

# Patreon

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# What is Patreon

*Becoming a Patreon is not mandatory nor expected for Walker pilots. However, it's an option for one to make a recurring financial contribution to support Airline operations (servers and service providers), enhancements and improvements (modules, functionality, liveries, etc.) – or in any other way the Business Office determines is appropriate and necessary for support of the airline and its pilots.*

The Walker Patreon program is another way for pilots to financially support the company. There are 2 tiers of support that you may choose from.

## Tiers

Tier	Cost (excl. VAT)	Benefits
Freedom of Livery	\$5.00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Access to Patreon-only Discord channel</li><li>• Learn about new and upcoming services before other pilots, as well as access to services under testing prior to release</li><li>• Take part in conversations about future services</li><li>• Freedom to fly any aircraft livery (excluding Walker Events)</li><li>• Freedom to fly as any callsign when flying online (excluding Walker Events)</li><li>• Freedom to fly as any other real-world airline or country-specific private registration (excluding Walker Events)</li><li>• Freedom to fly an aircraft before the livery is released on the platform (excluding Walker Events)</li><li>• 10% off the Walker Store</li></ul>

## Freedom of Livery - Walker Events

*Failure to follow below will result in PIREP rejection and forfeiture of **all** hours and points earned, not just the double multiplier from the event.*

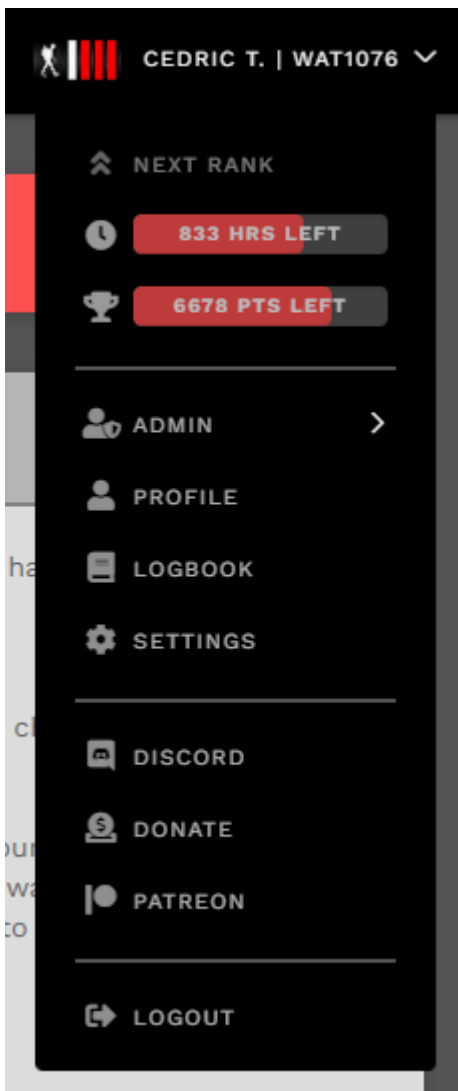
As noted above, Freedom of Livery benefits (use of any livery/callsign) does not apply when flying **Walker Events**. This is to continue to represent the company in these events, particularly during large scale ones such as Cross the Pond.

Outside of flight bids done under the events module, flights (be it online or offline) may be recorded even if using other liveries or callsigns.


# How to Become a Patreon

## How to be a Patreon

If you wish to become a member of the Patreon program, you may do so by heading to the Patreon page on the CrewOps site under Profile - Patreon, or by clicking the hyperlink above.



In this page, you will find a **"Subscribe Here"** button at the bottom, along with **"Verify Subscription"** and **"Re-Sync"** buttons which will be discussed further down - this will bring you to the Patreon site where you can enter your payment details.

 [Subscribe Here!](#)

 [Verified Patreon!](#)

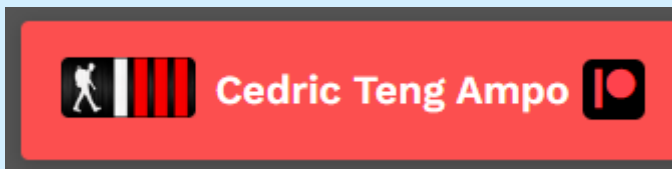
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## Important Notes

- The email address used in Patreon **must** be the same as your Walker email address, for the systems to interface.
- You may start and stop your subscription at any time - payments are valid for the calendar month in which you were charged.

*Once you have subscribed in the Patreon website - you **MUST** return to the [Patreon page in CrewOps](#) and click the "Verify Subscription" button to link your profile and ensure you get your benefits. You can check if you are properly verified with the presence of a Patreon symbol beside your name on your profile.*



*To access the Patreon-only channel in Discord, you must be in our Discord when you verify. If you join the Discord after verifying your Patreon subscription, please click the "Re-Sync" button and you will be given the role.*

# How to Cancel Your Paid Membership

The Walker Air Transport staff have no ability to cancel your membership with us. Patreon requires the account holder "you" to go in and do that yourself. Please see their help document below with instructions to cancel it. Sending an email to the Patreon account, to the Walker Air Transport support email, to Discord Server, or through our help ticket system will not cancel your membership.

