



RUNWAY READER

For Tenants & Friends of the York Airport

YorkAviation.com

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FUEL

Current posted prices are:

Jet-A w/additive: \$4.98/gal

Avgas-100LL: \$4.96/gal

-Avgas Special Pricing-

25 cents off per gallon on the first weekend (Fri., Sat. & Sun.) of each month.

Large quantity discounts are available.

HOURS

0600-1900
Monday - Friday

0700-1700
Saturday & Sunday

Early or late service can typically be made available by special request. There is a \$50.00/hour fee, with a two hour minimum for early or late service. Whether it is a quick turn, rental car, overnight hangar or all of the above, please call us at 717.792.5566 to pre-arrange dependable after hours service.

FOLLOW US ON

The End of Tax-Free Aircraft Maintenance and Parts in PA?

PA Act 52 of 2013 is an important piece of legislation, providing tax-free aircraft maintenance and parts sales to the aviation community in the Commonwealth. Act 52 not only provides an incentive for aircraft operators to perform their maintenance activities in state, but also puts PA MRO's and aircraft maintenance operations on a level playing field with competitors in surrounding states.

The proposed 2016-2017 state budget repeals this tax exemption for aircraft maintenance and parts sales. The best way to keep this valuable legislation is to contact your local legislator and let them know the negative impact this repeal will have on your aircraft operation.

Please Welcome Our New A&P Mechanic



York Aviation Operators, Inc. would like to introduce our new A&P Mechanic, Jonathan Rider. Jon brings with him an impressive resume that highlights over 30 years of experience performing maintenance on aircraft. Jon has over 20 years working exclusively with General Aviation aircraft and has earned his Inspection Authorization (IA) certification.

Jon adds valuable experience to a seasoned team of aircraft maintenance professionals at York Aviation Operators, Inc. Stop in and say hi to Jon and the rest of our aviation maintenance team on your next visit to the York Airport, and see how they can put their experience and reputation to work for you and your aircraft.

Security at Your Local Airport

Since 9/11, security at both large and small airports has never played a more important role in providing a safe environment for aircraft operations.

AOPA has joined forces with the TSA as part of its Airport Watch Program to provide a security course available online which offers valuable information regarding security awareness and reporting to aircraft operators and airport personnel.

The free online course can be found [here](#).

FACEBOOK!



Keep up with news and events from the York Airport. We'll feature the latest happenings, upcoming events, fun trivia and contests, lots of pictures and more. "Like" our **Page** and all future updates will load right into your Facebook feed.

TRIVIA CONTEST RULES

1. Responses must be submitted via e-mail to

York Aviation Operators, Inc., the premier FBO in south central Pennsylvania, is **seeking a line service technician** to begin in the spring of 2017. Prior line service experience a plus. Candidates must be willing to work some weekend hours and provide occasional after-hours service on aircraft. An excellent benefit package is offered.



Send cover letter/resume to [Mark Tomlinson](#).



Please be on the lookout for a cardboard box containing wheel chocks (labeled N15471), a tow bar, and a Piper Cherokee weight and balance chart. It was reported missing on February 15. Please contact the York Airport at 717-792-5566 if you happen to locate it. Thanks!

-MONTHLY TRIVIA CONTEST- 50/50 CHALLENGE

"Earn an additional 50 cents off per gallon of fuel (up to 50 gallons) by winning our monthly challenge!"

JANUARY 50/50 WINNER:

Congratulations to Porter Houston of Hunt Valley, MD, for submitting the first correct answer to the January 50/50 Challenge question. At 18,045 feet, the runway at Qamdo Bamda Airport, also known as Changdu Bangda Airport, is the longest public-use runway in the world. Located in Qamda, Tibet, China, the airport's 14,472 foot field elevation necessitates such a long runway.

FEBRUARY 50/50 QUESTION:

How much does the paint weigh on a Cessna 172 with a standard paint scheme?
A. 34.8 lbs.
B. 7.7 lbs.
C. 27.3 lbs.
D. 18.4 lbs.

Runway Reader Classifieds

FOR SALE:

Van's RV-4

2000 Homebuilt Award Winner at Oshkosh!

mtomlinson@york-aviation.com with contestant's name and location (city, state).

2. Upon receipt of the first fully correct response, York Aviation will notify the winner via email. This notification email must be printed and presented to our front desk in order to receive the discount.

3. Discount is valid for a single fuel transaction up to 50 gallons and must be redeemed within one year of notification.

4. You must be an active "Runway Reader" subscriber to be eligible to win.

5. A subscriber may win only one time per calendar year.

6. Responses will be accepted until the 25th of the month of that issue's challenge.

7. Employees of York Aviation and York Aviation Operators are not eligible.

Always stored in heated hangar
Low-Time 160hp Lycoming Engine
VFR panel

PAINT-10 / INTERIOR-10

You will not find a nicer homebuilt aircraft!
Contact MarkTomlinson for more information!



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FOR SALE:

Flight and owners manuals, all in good condition:

- (1) 1972 Cessna 172 Skyhawk Owner Manual ~ \$10.00
- (1) 1972 Cessna Turbo Stationaire Owners Manual ~ \$15.00
- (1) 1975 Cessna Centurion Owners Manual ~ \$15.00
- (1) 1972 Cessna Turbo Centurion Owners Manual ~ \$15.00
- (1) 1970 Cessna 310 begin serial 0001 Owners Manual ~ \$20.00
- (1) 1987 Beechcraft King Air B100 Pilots operating Handbook and Flight Manual ~ \$85.00
- (1) 1972 Piper Seneca PA -34- 200 Flight Manual ~ \$50.00

For more information, contact [Ed Lewis](mailto:EdLewis)

--- Classified Guidelines ---

There is no charge for Runway Reader subscribers to post ads. To submit your ad:

1. Send an email to: mtomlinson@york-aviation.com with the following information:

- Product to be advertised (plane, parts, intercoms, etc.)
- Description of product and price
- Photo of the product
- Your name, city, state and email address. Phone optional.

2. We will format and post your ad in the classified section. It will run until it sells (up to 6 months).

3. Once your product is sold, please notify us immediately so we can remove it from the listings.



Upcoming Area Events

February 24: 15th Annual A Taste of York City

A Taste of York City celebrates all the things that make York a great place to live, work and play. The event includes a seated, served dinner with each course provided by a different York City restaurant, as well as silent and live auctions featuring unique experience packages to highlight the City's entertainment and cultural amenities. [Details](#)

February 25-26, March 4-5: Maple Sugaring Weekend

Temperatures are rising and the sap is flowing. Visit Nixon Park to learn how maple syrup is made. Learn the history of maple sugaring, identify a maple tree, collect sap, and more! Hikes, crafts, and activities are set-up inside and outside the nature center. Maple products from Patterson Farms will be on sale. [Details](#)

March 3-5: PA Garden Show of York

[Details](#)

March 11: York Saint Patrick's Day Parade

The parade steps off at 1 p.m. from Market and Penn Streets (in front of the Penn Street Farmers Market) and proceeds east on Market to Duke Street (in front of the Yorktowne Hotel), with several related activities planned for before and after the parade. [Details](#)

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