

# CABLE

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## FROM THE AIRPORT OFFICE:

### **Sign, Signs everywhere there are signs...**

New airport signage has been located at many places on the airport. These signs are designed with safety in mind and must be obeyed. The airport drivers test almost is ready, which will be a requirement to drive on the airport. Please take note of the signs and be aware of your speed, 25 mph on perimeter of the airport, 10 mph in the presence of aircraft, yield and stop at the many intersections around the airport, an aircraft will not hear an on coming car and visa versa.

### **Neighborhood Watch...**

It has come to the attention of airport management that here has been some theft of items that has not been reported to Cable airport staff. The airport is only as safe as we all make it. If you have an issue, please, contact the airport office to file a confidential complaint. We can alert security that extra measures need to be taken to insure that the airport is a safe and secure environment for all of us that call this home.

### **Who's following me...**

Please take time to let gates close behind you so that others may not "slide on in" with your gate card. It is hard to differentiate those that are supposed to be here and those that are not. If they get mad because the gate has closed behind you, on them, and they do not have access, then they do not need to be on the property! Be sure to lock your hangar if you are going to be gone for any length of time, it is cheap insurance. Be alert of any unusual activity, report it to the office 909-982-6021, as soon as possible, many eyes are better than a few. Should you have problems with your gate card please contact the airport office so that we may get them resolved.

### **This is *not* Cable Landfill...**

Trash, this is now more than a problem. There is a dumpster provided for the convenience of not having to take your daily hangar trash with you, even though you packed it in, you should also pack it out! We are not a dumping ground for all of your unwanted items that you are too lazy to dispose of properly. When you are caught dumping large, household, garage or other bulky items in the trash you will be billed for the dumping of that dumpster. If this still is a problem in the upcoming months then we will have no choices other than to bill everyone for trash or take the dumpster out, neither of which is appealing to tenants not using the dumpster.

### **From the Meter Maid...**

We have assigned parking areas now at various locations of the airport, most of which have already been rented out. If you must park a vehicle for any time, be sure that it is in an assigned spot or in your hangar. Parking in the ramp areas is not allowed and chances are that it may be towed, at your expense.

We thank you in advance for your help in these matters. Should you have any comments or concerns please send them to [sdunn@cableairport.com](mailto:sdunn@cableairport.com) or [mstewart@cableairport.com](mailto:mstewart@cableairport.com) so that they may addressed as quickly as possible.

## **Do you want internet access in your hangar?**

The Airport Office is considering allowing an internet service provider to install wireless technology on airport grounds in order to provide internet access, for a fee, within the hangars. Estimated fees would be roughly \$20 - \$40 per month for personal class service and roughly \$100 per month for commercial class service (pricing based upon speed). In order to ascertain the potential demand for such service, the Airport Office requests your assistance. If you may be interested in this type of service, please contact the Airport Office to tell us your interest. You can either come by the office, call us at 909-982-6021, or email Stephen at [sdunn@cableairport.com](mailto:sdunn@cableairport.com).

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: "World's Largest Family-Owned, Public-Use Airport" :  
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## Dick Rutan and Mike Melvill visit Cable Airport

Dick Rutan is well known for his non-stop, round the world flight in the Voyager aircraft in 1986.

Mike Melvill is the world's first commercial astronaut and the early pilot of the Spaceship One craft developed by Scaled composites of Mojave, CA.

The Spaceship One project successfully conquered the Ansari X Prize in 2004 for the first manned commercial spaceflight.

Rutan and Melvill were accompanied by Dave Ronneberg, designer of the Berkut aircraft, Charlie Plumb, well known Vietnam POW and Chris Randall, a local EFII installer based at Whiteman Airport.

The group flew into Cable Airport on April 2<sup>nd</sup> to have lunch and visit Robert Paisley's EFII manufacturing facility. The EFII tour and training session lasted nearly four hours. The technically minded group wanted to learn everything they could about the EFII electronic fuel injection and ignition system. Rutan, Melvill, and Ronneberg are all keen on keeping their aircraft up to date with the latest technological advances. The EFII system is now on the upgrade list for their various aircraft.

