



Welcome to the Waukegan National Airport Newsletter!

Volume 2

### RENOVATION NEWS

In late April, Phase 2 of the fence project, from Lewis Avenue and Wadsworth Road to Aviation Drive will begin. We will be replacing the old four foot high farm fence with eight foot high chain link.

#### SNOW SEASON

Snow season should be over and it was a rough one. Some facts from this season are: Over 8700 miles were driven by 7 snow vehicles. 5255 gallons of diesel fuel, 260 gallons of regular fuel, 4 tons of solid runway deicer, 930 gallons of liquid runway deicer, 1500 pounds of salt, and 24 tons of sand were used to combat the 77 inches of snow and ice storms from November 25, 2013 – March 12, 2014. The four person snow team had logged 424 man hours at regular time, and 624 hours of overtime battling the winter elements. They worked 13 consecutive weekends from December 2013 to February 16, 2014, and every holiday during that period.

# FLY-IN ON FATHER'S DAY, JUNE 15, 2014

Warbird Heritage Foundation and EAA Chapter 414 will host a Fly-In on Father's Day, June 15, 2014. Warbird Heritage Foundation will exhibit their collection of military aircraft to guests of EAA Chapter 414 first ever Fly-In at Waukegan National Airport. The Fly-In will run from 11AM to 3PM, giving arriving pilots and passengers plenty of time to view the exhibits and enjoy a lunch of Chicago style hot dogs, snacks, and beverages.

The Fly-In will be limited to arrival by aircraft, due to the few automobile parking spaces around the Foundation. EAA Chapter 414 is composed of pilots and aviation enthusiasts of all ages. Aircraft ownership includes both amateur built aircraft (RV, Sonex, etc.) as well as factory aircraft (Cessna, Beech, etc.). The 35 members meet monthly at the Warbird Heritage Foundation. For more information, contact Jim Hull at president@EAA414.org.

# YOUR DREAM OPPORTUNITY

You can rent a hangar for that new plane you want or lease land for a new business opportunity. Contact airport manager, Jim Stanczak at 847-244-0055 for all the latest information and details.

# WE NEED YOU!

Help keep our airport looking good by cleaning up around your hangar. Also, please let us know of any complaints, comments, or praises on how we did this winter. Email jstanczak@waukeganport.com, phone 847-244-0055 or send comments to us on our website.

Airport Office Hours: 7:00 am - 4:30 pm, M- F

# **BOARD MEETING**

The next Board meeting is on April 16, 2014 at the Harbor Control Building at the Waukegan Harbor starting at 2 pm. The public is welcome.

# GOOD FRIDAY

Good Friday is a holiday for the Waukegan Port District and all offices will be closed April 18.