



# Cris Child Retirement 2022



Cris has been a part of the Airport for over 35 years. During this time, he had served as a member of the Airport Board before becoming the Airport Manager in 2007 when the airport was co-owned by Springville and Spanish Fork. In 2017, he became an employee of Spanish Fork City, when the airport acquisition took place.



- Wings & Wheels formerly Aeroplanes, Trains & Automobiles
- EAA Young Eagles Program  
“[Cris Child]’s been a real catalyst for this program.”  
Michael Duke, Experimental Aircraft Association (EAA) Charter 753, EAA Young Eagles (October 20, 2018)
- Began work on Gail S. Halvorsen Education Center



- Airport Master Plan
- Extension of the Runway
- Resurfacing the Runway
- New Taxiway - Bravo 1
- New Hangar Construction
- Removed Open Ditches



## Gail S. Halvorsen Commemoration

On May 21, 2022, Col. Halvorsen's service was commemorated at the Spanish Fork Municipal Airport with a variety of activities and aircraft displays.

On February 16, 2022, Col. Halvorsen passed away at 101 years old, His memory will live on through the Gail S. Halvorsen Aviation Education Foundation



# CANDY FROM THE SKY

*"Remember the Candy Bomber"*



SPANISH FORK AIRPORT  
MAY 21, 2022

9:30AM-12:30PM

- C-54 Candy drop
- C-17 "Spirit of the Candy Bomber" fly over
- C-54 "Spirit of Freedom" Tours
- Preview Halvorsen Heritage Center
- STEM Fun Bus
- Children's Activity Village + more!

FREE ADMISSION

Preregister at:  
[thecandybomber.org](http://thecandybomber.org)



MAY 20<sup>TH</sup> & 21<sup>ST</sup>, 2022  
**REMEMBER THE CANDY BOMBER**  
CELEBRATE - INSPIRE - CHALLENGE



During Cris' time, he has worked with many Airport Operator Specialists, Interns and Part-Time help.

David Bradford  
McLane Clements  
Christian Davis  
Bryce Gentile

Eliason Nelson  
Eden Tucker  
Grant Thorn  
Truman Nelson

