

**ADMIRALS of the**



**FLAGSHIP FLEET**

AMERICAN AIRLINES Inc.

May 8, 1940

Mr. Amon G. Carter,  
Fort Worth Star-Telegram,  
Ft. Worth, Tex.

Dear Admiral:

You are an Admiral of the Flagship Fleet, not simply for the reason that you have flown a lot of miles with American, but also because you have taken a special kind of interest in aviation and in American Airlines.

We've long wanted to show our appreciation to you in some tangible way. And so we have opened a Club, in the Administration and Passenger Terminal Building at LaGuardia Field, New York...and we've named it the ADMIRALS CLUB, in your honor. It's for you and for your guests, and the guests of American Airlines.

The small brochure which comes with this note tells more about it. I hope that you will plan to visit the ADMIRALS CLUB soon...and make use of it often.

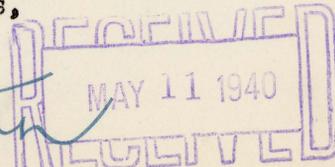
We're also enclosing your new Admiral's Card. It is identified by a serial number. We've gone over the list and I think that we have the addresses correctly shown. If the address to which this note is sent is not the correct address, please give us the correct one on the enclosed Address Correction Card and return it with your Admiral's Card in the reply envelope. We'll send you a corrected Admiral's Card immediately.

And, in line with the Admirals' traditions, if - after you've visited the new Club - you can give us suggestions about how it might be better operated for your comfort and convenience, we shall appreciate any suggestions you might have.

Your Admiral's Card is, of course, ample for admittance; it is your Club. If you have friends or members of the family to whom you would like to extend the privileges of the Club while they are in New York ... give them a note to the Skipper, our bright young lady in charge at the Club, ... Guest Cards will be issued to them and they will be welcomed as your guests.

Cordially yours,

*Ch. Smith*





# ADMIRAL of the FLAGSHIP FLEET

AMON G. CARTER

FOR MERITORIOUS SERVICE TO AIR TRANSPORTATION  
Commissioned this 9<sup>th</sup> day of January A. D. 1940

AMERICAN AIRLINES *Inc.*

*C. R. Smith*

PRESIDENT

**AMERICAN AIRLINES**

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in Presenting the*

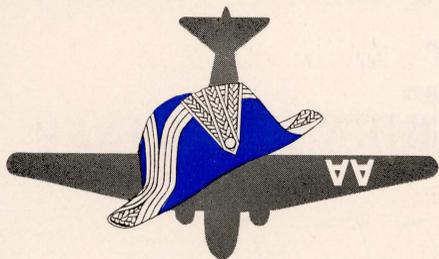
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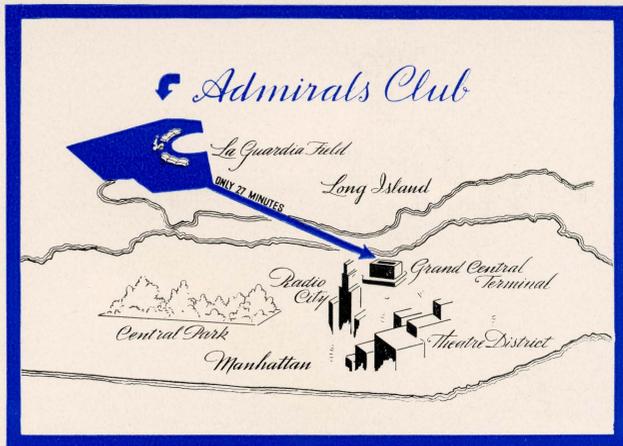
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**F**OR the Admirals of the Flagship Fleet and their guests . . . and for the guests of American Airlines, Inc., this special Club has been established.

You're invited to make the Admirals Club your headquarters for leisure, for fun or for business. We believe that you will find it convenient and pleasant . . . and the people you meet there congenial. For, those who fly and are interested in air transportation seem to have much in common. We hope we'll see you there often.



