



PAINIE FIELD

Snohomish County Airport

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Hangar Painting

Painting crews continue to work on the repainting of the central ramp hangars. To minimize any possible paint overspray in the hangars, Airport maintenance crews will enter each hangar on the day of painting to place a thin layer of visqueen over each airplane to protect it. We hope to have the project completed by the end of August. Please contact Bryan Johnson at 425-353-2110 x 2234 if you have any questions.

REMINDER

New rental rates for hangars started August 1, 2005

If you have questions

Call Susan Kern at
425-353-2110 x 2226

Paine Field Airport

is on the web at
www.paineairport.com.

As a tenant at Paine Field, your business is listed on our tenant page. If your business has a website, we can provide a link from our tenant list to your website. Or, if you prefer, we can provide an e-mail link to your business. Contact our webmaster, sandy.engstrom@co.snohomish.wa.us with your online contact information.

The Soaring Dreams Airship



You may have seen this blimp sailing over your area! The airship is a partnership between *Portraits of Hope* and *Ameriquist Mortgage Company*. The airship is being used at sporting events to provide aerial coverage, and is also the largest flying public art project ever created. It is an amazing achievement of children of America and is tied down at Paine Field for a few weeks. For more info go to www.soaringdreamsairship.org

WPA NEWS

Aug. 5, 2005: Swap Meet

And Barbecue

Inner Terminal Ramp

Swap meet 5:00 pm—7:30 pm

BBQ at 7:00 pm

Business meeting at 8:00 pm

For further information on these events go to:

www.wpa-paineairport.com

Museum of Flight ACES Day Camp



These smiling kids are members of the Museum of Flight ACE (Aerospace Camp Experience) Camp. The campers are washing the retired Coast Guard helicopter. They are learning about building and refurbishing aircraft at the Museum of Flight Restoration Center and will also be participating in a search and rescue simulation.

Fire Dept News



Some changes are coming to the Airport Fire Hydrants! The blue tops or bonnets are not to make them pretty or easier for firefighters to see. Fire hydrant bonnets are painted different colors to indicate a range of water flow capabilities. This is a system developed by the National

Fire Protection Agency (NFPA) and a blue bonnet indicates a hydrant that will flow 1,500 gallons per minute. Firefighters make better decisions affecting a fire attack if they know ahead of time the available water flow of different hydrants in the vicinity. The Airport hosts an excellent water supply as most of the hydrant bonnets will be painted blue. The Paine Field Fire Department performs yearly inspections of Airport hydrants and will paint the attractive blue tops on most of the hydrants at Paine Field.

Airfield Construction



Construction has started on a new parking ramp located between the inner and outer ramps. This new ramp will help the Airport better accommodate the increasing numbers of corporate aircraft on the field, and will also allow us to better handle weather diverted aircraft from SeaTac. The project will take about 75 days to complete, and should be completed around the first week of October. Wilder Construction is the contractor. There will be some minor airfield impacts associated with this work when it is necessary to close portions of taxiway Charlie and the Delta 1 entrance into the inner terminal ramp. As always, please remember to check your NOTAMS before you fly for updates on airfield closures. Contact Bruce Goetz at 425-353-2110 x2230 if you have any questions.

The "New" Jet Deck

Steve Dorn, the owner of the "New" Jet Deck restaurant, has made a number of facility upgrades over the past month in an effort to enhance the dining experience of his customers. Key among them is the conversion to a "Smoke Free" establishment effective July 15th. Steve took the opportunity to do a deep cleaning of the facility, followed by trim upgrades and fresh paint inside and out on the famous "Jet Deck". New carpet will soon be installed throughout. The cleaner facility is already receiving compliments even before he rolls out the new menu on August 1st. Steve points to the extensive experience of his new chef and kitchen crew and for the improved food quality and speed of service. Steve extends a welcome and encourages airport tenants to give the New Jet Deck another try.