



# General Aviation

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## Mark Your Calendars: General Aviation Breakfast Sept. 10

Join fellow aviation enthusiasts for good food and lofty conversations at the annual General Aviation Breakfast! The 99's Local Aviation Group will be serving traditional breakfast items from 8 to 10 a.m. on Saturday, Sept. 10 in Hangar 3 (7315 South 4450 West) at the South Valley Regional Airport. Fire extinguisher service checks will also be available during the event.



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## Firefighting Operations Based at Tooele Valley Airport

The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) is ramping up its firefighting operations this month to prepare for wildfire season. As a part of its plans, the BLM will have two single-engine, fixed-winged aircraft and one helicopter based at Tooele Valley Airport. Additional aircraft may be brought in if major fires occur in the Tooele Valley area.

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## South Valley Regional Airport Plane Wash Now Open

If washing your aircraft didn't get checked off your spring-cleaning list, we have great news for you: The plane wash at South Valley Regional Airport is now open! Please note the meter only accepts quarters and change is not available on site. If issues occur, contact the South Valley FBO at 801-561-0420.

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## Skydiving Underway at Tooele Valley Airport

Skydive Utah's 2022 season is underway at Tooele Valley Airport. The group will operate five days a week, with operations closed on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. When flying in the Tooele Valley Airport area during skydiving operations, please be aware of your surroundings to ensure everyone's safety.

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## Aeronautical Service Provider Requirements

The Salt Lake City Department of Airports recognizes the value that qualified independent flight instructors, mechanics and other service providers contribute to the general aviation community. To help protect our airports as well as the community, we mandate that these providers meet certain business requirements and professionalism standards. Salt Lake City code requires any individuals offering commercial aeronautical services to have a lease or permit. We encourage anyone currently offering (or interested in offering) independent aeronautical services to apply for a permit, if they have not already done so. Information on obtaining permits is available on [Salt Lake City International Airport's website](#).

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## Spring Hangar Inspections Complete

Spring hangar inspections to verify compliance with safety and lease standards are now complete. Key inspection points included:

- Valid inspection stickers on fire extinguishers
- Safe storage of hazardous materials
- Proper electrical cord use
- Appropriate hangars for each aircraft
- Airworthy aircraft in hangars

Expired fire extinguisher inspections continue to be the most common violation, and warning notices were sent to tenants not in compliance. Due to the number of these violations, a follow-up fire extinguisher inspection will occur in July.

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## Points of Contact

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**Gate access problems:** Airport Control Center, (801) 575-2401.

**Emergencies:** SLCIA, (801) 575-2911. TVY or U42, 911 then (801) 575-2911.

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

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