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AIRPORT EVENTS

July 1-7: (See schedule of activities on reverse)

July 3: EAA Chapter 64 Mtg., Fire Station at 7 pm

June 5: Gateway Area Ultralight Assoc. Mtg. Hgr. 2 rear at 7 pm

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.

LOCAL PILOT TO ESTABLISH A WORLD FLIGHT RECORD ON JULY 4

Local EAA chapter member, Air Force Veteran, and two-time brain cancer survivor, Brian Kissinger, will attempt to establish his third Aviation World Record during a flight that will end here just before noon, July 4th, at the start of the Fair St. Louis "Special Needs" Air Show.

Brian will depart at 6:37 a.m. for a flight to St. Joseph, Missouri, and return at the start of the noon air show. He and his aircraft, an Experimental Sonerai II, will be on static display during the show and he will fly in the second show that day at the Gateway Arch Riverfront.

Brian and his aircraft will also be on static display at the Malcolm Martin Memorial Park (the Gateway Geyser fountain park on the east riverfront) on Friday and Saturday evenings, July 6 and 7, from 6 to 8:30 p.m.

Brian's third World Record attempt is not just for fun or to set a new personal best, but to raise awareness and funds to help Homeless Veterans. Only 11 percent of our Nation's population are Veterans, however, Veterans comprise 25 percent of the homeless population.

Donations to help Homeless Veterans can be made to the Joseph Center (www.josephcenter.org), 5020 State Street, E. St. Louis, IL 62205 via check, or through an on-line donation at www.PaxetAmor.org (indicate "For Homeless Veterans").

"Love God and Help People" is the simple message Brian hopes to highlight as he flies, again, into the record books.

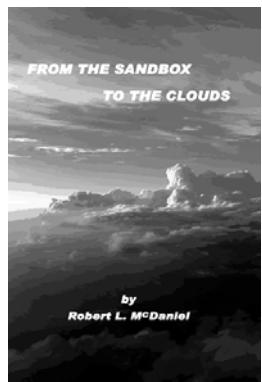
The Fédération Aéronautique Internationale and National Aeronautic Association will sanction and certify this new World and National Aviation Record for speed over a recognized course.

Flight sponsors include EAA Chapter 64, The Greater St. Louis Air & Space Museum, Gateway Flight 26 Order of Daedalians, and a strong team of individuals who have been readying the aircraft for its record setting flight.



AIRPORT DIRECTOR AND AUTHOR

Yes, that's right. I wrote and published a book. *From the Sandbox to the Clouds* is an easy-reading autobiography that chronicles my journey from a Cessna 150 to supersonic flight and back. It covers my participation in military operations in war zones and peaceful flights at thirty miles per hour in my powered parachute. My civilian career is covered from my teenage years working as a "lineboy" at this airport to pay for flying lessons, to my current position as airport director.



My dream of flying began as a child in a sandbox and propelled me into the clouds. It is a flying story, a war story, and a bit of a love story, as it illustrates the sacrifices required of military families. Hopefully, it will inspire others to dream what may seem impossible, to believe those dreams are achievable, and to reach out and fulfill them.

All proceeds from books sold at *The Greater St. Louis Air & Space Museum* are retained by the museum to fund their activities.



EAA'S B-17 FLYING FORTRESS TOUR STOP

EAA's fully restored B-17 "Flying Fortress" *Aluminum Overcast*, is going to be featured in this year's Fair St. Louis Air Shows and will be on display and available for flights at St. Louis Downtown Airport (hosted by EAA Chapter 64) July 3-4, and at Spirit of St. Louis Airport (hosted by EAA Chapter 32) July 6-8. History comes alive at each stop, prompting aviation and history enthusiasts alike to take a step back in time.

Don't miss out on the opportunity to take a mission flight or ground tour when *Aluminum Overcast* comes to town. Call 1-800-359-6217 or go to www.b17.org to book your flight.

The Airport Administration Office is located in the Fire Station at 6100 Archview Drive, Cahokia, Illinois 62206-1445

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FAIR ST. LOUIS AIR SHOW ACTIVITIES

Monday, July 2:

Air Show aircraft arrive

Tuesday, July 3:

5 to 9 a.m.: Media flights

9 to 10 a.m.: KMOX's Charlie Brennan Show, broadcast live from our flightline

Noon to 3: Practice air show over the riverfront

7 p.m.: Golden Knights jump into Busch Stadium

Wednesday, July 4:

10:00 a.m.: Volunteers arrive at airport *

10:30: Airport gates open to special needs guests only (all others, please attend the air show at the riverfront.)

11:45: B-17 flies down Market Street to close Parade and open Air Show

11:50: Brian Kissinger arrives at the airport at end of World Record-Setting Flight to raise funds for homeless veterans—Aircraft will be on static display

Noon-2:30: Special Needs Air Show at Airport (Invited special needs guests and volunteer workers only, please.)

Noon-2:30: Riverfront Air Show

3:30-5:15: Riverfront Air Show

7:00: Golden Knights jump into Busch Stadium

Friday, July 6 & Saturday, July 7:

6:00-8:30 p.m.: Powered Parachute and World Record Setting Sonerai II aircraft on display at Malcolm Martin Memorial Park (the Gateway Geyser fountain on the East riverfront) to raise funds for homeless veterans

AIRCRAFT PERFORMING:

Golden Knights Skydiving Team

AV-8B Harrier

B-17 Bomber

The Aeroshell Team (4 T-6s)

Bob Carlton in a jet-powered sail plane

The Iron Eagles (two Christen Eagle biplanes)

Rob Holland in an MX-2

John Mohr in a Stearman

John Klatt in an MXS

Matt Younkin in a Twin Beech-18

Skip Stewart in a Pitts S-2 Sport Aerobatic Biplane

A-10 Warthogs

B-52 Bomber Fly-by

(Schedule and performers may change)

* Special Needs Air Show Volunteers are needed to direct traffic into parking; assist directing pedestrians; hand out programs, water, and freeze pops; assist performers with autographs; secure the crowd line; and much more! All volunteers must arrive promptly at 10 a.m. to receive their mandatory safety briefing. If interested in volunteering, contact Paula Voorhees to sign up. PDVoorhees@yahoo.com / 314-200-9253