Patreon Help Document: <https://support.patreon.com/hc/en-us/articles/360005502572-Canceling-a-paid-membership>

# Use Any Aircraft Livery

In order to continue promoting the Walker Air Transport brand, we do not allow Patreon's to use their benefits in official Walker Air Transport events. If you are participating in an event, you must fly with our colors and your official Walker Air callsign.

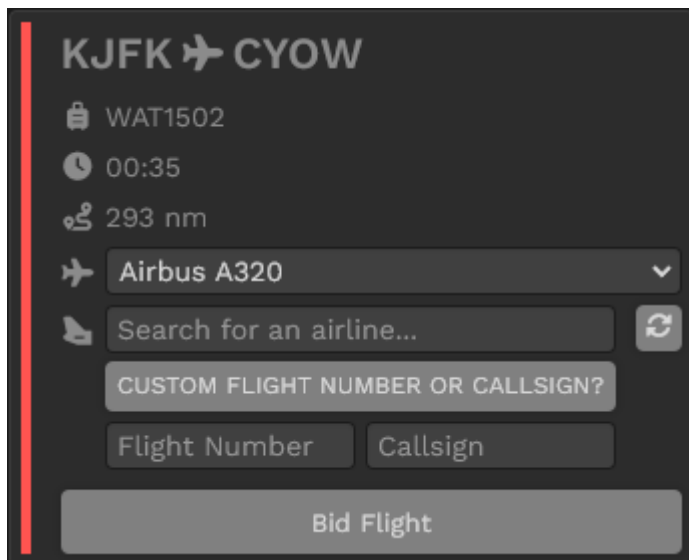
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You are exempt from our PIREP review process that checks for the use of Walker Air Transport liveries. This exemption allows you to fly using any real-world airline livery under our "Fly As Any Other Real-World Airline" benefit or any private aircraft livery of your choice. There's no special process required for bidding—simply place your bid, choose your flight, and proceed as usual.

# Choose Any Callsign for Online Flights

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When you are building a flight using a real-world airline or a country-specific private registration, as a Patreon, you can use that callsign when using an online ATC network. You can even specify the specific callsign you wish to use by making those selections during your bidding process. Depending on the module you use, there will be an area where you can specify the *flight number* and *callsign* for your flight.



The image shows a dark-themed flight bidding interface. At the top, it displays the route "KJFK → CYOW". Below this, several flight details are listed: "WAT1502" with a lock icon, "00:35" with a clock icon, and "293 nm" with a distance icon. The aircraft type is set to "Airbus A320" in a dropdown menu. Below the aircraft type is a search bar labeled "Search for an airline..." with a refresh icon. A section titled "CUSTOM FLIGHT NUMBER OR CALLSIGN?" contains two input fields: "Flight Number" and "Callsign". At the bottom of the interface is a large button labeled "Bid Flight".



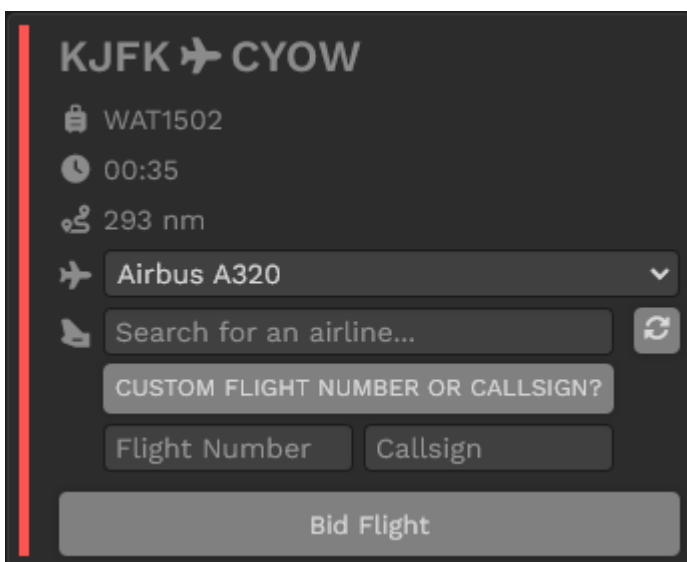
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One of the most popular perks of our Patreon subscription is the option to fly as a real-world airline or use a country-specific private registration. When creating your bid, you can choose to fly for Walker Air Transport, another airline, or, in the Charter module, under a private registration.

Airlines and private registrations are available across our flight modules: Cargo, Charter, Scheduled, and Tours.

You can search our database for your preferred airline. If you don't find it and would like it added, simply open a ticket by going to **Help > Submit a Ticket** in the navigation bar.

