



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

Airport Police Officers
Receive Good Samaritan Award
from Guam AG



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PLACES

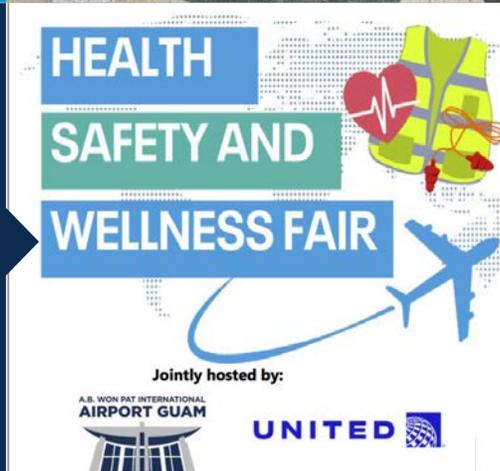
Airport Arrivals Lobby
Showcases Welcoming
Island Hospitality



The Members of the Lions Club District 2024 were at the Airport's Arrival Lobby on Oct. 18th to greet their fellow Lions arriving from the Philippines and Korea, extending a warm welcome and displaying our beautiful island hospitality.

EVENTS

Guam Airport & United Airlines
Host Annual
HEALTH, SAFETY,
& WELLNESS FAIR



Ensuring that our workforces are safe, healthy and well is our priority at the Airport. GIAA was proud to co-host the 2024 HEALTH, SAFETY, & WELLNESS FAIR with United Airlines on Oct. 23rd. See pg. 5 for more.

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 November 2024)



HNL	UA201/200	Daily
HND	UA849/848	Daily
NRT	UA827/873	Daily
	UA197/196	Daily
	UA865/864	Daily
	UA840/841	Mon, Wed, Fri, Sat/ Tue, Thu, Sat, Sun
SPN	UA076/174	Daily
MNL	UA184/183	Daily
KIX	UA150/151	Daily
	UA178/177	Wed, Fri, Sun/ Tue, Thu, Sat
NGO	UA136/137	Daily
ROR	UA158/157	Mon, Tue, Thu, Fri/ Mon, Wed, Thu, Sun
	UA192/156	Wed, Sat/Tue, Thu
TKK	UA132/133	Mon, Thu/Wed, Sun
	UA154/155	Tue, Sat/Mon, Fri
PNI	UA176/176	Sun/Sat
YAP	UA186/185	Wed, Sun/Tue, Sat



ICN KE421/KE422 Daily



ICN LJ913/914 Daily
PUS LJ929/930 Mon, Wed, Fri, Sat,



MNL PR110/PR111 Daily
except Nov. 6, 13, & 21



ICN TW303/TW304 Daily



ROP **3401/**4301 Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri



TPE CI026/027 Wed, Sat/Thu, Sun
Effective Nov 27



JAPAN AIRLINES

NRT JL941/942 Daily



Continued suspension



ICN 7C3101/3102 Daily



Continued suspension

Airport Family Show Support for Legislative Bill 319-37



Airport board, management and staff converged at the Guam Legislature for the Committee on Air Transportation's public hearing to show support for Bill 319-37. Board Chairman Brian Bamba, Executive Manager John "JQ" Quinata and Deputy Executive Manager Artemio "Ricky" Hernandez, PhD presented testimony and fielded inquiries from the senators. The bill allows GIAA to promulgate rules and regulations to award contracts & concession agreements.



Airport Fire Fighters Participate in Fire Prevention Week



GIAA's Airport Rescue & Fire Fighting (ARFF) firefighters joined their fellow firefighting brothers and sisters, Smokey the Bear and Sparky the Fire Dog at Adelup on October 4th for the Governor's proclamation of October 6 – 12 as **Fire Prevention Week 2024**. On Oct. 6th, the fire fighting community continued their public awareness and community outreach at the Agaña Shopping Center, highlighting the importance of fire alarms in keeping our families, homes and the entire island community safe. **SMOKE ALARMS... Make Them WORK for You!**

USCBP Updates Airport Stakeholders on Guam-CNMI ETA



On Oct. 1st, USCBP Officials met with Guam Airport Management, air carriers and other airport stakeholders to advise of the new online application for eligible travelers to apply for the Guam-Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands Visa Waiver Program Electronic Travel Authorization (G-CNMI ETA) transition and implementation,

effective that day. The 60-day transition period would allow eligible travelers to complete the G-CNMI ETA in lieu of a paper Form I-736. Advances that enhance passenger screening and simplify arrival procedures for travelers from Guam-CNMI Visa Waiver Program (VWP) participant countries are always welcome improvements.



