

October  
2022

RUNWAY 15

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WEST HOUSTON AIRPORT



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## FALL TO SPRING INSTRUMENT RATING SPECIAL!

Take this on if you are NOT instrument rated! Make safety your biggest priority! Get on board and take the challenge!

Here's the deal! Pay the hourly rate for flight and ground instruction with our professional instructor team to get your instrument rating between November first 2022 and March first 2023 and if you complete the check ride prior to March first the Airport will credit you back every dollar you spent for your instruction toward future fuel purchases, dollar for dollar!!!!

And now we will be training everyday of the week, between 8:00AM and 5:00PM. No excuses for our current based customers not to become safer pilots. Did you understand this? It won't cost you anything! \* Don't wait, get scheduled now beginning November first. This is a one time unique offer to get your IR at no cost!! What are you waiting for!!!

For an application contact Woody Lesikar 281/492-2130  
or [woody@westhoustonairport.com](mailto:woody@westhoustonairport.com)

\*Employees, Flight School Students, and leaseback owners Not Eligible\*

### NOTAM:

#### West Houston Airport

Straight in landings not available when traffic in pattern, left traffic, no stop and go, no touch and go during night, use proper calls while in pattern, no multiple helicopter ops during night, no drone operations within airport traffic area, lights on for safety.

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## "As The Beacon Turns" CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Aerovillas lots 8-12

Financing Available



For More Information contact Woody Lesikar at

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## FAA Safety Meeting Tuesday, October 25!! 7:00pm

**PRIVATE PILOT GROUND SCHOOL**  
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Contact 99's for meeting information.

website [www.ninety-nines.org](http://www.ninety-nines.org). Carol Brackley—[carolav8@att.net](mailto:carolav8@att.net)

### CHECK FOR OPERATIONAL HOURS:

#### COMMEMORATIVE AIR FORCE (CAF)

Museum open first and third Saturday of the month 10am-3pm. Meetings 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month at 2:00 p.m. Contact email for tours and flight information at [rides@houstonwing.org](mailto:rides@houstonwing.org) or the hangar at 281-579-2131, [info@houstonwing.org](mailto:info@houstonwing.org). Volunteers and donations welcome.

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### Fuel Price Comparison for September

JET A	High	Low	Avg	AVGAS (100LL)	High	Low	Avg
Southwest Region	10.86	3.50	6.19	Southwest Region	9.96	4.50	6.62
<b>West Houston Airport</b>	<b>5.98*</b>	<b>5.82*</b>	<b>5.92*</b>	<b>West Houston Airport</b>	<b>6.82*</b>	<b>5.99*</b>	<b>6.39*</b>

\*With Volume/Weekend discount

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## Employment Positions Available

West Houston Airport is currently hiring for the following positions. Part time or full time AVAILABLE. Excellent pay and amazing work environment. Interested candidates should inquire directly with the airport at  
(281) 492-2130

### Line Technician, Customer Service Representative

#### AIRPLANES:

*(Inventory changes quickly, contact us to verify availability!!)*

**2003 CESSNA 172S – Leaseback Available**

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#### LOTS &

#### HANGARS:

**A4 (see below!), C 8, D4, E1, F1, G15, G16**

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10,000 sq.ft. hangar (A4), 18' clear door height, on 20,447 sq.ft. corner lot within aviation subdivision of the West Houston Airport (IWS), with hydraulic 80' door with remote controls, LED lighting in and out, bathroom, materials to build out future offices if needed, additional exterior parking, with overhead garage door for auto parking within hangar. Built in 2007, within Harris County and KISD school district, not within City of Houston. Within Houston's Energy Corridor and closest GA Airport to downtown Houston. Finance with good credit available.



Call Woody Lesikar

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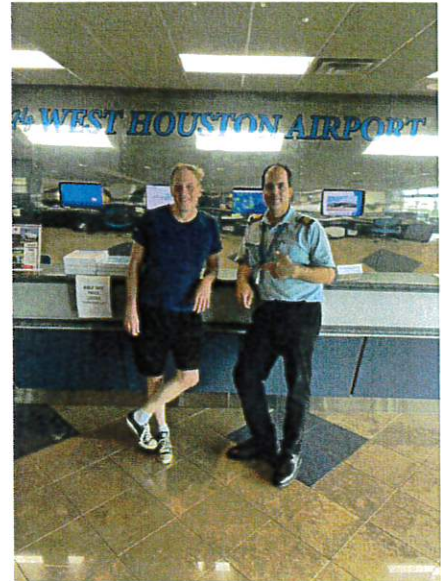
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The Airport Terminal has a Bulletin Board for Patrons to post their flight gear for sale—including headsets, portable GPS's, tow bars, etc. Feel free to utilize it!



**Business / residential LOTS for SALE**

**BUILD your Hangar**

**OWN your property**

**Contact Woody**

**281-492-2130**

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**For More information, please contact Woody Leslkar at (281) 492-2130**



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All comments, complaints, and suggestions are welcome  
please send to: Woody Lesikar, Airport Manager,  
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## WEST HOUSTON AIRPORT TEAM

### Aviation Businesses:

West Houston Airport (Since 1962)	Flight School, Pilot Supplies	Terminal Building	281-492-2130	www.westhoustonairport.com
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- volunteer

Bill Heiam, President, West Houston Airport

Subdivision Owners Association, Inc.,

\* Denotes years of service



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### 1st Shift

SEAN FRITSCH, First Shift Supervisor\*8  
NOAH DEATON, Line Crew Technician  
AARON BOTHELO, Line Crew Technician  
JOEL RIOS, Line Crew Technician  
ROLAND GONZALEZ, Line Crew Technician

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ERIK DITTMAR, Line  
Supervisor,\*10  
DYLAN BAYLESS, Night  
Line Technician\*

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Chief  
Mechanic\*10



### 2nd Shift

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JOSE VILLATORO, Line Crew Technician\*6  
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