

Aircraft expo seeking volunteers

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MT. VERNON — Volunteers from the community are needed to help make the Light Sport Aircraft Expo at the Mt. Vernon Outland Airport a success.

"We need people who want to be an ambassador for your community and the region," Airport Manager and LSA Committee Chairman Chris Collins said. "This expo will bring in folks from all over the country who are serious to mildly serious about buying one of these airplanes. We need people who want to have an enjoyable time and meet people to introduce them to our community."

The Jefferson County Chamber of Commerce has taken on the job of coordinating and finding volunteers for the effort.



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"Several groups are a part of the LSA Board, including the city, (Jefferson County Development Corporation), the airport and the Chamber," JCCC Executive Director Brandon Bullard said. "We've all taken roles and jobs to make the LSA Expo a success. The Chamber wants to fill the Exhibition Hall and coordinate volunteers."

The Chamber is looking for people who are willing to work one or more four-hour shifts on Sept. 30, the afternoon, before the expo, and on Oct. 1, 2 and 3.

Some of the jobs available for volunteers are Exhibitor Hall host, food vender host, hospitality room host, outside exhibitors host, seminars host, ticket and information volunteers, west side ticket sales, parking volunteers, aircraft parking, exhibitor reception, shuttle service volunteers and trash and clean up.

"There's something for everyone, and they can be a part of the first event," Bullard said.

Shifts will be on Wednesday, Sept. 30 from 1 to 5 p.m.; and two shifts on

Thursday, Friday and Saturday at 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and noon to 5 p.m.

Anyone who would like additional information about volunteer opportunities for the LSA Expo may contact Bullard at 242-5725 or by e-mail at chamberexec@mvn.net.

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