

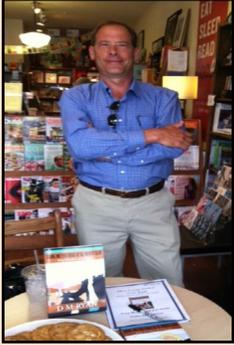
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Welcome Dave!

We are pleased to announce that Monday, August 25, Dave Ryan became the new Airport Manager. Dave managed the Friday Harbor Airport for six years. Prior to his employment with Friday Harbor, he gained extensive experience in management, planning, and operations from Tulsa, Oklahoma to Midway Island in the North Pacific. He has worked almost all aspects of the airport environment, and is ready for new experiences with the Arlington Municipal Airport. Please stop by and say hello to Dave!



WorldWind Helicopters, Inc.

In late spring, WorldWind Helicopters became a tenant at the airport. With services from helicopter charters and air tours to fire suppression and external load operations, they are a great source for helicopter services in Seattle and the Pacific Northwest.

Whether it's their employees or their equipment, they always strive for the best. With pilots averaging 20 years experience, and equipment meticulously maintained, they guarantee the best quality service.

Construction services, charter and air tours, aerial photography and filming, rappelling, wire pulling, are just a sampling of the services they provide.

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Glaser Diesel

On May 20, 2014, the very first factory-test Technify 2.0 liter diesel-powered Sportsman took off from the Arlington Airport. Test pilot Ben Rauk noted that the engine started easily and is exceptionally smooth.

Ben observed that at lower altitudes, the lower horsepower affects takeoff roll and climb rate. However, as the airplane climbs, the benefit of the turbo becomes apparent. At 8500 feet, Ben was seeing a 900 fpm climb rate. That is great performance for operators in higher density altitudes.

Testing will continue in the weeks to come. Arlington-based Glaser anticipates that this airplane will be available through its highly regarded Two Weeks To Taxi program beginning this fall.

Airport Appreciation Day!

This year's event will be held September 20, from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Join us for a day of fun!

Free airplane rides for kids

Fly overs

Aircraft static displays

Helicopter tours

Flight simulators

Bouncy house

Paint an airplane

Face painting

Ice cream

Bubble pool

Arlington Fire & Police Departments

Rides in a WWII Trainer with fee

We are still in need of pilots for the Young Eagles and static displays. Please contact our office if you are interested.

Contact information:

Arlington Municipal Airport—18204 59th Avenue NE, Arlington, WA 98223 360-403-3470

Directions:

East on Hwy 531 (172nd Street NE), left on 59th Avenue NE. The Airport is approximately one mile on the left.

Historical Dedication

A ceremony was held Monday, July 21, 2014, at the airport, for a historical dedication to Major Wesley Schierman for his service to our community and country. A sign was installed at the airport in his honor.



The Black Jacks performed the Missing Man mission in honor of Major Schierman.

Two Weeks to Taxi Program

The General Aviation Manufacturers Association (GAMA) and Build A Plane announced that Sunrise Mountain High School was the winner of its second nationwide Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM) aviation design challenge competition. Chosen from among 79 schools in 33 states plus Washington, DC, the team included four students, the teacher and two advisors. They received an all-expense-paid trip to the Glasair Aviation facilities here at the airport, to build a Glasair Sportsman aircraft over two weeks starting June 16, 2014. The team built a Glasair Sportsman—a metal and composite aircraft that seats four adults. Sold as a kit, the plane was assembled with assistance in just two weeks through Glasair’s well-known “Two Weeks to Taxi” program. The completed plane was flown to Oshkosh, Wisconsin, where it was featured at AirVenture 2014 from July 28-August 3, 2014.

Fun at the Fly-In!

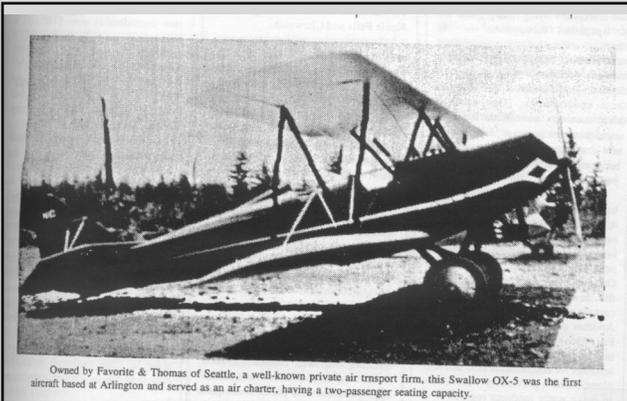
The Arlington Fly-In on July 10-12 was a great success. The weather was beautiful and there were activities for everyone to enjoy from daily air shows, the Fly-In Theater, simulators, military parades, the beautiful Hot Air Balloon Glow, and the free rocket and aerobatics night fireworks show by Team Rocket. Mark your calendars for July 9-11, 2015!

Did you know

One of the largest military aircraft, the C-5, stands six stories tall. Its length of 143 feet is longer than the Wright Brothers’ first flight of 120 feet.

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Back in time



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Goodbye

The Aviation Division of WSDOT located at the airport office is relocating. Beginning September 15, the sole WSDOT Aviation Division will be located at:

7702 Terminal St SW, Tumwater, WA 98501-7264
360-709-8015/800-552-0666

We'll miss them and we wish them the very best!

Taxilane Improvements Project:

The project involves reconstruction of two of the airport’s taxilanes leading to Wild Blue Aviation and Glasair. Trimaxx Construction, Inc. has been awarded the project. Construction should begin early fall.