



NATCA's First National Elections

Keep up with the latest NATCA 30th Anniversary article!

As NATCA went into its second Biennial Convention, new faces began to rise through the ranks of NATCA leadership. [Read more.](#)



Archie League Medal of Safety Award Recipients

Read more about this year's winners from three regions in the third and final installment of our series detailing the 2017 award-winning flight assists

Mason Braddock, Nichole Surunis, Patrick Burrows, Clay Sutton, and Keith Tyus from Atlanta TRACON; Patrick M. Armstrong from Dallas/Fort Worth TRACON; and Brian Bond, Carlton Wickstrom, and Aaron C. Fones from Phoenix TRACON are all featured in this week's special focus on winning events. [Read more.](#)

March is Multiple Sclerosis Awareness Month

Read a special message from our NATCA brother, Jimmy Clouse, about his very personal journey to spread awareness about Multiple Sclerosis

"NATCA means family and I could not do what I do without the love and support from so many of my union brothers and sisters. I encourage all of my brothers



and sisters to get involved. While we cannot possibly support each and every cause in the world, no matter how much we wish we could, I appreciate the opportunity to bring awareness to this disease that affects an estimated 2.5 million people worldwide and nearly 500,000 in the United States alone. Thank you!" [Read more.](#)

NATCA Salutes Region X

Learn more about a recent round-the-clock effort by our brothers and sisters



NATCA this week salutes the great work of its Region X members who have completed certification of the new Boeing 737 MAX aircraft. [Read more.](#)

NATCA Professionalism Award

Eastern Service Area recipient: Matt Sullivan, PCT

Sullivan is among the five winners of this year's NATCA National Professionalism Award. NATCA will recognize his exemplary work on March 21 at Communicating For Safety. He is one of the winners from the Eastern Service Area. [Read more.](#)

Coming Soon:

The FedView Survey

The Federal Employee Viewpoint Survey (FedView) measures employees' perceptions of whether, and to what extent, conditions characterizing successful organizations are present in their agencies. This will be the 15th survey issued since FedView began in 2002. It is administered by the Office of Personnel Management. The survey will be open for about six weeks from approximately the end of April to the first of June. Invitations will be sent to a random sampling of employees at their faa.gov email address. (Not everyone will get an invitation.) Participation is voluntary. The FAA and NATCA jointly support FedView participation.

NATCA in Washington

NATCAvists continue to build strong relationships at home



Check out what your brothers and sisters have been doing to stay legislatively active and make NATCA's voice heard on the local level throughout the country.

[Read more.](#)

NATCA Charitable Foundation *NCF Communicating For Safety Poker Tournament!*

The annual poker tournament will be held during Communicating For Safety on Tuesday, March 21 in the Bally's Las Vegas Poker Room. [Download the flyer.](#)



Communicating For Safety

At a glance

What: Communicating For Safety (CFS).

When: March 20-22. (Event starts at noon PDT on Monday, March 20.)

Where: Bally's Las Vegas.

Website: Please [click here](#).

Social Media: [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), [Instagram](#)

Updated Agenda: Please [click here](#).

Confirmed Speakers (all times PDT): For more information about each speaker, please go to [natcacfs.com](#).

- NATCA President Paul Rinaldi (March 20, 12:15 p.m.)
- FAA Air Traffic Organization Chief Operating Officer Teri Bristol (March 20, 12:45 p.m.)
- National Transportation Safety Board Chairman Christopher Hart (March 21, 8:35 a.m.)
- Risk management expert Gordon Graham (March 21, 3:30 p.m.)
- RTCA, Inc., President Margaret Jenny (March 22, 8:40 a.m.)
- ABC News Transportation Correspondent David Kerley (March 22, 9 a.m.)
- Pilot and motivational speaker Jessica Cox (March 22, noon)

Panel Discussions (all times PDT):

- Improving Safety Through Collaboration (March 20, 1 p.m.)
- NextGen Implementation Challenges & Successes (March 20, 3 p.m.)
- Pilot / Controller Communications (March 21, 9:15 a.m.)
- Runway Safety (March 21, 11:15 a.m.)
- Weather: Complete the Picture (March 21, 1:30 p.m.)
- How the Media Can Shape Aviation (March 22, 9 a.m.)
- The Effect of Government Regulations and Policies on Aviation Safety,



- Efficiency, and Growth (March 22, 10:30 a.m.)

NATCA 101

Course available for Communicating For Safety attendees: March 20, 8:30 a.m. PDT

NATCA 101 is an interactive learning course for members that is intended to introduce newer members, as well as those looking to get more involved, to the organization and structure of NATCA. NATCA is pleased to offer this course to members attending Communicating For Safety in Las Vegas on Monday, March 20 at 8:30 a.m. PDT. NATCA 101 provides a foundation of information about NATCA that will help members to better understand and become more involved with the organization that is working on their behalf every day. Having a basic understanding of your Union, and then building on it with personal involvement, are the first steps toward a stronger local, a more powerful national Union, and a better future for you and your family.



WorkLife Wisdom

Health and wellness all-agency challenge: Three weeks to better sleep begins March 7

Announcing Sleep Well, a 3-week CaféWell program that helps you establish simple routines that can lead to better sleep, brought to you by FAA and Magellan Healthcare. [Read more.](#)

Photo Album

Texas, Washington, D.C.

See all of the places NATCA is making a difference across the country this week. [Read more.](#)



This Week's Notebook

Stay up to date with all things NATCA

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