

Falmouth Flyer

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Airport President's Column

As the fall colors start to appear on the tree branches it is a reminder to us all to start our preparations for autumn and eventually the winter season. Randy and Tom have already started this process around the airpark grounds.

Another part of our fall preparations is the Falmouth Airpark Annual Meeting. This year it takes place on Saturday October 18th at 9 A M. As usual it will be held at the Gus Canty Community Center. This is next door to the police station. I certainly hope you will set aside a couple of hours to join us. This is our preparation for the upcoming year, and an excellent opportunity for you to get first hand information on the operation of your association and have input into the course we will chart for the upcoming year. We will also be selecting your new board and officers. This is also an opportunity to meet with and interact with your neighbors, some of whom will be departing for warmer climates in the coming months. If your schedule will not allow you to attend the meeting we ask that you please return a proxy statement so that we are able to conduct the day's business. This meeting is required by state law and also our covenants and by-laws so we really need your help so as not to incur additional costs of rescheduling this event. If you have a chance to speak with those who have been to previous meetings I feel confident that they would tell you that those meetings are an informative event. I hope to see you all on October 18th. Until then enjoy the fall colors and weather.

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Upcoming Events

Monthly Board Meeting :

2nd Monday of the month
7 pm at Operation's Bldg.

Annual Board Meeting :

October 18, 2008
(Saturday) Gus Canty

ARC Meeting : 1st Monday of
the Month (there will be no
other meeting times)

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Dec. 20th

ARC Activity

Under Construction

Lot #75 Airpark Drive
John Garabedian

Lot #71B Ben Davis Lane
Peter and Charlene Walsh

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FAHA ANNUAL MEETING

The Falmouth Airpark annual meeting will be held this Saturday October 25. This will be a very important meeting for all residents. We need your support and your input in order to make our airpark the very best it can be. If you are unable to attend the meeting please give your Proxy to someone who can convey your wishes or send it to our secretary.

"SAVE THE DATE"

To all FAHA members:
Saturday, December 20 (evening)

Rick and Meryl Brown have graciously offered to host this year's FAHA holiday celebration in their home at 7 Smilin' Jack Lane.

We are asking attendees to bring either an appetizer or dessert to share, wine or beer for their own consumption, and corresponding wine glasses.

A reminder will follow this notice at a later date with an RSVP request.
FAHA Social Committee

"Labor Day Cookout" Sunday, August 31, 2008

This year's Cookout was held in front of the "Operation Building" and the weather was sunny and warm. Everyone was in a jovial mood and enjoyed an afternoon of delicious food and good company.





Flying Red Hatters

*All ladies living at the airpark are welcome to attend our monthly outings. Wear a Red Hat and Purple Outfit or if under "50" a Pink Hat & Lavender Outfit, if you choose.
Call our queen mothers for further information*

Queen Mothers : Phyllis Swift 508-548-6148 & Mary Kranz 508-540-9759

August: Valerie Volz hosted an outing to Linsay's Restaurant in Wareham

September: Jerry Hazlet hosted a luncheon outing at Sienna's Restaurant in Wareham
(see picture at right)

October: Candie Oldham

November: Sandie Edwards

December: No outing



Wednesday, September 10, 2008

REMEMBER: Cell Phone Numbers Go Public today

REMINDER.... all cell phone numbers are being released to telemarketing companies tomorrow and you will start to receive sale calls.

.... YOU WILL BE CHARGED FOR THESE CALLS

To prevent this, call the following number from your cell phone: 888-382-1222. It is the National DO NOT CALL list. It will only take a minute of your time. It blocks your number for five years. You must call from the cell phone number you want to have blocked. You cannot call from a different phone number.

HELP OTHERS BY PASSING THIS ON It takes about 20 seconds.

Airpark Rotarian Helps Gus Canty Community Center Erect New Event Display Falmouth (September 2008)

The Falmouth Rotary Club, led this year by fellow Airpark resident and FAHA board member Gerd Meissner, has donated an event exhibit and announcement sign to the Gus Canty Community Center. It replaces small banners and signs in different forms and shapes that formerly were posted weekly in front of the Center. Gerd is a Rotarian since 1998, and also a member of the International Fellowship of Flying Rotarians (www.iffir.org). With 1.2 million members in 33,000 clubs worldwide, Rotary International is the world's largest community service organization. In Falmouth, Rotarians fund scholarships for local high school students and contribute to Rotary International's worldwide polio eradication campaign. The new, standardized street front display at the Gus Canty Community Center was unveiled in September. An ad-hoc committee, led by Falmouth Rotary Past-President Bill Kerfoot - who led the "Rotary Day at the Airpark" in 2007 - worked to finalize the design, permit process and future use of the sign. Committee members included Helen Kennedy, Director of the Gus Canty Community Center, Gerd Meissner, 2008-2009 Falmouth Rotary Club President, Art Calfee, Chairman of the Falmouth Design Review Committee, Michael McGowan of Locust Street Signs, and the Office of Selectmen & Administrator. The value of the Rotary donation - cost of the sign, installation, and volunteer time - is estimated at \$5,000. The first event announced on the sign, which can be configured for each new event, was the Falmouth Rotary Craft Fair at the Inner Harbor, the local Rotary Club's main annual fundraising event. The Gus Canty Community Center now announces its most important weekly events on the new street front display donated by Rotary.

“Real Flight Announcements”

Occasionally, airline attendants make an effort to make the "in-flight safety lecture" and their other announcements a bit more entertaining. Here are some real examples that have been heard or reported:

"There may be 50 ways to leave your lover, but there are only 4 ways out of this airplane..."