The group brought in a number of composite aircraft for the event. Rutan and Melvill arrived at Cable in Rutan's beautifully painted 540 powered Berkut. Ronneberg and Plumb arrived in Ronneberg's 540 Berkut. Chris Randall brought in an EFII equipped Long EZ. Cable Airport tenant and Boeing powerplant engineer Mike Estu brought over his EFII equipped Glasair ITD.



## Petty Officer First Class Aaron Potter— Cadet of the Year

Petty Officer First class Aaron Potter (Hangar 207– and the Av8r Shop) was selected as the Cadet of the Year for the Naval Sea Cadet Corps, for the entire Pacific Southwest Region.

This award was given to Aaron for exceptional performance of duty, serving with distinction while assigned to the Coral Sea Company, for performing professionally and militarily, as well as demonstrating his dedication to duty, pride, professionalism, and a can-do spirit.

His dedication to duty was keeping with the highest traditions of Coral Sea Company, United States Naval Sea Cadet Corps, the United States Coast Guard, and the United States Navy.

Aaron was also awarded with the Theodore Roosevelt Navy League Youth Medal for Outstanding Performance of Duty. This award was established to honor those who best exemplify

Theodore Roosevelt's values of energy spirit, competition, and fair play.

*Congratulations Aaron !!!*

## Greetings From Ohio

We have been reading the CableGram --- WOW 15 YEARS!!!

Here is a picture of spring here in Ohio. We have had plenty of rain and our bulbs are blooming this year. Last year, Marty dug the holes for the bulbs and it was Mary's job to drop the bulbs in the holes dug by Marty. Mary, having been born and raised in California, was unaware that there is a right-way and a wrong-way to place the bulbs in the hole. Last year many of our daffodils probably bloomed somewhere in China as the bulbs were planted with the pointed-side down. Since we did not have a lot of blooms last year, we planted more last Fall in the hopes that we would have better results. This time Mary learned that there was a right-way to plant the bulbs!!! Here are the results --- Cliff's metal artistry of the Luscombe still looks stunning, don't you think?



We are enjoying the Four Seasons. The daffodils are really something to look forward to after a cold and snowy winter.

Marty & Mary





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# Foothill Flyer.....

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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  
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Begins  
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## Dear Friends of Cable

**Please join EAA Chapter 448 on Thursday May 21 at 6:30 PM in the EAA clubhouse for a meeting of all Cable aviation organizations and friends of Cable Airport.**

Chapter 448 has ambitious plans to energize the chapter and we would like to enlist the entire Cable Airport community in this endeavor.

Our vision is to have a monthly open house at the Cable Airport, on a Saturday, where Chapter 448 would administer Young Eagles and show off the aircraft building facility. The goal is to fulfill the EAA Mission Statement.

Chapter 448 would like to partner with the other aviation organizations present at Cable Airport and have the open house on Saturday, a time where all of the aviation organizations can have representatives available for the visiting members of the community. The goal is to make **Cable Airport Open House Saturday** a monthly destination for the entire surrounding community.

Please bring your ideas, thoughts and enthusiasm to the EAA clubhouse on May 21 at 6:30 PM. See you there.

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**Congratulations  
Jefferson Cowart**  
First Solo Flight  
April 17, 2015  
Jeff Ang CFI



**Congratulations  
Michael Nichols**  
First Solo Flight  
April 06, 2015  
Nick Wickham CFI

Twenty-first Annual "World's Smallest"

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## NEWS FROM CABLE FBO's



**Maniac-Mikes Café** OMG, May already, I was looking for April showers but all we got was an April drizzle! As we enter into this warm season where water conservation and pricing is a factor for everyone, please only order water if you are going to drink it. Every-day Maniac-Mikes Café recycles no less than 3

gallons of unused drinking water and ice. We water all of the plants around the main building with this water and have now for over 10 years.

Do you have a favorite warm weather salad or soup that you would like? Let the staff know and you may see it on the special board sometime. As always thank you for your support of Maniac-Mikes Café.



Maniac-Mike – Maniac-Mikes Cafe

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## CLUB NEWS

**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 — May 5, 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

Thursday May 21st 6:30 pm (626) 705-5773

### 3rd Pursuit Squadron, Commemorative

**Air Force** Call (951) 237-9610.

Save The Date — To be decided

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