
Subject: Florida airports/dining
Posted by [Dave Klain](#) on Fri, 04 Apr 2014 02:52:30 GMT
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Dave

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Posted by [Donald Taylor](#) on Fri, 04 Apr 2014 03:06:28 GMT
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OK, hands down the best place is Chalet Susan, not too far from Sun N Fun. Check to see if it is still there and the sod runway is suitable for your MU-2, but it is a special place.

The mercury astronauts liked it enough to take some of their canned soup to the moon. Wonderful food and unique cabins if you want to spend the night.

Don

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Posted by [Dennis Wolf](#) on Fri, 04 Apr 2014 03:59:39 GMT
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Posted by [David Yonak](#) on Fri, 04 Apr 2014 11:37:53 GMT
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Stopped by Chalet Susanne last night & there is a twin Comanche taking rides loaded up. Very pilot friendly, & a lot of pilots there.

From: Dennis Wolf <ezrun26@gmail.com>;

To: MU-2 Mailing List <mu2list@mailman.mu-2aopa.com>;

Subject: Re: [MU-2 list] Florida airports/dining

Sent: Fri, Apr 4, 2014 4:01:37 AM

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Posted by [Dick Shine](#) on Fri, 04 Apr 2014 12:57:38 GMT
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It's not possible as how can you have dinner without a martini?

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Posted by [Bill Galbraith](#) on Fri, 04 Apr 2014 18:07:35 GMT
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Dave-

I lived over in Tampa a hundred years ago, and I think there used to be a nice place on the St. Pete airport, or within walking distance. Never flew into there, but I hear it's a pretty place to fly into.

Is that vague enough for you?

Bill

Quote:-----Original Message-----

From: Mu2list [mailto:mu2list-bounces@mailman.mu-2aopa.com] On Behalf Of Dave Klain
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2014 10:53 PM
To: MU-2 Mailing List
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Posted by [Brett Meares](#) on Fri, 04 Apr 2014 18:35:13 GMT

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Dave: I'm a Tampa native and have been doing the \$\$\$\$ burger for over 30 yrs. Out of Tampa in an MU-2, I'd recommend afternoon and evening in Key West. Arrive in time to catch "local color" at Mallory Square for sunset, then walk to dinner at any number of very good restaurants: all within ten minute cab ride of airport. Brett

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Posted by [Dave Klain](#) on Fri, 04 Apr 2014 19:08:07 GMT

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Appreciate all the suggestions. Not sure I want to try the sod landing when full of pax...nor the 2300' runway. Marathon seems like a good option but the FBO closes at 1900...they seem to cater to overnight traffic. I'm going to look into the St. Pete option but am open to other suggestions from the group!

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Posted by [David Slivka](#) on Fri, 04 Apr 2014 19:14:15 GMT

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I believe there are two FBOs...u can have gate access after hours

All specification and pictures including a LOT of MU2 information can be seen on our web site www.anacondaaviation.com

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Posted by [Gerald Downs](#) on Fri, 04 Apr 2014 22:44:16 GMT

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Venice airport has a restaurant just off the field. It is called Sharky's on the pier and I believe there is a free shuttle. Might call them to confirm 941-488-1456. Venice id is KVNC, just south of Sarasota.

Hope this helps.

Jerry Downs
N44AX

Subject: Florida airports/dining
Posted by [David Yonak](#) on Sat, 05 Apr 2014 00:15:47 GMT
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One FBO at Marathon is jet the other is avgas is the best way to describe them ,they don't like for you to mix the two. If you can get a car Frank's grill on the upper end of Marathon has killer Italian food .

The last time I went to Key West they were fee happy for all the longer I was there . I took my Aerostar in there for about 1/2 of what they charged me in the MU-2.

Side note try not to let them move your plane at Marathon they curled up both outside lower sides of my front nose gear door.
