

Valley Flyers

McNary Field, SLE



January 2011

Valley Flyers,

Happy New Year and welcome 2011! We have our annual club meeting at the Flight Deck, downstairs in the banquet area, at 10AM on the 22nd of January. We are trying to provide a head count, so please RSVP to one of the board members by phone or email if you haven't done so already. It would be great to see as many of our members there as possible to have discussions regarding the club, as well as build camaraderie. A breakfast buffet will be served and I believe the cost will be in the neighborhood of \$10. Thank you.

For those of you who missed the January 1 fly out to breakfast...it was beautiful.

Did you know the duration of a Class 1 and Class 3 medical certificate has changed in the past couple years, at least for those younger than 40. A Class 3 is good for 24 months for those 40 and over, but is now good for 5 years for those under 40. The Class 1 for those under 40 has also changed from 6 to 12 months. Our aircraftclubs.com website has the dates listed when your next medical is due, along with club and flight review due dates. When you have completed your medical, we would like a copy mailed, faxed, or emailed to a member on the board. We will then go in and update your profile.

Thanks again for being a valued member of Valley Flyers. We look forward to seeing you at the club meeting and around the airport!!

Remember this is the COLD time of year. Rarely will the bugs be out to greet the airplane now but the cold is with us for several months. Please don't run the battery down trying to start the plane in freezing temperatures. If you are planning to fly please call Al for a little refresher on start and warm up procedures.

Did you know that fuel is .45 less /gal at Independence?

Airspeed, altitude and brains...two are always needed to successfully complete the flight.

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