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AIRPORT EVENTS

**Aug. 2: Gateway Area
Ultralight Assoc. Mtg.**
Hgr. 2 rear at 7 pm

**Aug. 7: EAA Chapter 64
Mtg., Airport Fire Station**
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.



WORLD FLIGHT RECORD SET ON JULY 4

By now you have probably heard that our local pilot, Brian Kissinger, established a World Flight Record on July 4th to raise funds and awareness to help homeless veterans. Our friend and fellow pilot, Jeff Wilson, from KSDK, created two short *YouTube* videos, one before the flight and one covering Brian's arrival at the end of the record-setting flight.

These two short videos have been monetized by *YouTube*. That means *YouTube* will donate a small amount to help homeless veterans every time someone watches them. So take a look and help the cause. (Even if you've seen them, watch them again!) Forward them to everyone you know and let's raise some funds for a great cause!

www.youtube.com/watch?v=pJZCiE0W6MA

www.youtube.com/watch?v=GO2sJbSQi6w

TUSKEGEE AIRMEN EXHIBIT

A special Tuskegee Airmen exhibit opens at the Jefferson Barracks Heritage Foundation Museum beginning August 25. The exhibit will feature a series of paintings by local artist, William Curtis, models of the Tuskegee aircraft, uniforms, awards and medals earned by the airmen, and images of their group's insignia.

See www.jbhf.org for more information. Admission is free. The Jefferson Barracks Heritage Foundation is a non-profit organization that honors the achievements and sacrifices made by the brave men and women who courageously served in the U.S. military.



THANKS TO OUR AIRSHOW VOLUNTEERS

Thank you to everyone who braved the excessive Independence Day heat to help ensure the safety and success of our Special Needs Air Show. The heat kept the crowd small but we received many positive comments from those in the audience and many queries about next year's show from those who couldn't come this year because of the heat.

Yes, we absolutely will do it again next year and we will need your support to continue to make this very special event possible. We took note of some areas that still need improvement and listened to your suggestions. It's going to keep getting better every year.

Since Independence Day will fall on Thursday next year, we expect the air shows and riverfront festivities to be bigger and better than ever!

FALL AIRPORT EVENTS

Cooler fall flying weather is right around the corner along with a multitude of aviation events.

Sept. 8, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.: Youth Gateway to Aviation is an all-day event sponsored by St. Louis University's Parks College, Boeing, EAA Chapter 64, and many other co-sponsors and participants. More than 500 Venture Scouts between the ages of 14-20 (60 percent females) will take part in a daylong event fostering aviation education. The day includes interactive activities, discovery flights, demonstrations and displays by educational institutions and industry leaders. Volunteers are needed in many areas. Local EAA chapters will be providing Young Eagle flights, the Museum will be open with lots of activities, and many organizations will be supporting this unique event.

Oct. 6: Greater St. Louis Air & Space Museum's Fly-in and Open House on the West Ramp, co-sponsored by EAA Chapter 64.

EVENTS AT NEARBY AIRPORTS:

Sept. 6-8: Fly over to Mount Vernon for the Midwest Light Sport Aviation Expo

Sept. 14-16: Forest Park Balloon Race

Sept. 15-16: Scott Air Force Base Open House and Air Show featuring the USAF Thunderbirds

Sept. 28: St. Louis Regional Airport's (ALN) Annual Fly-in

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