AUSTIN HILL COUNTRY NINETY-NINES

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Annual Meeting - Remote Voting

All 99s have the right to vote in international and chapter elections.

The 2024 International Conference and Career Expo will take place this week in Vancouver, BC, Canada with the business meeting taking place on **Saturday**, **July 6th** from 8:30 AM - 11:30 AM PDT (10:30 AM - 1:30 PM CDT.) You MUST be credentialed prior to voting. To credential go to <u>99snet.net</u> and use the email address you have on file with Ninety-Nines International HQ. **Deadline to credential is July 3, 2024 at 10:59 pm CDT.** You can watch the how-to videos or follow the steps on <u>ninety-nines.org</u> under the Members Area.

Airmarking KERV

San Antonio 99s had to cancel their airmarking project in October. This allowed us to move up our project at Kerrville Airport to October 12th!

Sign up here

Gearing up for GIAD 2024

Women in Aviation Austin Chapter is prepping for GIAD 2024. The date is set (**September 21.**) Location is secured (Atlantic Aviation ABIA). Committee assembled. More volunteers needed Sign up here

Fundraising is underway! See the last 2 pages of this newsletter for fliers and how you can help.

THE BOARD











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= IN CASE YOU MISSED IT



Our June Aviation Trivia Night (shown above) was a lot of fun! We are looking into a location indoors or on a patio with misters for July trivia.

Glider Day with Fault Line Flyers was another great day! Many checked off bucket flights and all gained a new appreciation for thermals. (pics below)

AHC99s Scholarship Fund

Don't forget!

<u>Austin Hill Country 99s</u>

<u>Scholarship Fund</u>

Share the link and QR!

SCAN HERE



SCHOLARSHIP FUND QR



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Get Your Chapter Merch

Thank you, Oralia! We officially have chapter merchandise!

The t-shirt front features aviator sunglasses with a silhouette of the Austin skyline including bats flying out from under the Congress Bridge. The back has our chapter logo centered below the neckline.

Unisex v-neck and crew-neck are available. Colors available are white, sky blue, sage green, and blush pink. All \$17 at cost, or choose to round up to \$20 where \$3 will go into our chapter operations fund.

20 oz metal cups are \$25-\$35 depending on order quantity.

To place an order, email austinhillcountry99s @gmail.com with item, quantity, size, and color





99S PPLI

Autumn Session deadline is July 15th. Limited availability.

To learn more about the program see our June 2024 newsletter, review the <u>PPLI Fact Sheet</u>, or visit <u>99ppli.org</u>. <u>PPLI Application Form</u>

Professional 99s who have achieved their career goals and have the capacity to mentor another woman <u>Apply as a Senior Navigator</u>

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99s Calendar



13th

Meeting and Speaker @ T82

10 AM Fly in or drive in. We will start with coffee and brunch. Dean and Tammie Jo Shults will be speaking on Angel Flight South Central. We will conclude with a business meeting. RSVP



Pioneer Flight Museum Tour @ Kingsbury Aerodrome

10 AM Expect an intriguing tour of the Pioneer Flight Museum at Kingsbury Aerodrome by 99 Charlotte Parker. We will meet for lunch after in Lockhart at Terry Black's BBQ. RSVP Form



Girls in Aviation Day 2024

Sept 21st

Save the date and <u>sign up now to volunteer</u> for WAI Girls in Aviation Day 2024. Email: austinhillcountry99s@gmail.com



99s South Central Section Meeting (League City, TX)

Sept 27th-29th

Hosted by the Houston Chapter. Register here: https://register.scs99s.org/



12th

Airmarking Kerrville Airport

All hands on deck for this community enriching opportunity to paint a compass rose at Kerrville Airport. We will be collaborating with San Antonio 99s and other aviation community members. Sign up here

EVERY MONTH

EAA 187 (KGTU) hold their chapter meetings every second Saturday. EAA 1088 (T82) and EAA 958 (KHYI) every third Saturday. EAA 1607 (KRYW) every fourth Saturday.

<u>Cutter Aviation Georgetown</u> (KGTU) and <u>Lockhart (50R) Flying Club</u> host breakfasts every first Saturday.



GIRLS IN AVIATION DAY: On September 21, 2024 the **501(c)(3)** Austin chapter of Women in Aviation International is showcasing some of the exceptional women who are proving a career in the sky isn't just for the boys! Join us for the 3rd annual Girls in Aviation Day event—designed to ignite passion for **opportunities in aviation and STEM** through aircraft tours, simulator sessions, hands-on activities, prizes, and more! Led by female pilots, this experience is all about inspiring the next generation of females in aviation-related careers.

WHY YOU MATTER

CLOSING THE GAP THROUGH EARLY EXPOSURE: Despite progress in recent years, the aviation industry still grapples with a significant gender disparity, with women significantly underrepresented in aviation-related fields. Introducing girls to various career paths at a young age is essential for breaking down barriers and expanding opportunities. By fostering curiosity and confidence, we can pave the way for a more diverse and inclusive aviation industry that benefits everyone!

REPRESENTATION MATTERS: The underrepresentation of women in aviation not only limits diversity, but also deprives the industry of valuable talent and perspectives. By empowering girls to pursue careers in aviation and STEM, we can unlock full industry potential, driving innovation and progress. Investing in the next generation of female aviators is not just a matter of equality—it's imperative for the future of aviation as a whole.

YOUR CHANCE TO ACT

OUR GOAL: We are looking to raise \$10,000. All funds raised for this event will go toward the costs incurred to orchestrate an organized, impactful, and safe experience for all attendees. Your support will enable us to provide essential resources for over 300 attendees and employees, including:

- Reusable banners and signage
- Event shirts
- Fans and swamp coolers to protect against the Texas heat
- Educational materials and supplies for workshops
- Lunch and refreshments for participants
- Stickers and other goodies for participants to take home

INTERESTED IN CONTRIBUTING?

Donations graciously accepted via PayPal, or contact us via wai.austx@gmail.com for in-kind donations or questions. We look forward to working with you and thank you in advance for your generosity!

Any funding in excess of our 2024 expenses will be used towards future Girls in Aviation Day events







WHEN?

SATURDAY SEPT. 21

10 AM -1PM

WHERE?

ATLANTIC AVIATION

AUSTIN-BERGSTROM INTL. AIRPORT

SCAN HERE TO DONATE!

