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## Land and Hold Short Operations (LAHSO)

By Dave Morris

Perhaps it may be beneficial for some of us to review the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) procedure of Land and Hold Short Operations (LAHSO).

The Aeronautical Information Manual (AIM) 4-3-11 describes Land and Hold Short Operations as an operation which includes landing and holding short of an intersecting runway, an intersecting taxiway, or some other designated point on a runway other than an intersecting runway or taxiway.

LAHSO is a management tool used by Air Traffic Control (ATC) to increase airport capacity, maintain efficiency and enhance safety. The success of this procedure relies on participation by pilots and air traffic controllers to balance the needs for system efficiency and safety. However, as the Pilot in Command, we are ultimately responsible for safe operation of the aircraft, and we are

expected to decline a LAHSO clearance, if it would compromise safety.

Before accepting a LAHSO clearance, it is imperative for the pilot to obtain all available information concerning LAHSO procedures at the destination airport. These considerations might include:

- Determine the Available Landing Distance (ALD) for the runway of intended use.
- Determine the Required Landing Distance (RLD) for your aircraft.
- Ensuring that Minimum Equipment List (MEL) requirements are satisfied.
- Ensuring that weather and visibility minimums are satisfactory for LAHSO.

Remember, LAHSO is an operation that can benefit both ATC and your flight operation by easing airport congestion. ■

## Calendar of Events

### Recurring Events

• **3rd Thursday of every month** | Third Thursday Pilot Lunch | 88 Tactical, 15350 Shepard St., Suite 1, Omaha | 11am | Open to the public

• **3rd Saturday of every month** | EAA 569 Fly-In Breakfast at Wahoo Municipal Airport (AHQ) | 8-10am (suggested donation: \$10/adults; \$5/kids)

• **Last Saturday of March - October** | Nebraska Chapter of the Antique Airplane Association Hamburger fly-In lunch at Hastings Municipal Airport (KHSI) | 11:30am-1pm (free-will donation)

• **Last Saturday of every month** | Burgers & Brats | Wayne Municipal Airport (LCG) | 5-8pm

### August

• **8/30** | NEAAA Hamburger Fly-In | Hastings Municipal Airport (HSI) | 11:30am-1pm

### September

• **9/04 – 9/07** | 2025 Tandem Wing Fly-In | O'Neill Municipal Airport (ONL) | A fly-in event for pilots and builders of Tandem Wing aircraft and specifically, the Quickie and Dragonfly aircraft. | Block of rooms available for participating pilots/builders, contact through the Facebook pages | Event: 2025 Tandem Wing Fly In | Host: The Stearns Family Quickie Q200 - A Homebuilt Aircraft Story

• **9/06** | EAA 804 Fly-In Breakfast | O'Neill Municipal Airport (ONL) | 8:00am

• **9/13** | Goin' To Oshkosh Fly-In | Garden Co. Airport – King Rhiley Field (OKS) | 7am-2pm | Public welcome, food available,

overnight camping available

• **9/20** | EAA 569 Fly-In Breakfast | Wahoo Municipal Airport (AHQ) | 8-10am | suggested donation: \$10/adults; \$5/kids

• **9/20** | 5K on the Runway | Hastings Municipal Airport (HSI) | 8am | 5K on the Runway - City of Hastings, NE

• **9/21** | Applejack Fly-In/Drive-In Fundraiser | Nebraska City Municipal Airport (AFK) | 7am-12pm | Hosted by Blue Line Aviation, Breakfast: \$8/adults (ages 12+), \$4/kids (ages 3-11), Under 3 & Fly-In Pilots eat free

• **9/27** NEAAA Hamburger Fly-In | Hastings Municipal Airport (HSI) | 11:30am-1pm

• **9/27** | Sandhills Fly-In and Poker | Dismal River Club Airport 82NE | 9am-12 noon CDT | Flour drop and spot

landing, Silent Auction, Poker Run ending at Oshkosh | Contact Josh Vinton [sandhillsflight@gmail.com](mailto:sandhillsflight@gmail.com)

• **9/27** | Burgers & Brats | Wayne Municipal Airport (LCG) | 5-8pm

• **9/28** | Arthur Fly-In NE33 | 9am-12 noon CDT | Flour drop and Spot landing | Contact Josh Vinton [sandhillsflight@gmail.com](mailto:sandhillsflight@gmail.com)

### October

• **10/18** | EAA 569 Fly-In Breakfast | Wahoo Municipal Airport (AHQ) | 8-10am | suggested donation: \$10/adults; \$5/kids

• **10/25** | NEAAA Hamburger Fly-In | Hastings Municipal Airport (HSI) | 11:30am-1pm

