

SCAPPOOSE AIRPORT SAFETY BULLETIN

ATTENTION

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SAFETY BULLETIN – From American Jet Center Operations at KSPB

American Jet Center is excited to join the Portland / Scappoose aviation community. They have recently acquired facilities at KSPB and will be operating a variety of larger aircraft, including Falcons, Challengers, and Phenoms, with an average of 20 flights per day.

During a recent arrival into KSPB, our flight crews experienced two near mid-air conflicts involving student aircraft. In both cases, it appeared cockpit tasks were prioritized over radio communication and traffic awareness.

Our Commitment: We are working closely with the local FSDO to explore safety enhancements that will benefit all users of KSPB.

Your Role: In the meantime, we respectfully ask that instructors and pilots place special emphasis on:

- Clear, timely radio calls
- Maintaining proactive traffic awareness
- Reinforcing safe practices within the KSPB traffic pattern

We appreciate your partnership in keeping our airspace safe for everyone.

For questions or clarification, please contact us at:

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