

## BLOHM FLYING NEWS - AIM AIR UPDATE – September 2020



We have a lot of AIM AIR news to fill you in on!

In August, the General Manager of AIM AIR stepped down to pursue other areas of ministry. Jerry Hurd, who has been with AIM AIR for 11 years, stepped into that role. **Pray for this transition of leadership. Pray for Jerry and his wife Breanna as they cast vision for the future of AIM AIR.**

AIM AIR has launched a new [website](#) and a brand new email newsletter! We encourage you to check out the new site and sign up for the newsletters to learn more about what we do here in Africa. The newsletters will have video updates and stories. Journey with our team and experience missionary aviation in Africa. Signing up for the AIM AIR newsletter will also give you an opportunity to give to the AIM AIR fund, which helps offset costs for operational expenses and reduces the cost of flights for those we serve.

[AIMAIR.org/signup](http://AIMAIR.org/signup)

**Incoming personnel!** In mid-September, Dan and Lois will join our team for 3 months (possibly full time in the future). As a retired Quality Manger for Delta Airlines, Dan brings a wealth of knowledge and experience. He'll come alongside Phil in this role and share his expertise. We are excited! **Pray for Dan & Lois as they adjust to Nairobi life. Pray for Phil and Dan as they work together on Quality Management projects.**



Phil will be sitting for another Quality Manager interview with the Kenyan Civil Aviation Authority (KCAA) in the near future, enabling him to have that role officially. The Covid lockdown delayed all the processes of internal and external audits, so those are now ramping up again. We also have two AIM AIR families joining us in October, one for avionics

and one for pilot/mechanic. Both of these families will be in our neighborhood. **Pray for Phil as he studies for the interview, prepares internal audits, orientates Dan to AIM AIR procedures, and helps with the KCAA certification renewal. Pray for the two families coming out soon.**



Because Phil needs as much time as possible with Dan and also needs to be present for these audits, our original plan to come to the States in October has been delayed for a month. **Pray for Phil and Dan as they work together on these critical behind the scenes components of aviation. Pray for our travel plans!**

Despite all the changes and challenges that AIM AIR has faced this year (aviation in general took a huge hit with Covid stuff!), we are thankful for all the ways that God has provided: permissions for our planes to fly outside lockdown restrictions, safety for our pilots, our mechanics who have worked tirelessly to keep the planes running at a moment's notice, for the medical evacuations that have saved lives, for solar Bibles delivered to northern Kenya in the local language, gifted media personnel who have revamped AIM AIR's [website](#) and [Facebook page](#), and so much more.

**Thank you for your prayers and generous support of our ministry, especially in this crazy Covid year!**

With love and appreciation, Phil and EJ Blohm

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