

APRON CONSTRUCTION AT U42

Reconstruction of the apron east of the north hangar and south of the corporate hangars at South Valley Regional Airport is under way and is scheduled to be completed by June 25.

Construction will not impede ground operations nor curtail access to general aviation hangar rows A – D.

U42 PLANE WASH CLOSED

The coin operated plane wash at South Valley Regional Airport (U42) is closed from May 12 through June 25 due to apron construction.

OPS/MAINTENANCE BUILDING REMODEL

A project to remodel the Operations and Maintenance Building (formerly the Alta Aircraft Maintenance hangar) at South Valley Regional Airport (U42) in West Jordan will commence in late June.

It will receive a new roof, skylights, and windows will be replaced. The electrical system will be updated as well as receiving new paint, lighting, and ceilings inside.

The building was constructed and first occupied in the fall of 1974 and was the original reactivation fixed base operator (FBO) building.

Utah Helicopter and Randon Aviation operations should not be impacted.

The project is scheduled to be completed by the first week of November.

GA T-HANGAR INSPECTIONS UNDERWAY

General aviation T-hangar inspections commenced at Salt Lake City International (SLC) and South Valley Regional (U42) Airports during the month of May and are nearly complete.

Recurring discrepancies include uninspected fire extinguishers, lack of required drip pans, and non-aviation related items being stored in hangars.

Salt Lake City Department of Airports (SLCDA) Property Management Specialist Matt Jensen will notify tenants of discrepancies.

2014 RSAT INVITATION

Runway incursions are a serious concern nationally. One of the ways to increase awareness of runway safety and reduce runway incursions is to meet annually with major airport users including commercial pilots, general aviation pilots, fixed base operators, flight instructors, airport operations, airport maintenance, airport police and airport firefighters to discuss ways to enhance airport surface safety. The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) needs input and participation from all of these groups to help develop recommendations and solutions to enhance runway safety.

This annual meeting of individuals and organizations that are actively involved in the movement of aircraft, vehicles and equipment on the Airport Operations Area (AOA) is called a Runway Safety Action Team (RSAT) meeting.

This year's RSAT meeting will be held on June 25 in the Kibbie Executive Terminal conference room from 9:00 a.m. until noon. Short presentations will be given by representatives from the FAA and the Salt Lake City Department of Airports (SLCDA). A tour of the airport will be provided for participants to see a first-hand view of airport "hot spots", the construction areas near Runway 34R, as well as the new de-ice buildings. This will be followed by a discussion to solicit recommendations to improve safety at SLC and will serve as the basis to develop the 2014 Runway Safety Action Plan (RSAP).

Simply put, if you attend the meeting, you are a member of the Runway Safety Action Team, who will help create the 2014 Runway Safety Action Plan!

If you are interested in attending this meeting, please email Doug Nelson at douglas.nelson@faa.gov and he will make sure you get more information!

--SAFETY FIRST--

Do NOT Fuel

**Or Start Aircraft
Inside of Hangars!**

HELPFUL POINTS OF CONTACT

For General Aviation operations, facilities maintenance, aviation newsletter, airfield, and SLC Title 16 questions contact: Steve Jackson, SLCDA General Aviation Manager, (801) 647-5532 or e-mail at steve.jackson@slcgov.com.

For hangar lease and repair questions: Matt Jensen, Airport Property Specialist at (801) 575-2957 or e-mail him at matthew.jensen@slcgov.com.

For aviation security questions call: Connie Proctor at (801) 575-2401.
For gate access problems call: Airport Control Center at (801) 575-2401.

For emergencies call: at SLCIA, (801) 575-2911
at TVY or U42, 911 then (801) 575-2911

For additional GA information call the GA Hotline: (801) 575-2443.

NON-RETURNED HANGAR BADGE POLICY

Due to ongoing security issues with non-returned airport access badges, the Salt Lake City Department of Airports (SLCDA) now requires T-hangar tenants to pay a \$100 charge for non-returned access badges. Failure to return badges generally occurs when tenants vacate hangars.

Hangar deposit money will be used to pay the fee if badges are not returned within thirty (30) days of vacating the hangar. After that time, deposit refunds can be issued for non-expired badges returned to the Airport.

U42 AND TVY BEACONS REPLACED

The airfield rotating beacon towers at South Valley Regional (U42) and Tooele Valley (TVY) Airports have been replaced with state of the art rotating beacons and new 40 foot stand alone single-pole towers and that can be lowered to ground level for maintenance.

SLCDA GA NEWS ELECTRONIC OPTION

If you would like to receive the Salt Lake City Department of Airports' monthly general aviation newsletter by e-mail, send a request including your current e-mail address to: steve.jackson@slcgov.com.

UPCOMING EVENTS AND NEWS

Leading Edge Aviation at South Valley Regional Airport (U42), West Jordan and at Logan – Cache Airport (LGU) hosts multiple events each month including breakfast fly-ins, dinners, and classes. For more information about Leading Edge events, visit: www.leaviation.com.

The Commemorative Air Force (CAF) will host the "Maid in the Shade" B-25 bomber at the **Russ McDonald Field / Heber Valley Airport (36U)** in Heber City June 9 – 16, 2014.

Events will include a Boy Scout pancake breakfast, a 1940's Big Band Swing Dance Party, open cockpit Stearman biplane rides, a parachute jump, and World War II re-enactments. Also included will be B-25 rides, tours, and aircraft static displays. For additional information visit www.cafutahwing.org.

Skypark Airport (KBTF) in Woods Cross, Utah will host a monthly hangar breakfast at the airport on the third Saturday of each month throughout the summer. The FBO will offer self serve fuel discounts during the breakfast.

Skypark Airport has scheduled the **Skypark Aviation Festival** for Saturday, June 7, 2014. Activities will include flight school orientations, aircraft displays, skydivers, and food.

For more information call Chris Volzer at (801) 259-1184 or visit www.skyparkutah.com.

The Delta Airport **Just Wingin' It** Pilots Organization will sponsor an Aviation Camp in conjunction with the **EAA 23**, Utah Chapter of the **Experimental Aircraft Association** Young Eagles Rally at the Delta, Utah Airport (DTA) on June 21. Young men and women ages 10 to 18 are invited to attend. More than 100 young people attended last year's event and more than 80 airplane rides were given.

Courses will be offered that satisfy the Boy Scouts of America aviation merit badge requirements. Utah Valley University, Salt Lake Community College, and Duncan Aviation are committed to attend and provide static displays and aviation flight training information.

For more information contact Steve Lester at steve.lester@jpsc.com or Tom Herbert at tom.herbert@jpsc.com. You may also visit the organization's website at <http://justwinginitindelta.weebly.com/> to register.

EAA 23, the Utah Chapter of the **Experimental Aircraft Association** will hold its monthly chapter meeting at 7:00 p.m. on Friday, June 13, 2014 in the Civil Air Patrol (CAP) building 640 North 2360 West at Salt Lake City International Airport (SLC).

Contact Shawn Cosgrove at shawn.cosgrove@msn.com or (801) 568-2571, or visit the EAA website at <http://www.eaa23.org/> for more information.

JUNE FAA PILOT SEMINARS

Upcoming activity and seminar information is available at: www.faasafety.gov under the "Activities, Courses & Seminars" tab or contact Rick Stednitz, FAA Safety Program Manager at (801) 257- 5073.

Enjoy a Summer of Safe Flying!

