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Civic Center Coalition to buy airport

Having turned around the financial fortunes of the Glens Falls Civic Center and signed a deal to buy the Adirondack Thunder hockey team, the Adirondack Civic Center Coalition announced plans to buy Warren County's Floyd Bennett Memorial Airport.

They lease to buy; County: 'Glad to be done with it'

At the well-attended press conference, one county supervisor, who declined to be identified, said, "Let *them* take over dealing with Mark Westcott and the fight over the runway expansion."

The airport is expected to draw thousands of additional visitors. "Please don't park in the Aviator Restaurant parking lot," a Coalition leader requested.



'We'll end this food fight over whether to expand the airport runway,' said a Coalition spokesman. "When we do things, everybody agrees on everything."



Log Bay Day will move to Glen Lake

By Mark Frost
Chronicle Editor

The Lake George Park Commission, having failed to find a way to thwart Log Bay Day altogether, has reached a deal with the Glen Lake Protective Association to move the annual boating Bacchanalia to that smaller lake.

"They're really helping us out," a Commission member told *The Chronicle*. "Everybody wanted us to ban it, but we couldn't find a way. Now it's not our problem."

The Warren County Sheriff's Office voiced support for the change. "It will be a whole lot easier to police so close to the jail," said one officer. "We can get drunks locked up before they even know they're handcuffed."

Glen Lake residents clinched the deal by allowing revelers to use their bathrooms, as needed.

Lifting boats onto and off of Glen Lake will be facilitated by use of Rozell Industries' cranes.

Boaters will not be allowed to bring alcohol with them. All sales will be at The Dockside Restaurant. A State Liquor Authority spokesman said, "We'll be able to know who's buying what — and wouldn't you like to know?"

Usmani Air to launch Saturday

Air passenger service returns to Warren County Airport this Saturday, in a new venture that Gov. Andrew Cuomo personally ordered funded to the tune of \$3-million. "This is the game-changer," he declared. "Who says upstate New York hasn't got a prayer?"

Non-stop flights to Albany

Usmani Air is a project of Omar Usmani, co-chair of Glens Falls's Downtown Revitalization Initiative. It will fly exclusively to and from Albany, but non-stop. Passengers must arrive 90 minutes before the flight departs.



The first plane in the Usmani Air fleet has arrived and is prominently displayed in front of Adirondack Civic Center Coalition Airport.

Civic Center Coalition tapped by Trump to reform Obamacare

President Donald Trump issued a stunning tweet Tuesday night: "Turning Obamacare over to Civic Center Coalition. Miracle workers. Great. They fix stuff. Congress can't. Sad."

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