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American Airlines Celebrates The Admirals Club 70th Birthday

Admirals Club Celebrates For 70 Days Including Sweepstakes And Special $70 Savings Offer

Seventy years ago, in 1939, American Airlines opened the airline industry's first VIP lounge at LaGuardia Airport in New York. In honor of the occasion, American launched 70 days of celebration with a birthday sweepstakes* and $70 savings offer on annual memberships. Beginning last month, Admirals Club® lounges began hosing celebrations worldwide.

On Thursday, August 13, visitors to the Chicago O'Hare Admirals Club lounge were in for a treat. Chef Duff Goldman from the popular television program, 'Ace of Cakes' presented the Admirals Club and its visitors with a birthday cake, which he baked for this momentous occasion. Customers are invited to enjoy a piece of cake and meet Chef Duff as the Admirals Club 70th birthday celebration continues.

On September 15, customers at Japan's Narita Admirals Club lounge will have the opportunity to experience traditional Japanese culture, including a tea ceremony and Japanese traditional dance performance, and tour a photo gallery displaying 70 years of Club history.

For customers residing in Japan, American Airlines is offering a limited time offer of $70 savings on annual memberships, both new and for renewals. Customers can register at the Admirals Club birthday celebration website www.aa.com/AC70years or simply ask Narita Admirals Club staff for assistance.

"For seven decades, the Admirals Club has been known for exceptional hospitality and outstanding service, providing travelers with a quiet place to relax or conduct business, said Admirals Club President, Nancy Knipp. We sincerely appreciate the support of our customers and look forward to showing our gratitude during our 70 days of celebration and in the years to come."

* The sweepstakes applies to customers aged 21 or over who reside in the 50 United States or District of Columbia.

Narita Admirals Club Quick Facts:

- 13,300 square feet
- Seating capacity: 265
- One conference room seating up to 10: equipped with A/V equipment, it is available for booking
- Self-service bar and food area with complimentary snacks and beverages
- 50" Widescreen flat-panel TVs: 2
- Private spa-like shower suites: 5
- Personal computers: 16
- Business Center with 12 Lenovo personal computers featuring high-speed Internet access, Microsoft Office Suite, fax and copy service
- Cyber Café featuring four Lenovo personal computers with high-speed Internet access
- Multiple options in regards to Internet accessibility
- Complimentary Wi-Fi coverage throughout the entire lounge
- More than 100 Ethernet port connections throughout the Admirals Club providing complimentary, high-speed Internet access and Duplex electrical outlets
- Two IBM printers for any connection type (wired or wireless); members can submit print jobs via email or web page uploads.
- Blend of traditional and modern art throughout the lounge

Admirals Club lounge one-day passes are also available for $50 and may be purchased at www.aa.com, Self-Service Check-In machines, or at any Admirals Club location. Up to two additional one-day passes may be purchased for $25 each.

Chef Duff celebrate the 70th birthday of the Admirals Club

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Special Offer For Our AAdvantage Elite Members

Double Elite Qualifying Miles Offer

Reach AAdvantage Gold®, AAdvantage Platinum® or AAdvantage Executive Platinum® status faster than ever with this special promotion! Just fly on American Airlines, American Eagle or AmericanConnection® between September 2, 2009, and December 15, 2009, and you'll earn double elite-qualifying miles - the miles that bring you closer to AAdvantage elite status membership - at an accelerated rate. And, with this special promotion, we're also making it easier to qualify for Elite Rewards!

To qualify, register for this special offer prior to travel. For more details on the promotion, please visit AA.com.

More Special Rewards When Achieving Elite AAdvantage Status!

When you reach the specified miles/points goal outlined below, by the end of 2009, American will send you an email early next year inviting you to choose your special reward. Choose from a variety of rewards based on the AAdvantage elite status you hold as of December 31, 2009 as well as the elite qualifying miles/points earned as of that date.

Continue to fly American throughout 2009, and in 2010 select from the rewards with our compliments!

* To qualify for Elite Rewards, register prior to December 15, 2009. View complete details at AA.com.

* Be sure you have opted-in to receive your AAdvantage e-Summary℠ so we can alert you when it is time to choose your reward. If you're not already subscribed to e-Summary, please go to the My Account section at AA.com and select the "My Emails and Fare Alerts" tab.

Special Rewards for Elite-Status Members

Rewards are based on your elite membership as of 12/31/09

AAdvantage Executive Platinum Members	AAdvantage Platinum Members	AAdvantage Gold Members
Earn 125,000 or more elite qualifying miles or points during 2009 and choose two of the following:	Earn 75,000 - 99,999 elite qualifying miles or points during 2009 and choose one of the following:	Earn 40,000 - 49,999 elite qualifying miles or points during 2009 and choose one of the following:
• 2 One-Way Systemwide Upgrades • One Year Admirals Club Membership • 25,000 AAdvantage Bonus Miles • Gift of AAdvantage Gold status for a Friend	• 4 500-Mile Upgrades • 2 Admirals Club One-Day Passes • 15,000 AAdvantage bonus miles • Gift of AAdvantage Gold status for a Friend	• 2 500-Mile Upgrades • 1 Admirals Club One-Day Pass • 7,500 AAdvantage Bonus Miles

TSA Secure Flight Information

Transportation Security Administration

Passengers To Provide Date Of Birth And Gender When Booking Airlines Travel

The Transportation Security Administration (TSA), a US government entity, has announced the implementation of a new directive known as Secure Flight Program.

Secure Flight is designed to enhance the security of commercial air travel through the use of better watch list matching processes. It was developed by the US Department of Homeland Security (DHS) and it will improve the travel experience for all passengers.

Under the new Secure Flight policy, the TSA mandates that airlines collect specific information from passengers when making reservations. The required information is known as Secure Flight Passenger Data (SFPD). American Airlines is working closely with the TSA on Secure Flight and will comply with all government requirements ensuring the necessary information is collected in all reservations and sent to the TSA in advance.

What does this mean for you?

For reservations ticketed after **September 12, 2009** customer will be asked to provide the following data:

- Full name (as it appears on your passport)
- Date of birth
- Gender
- Redress Number (if applicable)*

For more information about the Secure Flight Program, please visit http://www.tsa.gov/what_we_do/layers/secureflight/index.shtm.