



**JULY 2011
AIRPORT NEWS**

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AIRPORT EVENTS

July 1-4: (See air show & fireworks schedules at right)

July 7: Gateway Area Ultralight Assoc. Mtg.
Hgr. 2 rear at 7:30pm

July 12, EAA Chapter 64 Meeting, 7pm, airport fire station

The airport is open and attended 24-hours daily.

JetAviation 618-646-8000
Ideal Aviation 618-337-3400

ATC Tower Hours 0630-2200

ATIS	121.45
CLNC DEL	118.275
Ground Control	121.8
Tower/CTAF	119.925
Tower UHF	379.3
Unicom	122.95

Airport Firefighters On-Duty
Every Day 0800-2100

(Other times by request)

618-337-7478 or 410-0188

Call "Rescue" on 121.8

Dial 911 for emergencies

For Airport Administration after hours, contact the firefighter on duty. If there is no firefighter on duty, call 618-646-8262 and ask the attendant to call the standby airport management representative.

RUNWAY CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

Runway 12R/30L reconstruction continues on schedule. To accommodate the Fair St. Louis Air Show activities and a few planned large aircraft operations, the runway will be open for day VFR-only operations from June 30 to July 6.

During this short break in construction, there will be no lights or approach aids for the runway. The surrounding safety areas will be safe (i.e., no holes, ditches, barricades or other hazards). Although 25 feet of additional pavement have been added to the south side, the original runway pavement markings for the 7,001 ft. by 100 ft. runway remain useable in their original configuration.

The runway will close again on July 6th until construction is completed in late September.

GRIZZLIES' FIREWORKS JULY 2, 3, & 4

The Grizzlie's GCS Ballpark will conduct fireworks displays at the end of their games (around 9 p.m.) on July 2, 3 and 4. Use caution as the fireworks will be approximately 300 feet north of the Runway 30R extended centerline and 1,250 feet short of the threshold, with peak fireworks altitudes of 350-400 feet AGL.

HANGAR FOR SALE

Nearly-new free-standing T-hangar for sale located on the west ramp. Insulated & painted inside. Currently rented for \$210 monthly. Take immediate possession or keep the renter. \$19,500. Contact Mike at 618-410-0335.

EAA CHAPTER MEETING CHANGES

For the months of July and August, Chapter 64 meetings have been postponed to the second Tuesday of the month to allow our members to recover from the 4th of July holiday and Oshkosh's AirVenture.

The July meeting will be held in the fire station at 7 pm July 12th. Food will served at 6.



FAIR ST LOUIS AIRSHOW NEWS

This year's 4th of July Gateway Arch Riverfront airshow celebrations will include the following acts: The Aeroshell four-ship T-6 Texan Team; the Black

Daggers SkyDiving Team jumping from a C-130J jump plane from St. Joseph, MO ANG; Greg Poe's MX2; John Moore's Stearman; Bill Stein's Edge 540; Jason Newberg's Pitts; and the Red Eagles.

Military fly-bys will include an F-18 & F-4U Corsair Legacy Flight; an A-10; a B-52 (Sat & Mon only); and a C-130 out of Scott AFB. Planned aircraft but not yet confirmed include the F-22; the B-2 on 4th; a P-3 Orion; and a KC-135 Stratotanker and other USAF heavy airlifters. Other military aircraft requested include Apache & Cobra Helicopters, a Harrier, an Osprey, and a B-1.

The practice show will be held on Friday afternoon with two scheduled shows on Saturday at 12 and 4:30, Sunday shows at 11:30 and 4, and one show on Monday the 4th, at 1:30.

Although the airshow aircraft parking ramp will be a closed and secured area, escorted walking tours will be available between shows if enough escorts are available.

SPECIAL NEEDS AIRSHOW

Sunday, July 3rd's activities include a special airshow at the airport for people with special needs from noon to 2. Everyone with any special need is welcome to come to the fire station for access to the flight line between 11 and 3.

The air show performers will be flying an additional aerial demonstration here at the airport on their return from the Gateway Arch Riverfront and will be available for autographs and to show their aircraft to spectators after landing.

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