

# List of Frequently Asked Questions

- Ramp Procedures – **Pilots must shut down engines on the taxiway and push to parking – and push to taxiway before starting engines.**

## **Q. What are the tie down arrangements?**

A. We have parking with both wind and tail tie down cables for around 200 aircraft. Contact ground at 120.1 and they will direct you to parking.

## **Q. Can I camp under the wing of my airplane?**

A. Yes, you can camp under your wing - but do not cook on the airport with any type of open flame. If you bring an RV please check in with Airport staff on where to park.

## **Q. I'm traveling with other planes can we Tie down next to each other?**

A. Yes, you can bring your friends and travel with other aircraft – but if you don't arrive together we may not be able to get you parked together. We will do our best to accommodate you but we often run out of parking.

## **Q. Do I need wing walkers when parking my aircraft?**

A. Yes, you need to use wing walkers when parking because we need to maximize our available parking space PLEASE PARK AS CLOSE AS CLOSE TOGETHER AS YOU CAN BUT PLEASE DO NOT cause hangar rash.

## **Q. Where do I purchase fuel while in Valdez?**

A. Call Vertical Solutions, 831-0643 or 831-0699.

## **Q. Can I self- fuel my airplane?**

A. Yes but please have your fire extinguisher out and accessible during any fueling operations.

## **Q. Can I bring my pet to the fly-in?**

A. If you bring furry friends they must be leashed at all times and cleaned up after promptly. The fly-in draws thousands of spectators and we strongly suggest that you leave your pet at home if possible

## **Q. Can I walk around and look at all of the other Aircraft on the airport?**

A. Yes, you can walk and look at the amazing aircraft on display – but DO NOT cross onto the active taxiway at any. Please do not touch the aircraft. Please watch your children. We can't have bikes, rollerblades or skateboards for both the safety of attendees and risk of damage to aircraft.

## **Q. Can I drive my personal vehicle on the airport?**

A. No vehicles, motorhomes, ATVs, etc. are allowed on the airport except those needed for the operation of the airport or direct support of the fly-in operations – free shuttles into town are available street side from the west end of the terminal, call 255-1954. A limited number of campers will be allowed inside the fence to camp. Access is through the gate by the blue GA hangers to the west. Campers also may not have any open flames.

**Q. Can I smoke on the airport?**

A. Smoking is discouraged but if you must smoke please be courteous to others and DONOT toss your butts on the ground.

Please do enjoy yourself – but do not leave garbage, food or wildlife attractants like peanut shells on the airport.

Ramps are busy and congested during the fly-in and due to safety concerns aircraft are not permitted to have engines running while on the ramp – all aircraft must be pushed to and from the active taxiway. Assistance can be made available upon request.

You may experience long delays for fuel, taxi, and departure if you plan to do so immediately prior to major events (poker run, flour bombing, STOL competition, and of course at the conclusion of the event). Plan to get your fuel early in your stay if possible.

Please DO NOT expect to taxi or depart during any of the competition events (STOL, Flour Bombing) or airshow activities. Frequencies, airspace, and airfield surfaces are all congested at these times and we thank you for sitting tight until these activities are complete. Contact ground 120.1 for instructions.