



EXECUTIVE AVIATION SERVICES

NEWS

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Construction of New Hangar Now Underway

Construction of our new 18,000 square foot hangar is now well underway and on schedule for completion later this spring. The new hangar features energy efficient geothermal heating and will accommodate Fast Air's growing fleet of aircraft.

Transport Canada Introduces New Safety Management Systems

In an effort to improve the safety standard of Canada's Civil Aviation, Transport Canada is introducing new Safety Management Systems (SMS) in 2007.

According to Transport Canada, SMS is a "businesslike" approach to safety – "a systematic, comprehensive process for managing risk." SMS integrates operations with all activities related to an air operator's certificate and includes processes for setting and measuring goals for the improvement of safety, as well as internal reporting and analyzing of hazards and accidents, and procedures for risk management.

From an air operator's perspective, the implementation of SMS is essentially a shift towards self regulation. With SMS in place charter air operators will be required to self-monitor their own operations as they relate to safety, and can expect fewer on-site inspections from Transport Canada in the years ahead.

"SMS will not necessarily improve the safety of an operation, it simply changes the way safety is managed and monitored" says Ray Snaith, General Manager at Fast Air Ltd. "Because SMS transfers much of the monitoring of safety to individual air operators themselves, it is more important than ever to trust the air operator you fly with."

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Customer Parking

With the construction of a new hangar underway and business as busy as ever, our parking lot has been rather full over the past few months!

We know many of our valued customers have had to make long treks from their cars to our terminal doors, and we apologize for the inconvenience.

In an effort to serve you better in the future, we are working on a parking solution that will ensure there is always plenty of customer parking in close proximity to our terminal doors.

Get **Fast**
rewards

When you fly Fast Air!

Get **your Fast Rewards card *validated* each time you fly with us and after only two trips choose a great gift, or let your points accumulate and claim a gift from another tier.

New Reward Gifts are now available including water resistant soft-shell jackets, Maxfli golf balls, the Solitaire Maglite, and more!

*subject to eligibility.

Did You Know?

Fast Air's MedEvac Division operates two air ambulances. These King Air 200's are outfitted with the latest medical technology and staffed with highly skilled pilots and nurses.

Fast Air MedEvac provides 24-hour service to the remote communities of Northern Manitoba out of our bases in Norway House and Thompson.

Fast Air MedEvac offers a unique and rewarding career experience for qualified nurses and pilots. To find out more about MedEvac contact Timothy Hague, Air Ambulance Services Director at 204.982.7240 or medevac@flyfastair.com



Special Meals Now Available

Fast Air is pleased to offer passengers special meals including gluten free, diabetic and vegetarian options.

To arrange a special meal simply contact Fast Air Reservation at least 48 hours prior to your departure.
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