

August
2018 Edition

RUNWAY 15

Save The Airport
Quick Flying
is good business!



WEST HOUSTON AIRPORT

ALL 50 STATES

Would you like to land in every state in the Continental United States and Hawaii? Receiving his Private Pilot Certificate in 1988, six months later stopped flying. After nearly two decades, he decided to start flying again holding a private pilot single engine land certificate.



In 2008 when Woody Lesikar made him a deal he could not refuse on a B55 Baron which he still owns today.

Mr. Curtis Owens, and his wife Sue Ann Owens, traveled in many countries before he purchased the Baron in 2008. Shortly after the purchase of the Baron and receiving the proper ratings, Curtis and Sue Ann decided to explore the United States. They had already

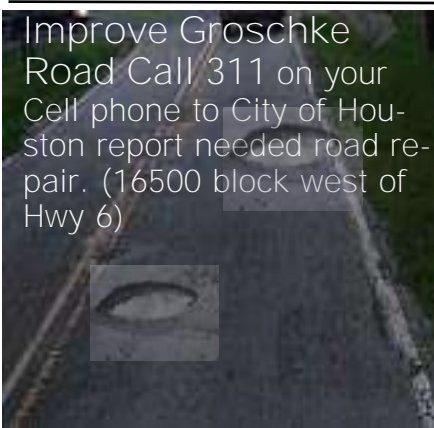
traveled in many other countries and thought it would be a great challenge to land in each state. During their stately travels some adventures were just a quick stop and a possible lunch and others were a vacation that lasted several days to discover the area. Deciding to make a goal to land and take off in every state gave Curtis and his wife many memories and fun adventures.

Today he primarily flies back and forth to his ranch in SE Texas. But the baron still lives at IWS and is Mr. Owens preferred mode of transportation. Next Goal Alaska!

Share with us your flying adventures contact Stacy @westhoustonairport.com or 281-492-2130



Thank you for your patience as West Houston Airport continues the ongoing construction. Weather permitting we hope to have the runway marking in place by end of August.



Improve Groschke Road Call 311 on your Cell phone to City of Houston report needed road repair. (16500 block west of Hwy 6)

To all the patrons of General Avionics, Inc,

THANK YOU for loving on my Boy.

Clancy received his final Cruise clearance on Tuesday, June 19th, 2018.

What a Boy, What a fixture, What a friend, What a look he just gave! He appreciated every head rub, ear rub and treat.

The daily POOP walks without

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ADS-B

19 months left to comply
On Jan 1, 2020 no AIR-CRAFT MAY OPERATE in controlled airspace without ADS-B I doubt there will be immediate ADS-B POLICE, but they are already contacting owners, airport managers,

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"As The Beacon Turns" CALENDAR OF EVENTS

AUGUST

19 - National Aviation Day

QUOTE: Never let an airplane take you somewhere your brain didn't get to five minutes earlier. Unknown

TRIVIA: In 1959, when U.S. President Eisenhower was in office, his transport aircraft was officially designated as "Air Force One" What type of Aircraft was it?

Answer: Lockheed Constellation

PREFLIGHT Breakfast

Saturdays 7:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. Pilots/Prospective Pilots Invited. Fly Your Plane! Weekend fuel prices in effect!

PRIVATE PILOT GROUND SCHOOL

Every Monday Evening, 7:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m., Session started July 16, 2018, Each class a stand alone class. No prior reservations needed. Licensed Jeppesen Video Presentation! Bring a family member for *half-price*. Start learning to fly today, don't procrastinate.

INSTRUMENT PILOT GROUND SCHOOL

Call to sign up, 10 week course 7:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m.. Licensed Jeppesen Video Presentation! email csr@westhoustonairport.com to sign up for the Spring class!

FAA SAFETY MEETING

Fourth (4th) Tuesday, Aug 28, 7:00pm-9:00pm for more information email Scott Vaughn at svaughncsp@gmail.com;

99's MEETING

Second Tuesdays 7:00pm more information Meetings International Organization of Women Pilots! Email KathyClark99@prodigy.net, 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. Contact email for tours and flight information at rides@houstonwing.org or the hangar at 281-579-2131, info@houstonwing.org. Volunteers and donations welcome.

EAA CHAPTER 774 MEETING

Third (3rd) Thursday of the month 7:00 p.m. Contact Jeff Clarke 832-425-8277 or email: clarkeandco@aol.com for EAA interest. Dave Barnes Cozy Mark IV

DOG DESNAKING Program August 4&5 Contact Gene 713-545-7315

NBAA: Oct. 16-18, 2018

Fuel Price Comparison for July 2018

JET A	High	Low	Avg	AVGAS (100LL)	High	Low	Avg
Southwest Region	7.35	2.99	4.43	Southwest Region	7.84	3.50	4.82
West Houston Airport	4.53	3.42*	3.97	West Houston Airport	5.48	4.93	5.20

*With Volume discount

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1981 Cessna Conquest I: Reduced Price
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Clancy fFrom page 1
 him ,are now
 even slower ,
 heavier , more
 contemplative.



I remember
 him bunny hop-
 ping up the stairs

to Stacy's desk one day and then praying he
 would lift a leg in Woody's office... Oh, well I
 can dream.

The joy he brought to my home, my of-
 fice and our hearts is immeasurable and irre-
 placeable.

Caution Wake Turbulence Departing
 Legend, Requesting Fly By...

I Love you Clancy, Thanks for the mem-
 ories! James W. Wurman Jr.
 Clancy's Dad, Avionics Peddler

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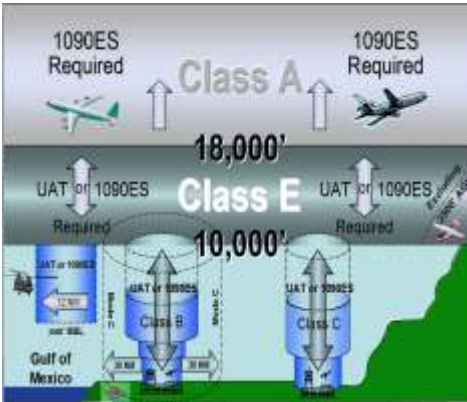


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All comments, complaints, and suggestions are welcome please send to: Woody Lesikar, Airport Manager, 281-492-2130, woody@westhoustonairport.com www.westhoustonairport.com

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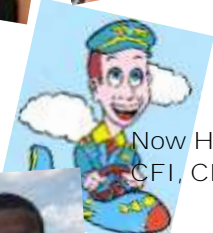
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