Pottstown Aircraft Owners & Pilots, Inc.



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Newsletter

Dennis Galvin 610-630-4258 or zlinair@pond1.net if you want a ride or have an available seat.

Regular Monthly Meeting

The October Meeting will be held on October 28, 2010 at the Roost.

Free Potluck Supper. We will have a chili/soup cook off. Bring your favorite chili or soup for all to sample. Let us know if you wish to participate. Prizes for the best chili or soup will be awarded. We will also provide hot dogs. Donations of appetizers or desserts will be appreciated by all. DRESS ACCORDINGLY!!

As always, the official meeting starts at 8:00 PM. If you are planning to join us for dinner, its cocktail and munchies at 1800 and the grill should be ready to cook at 1900. For Reservations please call Ethel at 610-495-6366 or Winnie at 610-495-5111. Please come out and join us with for a night of fun, food and friends.

Flyout

Luray Caverns—October 31, 2010

Fly to a World Underground

It has taken untold millennia for the chambers of Luray Caverns to build their spectacular displays of stalactites and stalagmites, one drip of water at a time. But they remain for us to visit, one of the wonders of the spectacularly scenic Shenandoah region of Virginia. A bonus will be a good look at nature's display of fall colors on the nearby mountainsides.

On October 31 we will fly to the Luray airport (W45) for a day of exploration. There's a one-hour tour of the cave and included admission to the Car and Carriage Caravan Museum. Don't forget warm clothing, as the interior of the cave is at a constant 54 damp, chilly degrees. Wear old shoes, because those mineral drips can be hard to remove. A fast food-type restaurant is on the premises, or you can picnic. For more information and prices go to www.luraycaverns.com.

It's 166 nm as the crow flies, but the crow can fly through the Washington Special Flight Rules Area, and you probably don't want to. We'll have a preflight briefing to discuss realistic, legal routing. Let's gather at Penn Airways at 0930 for 1000 takeoff. Contact

2010 Christmas Party

Save the date of December 11, 2010 for our Christmas party at the Desmond. Details to follow.

November Meeting

At the November meeting we will have the FAA as our speaker and he asked what topic you all would be interested in. Let Winnie know by email winneellis@comcast.net or call 610-495-5111.

Fly In Breakfast

Last month's Fly-in breakfast was graced with excellent weather and as a result, we managed to post a reasonable profit. The board would like to thank all of the volunteers who gave of their time on both Saturday and Sunday.

In all we served 314 paying customers (267 adults and 47 children) and 18 volunteers for a total \$1883. The raffles brought in an additional \$2256 for a total income of \$4139. After paying all the bills we made \$1390.21.

The winner of the iPad was Mr. David of Macungie PA and the winner of the dinner for two at the Desmond was our own Rick Jones.

Congratulations

Congratulations to our youngest member Mike Dinnell on his marriage to Alicia on October 1, 2010. Have a wonderful life together.

Upcoming Local Events

Lancaster Airport Aviation Safety Day Saturday, November 6, 2010, starting at 7:00 am

Full day of aviation activities featuring Owner Maintenance, Keeping Your Medical, LSA - Buying and Flying Tips, Avionics: Top to Bottom, Precision Landings and Flying to Mars in 2030. Tower Tours and Sensenich Prop Shop Tours.

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2010 PAOP Event Calendar

Date	Event	Program
4/25/10	Fly Out - Sky Acres, Millbrook, NY (44N)	Brunch
4/29/10	Monthly Meeting @ The Fairways	
5/4/10	Board Meeting	
5/23/10	Fly Out - Bradley Field, Windsor Locks, CT (BDL)	New England Air Museum
5/27/10	Monthly Meeting @ The Roost	Steak
6/1/10	Board Meeting	
6/20/10	Wings and Wheels Breakfast	
6/24/10	Monthly Meeting @ The Roost	Chicken*
6/27/10	Fly Out - Kentmorr Marina, Stevensville, MD (3W3)	Crab Lunch
6/29/10	Board Meeting	
7/25/10	Fly Out - Easton, MD (ESN)	Lunch, Maritime Museum
7/29/10	Monthly Meeting @ The Roost	Hot Dogs and Hamburgers
8/3/10	Board Meeting	
8/26/10	Monthly Meeting @ The Roost	Clams and Chicken*
8/29/10	Fly Out - Lock Haven, PA (LHV)	Piper Museum
8/31/10	Board Meeting	
9/12/10	Annual Fly-In/Drive-In Breakfast	
9/26/10	Fly Out - Altoona, PA (AOO)	Brunch
9/30/10	Monthly Meeting @ The Roost	Lobster*
10/5/10	Board Meeting	
10/28/10	Monthly Meeting	
10/31/10	Fly Out - Luray Caverns (W45)	Leaf Peeping, Cave Tour
11/2/10	Board Meeting	
11/18/10	Monthly Meeting	
11/21/10	Fly Out - Sky Manor, Pittstown, NJ (N40)	Brunch
11/30/10	Board Meeting	
12/19/10	Fly Out - Frederick, MD (FDK)	Brunch
TBD	Christmas Party	
1/4/11	Board Meeting	
1/27/11	Monthly Meeting	
1/31/11	Fly Out - Lincoln Park, NJ (N07)	Brunch

^{• *} Steak is allow also available at these meetings

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