

2019 Air Boss Academy

BELL FORT WORTH ALLIANCE AIR SHOW
| FORT WORTH, TX | OCT. 17-19, 2019

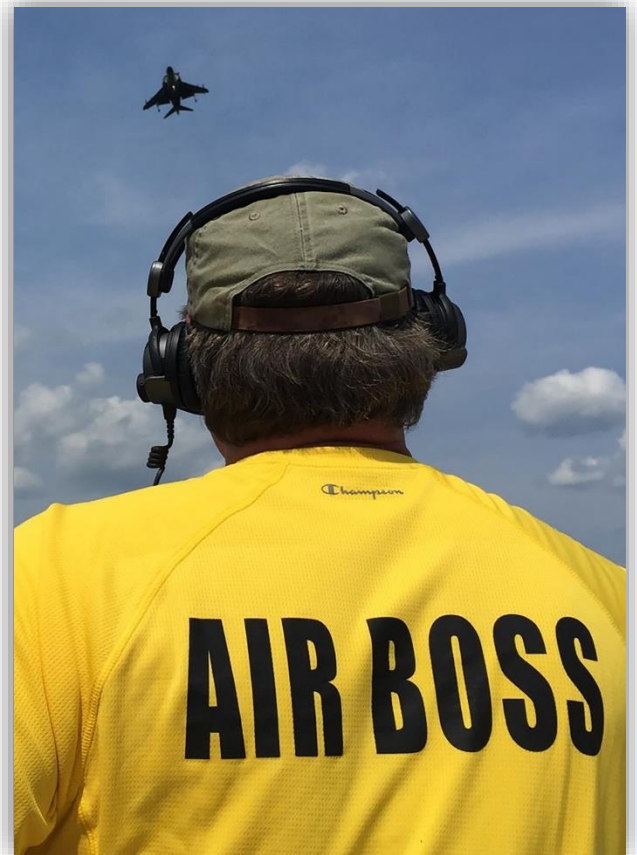
The ICAS Air Boss Academy is the preeminent, hands-on learning experience for industry air boss professionals. This “living classroom” will teach you best practices, strategies and professional knowledge to help ensure you have the tools to direct a safe and entertaining show.

Air Boss Training: A New Imperative

With the new Air Boss Recognition Program in full effect and requiring industry air bosses to meet annual training requirements, ICAS will once again be offering its highly acclaimed Air Boss Academy.

Scheduled for October 17-19 in conjunction with the Bell Fort Worth Alliance Air Show in Fort Worth, Texas, the Air Boss Academy will provide professionals with vital air boss safety practices, operational strategy and informative tips on how to air boss an air show.

Air bosses are a critical element to ensuring a safe and entertaining air show. And as the industry and regulators continue to standardize the profession, it is essential that air bosses complete the annual training requirements and are aware of the latest air show regulations.



The Living Classroom

The 2019 ICAS Air Boss Academy will be held in conjunction with the Bell Fort Worth Alliance Air Show. This living classroom will provide participants the unique opportunity to learn from the show's air boss by attending pre-show briefings and monitoring frequencies as the Friday and Saturday shows take place.

This year's Bell Fort Worth Alliance Air Show will feature the U.S. Navy Blue Angels, F-22 Raptor Demonstration Team, F-16 Viper Demo Team, U.S. Army Parachute Team Golden Knights, Kevin Coleman Aerosports, Aftershock Jet Truck, Adam Baker's Playful Airshows, Jeff Boerboon Aerobatics – Yak 110, Mini Jet Airshows, Precision Exotics & more!





2019 Schedule & Program Overview

Throughout the three days, Air Boss Academy participants will benefit from both lessons learned in the classroom as well as best practices performed during an actual air show.

Thursday

The program will begin on the evening of Thursday, October 17, with an informal welcome reception for introductions and networking.

Friday

On Friday, October 18, participants will attend the pre-show performer safety briefing. Following classroom discussions and instruction, the class will move out to the flight line

where they will monitor the air show radio frequency and use the interchange between the performers and the air boss as an opportunity to discuss methods, problems, pitfalls and opportunities. The group will then debrief.

Saturday

On Saturday, October 19, the group will again sit in on the performer safety debrief and listen in as the air boss orchestrates air operations for the Saturday Bell Fort Worth Alliance Air Show. The official program will conclude on Saturday evening.

Classroom Portion

The classroom portion of the program will address a wide range of issues specific to the responsibilities of the air boss, including:

- FAA regulations and waivers
- the aerobatic box
- the pre-show safety briefing
- weather considerations
- radio communications
- temporary flight restrictions
- air traffic control techniques
- interacting with military assets
- interfacing with regulators, airport personnel and performers
- emergency planning and response

Program Fee
\$295



The implementation date for the new ABRP requirements is set for **January 1, 2020.**

The only other course that can be used to meet the ABRP training requirement is the Air Boss 201 Workshop offered at the ICAS Convention.

Limited Enrollment

To ensure all of our participants receive individual attention, class size for the 2019 ICAS Air Boss Academy will be strictly limited to 15 registrants. Due to the program's high demand and because ICAS will cut off registration once the 15-person limit is reached, there will be no refunds for registration.

ICAS Air Boss Academy registrations **MUST** be accompanied by payment and **MUST** include complete contact information requested on the registration form. You may register by e-mail, fax or mail. Academy registrations will be accepted on a first-come/first-served basis. Once we have confirmed your attendance at the ICAS Air Boss Academy, we will pass along additional information about the scheduling details of the program.



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Your Name

Your Organization

Address

City

State

Zip

Phone

Cell

e-mail address

Your golf shirt size ...

Men's x-small small medium large x-large xx-large

Women's x- small small medium large x-large xx-large

PAYMENT

My payment of \$295 ...

is enclosed

should be billed to my credit card

Credit Card Number

Expiration Date

Your signature

Information on reserving a room in the ICAS Air Boss Academy block will be provided with your registration confirmation.

Return form to:

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