Airport Police Presented "Good Samaritan Award" by Guam's AG



On October 17th eight (8) of our very own Airport Police Officers were recognized by Attorney General Douglas Moylan for their good deeds and presented with the Good Samaritan Award for their commendable acts performed while off-duty. On September 8th APOII Randy Chaco, APOII Joseph Mantanoña, APOII Cameron Chaco, APOI John Paul Mallari, APOI Tommy Naputi, APOI Tiana Perez, APOI Mark Blas and SG Kaylie Pinaula came to the aid of good Samaritan Echevara Choun who had tackled a machete-wielding man,

threatening women at a Tumon beach. The Airport officers, who were off-duty at the time, were able to assist in the successful restraining of the intoxicated and belligerent aggressor until the Guam Police Department officers arrived on the scene.

ARFF Special Outreach Feeds Those Less Fortunate on Our Island



The heavy downpour did not dampen the generous spirit and kindness demonstrated by Airport Fire Fighters on Oct. 23rd. They pulled their resources together and made 70 BBQ meal plates to feed those often forgotten in our community who are underserved and housing challenged. ARFF Captain Daniel Mantanoña offered his house and outside kitchen as BBQ Central and coordinated this effort in partnership with the non-profit organization "The Ministry to the Homeless". ***Si Yu'os Ma'ase ARFF Crew for your generosity and community service!*** You set the bar high for all of us to follow especially as we approach the holiday season.



2024 Guam Airport & United Airlines Health, Safety, & Wellness FAIR



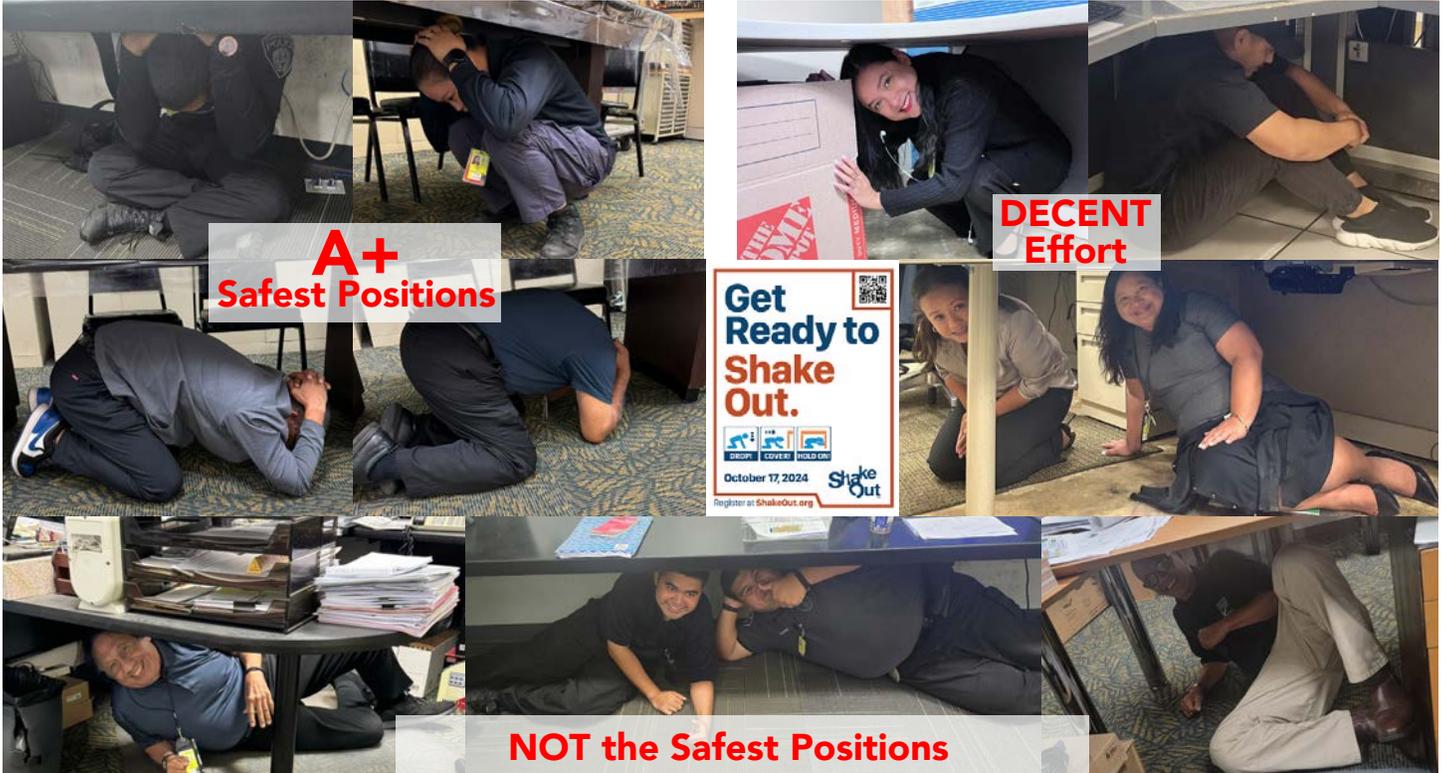
The A.B. Won Pat International Airport Authority, Guam (GIAA) and Guam's hometown carrier, United Airlines, partnered again to sponsor this year's "Health, Safety, & Wellness Fair". The 3-hour fair kicked off at 9am on Oct. 23rd and brought vendors in the related industries to showcase their products and services available to attendees. The different divisions of GIAA and United Airlines also highlighted their respective programs, tools and activities focused on nurturing work space culture that is safe, and encourages healthy activities and behavior

