

North Texas Flying Club

Member Newsletter

January 2012



Gainesville Fly In October 2011

January Meeting

NORTH TEXAS

Flying
CLUB

Saturday January 21, 2011

9:00 am - 10:30 am

At Collin County Regional Airport
Cutter Aviation

Upstairs Conference Room

If you've tried logging on to our website lately, you know that it's been down quite a


bit. We apologize for that. We've been experiencing growing pains. For the last several months our webmasters, Paul Petrov and Jeremy Whittington, have been working diligently on our new site. We're all VERY excited!

The site has been totally redesigned with a brand new look, both on the front end and the back end. An exciting new feature is the Forum: a place for members to post stories, photos and share adventures with fellow pilots.

So join us this Saturday for an introduction and demonstration of the new NTxFC Website.

The presentation will be given by Paul Petrov and Jeremy Whittington.

NTxFC Board
<u>NTxFC.com</u>
President <u>Garry Ackerman</u>
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President's Message
<p>The new North Texas Flying Club website is now live! We think you'll love it at first site. The address is the same as it always was, so you don't have to change anything in your "Favorites" list. You will, however, need to use your new login ID - which is your first name and your last name concatenated. In other words, your login ID will now be "lastnamefirstname" (mine is garryackerman). Your password will not change. Let me know if you have any trouble getting logged in.</p> 
<p>The membership section is functional - you can edit your membership information and schedule airplanes - but it's not very fancy yet. We'll be changing the way things look and adding options to give our users</p>

[David Williford](#)

Web Masters

[Paul Petrov](#)
[Jeremy Whittington](#)

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**Address for Fuel
Receipts**

NTxFC
Deanna Paske
8109 Blacktail Trail
McKinney TX 75070



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more flexibility in the way they do things. Please know that we are interested in what you think, so after you've had a chance to use it a bit be sure to send us a message.

Thanks for your patience...

for now,
Garry Ackerman

Places To Go

As expected this time of year, the weather has been unpredictable. There's been plenty of windy, nasty days. But there HAVE been some gorgeous flying days. Which it's a good thing, cause there's always a new place to try for lunch...or dinner...or just to enjoy the privilege of flight.

Here are the basics in our general area. And if YOUR favorite is not listed, then please share it with us!



North Texas Regional Airport (Grayson County), Denison, TX (KGYI) -- Area 51 Grill, Outstanding burgers and fries. Located at the south end of the field. The friendly ATC personnel will gladly provide taxi instructions. Closed on weekends.



Hicks Field Ft. Worth, TX (T67) -- Rio Concho Cafe. Open Tuesday - Saturday, 11AM - 2PM, and Sundays 8AM - 3PM.



Cedar Mills Airport, on Lake Texoma (3T0) -- Pelican's Landing Waterfront Restaurant. Land on the beautiful grass strip and walk a short distance to the restaurant and marina.



Lancaster Airport, Lancaster, TX (KLNC) -- Runway Cafe. Great burgers, friendly staff, and nice little airport.



Clark Field, Stephenville, TX (KSEP) -- Hard 8 BBQ.
Really good BBQ, good airport. Park at one of the tie-downs and look for the golf cart provided by the restaurant to give you a ride over there.



Tyler-Pounds Regional Airport, Tyler, TX (KTYR) --
Skyline Cafe. Nice little restaurant, good food. Open for breakfast and lunch daily. <http://www.skylinecafe.org/> Also, check out the aircraft on static display.



Sulphur Springs Airport, Sulphur Springs, TX (KSLR) --
Red Barn Cafe. Great food, go on Sundays after 11AM if you want to avoid cigarette smoke. Don't forget to bring cash, they don't take credit cards there.



Meacham Airport, Ft. Worth, TX (KFTW) -- Stockyards Restaurants. Land at Meacham, park at TexasJet, get a crew car, and it's less than 2 miles to eat anywhere in the stockyards or go a little further and have some great mexican food at Joe T. Garcia's.

**Are you hungry yet?
Go FLY!**

N106KA

Now that you've picked a destination, don't forget that we have a beautiful 172S just waiting for you to take her up.



N106KA is a 2008 C-172S. It's like-new with the G1000 glass panel and best of all...it's priced to fly!...only **\$8/hr**

more than the Warrior and \$7/hr more than the 172 (N73192).



As you know, our club planes are leased to the club by their owners. And this one is a permanent addition to our fleet, but if it doesn't get used, that won't be the case for long.

So we ENCOURAGE you to fly this gem.

Insurance requirements are for pilots to be checked out in this plane by a Club CFI. Instrument pilots will need to do an instrument competency ride with a Club CFI. Rent is \$155/tach-hour.

Model: Cessna C172S

Description: Four place fixed gear single

Normal Cruise Speed: 130 mi/hr

Fuel Capacity: 50 gal

Range: 600 miles

Max Gross Weight: 2550 lbs

Useful Load : 700 lbs



Make sure to "Like" the [North Texas Flying Club Page](#) for current news and updates.

NTxFC Shirts

The new NTxFC shirts, with the new logo, are now available for purchase. Prices are plus tax and S&H. To purchase, contact **Janne Ackerman**.



Men's LS Twill - Navy



Ladies' LS Twill - Stone

Long Sleeve Twill Shirts

55/45 cotton/poly twill with stain release

Horn-style buttons

Extra stitching for strength at seams and buttons

Flat-felled seam finishing

Full back yoke and back pleat

Men's style has left chest pocket and button-down collar

Ladies' style has spread collar and no pocket

Men's (Navy, Stone)

S-XL - \$35.00

2XL - \$39.95

3XL - \$43.50

Ladies' (Navy, Stone)

S-XL - \$34.50

2XL - \$38.65

3XL - \$41.29



Men's Polo Shirt - Navy

Men's Polo Shirt (Navy, White)

6.5 oz., 100% preshrunk, soft combed ringspun cotton pique
Contrasting tipped welt collar and cuffs.
Three-button placket with woodtone buttons.
Double-needle stitched.

S-XL - \$25.00

2XL - \$28.00



Ladies' Sport Shirt - White

Ladies' Sport Shirt (Navy, White)

Shirts feature advanced double-poly mesh construction that's engineered to wick moisture away and provide superior breathability

3.5-ounce, 100% polyester double mesh

Gently contoured silhouette

Double-needle arm seams, shoulders and hem

Taped neck

Self-fabric Johnny collar

S-XL - \$33.00

2XL - \$36.70



Ladies Sport Shirt - Navy



Hats

Colors: White, Khaki, Navy, Black

Constructed (high crown): **\$4.50** (Regular \$7.50)

Unconstructed (low-crown): **\$4.50** (Regular \$7.50)

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We hope you've enjoyed our newsletter. If you have aviation related news or stories you'd like to share with the membership and wish to submit them for publishing consideration, email them to [Alba Dorsch](#). Submission deadline for the February newsletter is January 28th.

