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# The Paragon Network

October 2016 Newsletter

The **Paragon Network** is an elite group of **independent FBOs** that provide a first-class experience to business aviation travelers in North America.



## Are you Paragon Preferred?

Customers with Paragon Preferred status are now receiving more benefits than ever! [Click here](#) to learn more and register!



## Interested in Becoming a Paragon Member FBO?

[Click here](#) to learn more about the benefits of becoming an elite member of the Paragon Network!

## Event Calendar:

[Click here](#) to view the full event calendar!

A screenshot of a calendar application showing a grid of dates with various colored bars representing events. The events are color-coded in shades of blue, green, and purple.

### Austin City Limits Music Festival

Austin, TX  
September 30 - October 2

### Breast Cancer Awareness Month

October 1 - 31

### Austin City Limits Music Festival

Austin, TX  
October 7 - 9

## Paragon "Thinks Pink" In October



The Paragon Network continues to raise awareness for breast cancer with their "Think Pink" promotion during the month of October.

To raise awareness, participating members of the Paragon Network will be handing out various items including "Think Pink" bracelets, pens, t-shirts and hats. In addition, a portion of their fuel or service revenue will be donated to organizations supporting prevention and treatment of breast cancer.

Paragon Aviation Group will also be making a **\$5 donation to the National Breast Cancer Foundation** for every **online survey completed during the month of October**. Show your support, use a Paragon Network FBO on your next trip and tell us about it!

[www.ParagonThinksPink.com](http://www.ParagonThinksPink.com)

## Paragon Aviation Group Adds Three New Locations To The Network

**Thunderbirds Air Show**

San Juan, PR  
October 8 - 9

**Columbus Day**

October 10

**National Shrimp Festival**

Gulf Shores, AL  
October 13 - 16

**Aviation Days Festival at Jack Edwards Airport**

Gulf Shores, AL  
October 15

**Fort Worth Alliance Airshow**

Fort Worth, TX  
October 15 - 16

**Wings Over Houston Airshow**

Houston, TX  
October 22 - 23

**Memphis International Auto Show**

Memphis, TN  
October 28 - 30

**Fort Lauderdale Boat Show**

Fort Lauderdale, FL  
November 3 - 7

**Our FBO Members:**

- [Clay Lacy Aviation \(BFI\)](#)
- [Ideal Aviation \(CPS\)](#)
- [Yelvington Jet Aviation \(DAB\)](#)
- [DuPage Flight Center \(DPA\)](#)
- [Business Air \(DTO\)](#)
- [Henriksen Jet Center \(EDC\)](#)
- [Fargo Jet Center \(FAR\)](#)
- [Premier Jet Center \(FCM\)](#)
- [National Jets \(FLL\)](#)
- [Texas Jet \(FTW\)](#)
- [Hill Aircraft \(FTY\)](#)
- [Odyssey Aviation \(GGT\)](#)
- [Lux Air Jet Centers \(GYR\)](#)
- [Aero Air \(HIO\)](#)
- [Ross Aviation \(HPN\)](#)
- [Ross Aviation \(IAD\)](#)
- [Platinum Air Center \(JKA\)](#)
- [Indy Jet \(MQJ\)](#)
- [Odyssey Aviation \(NAS\)](#)
- [Fontainebleau Aviation \(OPF\)](#)
- [Providence Jet Center \(OQU\)](#)
- [Skyplace FBO \(SAT\)](#)
- [StarPort \(SFB\)](#)
- [Pazos FBO Services \(SJU\)](#)
- [Henriksen Jet Center \(TME\)](#)
- [Tunica Air Center \(UTA\)](#)
- [Clay Lacy Aviation \(VNY\)](#)
- [Flite Line Services \(YKF\)](#)

**Safety**

Uncompromising safety is the most important ingredient in aviation today. Each one of our members are NATA Safety First Certified or has completed an equivalent program.

**Service**

Award winning service is undeniable in the Paragon Network. Each member has been rated among the top best FBOs in North America.

**Reliability**

This group of FBOs are the most



The Paragon Network is proud to announce the addition of three FBOs to their network bring them to a total of 28 members.