And, after landing: "Thank you for flying Delta Business Express. We hope you enjoyed giving us the business as much as we enjoyed taking you for a ride."

After a particularly rough landing during thunderstorms in Memphis, a flight attendant on a Northwest flight announced: "Please take care when opening the overhead compartments because, after a landing like that, sure as Hell everything has shifted."

From a Southwest Airlines employee.... "Welcome aboard Southwest Flight XXX to YYY. To operate your seatbelt, insert the metal tab into the buckle, and pull tight. It works just like every other seatbelt, and if you don't know how to operate one, you probably shouldn't be out in public unsupervised. In the event of a sudden loss of cabin pressure, oxygen masks will descend from the ceiling. Stop screaming, grab the mask, and pull it over your face. If you have a small child traveling with you, secure your mask before assisting with theirs. If you are traveling with two small children, decide now which one you love more.

Weather at our destination is 50 degrees with some broken clouds, but they'll try to have them fixed before we arrive. Thank you, and remember, nobody loves you, or your money, more than Southwest Airlines."

"As you exit the plane, please make sure to gather all of your belongings. Anything left behind will be distributed evenly among the flight attendants. Please do not leave children or spouses."

"Last one off the plane must clean it."

And from the pilot during his welcome message: "We are pleased to have some of the best flight attendants in the industry ...Unfortunately none of them are on this flight...!

Heard on Southwest Airlines just after a very hard landing in Salt Lake City: The flight attendant came on the intercom and said, "That was quite a bump and I know what ya'll are thinking. I'm here to tell you it wasn't the airline's fault, it wasn't the pilot's fault, it wasn't the flight attendants' fault.....it was the asphalt!"

After a real crusher of a landing in Phoenix, the Flight Attendant came on with, "Ladies and Gentlemen, please remain in your seats until Captain Crash and the Crew have brought the aircraft to a screeching halt up against the gate. And, once the tire smoke has cleared and the warning bells are silenced, we'll open the door and you can pick your way through the wreckage to the terminal.

Part of a Flight Attendant's arrival announcement: "We'd like to thank you folks for flying with us today. And, the next time you get the insane urge to go blasting through the skies in a pressurized metal tube, we hope you'll think of us here at US Airways."

Announcements

COOK BOOK TIME: THERE IS STILL TIME TO SEND IN YOU RECIPES. THE MORE THE BETTER; MAIL TO: mkg2@verizon.net or lori.bisbee@gmail.com
We would like to have it ready for the late fall. It will make a great Holiday gift. If you have a favorite recipe, a family recipe, a recipe you created yourself, we'd like to add it to our already growing collection so please send it in.
Lori Bisbee

FAA requirement : There is a new FAA requirement to have a statement on your pilots license that says you are "English Proficient" by March, 2009.
www.faa.gov/licenses_certificates/airmen_certification/certificate_replacement/
Mitch

Dumping of brush and grass is only allowed at the end of runway "25".

Tree removal: Due to people either not advising the ARC or ignoring the ARC regarding tree removal the FAHA Board has adopted the following policy. If the ARC has not approved a tree removal a fine of \$250 for trees with a trunk size from 4 to 12 inches and a fine of \$500 for trees with a trunk size in excess of 12 inches will be imposed. If you do not agree with an ARC decision on any tree removal you are welcome to consult an arborist and present their findings to the ARC and the Board for further consideration. Thank you for your cooperation.

Police non emergency phone number 508-457-2527. If you are suspicious of anyone entering the airpark or have concerns of any other incidents or unauthorized persons in the airpark, please call the police at the above phone number. Please don't hesitate to call.

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Please email any articles or other news of interest you would like published in the newsletter. We are looking for someone who is willing to write the newsletter during the winter months when we are in Arizona. Please email us if you are interested in helping out.
Sandie & Paul

High Quality "Air Show W" Stain Remover: Air show W is the best airplane cleaner I have found. Will even clean that REALLY BAD exhaust stain, as well as grease etc. Rae and Candie are selling 1 gallon quantities for \$20 each. We really did pay our shop \$100 for it as it only comes in 5 gallon containers. Call or email Candie Oldham (508) 495-1021.

Announcements

**To: Falmouth Homeowners Association
From: F.A.H.A. Social Committee
Re: Spring/Summer Cook-Outs**

The F.A.H.A. Social Committee on a number of occasions has requested new volunteers for our committee in order to plan social events. Since we have had difficulty finding volunteers and a chairperson, the F.A.H.A. Board of Directors and residents at the May 12th meeting recommended that we return to the original plan for organizing the cookout.

Dates for the Cook-Outs:

Memorial Day--May 25, 2008 (Sunday)

4th of July-- July 5, 2008 (Saturday)

Labor Day-- August 31, 2008 (Sunday)

Save the Date:

Annual Meeting: October 18, 2008 (Saturday)

- Cookouts:**
- 1. Residents/guests bring his/her own food, drinks, paper products, condiments, etc.**
 - 2. Please continue to supply a dish for others to share: appetizers, salads, desserts, etc.**
 - 3. Grill will be available for the cookouts please help with set-up, clean up, filling the propane tank and moving tables**
 - 4. Coffee --available in the Shack. Soda, water and the new, individual gourmet coffees are offered for \$.50 with the proceeds going toward future supplies.**
 - 5. Needed: Cleanup crews for the grill, table-cloths, chairs, trash and moving tables**

Future Events: The social committee would like to encourage the F.A.H.A. Members to help organize events. Do you have a fly-in, field trip, activity, that may be of interest to our membership and would you organize it with the help with some committee members? Let us know.

The F.A.H.A. Social Committee