUCTION,

Save Time Schedule online [Westhoustonairport.com](http://Westhoustonairport.com)

### Fuel Price Comparison for December 2014

JET A	High	Low	Avg
Southwest Region	7.07	2.50	4.72
West Houston Airport	4.71	3.23	3.97
AVGAS (100LL)			
Southwest Region	8.33	3.06	5.14
West Houston Airport	5.09	4.28	4.68

\*With quantity discount

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### PILOT SUPPLIES

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CESSNA - T240 TTX  
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Calkins Aero Service (Since 1985)	Maintenance and Repairs	Hangar #3 Brown East	281-579-6674	www.calkinsaero.com
General Avionics (Since 1995)	Avionics Sales and Service	Hangar #1 White East	281-647-9600	www.general-avionics.com
Air West Interiors	Upholstery	Hangar #1 White East	281-398-3821	www.airwestinterior.com
J & S Detailing (Since 1991)	Aircraft Detailing	On Site	832-202-4198	www.jsaircraftdetailing.com
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) ww.tmauc.com				

### Airport Based Non-Aviation Businesses

Lone Star Rod & Rifle	Purveyors of Fine Sporting Life Hangar B-1	281-829-3006	www.lonestarrodandrifle.com
A.I.C. Security	Total Security System Solutions Hangar B-3	888-242-9777	www.aic-security.com



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