• **10/25** | Burgers & Brats | Wayne Municipal Airport (LCG) | 5-8pm

## Fly-In and breakfast at Wahoo

On the third Saturday of each month, EAA Chapter 569 members and friends gather for a morning of great food and conversation. Breakfast is served from 8 a.m. – 10 a.m. at the Wahoo Municipal Airport (KAHQ). Check out their website at [www.eaa569.org](http://www.eaa569.org) and Facebook page at [www.facebook.com/eaa569](https://www.facebook.com/eaa569) for more information. ■

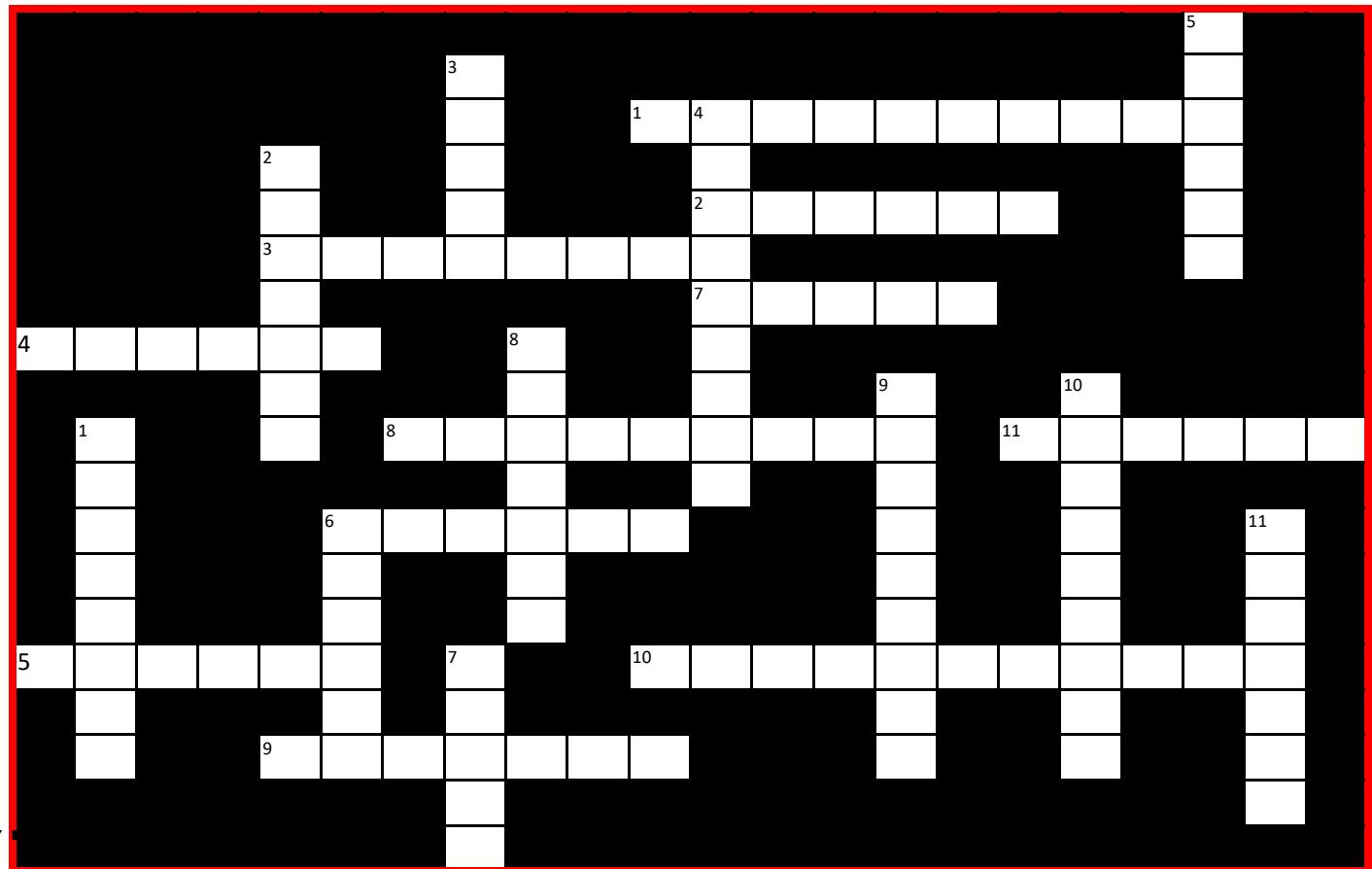


Sunrise ahead of the EAA chapter 569 monthly Fly-In and breakfast at Wahoo on June 21. ■



