

CABLE

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GRAM

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DOWN MEMORY LANE

Thank You

Cable Airport and Cableites would like to take this opportunity to thank **Bill Blanchard** for his many years of “meeting the deadline” every month and getting the newsletter out to all of us. It is not an easy job month after month, finding new and interesting items to report. Many people have their own ideas as how it should be done, but not many step up and submit articles. Instead they sit back and say he should do this or that.

As a “fill in editor”, I, (*Mary Barnett*), would like to encourage all of the Cableites to actively consider supporting the new editor with articles already written, (floppy disc included or email transmissions). If not that complete, then a roughly written idea, or biography of one of the interesting characters that hang around this very special airport, we all call our second home.

Lo and behold.....the next month I was selected the new “editor”, however I didn’t want to do this alone....and asked Tony Settember, my walking partner, to join me as co-editor, and he agreed. For 15 years, every month, Tony and I have gotten the Cable Gram and later the Cable WEB Gram out. That is 180 issues of the published version. Wow!!

The statement made above is still appropriate....we would like to encourage all of the Cableites to continue to support the editors with articles or events we could share of adventures taken or planned, so we can follow along.

5 years ago: 50th Anniversary of Cable. Air Fair was rained out (but rescheduled for April). The Banquet was held as scheduled at Griswold’s in Claremont.

20 years ago: Cable Unicom is now 123.0. Fuel prices will increase slightly: \$1.20 for 80 octane and \$1.25 for 100 octane.

Bill Blanchard always put in little snippets from years past. This one appeared in the April 2000 issue mentioned above.

Amazing....the 65th anniversary and the 70th of Cable Airport was also rained out (or partially). But I sure do like those gas prices!!!

Cable Airport has lost a good friend!



Pat Yarborough passed on March 18, 2015. She has been a long time supporter of Cable and was adopted as a Cableite by her many friends here. As a reporter for the Claremont Courier, she had access to many of the happenings such as the annual air show and frequently reporting on the Young Eagles activities when they occurred.

Pat helped coordinate the Special Program for Special People at the Air Show each year. It has grown to be considered the first day of a 3 day event instead of a two day event. There were over 300 people attending the 2015 Air Faire. Several of the local politicians, such as Upland Mayor Ray Musser and City Councilman Gino Filipi, along with several of the Claremont officials attended. Each year, the clients from OPARC and the special education schools wait for the formal invitation she would send out.

Pat was a regular for lunch at Maniac Mike’s Café, and she attended many of the group parties hosted at the airport. She will be missed by many of us.

Her memorial services will be held Saturday, April 4 at 1pm at the Claremont Presbyterian Church, 1111 N. Mountain Ave.

Her family has been invited to join Chuck and Mary at their hangar (316) so we can also remember her at 6pm Saturday April 4, for Cable friends. Please join us if you can.

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FROM THE CABLE AIRPORT OFFICE...

HAVE YOU SCHEDULED YOUR INSPECTION APPOINTMENT?

As a reminder, ALL hangers and buildings on the airport grounds will be inspected and will include looking for fire/safety hazards, unsafe/illegal electrical connections including the incorrect use of extension cords, unpermitted structures, and currently certified fire extinguishers. Violations will be noted and you will be given an opportunity to correct them within two weeks prior to a re-inspection. We will also be taking this time to update your leases, verify the information on the aircraft you have stored, update our insurance records for that same aircraft, and making sure we have a copy of your key or combination on file in our office. Please call the Airport Office at 909-982-6021 if you wish to schedule an appointment for your inspection. PLEASE NOTE: Appointments will be taken up to Friday, April 17th. After that date, your hanger will be inspected with or without your permission. Make it easy for all involved, schedule your appointment today.

Hangar Fire Inspection Checklist

1. The fire extinguisher is at least a 2A 10BC rating. Mounted on wall between 3.5 feet to max of 5 feet.
2. The fire extinguisher has been serviced by a State Fire Marshal's licensed company within the past year.
3. There is at least one fire extinguisher inside each Hanger.
4. Electrical panel switches are clearly marked.
5. Provide 3 feet minimum clearance around all electrical panels.
6. All electrical outlets and junction boxes have cover plates on them.
7. Extension cords are not being used for permanent wiring.
8. Multi-plug adapters are equipped with built-in circuit breakers, and cords do not exceed 6 feet in length.
9. There is no storage over 10 gallons of flammable or Combustible liquids, Shall be stored in approved liquid storage cabinets. This does not include combustible liquids that are stored in aircraft or vehicle approved fuel tank.
10. All storage is at least 18 inches below sprinkler heads and 24 inches below ceiling in non-sprinklered buildings.
11. Maintain 3 feet minimum clearance for access/use of fire appliance/equipment.
12. No "high piled" storage allowed in Hanger.
13. Housekeeping/Storage – the aircraft operation area and related areas shall be kept free from combustible debris at all times.

