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# PAINIE FIELD

**Snohomish County Airport**

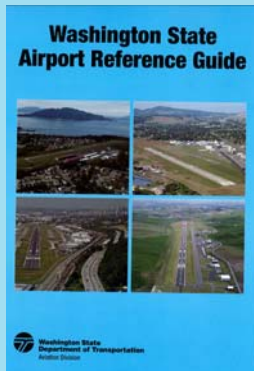
**November 2007**



## Winter Weather

This is the Airport's annual reminder for those with airplane tie downs. Please ensure that you keep your aircraft properly secured. There have been several past instances where aircraft have been damaged during high wind storms because they were not properly tied down. It is the responsibility of the aircraft owner to ensure the aircraft is properly secured.

**We have received additional Washington State**



**Airport Reference Guides stop by the Airport Office for your copy**

## New Airport Fire Vehicle



This summer the Airport acquired a second surplus Oshkosh Aircraft and Rescue Fire Fighting vehicle from the Port of Seattle. It is a twin to another Osh that was acquired several years ago. The Fire Mechanics and Fire Fighters are refurbishing the new ARFF truck and installing new systems to make it compatible with the first OSH. This project is saving the Airport tens of thousands of dollars and providing a new asset for the Airport. The repairs will cost about \$30,000 – small when compared to the \$1M cost of a new ARFF truck.



**Daryl Wimmer**, Airport Fire Fighter/Mechanic, is leading the refurbishment project for the new Oshkosh Aircraft Rescue and Fire Fighting vehicle.

## WPA Paine Chapter Hosts *Flight Across America* Pilots

By Kevin Kelly, WPA Paine Field Chapter President

At the Sept 7 hangar party, the WPA hosted Molly Peebles and some of the pilots that participated in the *Flight Across America* on its fifth anniversary.

After the September 11, 2001 tragedy, Molly wanted to find a way to help our Country heal and also to promote general aviation. She shaped her dream into a month-long nationwide event that tracked hundreds of flights across the Country. Molly organized pilots from all fifty states to act as flag bearers and fly their respective flags to New York City where a ceremony was held to present the flags to the people of New York. Kirk Kleinholz was the flag bearer for the State of Washington.

The members of the WPA were honored to have these pilots as their guests.

Contact the Future of Flight & Boeing Tour:

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Rich Jones, WPA member, and Ed Kaplanian, Special Projects Manager from the Future of Flight, await the arrival of Bonanza airplanes at the Future of Flight ramp.



## Coming Events

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| Nov 2      | 7:45 p.m. WPA meeting<br>Skill Center—9001 Airport Rd<br>RSVP required for dinner |
| Nov. 8     | WPA Board Meeting<br>Airport Office                                               |
| Nov. 12    | Veterans Day Holiday<br>Airport Office Closed                                     |
| Nov. 13    | Paine Field Community Council<br>(see adjacent article)                           |
| Nov. 22/23 | Thanksgiving Holiday<br>Airport Office Closed                                     |
| Dec. 7     | WPA Christmas Party<br>RSVP at (206) 546-3634                                     |
| Dec. 12    | Airport Open House @<br>Future of Flight                                          |
| May 17     | General Aviation Day                                                              |

## PAINE FIELD COMMUNITY COUNCIL MEETING

**Everett Community College**  
Aviation Maintenance Technician School  
9711- 31<sup>st</sup> Pl W, Paine Field  
Tuesday November 13th, 2007

### Current / upcoming projects

- Taxilane Kilo Project
- West side general aviation development
- Castle & Cooke FBO
- North Ramp general aviation condo hangars
- Flying Heritage Collection
- Aircraft Rescue Firefighting Station

787 – 747 Large Cargo Freighter

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