

CASCADE FLYER



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President's Message:

When is summer going to get started. It is supposed to rain again this Friday and into Saturday morning. Bring your thoughts to our CO-OPA Monthly Meeting on the 16th of June, the usual Third Thursday of the month. We'll gather in the Bend Builders Assist hanger, 63030 Powell Butte Road, on the south west corner of KBDN, at 6pm.

Bring your own dinner, and we'll eat right away before food get cold. As always, many thanks go out to Mike Robertson, and Mike Wissing, for letting us use their space.

The forecast for our Fly-out on Saturday keeps changing, and different sources disagree. Weather.gov thinks mostly cloudy 30% chance of showers, light winds. Weather Underground is more optimistic at 15% chance of showers, but cloudy. We may have to plan a Fly-out, and a Not Fly-out at the meeting, and decide after looking at the forecasts again on Friday.

Open House:

Not a lot new at the KBDN Open House, but a lot of details are getting firmed up. Looks like the first runway closure will start just after Labor Day weekend, with the runway re-opened before our Fly-out day. The county is getting serious about a roundabout at Butler Market and Power Butte highway, details TBD. The KBDN runway numbers will change to 17/35, but not for several more years. A tower is coming, but not before 2025.

Newsletter Inputs:

Current and past CO-OPA newsletters, are on our website at:

<http://co-opa.com>

Please send comments and story ideas to:

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Calendar:

- 16 June – Monthly Meeting
- 18 June – Monthly Fly-out
- 18-19 June – Moses Lake Airshow
- 22 June – Deschutes Flying Club Open House
- 25 June – Cottage Grove Wings & Wheels
- 25 June – Klamath Falls A-10 demo
- 4 July – Sisters Fly-in
- 8-9 July – Wallowa County Fly-in
- 21 July – Monthly Meeting
- 23 July – Monthly Fly-out
- 18 August – Monthly Meeting
- 20 August – Monthly Fly-out
- 27-28 August – Airshow of the Cascades

Deschutes Flying Club:

It finally happened. Bend now has a flying club. They have a hanger, and a nice Cessna 172 to rent. Anyone interested should attend their open house on the 22nd at 6pm, in hanger 63290-I8. More details at:

<https://deschutesflyingclub.org/>

Fly-out:

Finally, nice weather for a Fly-out. 6 fliers decided to head over the rock pile to Mulino State Airport (4S9). Another gent from Salem joined us up there. No longer owned by the Port of Portland, 4S9 doing well under state ownership. Most of those on the trip had never been there, a real easy airport, except for the constant hail of sky divers and dealing with the helpful folks on Portland Approach.

On landing, we hiked over the airport grass to the adjacent Vaquero Express restaurant for a fine meal and fine conversation. During lunch, clouds had piled up over the Cascades, but the clouds bases also lifted, so the path home underneath was clear. A good time was had by all.

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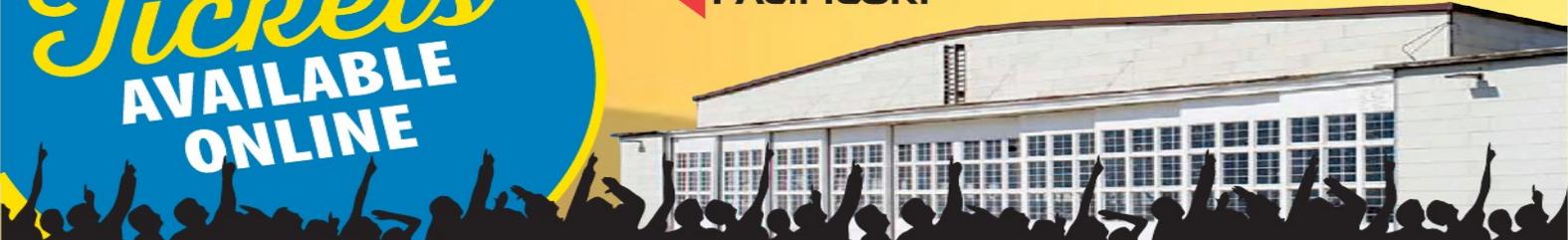
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