14. Illegal tenant improvements must be permitted or removed.

GATE CARD UPDATES

If you haven't updated your gate card information, please come by the Airport Office and do so as soon as you can.

VASI UPDATE

Well, as they say, the best laid plans... The FAA did their flight check to certify the VASI and everything within the parameters given was taken care of. HOWEVER... the FAA flight crew decided to look at what would happen if someone flew outside of the parameters. And what did they find? Another tree.

In lieu of cutting the tree, the FAA is going to baffle the VASI so pilots that overshoot final to the north will be unable to see the VASI. They came out March 13th to measure the baffles and now they are in the process of manufacturing them. So when will the VASI be turned back on? Who knows? Our goal is to have it on by May 1st; however, everything is out of the Airport Office's hands.

PAY YOUR RENT AUTOMATICALLY

Don't forget, you can sign-up to have your rent paid automatically from your credit card. Visit the Airport Office or call us at 909-982-6021 to sign-up!



What's it hurt it's just a hutch!

Well this is true. It is just a hutch but unfortunately it must be hauled off, or broken up and put in a dumpster thereby filling it up and leaving no room for any other person to dispose of "airport generated trash". This seems to be an ongoing problem and I can tell you who it is going to hurt, and that is all of the tenants here at the airport. If the airport is forced to hire an individual to continually dispose of items that are not airport generated trash and too big to fit in the dumpster it will be an annual cost of over \$24,000 a year for a full time person with benefits at minimum wage. This equates to roughly an additional \$100 a year on your hangar rent. Please help us police the dumpster so this does not occur. The office phone number is 909-982-6021. If it is after hours and you can get a license plate number or name please leave a message. We will track down and eliminate the violators in order to keep costs down for YOU.

**EAA / CAF – Friends of Cable
Annual Spring Dinner and Meeting
AT THE TUMBLED GYRO – HANGAR 316**

**Entertainment to be provided by the smokin'
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**Dinner Price \$15.00 per person
"RSVP" and payment deadline of April 4, 2015
Contact : Bill Cary (818) 519-9137 or bill.cary@tetrapak.com**





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Young Eagle Volunteers Needed

Chapter 448
YoungEagles
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David Franklin
Private Pilot
Ground School
Begins
May 12, 2015

David Franklin
Instrument
Ground School
Begins
May 20, 2015

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Congratulations
Danielle Reynolds
New Private Pilot
30 MAR 2015
Jeff Ang CFI



Congratulations
Robert Ramirez
New Instrument Pilot
8 MAR 2015.
Allan Sargony and Jeff Ang CFI



Congratulations
Xingyi Cao
New Private Pilot
30 MAR 2015
Rick Strack CFI.



Congratulations
Pius Choi
First Solo Flight
20 MAR 2015 Rick Strack CFI



Congratulations
Scott Toppo,
First Solo Flight, 25 MAR 2015,
Ron Meyer CFI

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April Fools!



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Hello, Cableites! Business is going great and I want to say "thank you" for your patronage, support, and kind words. It is greatly appreciated.

We have been steadily increasing our inventory of aircraft & pilot supplies. We have AeroShell oil in stock (available by the case or quart), Champion Oil filters, Phillips 66 Hydraulic Oil, fuel additives, oil additives, cleaners, degreasers, testers, detectors, and as always we have Sectional charts, TAC, WAC, & AFD's.

Come and see the new line of Cable Airport t-shirts, mugs, shot glasses, drink cozies, and calendars. Give yourself a break and stop by for a soda, or ice cream. We now have "old fashioned" candies you will remember loving as a kid.

We are open Tuesday - Friday 10:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m., and Saturday - Sunday 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. We look forward to serving you!

Civil Air Patrol Squadron 25 Meets *every Tuesday* at Cable Airport in the CAP HQ on Benson Ave from 6:30pm to 9:00pm. Call (909)982-4014 for information.

2015 Air Show Committee Meeting

Cable Air Show 2015 — To be decided, 6pm at Maniac Mikes Café

San Gabriel Valley 99's Chapter of the International Organization of Women Pilots. All lady pilots and lady student pilots are welcome. Contact Virginia Harmer at (909) 987-0087. or dvharmer@gmail.com for information.

Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 10489

Meets first Wednesday, 7:00 p.m., CAF Building. (909) 985-0476

Cable EAA Chapter 448

Save The Date — April 11, 2015

3rd Pursuit Squadron, Commemorative

Air Force Call (951) 237-9610.

Save The Date — April 11, 2015

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