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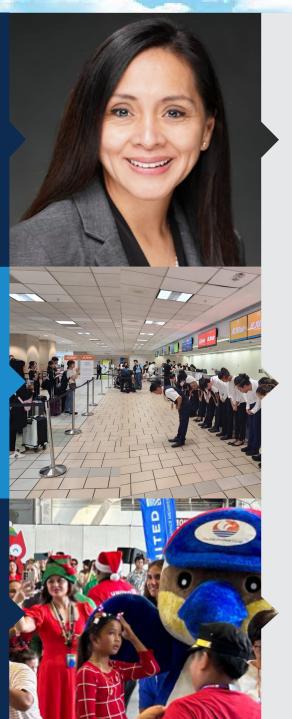
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The Airport is a diverse community with special people, places and events that make the Guam International Airport an exciting and unique place to work and travel. See our top three picks of what you need to know, and get the latest news about GUAM's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

PEOPLE

Dafne Mansapit-Shimizu, CPA



GIAA welcomes Dafne Mansapit-Shimizu, CPA as its new Comptroller. She most recently served as Director of the Department of Revenue and Taxation and brings an extensive wealth of knowledge, experience, and expertise in financial management.

PLACES

Jeju Staff Welcomes Passengers

EVENTS

United Airlines Fantasy Flight Departing passengers receive a personal welcome and thank you from Jeju Air Guam staff at ticket counters as they check in for their afternoon flights. This customer services practice occurs daily and is a great and positive way to send our departing visitors home after vacationing on Guam!

United Airlines took some very special passengers on a magical "Fantasy Flight" to spread joy and to celebrate the holidays. See page 3 for more about this memorable and heartwarming event.

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PASSENGER FLIGHT NETWORK (For January 2024)



- UA827/828 Daily/Tues, Thurs,

Sat, Sun

- UA874/873 Tues, Thurs, Sat, Sun/

Daily

- UA865/864 Daily

SPN - UA076/174 Daily

- MNL - UA184/183 Daily

- KIX - UA150/151 Daily

- UA178/177 Tues, Thurs, Sat

FUK - UA166/165 Daily NGO - UA136/137 Daily

- UA172/171 Jan. 1 - 7: Mon, Tues,

Wed, Thurs, Sat, Sun Jan. 8 - 28: Mon, Wed,

Thurs, Sun

Jan. 29 - 31: Mon, Tues,

Wed

ROR - UA158/157 Mon, Wed, Thurs, Sun

- UA192/193 Tues, Fri

TKK - UA132/133 Wed, Sun

- UA154/155 Mon, Fri

PNI - UA176 Sat

YAP - UA186/185 Tues, Sat

JEJUair

ICN - 7C3101/3102 Daily

ICN - 7C3105/3106 Daily

NRT - 7C1182/1181 Daily

PUS - 7C3132/3152 Sun, Mon, Thurs, Fri



ICN - KE421/422 Daily - KE423/424 Daily



ICN - L915/916 Daily

- L919/920 Daily, effective Nov. 17

PUS - L929/930 Daily, effective Nov. 17



NRT - JL941/942 Tues, Thurs, Sat, Sun Dec. 28 - Jan. 9: Daily



MNL - PR110/111 Daily



ICN - TW303/304 Daily - TW9305/9306 Daily



ROP - 3401/4301 Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs,

Fri



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United Airlines Hosts Successful FOD Walk



Many thanks to the nearly 20 volunteers who participated in the United Airlines-hosted FOD, or Foreign Object Debris, Walk on December 19, 2023. A total of 58 pounds of debris was collected. FOD Walks are held routinely to clear the flightline of any objects

alien to the area that could potentially cause damage to aircraft. This proactive task ensures the safety of our passengers and those who work on or near the runway.



