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Airport Has Float in St. Patrick Parade



After pre-flighting his fleet, Don Mensen (FBO at the Carroll, IA Airport) and formerly of Dyersville is set to taxi to the "Hold Short" line at the start of the parade. Don and his family have spent hours making the fleet of two low wing, two bi-wing and two jet airplanes.



The passengers were loaded at the start next to the Basilica. They were not given bag lunches but were given bags of candy, balsa model planes and coloring books to pass out to all the kids along the route. The passengers were happy -
- No TSA hassles, no long waiting lines and a good pilot at the controls. Thanks to Don and his family, the airport got good advertising. Our thanks to Don and family for the support of the airport.

Events Calendar 2013

May 3 -	Fly In Lunch Iola, WI	Noon -	68C
		Enjoy a sumptuous lunch buffet with lots of sport aviation fellowship, Homebuilts, antiques, cars & cycles. Every Friday through the summer	
Apr. 21	U of Dbq Flight Breakfast	7 – Noon	DBQ
May 14	Webster City Flt Breakfast	7 – 11	EBS
May 18	Beloit, WI Fly In Breakfast	7 – 11	44C
May 19	Tri-County Breakfast – Spring Green	7 – Noon	LNR
June 2	Juneau, WI Flt Breakfast	8 – Noon	KUNU
June 15	Cassville Flt Breakfast	7 – Noon	C74
June 16	Maquoketa Flt Breakfast	7 – Noon	OQW
June 22-24	Quad City Airshow	Davenport, Iowa	
July 3	Dubuque Radio Airshow	McDonald Park on the Mississippi	
July 4	Platteville Flt Breakfast	7 – Noon	PVB
July 29 – Aug 1	EAA Airventure	Oshkosh, WI	
July 31-Aug 2	International Cessna 150 Fly in	Clinton Airport	CWI
Aug 18	Monona, IA Flight Breakfast	7-Noon	7C3
Aug 25	Iowa City Flt Breakfast	7 – 12:30	IOW
Aug 25	Juneau, WI Flt Breakfast	8 – Noon	KUNU
Aug 31	Abel Island Guttenberg fly In	Noon – 3	

Aviation 101

Every one already knows the definition of a 'good' landing is one from which you can walk away. But very few know the definition of a 'great landing.' It's one after which you can use the airplane another time.

There are three simple rules for making a smooth landing: Unfortunately, no one knows what they are.

With the Spring so come the airplanes



On a Sunday morning when the sun is out and the temperature is warm, the airport wakes up and comes alive. Sunday, April 7 saw Don Mensen and his white and green archer leave for Carroll, IA, Phil DeShaw checking out his Cessna 150 and flying the dust off the wings.

Craig Kramer lands the Cessna 172 bringing it home after a long annual inspection.



Wayne Reicher and Dave Kramer kick tires in the pilot lounge.

Fred Lansing expounds the latest wisdom.





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