TUNICA AIRPORT

**Tunica Air Center (KUTA)**

Tunica Air Center is Northern Mississippi's premier FBO & "The Gateway to The Magic of Tunica." They are located approximately 45 miles south of Memphis, TN. Their executive facility includes of 11,000sqft of terminal space and first class amenities to support businesses and gaming tourism. [Read more.](#)

**Ross Aviation (KHPN)**

Ross Aviation at White Plains (HPN) has two elite locations on the field and is a central point for travel to New York City and the surrounding areas. Their full-service FBO is dedicated to ensuring that your experience is flawless. [Read more.](#)

**Ross Aviation (KIAD)**

Ross Aviation at Washington-Dulles offers quick access to the Beltway & Washington, DC. In addition to their exceptional service level, they are currently in the process of constructing a new state-of-the-art facility that is scheduled for completion in December 2016. [Read more.](#)



What do most of the *top rated* FBOs in America have in common?

**TRAQPak FBO**

Learn More About TRAQPak FBO

Fly Into National Jets, A Full Service FBO

Fort Lauderdale International Boat Show (FLIBS) November 3 - 7

Reserve Your Spot Today!

**National Jets, Inc.**



consistent and dependable operators in North America.

#### Value

Our network of PAG locations guarantee a quality facility and outstanding service at a competitive price.

#### Quality

The PAG can guarantee a first-class operation through comprehensive audits and core standards that each FBO is required to meet before joining the group.

### Featured Member: Hill Aircraft (KFTY)



Hill Aircraft is Atlanta's most established fixed based operation. Established in 1955 by Georgia Aviation Hall of Fame member Guy Hill, Sr. this world class facility includes comprehensive concierge services and FBO amenities. Features include a pilot's lounge theater style seating & private computer work stations. All line technicians are also NATA Safety 1st, providing additional confidence.

Visit [AwesomeFBOs.com/KFTY](http://AwesomeFBOs.com/KFTY) to learn more about Hill Aircraft and the first-class service they offer.

### Vote for Texas Jet as Your CAA Preferred FBO at KFTW!



**#1 Independent FBO - 2016 Pro Pilot PRASE Survey**  
**#2 US FBO - 2016 Pro Pilot PRASE Survey**  
**#4 US FBO - 2016 Pilots' Choice Awards**  
**#4 Best CSR, Holly Hopkins - 2016 Pro Pilot PRASE Survey**  
**Top 10% of the Top Rated FBOs - 2016 AIN FBO Survey**

*Texas Jet. Exceptional Service. People You Trust.*

### Fly Into Platinum Air Center for the 2016 National Shrimp Festival!

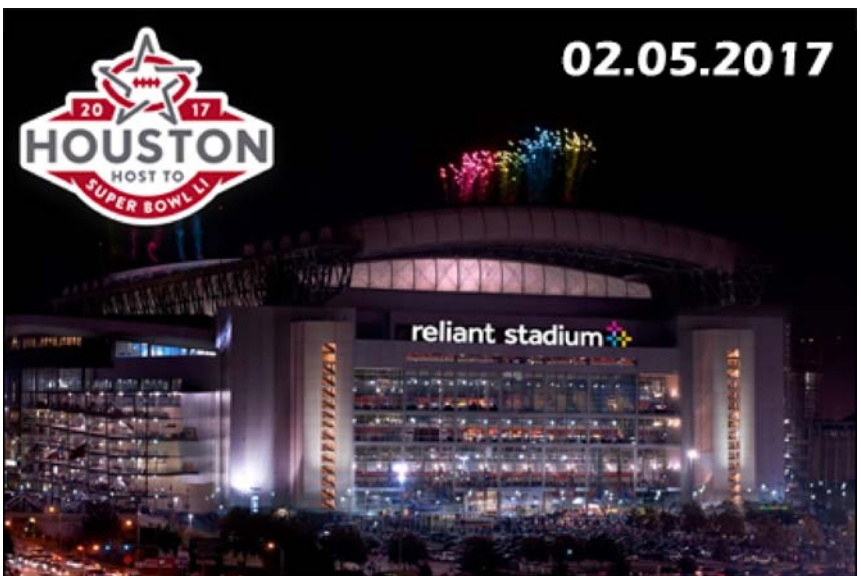


Visit Platinum Air Center for the 45th Annual National Shrimp Festival, which is one of the Southeast Tourism Society's top rated events that draws over 250,000 people every year! There are over 300 exhibitors offering a variety of activities and retail items, plus fresh gulf shrimp cooked in every way possible and continuous music from major national recording acts.

Platinum Air Center will be offering the following to all customers who fly into their FBO for the event:

- Complimentary shuttle service to and from the festival
- Fuel discount of \$0.50/gallon off posted retail
- All ramp and tiedown fees waived
- Raffle for a shrimp basket that includes restaurant gift certificates, hotel/condo stay, beach towels, t-shirts, and more!