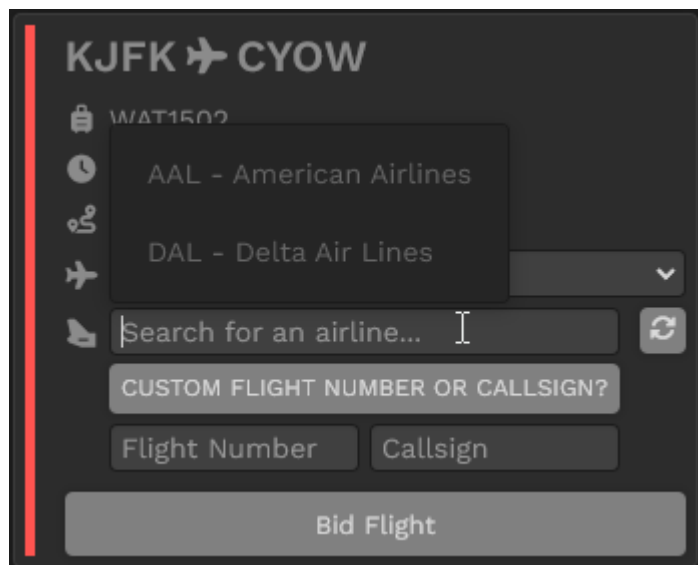


The screenshot shows a flight bid interface with a dark theme. At the top, it displays the route "KJFK → CYOW". Below this, there are several fields and options: a flight number field containing "WAT1502", a time field showing "00:35", a distance field showing "293 nm", and an airline dropdown menu currently set to "Airbus A320". There is a search bar labeled "Search for an airline..." with a refresh icon to its right. Below the search bar is a section titled "CUSTOM FLIGHT NUMBER OR CALLSIGN?" which contains two input fields: "Flight Number" and "Callsign". At the bottom of the form is a large button labeled "Bid Flight".

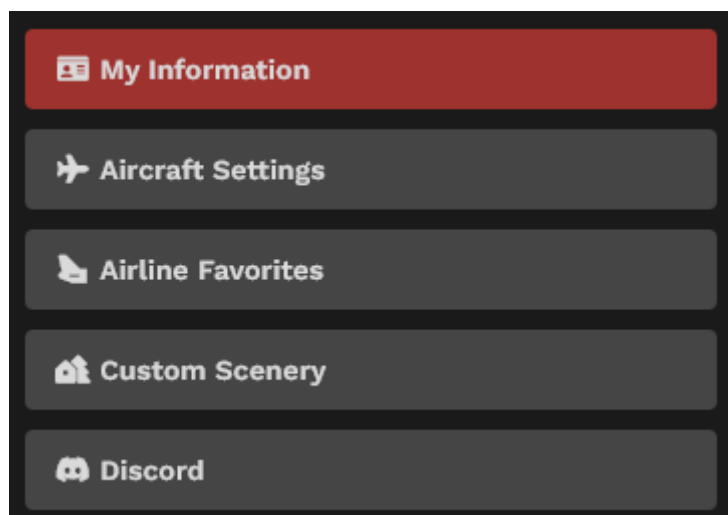
## Airline Favorites

We have introduced a new feature that allows you to select a maximum of 15 favorite airlines you

wish to see added throughout our website. These choices that you make will present themselves when you click on the *Search for an airline...* box.



You can access your Airline Favorites by clicking your name (top right), click *Settings*, and then click *Airline Favorites*.



As a Patreon, you can select up to 15 favorite airlines. These airlines will appear as options when you're choosing to fly under another airline in our system.

Code	Callsign	Name	Country	Favorite
AAL	AMERICAN	American Airlines	United States	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
DAL	DELTA	Delta Air Lines	United States	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
AAA	ANSETT	Ansett Australia	Australia	<input type="checkbox"/>
AAB	ABG	Abelag Aviation	Belgium	<input type="checkbox"/>
AAF	AIGLE AZUR	Aigle Azur	France	<input type="checkbox"/>
AAG	APRICOT	Armenian Airlines	Armenia	<input type="checkbox"/>
AAH	ALOHA	Aloha Air Cargo	United States	<input type="checkbox"/>
AAR	ASIANA	Asiana Airlines	South Korea	<input type="checkbox"/>
AAU	AUSTASIA	Australia Asia Airlines	Australia	<input type="checkbox"/>
AAW	AFRIQIYAH	Afriqiyah Airways	Libya	<input type="checkbox"/>

# Fly an Aircraft Before Its Livery Is Released on the Platform

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Newly released aircraft can be flown by Patreon subscribers before the official Walker Air Transport livery is created and made available. Non-Patreon pilots will need to wait until the official livery is completed and released.

If you do not see the aircraft available in your select window, simply ask in the #patreon Discord channel or submit a ticket. We try to add them as quickly as we can so that our Patreon's can immediately start using them.