

The Airport is a diverse community with special people, places and events that make the Guam International Airport an exciting and unique place to work and travel. See our top three picks of what you need to know, and get the latest news about GUAM's only commercial airport!

PEOPLE

GIAA's Vincent Meno Earns
A.C.E. Operations
Designation



Vincent Meno, Airport Operations Supervisor, recently earned Airport Certified Employee (A.C.E.) - Operations designation. Training was conducted by the American Association of Airport Executives (AAAE). Certification is attained only after passing the examination of critical operations procedures and knowledge and applicability of federal rules and guidelines.

PLACES

United Club
Reopens Its Doors



GIAA congratulates United Airlines on the reopening of its United Club effective February 13, 2023.

See inside for details.

EVENTS

Guam Airport Hosts
School Outreach



GIAA, together with the U.S. Air Force and the Guam Department of Education, hosted 100 elementary school students on February 6, 2023, for talks with American, Australian, and Japanese fighter jet pilots, a close-up view of an F-16 fighter jet, and a tour of the Aircraft Rescue & Fire Fighting Facility in Tiyan.

The A. B. Won Pat International Airport Authority, Guam (GIAA) is a self-sustaining autonomous government agency, charged with the mission to ensure the safety and security of the traveling public, maintain superior and reliable level of airport services, and support the development of air services and facilities which are integral to the island's economic growth.



PASSENGER FLIGHT NETWORK (For March 2023)



HNL - UA200 Daily
NRT - UA196 Daily
- UA828 Daily
- UA873 Tues/Thurs/Sun
SPN - UA174 Daily
MNL - UA183 Daily
KIX - UA151 Mon/Wed/Fri
FUK - UA165 Thurs/Sun
NGO - UA137 Mon/Fri
ROR - UA157 Mon/Thurs/Sun
- UA193 Tues/Fri
TKK - UA133 Wed
- UA155 Mon/Fri
PNI - UA176 Sat
Yap - UA185 Mar. 14 and 28



NRT - JL942 Mar. 18, 21, 23, and 25 only



ICN - KE422 Daily
- KE424 Daily



TPE - Suspended through March 2023



ICN - 7C3101 Daily
ICN - 7C3105 Daily
PUS - 7C3153 Wed/Thurs/Sat/Sun
NRT - 7C181 Daily



ICN - RS104 Suspended through March 2023



PUS - BX613 Suspended through March 2023



ICN - LJ644 Daily
PUS - LJ774 Daily



MNL - PR111 Daily



ICN - TW302 Daily



SPN - 9X295 and 9X299 Daily
ROP - Daily



ROP - PA-32-300 Mon/Tue/Wed/Thur/Fri

Korean Air Introduces Additional Flight



Korean Air (KAL) introduces a second daily passenger flight to Incheon on its B777-300 aircraft with 291 seat capacity, effective March 1, 2023.

Pictured above: KAL passengers check in for their return flight.

United Airlines Conducts Tabletop Exercise



United Airlines (UA) conducted an independent Aircraft Accident/ Incident Tabletop Exercise on February 16, 2023. Participation included local UA responders, the GIAA Air Terminal Manager, GIAA Operations, Airport Police, GIAA Aircraft Rescue & Fire Fighting Division, and the UA Corporate Office which facilitated the exercise.

United Airlines Reopens Its United Club



United Airlines recently announced that its United Club reopened its doors on February 13, 2023 to its lounge members and premier customers. United Club members, Star Alliance® Gold members, and other eligible customers are now able to enjoy access to the Club, which is located on the East Concourse between Gates 10 and 11. The Club features a business center, a buffet and bar area, and plenty of comfortable lounge seating. Its temporary hours of operation are from 4:30am to 1:00pm daily.

Pictured left: The recently-reopened United Club offers many seating areas that provide comfortable spaces for its eligible customers to relax before boarding their flight.

ARFF Fire Fighters Conduct CPR and AED Training



Aircraft Rescue & Fire Fighting (ARFF) Fire Fighter II Toby Savarés (pictured left) looks on as ARFF Fire Fighter Apprentice Dylan Aguon (pictured right) demonstrates proper CPR techniques during CPR Instructor Certification and CPR Certification training at the ARFF Facility on February 3, 2023.

ARFF Fire Fighter I Kagan Rabago (standing, left) and ARFF Driver Operator Brandon Aflague (standing, right) observe ARFF apprentices during Automated External Defibrillator (AED) training at the ARFF Facility in Tiyan on February 3, 2023. The instructor core aims to provide training to airport-wide personnel.

GIAA Refreshes Runway



RUNWAY REFRESH. Personnel from the GIAA Properties & Facilities Building Section are seen refreshing critical runway surface markings in preparation for the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) Flight Check, which is scheduled for March 3, 2023 and in anticipation of the re-opening of Runway 6L/24R, after a nearly two-year runway rehabilitation project.

Pictured above: Jerry Munoz - Painter I and Michael Pangelinan - Maintenance Worker look on as Domingo "Jun" Molo - Painter Leader, carefully refreshes surface markings on the runway earlier this month. Not pictured is Ralph Cruz - GIAA Operations Self Inspector.

Guam Airport Supports Cope North 23 Military Exercises



SUPPORTING COPE NORTH 23. The Guam Airport has been designated as a support location for Cope North 23 U.S. military exercises taking place in the region from February 8 - 24, 2023. The exercises consist of numerous military aircraft operations over Guam and throughout the region. **Pictured above:** Military personnel are seen on the South Ramp of the Guam International Airport as they prepare a fighter jet pilot to take off as part of one of the many Cope North 23 exercises.

COPE NORTH FAMILIARIZATION TOUR. Cope North 23 provided GIAA Aircraft Rescue & Fire Fighting (ARFF) fire fighters with an aircraft familiarization training on the C-5 Glaxay and F-16 Fighting Falcon on February 16, 2023. The training included aircraft structural components; aircraft engine hazards; flight data, voice recorders, and locations; on-board aircraft fire protection, aircraft emergency shutdown procedures, and basic aircraft configuration.

Cope North 23 Thanks GIAA for Military Exercise Support



SPECIAL THANKS. Members of the Cope North 23 Exercise Planning Group met with GIAA Executive Management on February 23, 2023, in appreciation for GIAA's support of the successful outcome of related exercise sorties that involved a tri-lateral Field Training Exercise (FTX). The FTX was designed to increase inter-operability of the United States Air Force, the Royal Australian Air Force, and the Japan Air Self-Defense Force (Koku-Jieitai). **Pictured above:** Artemio "Ricky" Hernandez, Ph.D. - GIAA Deputy Executive Manager, Juan Reyes - Air Terminal Manager, and GIAA personnel take a photo with USAF LT COL Christopher Byrne, JASDF Koku-Jieitai COL Satoru Inadome, and their respective teams.



Deputy Executive Manager Speaks at AGA Conference



GIAA Deputy Executive Manager (DEM), Artemio "Ricky" Hernandez, Ph.D., CGFM, IAP, CPPO, pictured above, far right, served as co-chair of the Association of Government Accountants (AGA) - Guam Chapter at the Guam Professional Development Conference - "Finance 3.0 Beyond Financial Management" at the Westin Resort Guam. The conference hosted about 120 participants from the accounting and finance community.



DEM Hernandez, conference moderator, is seen above presenting data points and discussion on recovery at GIAA during a panel discussion, "Current Outlook on Tourism Industry and Overall Guam Economy," on February 9, 2023. He also presented, "Long Term Financial Materiality and Investment Implications of Climate Transition," at the three-day professional development conference.

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