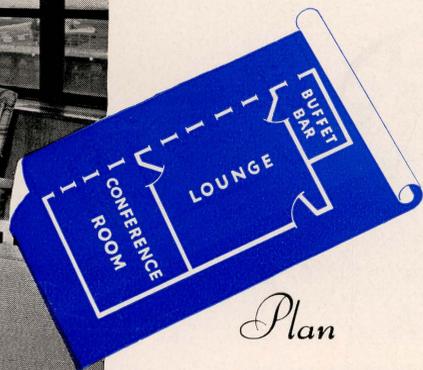
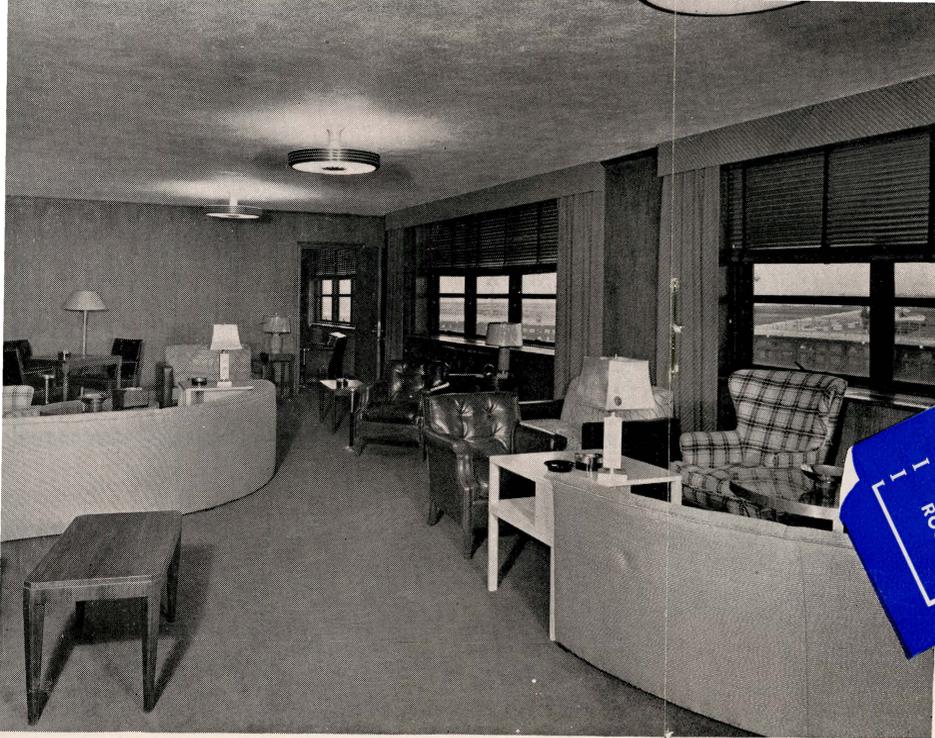
## AIR CENTER, U. S. A.

All airways lead to New York, so we chose the new La Guardia Field as the logical location for the Admirals Club. It's on the Ticket Office level, in the West Wing of the Passenger Terminal, at La Guardia Field.

The Club will be open from 10:30 A. M. to 10:30 P. M., every day. You'll find a doorbell . . . and please ring it. We'll unroll the welcome doormat the minute you arrive.

Want a telegram sent? Bridge game? Stationery? A reservation on the plane? Our efficient receptionist (we call her Skipper) will arrange it for you.

## Lounge



## Plan

### ROOM WITH A VIEW

The Lounge is the main room of the Admirals Club. There's a whole row of windows . . . the reviewing stand of the Flagship Fleet. The furniture has been specially designed . . . because we had pretty special ideas for your smart little Club. It's all carpeted in

Flagship Blue . . . and there are big red leather chairs into which a man can subside without risking collapse. It's the kind of room men enjoy, but in which women will feel at home. It's smart, but in its prime consideration of comfort, the Lounge is essentially masculine.



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Records as they appear below:

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IF EITHER IS INCORRECT please mark in correction and return this  
card, using the enclosed postage paid reply envelope.

Please also enclose your new Admiral's Identification Card which accompanies  
this letter so that we may also enter your address correction in our Card Register.  
A corrected card will be returned to you promptly.

Corrected name and address

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