along with overall wellness. The morning included fun and engaging physical exercise that got people moving while a blood pressure and body mass index (BMI) screening station provided vital health information. There is a global focus on total worker health that includes addressing the overall health and well being of workers; not just focused only on minimizing injuries/health hazards. Developing holistic approaches to safety, health and wellness, ensures that our workforce are safe in their workplaces and are in optimal physical and mental health to perform their best!



"Drop, Cover & Hold On" for the 2024 Great Guam ShakeOUT

On Oct. 17th, at 10:17AM Airport employees took part in the 2024 Great Guam ShakeOUT, the annual earthquake drill by practicing "Drop, Cover, & Hold On." By participating with almost 1.4 million others worldwide, we continue to prepare in case of a real-world earthquake event. As is evident below, there is room for improvement within our Airport family.



GIAA @ ACI-NA SFO24MARCOM



Guam Airport Marketing Administrator Rolenda Faasuamalie was in attendance at the annual Airports Council International – North America Marketing & Communications conference. This year's forum was hosted by San Francisco International Airport (SFO) and took place Oct. 28th-30th. Attendees explored emerging challenges and solutions in airport marketing, communications and customer experience. Conference brought together all aspects of airport marketing, communications and customer experience – airside and landside – and offered unrivaled opportunities for networking with fellow airport marketing professionals.



FOD Bustin' in October



Si Yu'os Ma'ase to all the Airport Family volunteers who participated in the monthly FOD Walk that took place on Oct. 15th. Their hard work removed 16 lbs. of dangerous "Foreign, Object, Debris" from our airfield. This monthly activity relies on the volunteer efforts of all airport stakeholders and enhances our Airport workplace safety!





Royal Canadian Air Force HUSKY 330 Visits GUM



On October 28th Guam International Airport (GUM) received a rare visit by an aircraft of the Royal Canadian Air Force. The "Husky 330" is equivalent to an Airbus 330 was in our neck of the woods supporting the movement of military personnel as part of ongoing COPE NORTH 24 activities.

ARFF Gets FamTour on Amazing US Navy OSPREY Aircraft



The US Navy OSPREY aircraft "dropped in" at the Guam International Airport (GIAA) on Friday, Oct. 25th. The V-22 Osprey is an American multi-use, tiltrotor military transport and cargo aircraft that is capable of both vertical takeoff and landing (VTOL) and short takeoff and landing (STOL). The unique design combines the conventional helicopter functionality along with the long-range, high-speed cruise performance of a turboprop aircraft. During the short visit to GUM, the aircraft only operated like fixed wing aircraft and didn't execute any of the renowned vertical takeoffs and landings. The Airport's ARFF crew were fortunate to get a first-hand familiarization tour of the OSPREY adding this amazing aircraft to their ever-expanding list of familiar aircraft.





Tours Continue to Expose Kids to Guam Airport & ARFF



Guam Home School Association

Families and kids from the Guam Home School Association (GHSA) took a tour of the Airport Rescue & Fire Fighting station on Oct. 8th. GHSA is a group of moms and dads seeking to encourage one another as they home school their children and to provide the support and guidance to effectively homeschool in accordance with Guam's public law.



