

Valley Flyers

September, 2011



Gorgeous weather, and many folks have been seen flying. Some even who don't "need" to.

Congratulations to John Barringer who just passed his CFI check ride, and joins the ranks of club instructors. Give him a call sometime.

The club is investigating the possibility of a significant upgrade to the avionics in one or more of the aircraft. Options and details are still being worked out, but to do this would likely require a front-end expenditure of \$15,000 or more, which we don't have in the bank. Thus we would be looking for some members to pre-pay their dues/flying expenses, and then fly that time off over the following months. If you are in a position to prepay \$1250 or \$2500, let Randy know by email as soon as possible (rireson@comcast.net). If the negotiations regarding the upgrade work out, we would contact those who are willing to advance the funds in the next month or two.

And finally, some interesting events in September:

Hood River Sept 9-11 is the Western Antique Aircraft and Auto Museum fly in. Pancake breakfasts, BBQ, dance, etc. www.waaamuseum.org for details

K-Falls: Sept 10 Fly-in. Breakfast 8-10, F-15s, static displays, etc. 541-883-5372 for more info.

Sunriver: Sept 10 Oregon Pilots Ass'n Convention – includes Ron Machado keynote talk, 99s flying companion seminar, other good stuff. www.oregonpilot.org for details.

Astoria: Sept 17 Warrenton/Astoria Coast Guard & Port of Astoria air show. John Raichl at 503-791-0077 for more info.

GO HAVE SOME FUN!

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