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USCBP Acting Deputy Commissioner Meet and Greet



USCBP MEET AND GREET. Pete Flores, Acting Deputy Commissioner of U.S. Customs and Border Protection (USCBP), was on island for internal meetings with Guam USCBP and to tour airport facilities. A meet and greet took place with Mr. Flores, David Salazar - Director, Field Operations San Francisco, George Minamishin - Area Port Director, Port

of Honolulu, Mark Pablo - Port Director, CBP Guam Port of Entry, Kenneth Gibbons - Chief CBP Officer, CBP Guam Port of Entry, Governor Lou Leon Guerrero, Speaker Therese Terlaje, Senator Jesse Lujan, and John M. Quinata - GIAA Executive Manager on December 16, 2023.

United Airlines Takes a Fantasy Flight



UNITED TAKES FLIGHT. The Guam Airport was filled with the sounds of holiday cheer and excitement as 69 children boarded a magical Fantasy Flight on United Airlines (UA) to the North Pole on December 14, 2023. This ninth annual event treated the children of Mane'lu, formerly Big Brothers Big Sisters of Guam and Make-A-Wish Guam & CNMI and



The Make-A-Wish Foundation. The children went on a short flight up north, headed back to the Guam Airport, landed safely at the UA hangar, were greeted with cheers by UA staff, and treated to photos with Santa, special entertainment, presents, and loads of delicious food and treats.



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GIAA Conducts Annual Cybersecurity Table Top Exercise



The Airport Police Regulatory Access Compliance (RACCS) and the GIAA Management Information Systems (MIS) Section conducted the Annual Table Top Exercise (Cybersecurity) on December 15, 2023. The purpose of the security exercise was to review and discuss timely, effective and coordinated responses to a security incident. The exercise also provided an opportunity for relevant stakeholders to review their response procedures, plans and decision-making

processes, discover gaps, and share information. Participants included airlines servicing Guam, Transportation Security Administration, Guam Customs & Quarantine Agency, U.S. Customs & Border Protection, UPS, Airport Police, and GIAA Operations. **Pictured above:** Timothy Dominguez, Computer Systems Analyst II of the GIAA MIS Section, makes a presentation to attendees at the Annual Table Top Exercise - Cybersecurity.

GCC Air Transportation Industry Students Tour Guam Airport



Students from the Guam Community College went on a tour of the Guam Airport, where they were greeted by Airport Police and United Airlines representatives. As part of their Air Transportation Industry course, the students



received briefings from the Transportation Security Administration, GIAA Operations, U.S. Customs & Border Protection and Guam Customs & Quarantine and were given a tour of the tower and a United Airlines aircraft.



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GIAA Spreads Holiday Cheer



GIAA GIVES TOYS FOR TOTS. In the spirit of giving this holiday season, GIAA and the GIAA Employee Organization collaborated to donate dozens of toys to "The Marine Toys for Tots Program" on December 5, 2023.

This annual toy collection and distribution program unites all members of local communities and brings Christmas joy and a message of hope to less fortunate children in the United States and on our island.

Legislative Oversight Committee Tours Guam Airport



GIAA Executive Manager, John M. Quinata, and GIAA Deputy Executive Manager, Artemio "Ricky" Hernandez, PhD., led a comprehensive tour of the airport terminal and facilities for Senator Jesse A. Lujan and Senator Sabina F. Perez,

on December 19, 2023. Seen above: Mr. Quinata speaks to Senator Lujan, Senator Perez and staff of Senator Joe S. San Agustin, while Dr. Hernandez looks on.



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GIAA Celebrates 'The Magic of Christmas'



CHRISTMAS MAGIC. GIAA shared its holiday spirit at this year's "Magic of Christmas" Christmas Parade held at Skinner Plaza in Hagatna on December 21, 2023.

Pictured above: John M. Quinata - Executive Manager, Artemio "Ricky" Hernandez, PhD - Deputy Executive Manager, and staff pose with the GIAA float entry, before the start of the parade.



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Celebrating Forty-Seven Years



A.B. WON PAT INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT GUAM

The Guam International Airport celebrates **47** years as an autonomous agency of the Government of Guam and is committed to providing quality services and facilities to support and develop air transportation services for the people of Guam and visitors to our island! *Biba, GIAA!*