Middle Schoolers from Astumbo Visit Airport



Astumbo Middle School

Excited students from Astumbo Middle School got to see some of the different career paths available in aviation and airport operations/services. The middle schoolers toured the Airport and ARFF on Oct. 29th





DRILLS Keep ARFF and Airport Police On Their READINESS Toes



A critical component of airport operations is to meet the stringent requirements of our federal certification is to have highly qualified and trained fire fighting and law enforcement units. Our GIAA ARFF and Airport Police have drills to constantly train and to meet our airport index criteria. These drills are not scheduled and are called at a moments notice. ARFF and Police recently participated in a Limited Readiness Drill (photos above) which had ARFF roll out to the South Ramp and discharge water within their required 3-minute response time but this drill included coordination with

Airport Police and the Agana Control Tower to respond to a hypothetical emergency from the Airport's Emergency Plan (AEP). ARFF Unit 5 and Chief 2 were on scene in 2min. 29sec. with Units 6 & 7 together with Airport Police on site within a minute. ARFF also executed their Timed Response Drill with support from Airport Police successfully meeting the time requirements for our Airport (photos below). The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) continues to push for emergency readiness and responses, holding the nation's airports to very high standards.



Bosses Day



Bosses Airport-wide were appreciated on Bosses Day, Oct. 16th. Staff from the east offices of the terminal honored the GIAA bosses from the "East Side" with an afternoon appreciation merienda. Pictured L-R: Engineering Supervisor Audie Artero, Superintendent of Properties & Facilities Kenneth McDonald, Air Terminal Manager Juan Reyes, and Superintendent of Airport Operations Raymond Quintanilla.

Airport Attends NBAA



Airport Board Director Jesse Garcia and Executive Manager John Quinata attended the 2024 National Business Aviation Association Convention & Exhibition (NBAA-BACE) held Oct. 22nd-24th in Las Vegas. The NBAA-BACE is a forum for the business aviation industry featuring cutting-edge aircraft, advanced air mobility vehicles, & groundbreaking innovations making aviation safe, sustainable, & accessible.



USEPA & GUAM EPA Host TTX on Fuel Emergency Response



The US and Guam Environmental Protection Agencies (USEPA & GEPA) hosted a critical table top exercise (TTX) on an Airport response in the event of a fuel emergency. Representing the Airport at the TTX were (R-L) Air Terminal Manager Juan Reyes, Airport Operations Superintendent Raymond Quintanilla, ARFF Fire Chief Raymond Mantanona and Airport Police Lieutenant Dean Delgado. Included in the

exercise but not pictured were Darrel Dela Paz of Supreme Group Guam, the Airport's fuel handler and Paul Pacbier of PCR Environmental, Inc., the Airport's environmental consultant. USEPA & Guam EPA were very pleased with the very well organized response scenarios presented by the Airport Team which highlighted excellent coordination with our fuel handler and environmental consultant.

Giving Tree Preschool Center Appreciates Airport/ARFF Tour



Two groups of students and teachers from The Giving Tree Preschool Center toured our Airport and ARFF Station on Oct. 9th -10th. The excited kids were able to discharge water at our ARFF Station and gave our ARFF guys the cutest THANK YOU poster!



Airport & GIAAEO Participate in Early Halloween at Paseo



Airport bosses and the Airport Employee Organization participated in the Halloween Trick-or-Treating event hosted by the Office of the Governor and the Department of Parks & Recreation at the Paseo Grounds on Wednesday evening, Oct. 30th. Airport Deputy Executive Manager Artemio "Ricky" Hernandez, PhD and Comptroller Dafne Mansapit-Shimizu, CPA were on hand to give out treats along with GIAAEO officers & members. The event included a GovGuam Canopy Decorating Contest and Costume Contest along with candy and treats giveaway.

Halloween Costumes, Ghouls & Freaks Check-in at Airport



Alice traveling to Wonderland, Virgie's Construction Crew building chaos, Cruella deVill looking for her galagus, some cowgirls, a Harley scooter girl, a taco head and some ghouls wandered the Airport terminal on Oct. 31st wishing HAPPY HALLOWEEN to everyone!

Airport Police & ARFF Support Capitol Kitchen Trunk-or-Treat

Airport Police, ARFF and Operations were on the scene to provide support for the Trunk-or-Treat event hosted by Capitol Kitchen on Halloween night. Airport Police provide much needed traffic control and escort of families crossing the roadway while ARFF and OPS were on site as proactive measures in case of any emergencies. Thank you guys for keeping our community SAFE!





Airport Gets Their PINK ON for Breast Cancer Awareness

The traffic light off Route 10-A into Tiyan was adorned in PINK as members of the Airport Family donned signs, pompons and noise makers to support Breast Cancer Awareness on Oct. 25th. Partnering with Guam Cancer Care and hometown carrier, United Airlines. An excited mob of volunteers lined the outskirts of the airport parking lot to help spread awareness

of the importance of cancer screening and women's health. Too many in our community, our families and co-workers have been affected by the scourge of cancer. The PINK WAVE was supposed to last from 4-6pm, but a deluge of rain came down hard by 4:30pm. The committed diehards stayed through torrential downpour and continued to wave.



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