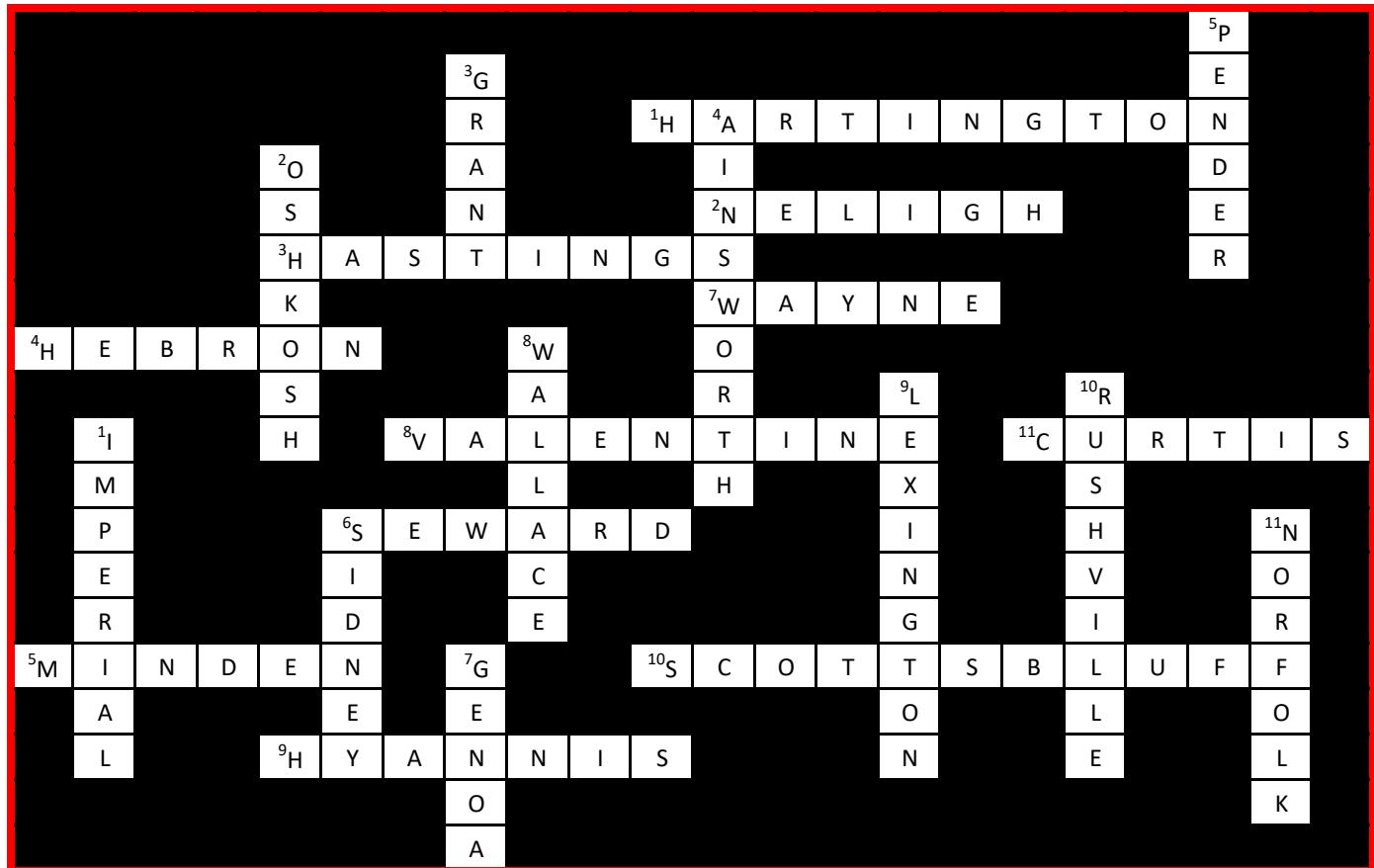
EAA chapter 569 members, friends, pilots, and aviation enthusiasts enjoying breakfast at monthly Fly-In and breakfast at Wahoo on June 21. ■

# Nebraska Airports Crossword Puzzle



ACROSS		DOWN	
ID	ASSOCIATED CITY	ID	ASSOCIATED CITY
1. 0B4		1. IML	
2. 4V9		2. OKS	
3. HSI		3. GGF	
4. HJH		4. ANW	
5. 0V3		5. OC4	
6. SWT		6. SNY	
7. LCG		7. 97Y	
8. VTN		8. 64V	
9. 1V2		9. LZN	
10. BFF		10. 9V5	
11. 47V		11. OFK	

# Crossword Puzzle Answers



ACROSS		DOWN	
ID	ASSOCIATED CITY	ID	ASSOCIATED CITY
1. 0B4	HARTINGTON	1. IML	IMPERIAL
2. 4V9	NELIGH	2. OKS	OSHKOSH
3. HSI	HASTINGS	3. GGF	GRANT
4. HJH	HEBRON	4. ANW	AINSWORTH
5. OV3	MINDEN	5. OC4	PENDER
6. SWT	SEWARD	6. SNY	SIDNEY
7. LCG	WAYNE	7. 97Y	GENOA
8. VTN	VALENTINE	8. 64V	WALLACE
9. 1V2	HYANNIS	9. LXN	LEXINGTON
10. BFF	SCOTTSBLUFF	10. 9V5	RUSHVILLE
11. 47V	CURTIS	11. OFK	NORFOLK