**Make Your Reservation Today!**  
**[www.AwesomeFBOs.com/KJKA](http://www.AwesomeFBOs.com/KJKA)**



  
**Henriksen Jet Center**  
Fly Into Henriksen Jet Center (KTME) for  
Super Bowl 2017 in Houston, TX!  
Reserve your spot today!  
[www.AwesomeFBOs.com/KTME](http://www.AwesomeFBOs.com/KTME)



## PARAGON NETWORK CUSTOMER REVIEWS



**From Jeremiah Charlton on Ideal Aviation (KCPS)**

Flew into Downtown St Louis (KCPS) for the Labor Day weekend. Landed on 12R (approach right over the arch) and taxied to Ideal. Was met promptly and they helped secure aircraft and called a taxi for us. Nice professional crew, on a busy holiday weekend. Must have been 30+ aircraft on the ground, and they had room for them all. Parked plane on ramp for 2 nights and returned to full tanks, and a nice welcome back. Cost \$108 for 21 gallons and 2 nights ramp fee. I figured that was more than reasonable. Lounge has nice restroom, and couches. Saw two computers for flight planning. I plan to return in a few months, and plan to use them again. Would highly recommend them.



**From Doug Weber on Ideal Aviation (KCPS)**

Flew in for Cubs Cardinals. Ideal took care of the car and hotel. Car was out on the ramp when I landed. Could not have received more stellar service!



**From Ron Carroll on Business Air (KDTO)**

I flew into Denton TX to visit my Daughter who lives in Ft Worth. I landed in my 172 and was met on the field immediately and treated as if I was a businessman in a citation Jet. The gentleman that parked me told me if I would not set the brake he would take care of my airplane and see that it was tied down. Inside we were offered a snack and a drink by a very professional young lady and it was obvious this FBO was there to assist me for all my needs. The staff at Business air is extremely friendly and helpful. Prior to departure Chris Gross the young man on duty saw to it that I had everything I needed. Business Air provides a great service and asks for nothing. Thanks to the entire Business Air staff. See you soon.



**From KB Gordon on National Jets (KFLI)**

All employees were very helpful and pleasant.



**From Brian Hunnell on Hill Aircraft (KFTY)**

Two on the line to marshal me in since I was next to the building, fueled within 10 minutes of request. Cherri Smith and her crew took excellent care of me, we'll be back as often as we can!



**From Ray Meyer on Hill Aircraft (KFTY)**

First time back this year for football season. Cherri and the line guys did a great job! Thanks to Shanna as well for keeping good CSR's. See you all soon.



**From Paul Mannion on Ross Aviation (KIAD)**

We flew into IAD in a Piper Aztec in mid August, and chose Ross Aviation as our FBO. It was a great choice. Although we had to change plans several times due to weather, they were very accommodating. Although they are in temporary quarters, the facility was very nice. We will certainly use Ross Aviation on future trips to Dulles.



**From Kevin Collins on Skyplace FBO (KSAT)**

This is the place to go at KSAT for GA aircraft. Fuel is SIGNIFICANTLY less than any other FBO on the field. Their service is top notch. Multiple crew cars are available; they have a beautiful lounge to rest in. Hanger is loaded with all kinds of aircraft that are fascinating to see. Front desk staff was very helpful and willing to do whatever was necessary to make our stay first class. Will continue to use this facility whenever we come into San Antonio!



**From Paul Fox on Henriksen Jet Center (KTME)**

This is a 1st class FBO in terms of attentive service and spotlessly maintained extensive facilities. From the spacious covered arrival ramp where you are marshaled in, to the flight planning room, the kitchen and vending dining area, complimentary hot coffee, cold bottled water and freshly baked cookies and the immaculate restrooms, you get your money's worth. Fuel is available as either a self-serve or full-serve option. The self-serve pump is easy and the 100LL price is excellent. The fuel price is SO good, in fact, I can easily forgive them for not discounting the overnight tie-down fee even if you buy their fuel. Houston Exec is delightfully out in the countryside, but I had no problem summoning an Uber ride into Houston. A stellar operation.



**From Kerry Bunday on Tunica Air Center (KUTA)**

What a great FBO! The line guy was quick, efficient and professional and Betsy at the front desk is a gem. The Blue & White Restaurant was excellent - really nice crew car!

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