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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**

Governor's Summer Youth Employment Internship Program



GIAA hosted 32 high schoolaged interns from the Governor's Summer Youth Employment Program. The interns received first-hand experience in the daily operations of GIAA. Interns and GIAA staff pose for a photo in the Arrivals Lobby after a tour of the terminal.

## **PLACES**

Marianas Southern Airways Opens Its Doors



Marianas Southern Airways launched service to Guam from Saipan on August 18, 2022. The airline, which also expands travel to Tinian and Rota, held a ribbon cutting ceremony at its office located at the Light Aircraft Commuter Facility.

### **EVENTS**

New ARFF Facility
Ribbon Cutting Ceremony



GIAA commemorated the completion of its new, state-of-the-art Aircraft Rescue & Fire Fighting (ARFF) Facility in Ti-yan, on August 12, 2022 with a ribbon cutting ceremony. See inside for photos of the event.

The A. B. Won Pat International Airport Authority, Guam (GIAA) is a self-sustaining autonomous government agency, charged with the mission to ensure the safey 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.



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### PASSENGER FLIGHT NETWORK (For September 2022)



HNL - Daily

NRT - 3x daily

KIX - 3x weekly (Wed/Fri/Sun)

MNL - Daily

SPN - Daily, 2x on Sat

PNI - 1x weekly (Sat)

ROR - 4x weekly (Tues/Thurs/Fri/Sun)

TKK - 2x weekly (Mon/Wed)

YAP - 1x monthly

NGO - 2x weekly (Mon/Fri)

FUK - 2x weekly (Thurs/Sun)





ICN - Daily

PUS - 3x weekly (Tues/Fri/Sat)



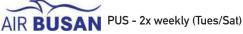
ICN - Daily



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4x weekly Sept. 1 - 8

Extra sections Sept 9, 11, 12





ICN - Daily

4x weekly (Sun/Wed/Thurs/Sat, eff Sept. 1 - 12

PUS - 4x weekly (Sun/Wed/Thurs/Sat)



ICN - 4x weekly (Wed/Thurs/Sat/Sun)

Extra sections Sept 9, 12



JAPAN AIRLINES NRT - 2x weekly (Thurs/Sun)



We look forward to the return of our valued Airline Partner:



## **United Airlines Relaunches Service from Nagoya**







HAFA ADAI GREETINGS. United Airlines relaunched service A WARM WELCOMING. Management and staff of United Airtertainment and island treats upon their arrival on island.

## Celebrity Sighting at the Guam Airport



STAR SIGHTING. International celebrity, actor, producer, comedian, rapper, and TV host, Nick Cannon, and former Barrigada resident and 2014 Miss Universe Guam, Brittany Mesa Bell, and their children, Golden and Powerful Queen, were met with island greetings upon their arrival at the Guam International Airport on August 23, 2022. Pictured, front row, L-R: Golden Cannon, Tatum Cruz, Powerful Queen Cannon. Back row, L-R: Elfrieda Koshiba - GIAA, Donna M. Quinata, Gleidy Lopez Aroche, Cheryl Bustos - GIAA, Jessica Fujikawa - GIAA, Bell, Cannon, Vice Speaker Tina Muna Barnes, Minna Cruz, John M. Quinata - GIAA Executive Manager, Nicole Quinata, Daniel Quinata - GIAA, LT Raymond Reyes - GIAA.



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## **Japan Airlines Resumes Service to Guam**







**JAL RETURNS.** After two years of suspended service due to the pandemic, Japan Airlines resumed service to Guam on August 4, 2022. Management and staff of Japan Airlines, GIAA, and the Guam Visitors Bureau (GVB) welcomed arriving passengers from Narita, Japan, with live entertainment and complimentary giveaways, provided by GVB.

### **United Airlines Welcomes Passengers from Fukuoka**





**ISLAND GREETINGS.** United Airlines' passengers and flight crew were greeted with live entertainment, giveaways, and a warm island welcome by management and staff of United Airlines and industry partners, GIAA and the Guam Visitors Bureau, upon their arrival to Guam from Fukuoka, Japan on August 4, 2022.



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## **GIAA Showcases Float in Liberation Day Parade**





**GIAA ON PARADE.** GIAA proudly showcased its parade float entry at the 78th Liberation Day Parade on July 21, 2022. The float design symbolized the strength and perseverance of the CHamoru people during the Japanese occupation on Guam. The impeccably-designed and skillfully-constructed float depicted rigorous labor of CHamoru men and young boys who cleared the land in Tiyan that eventually became a landing strip for aircraft. *Biba GIAA! Biba Guam!* 

### GIAA and Airline Partners Join Islandwide Beautification Clean Up





**CLEANING UP.** Airline partners from Japan Airlines and United Airlines take a break from picking up trash in Tiyan to pose for a group photo, at this year's Islandwide Beautfication Clean Up on July 16, 2022.



GIAA Executive Manager, John M. Quinata, and Deputy Executive Manager, Artemio "Ricky" A. Hernandez, team up to pick up trash along Route 10-A.



GIAA management, staff, and summer interns gather together after a safety briefing, before heading out to pick up trash in Tiyan and along Route 10-A.



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## **GIAA Hosts Interns of the Governor's Summer Youth Employment Program**

GIAA had the pleasure of hosting 32 interns of the Governor's Summer Youth Employment Program from June 20 - July 29, 2022. The interns received firsthand experience working in the different divisions and sections of GIAA and learned about the daily operations that keep the airport safe, secure, and open 24/7 for our traveling public.



Summer interns listen as GIAA Executive Manager, John M. Quinata, welcomes them to the airport on their first day on the job.



Members of the GIAA K9 Unit, Airport Police Officer Randy Chaco, his partner K9 Sam, and Airport Police Officer John Mantanona treated the interns to a K9 demonstration.



Interns listen to a briefing while visiting the tower/Ramp Control during a comprehensive tour of the terminal on July 7, 2022.



LT Raymond Reyes of Airport Police speaks to the summer interns about security protocols during a tour of the new International Arrivals Corridor.



Interns are seen in front of a GIAA Aircraft Rescue & Fire Interns gather together on the runway in front of a Light-Fighting (ARFF) truck, during a tour of the airfield and the ed Runway Closure Sign, a pilot visual aid, during an airfield ARFF Station.



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#### **GIAA Opens Its New ARFF Facility**



Aircraft Rescue & Fire Fighting (ARFF) fire fighters stand at attention before the ribbon cutting ceremony in the bays of the newly-constructed ARFF Facility in Tiyan.



Governor Lou Leon Guerrero, LT Governor Joshua Tenorio, members of the legislature and GIAA, and FAA representatives prepare to cut the ceremonial ribbon.



Governor Lou Tenorio and LT Governor Joshua Tenorio join in with Para I Prubechun I Taotao-ta for a CHamoru blessing of the facility at the start of the ceremony.



ARFF personnel stand at attention as GIAA Executive Manager, John M. Quinata, delivers welcome remarks to guests at the ceremony.



Assistant ARFF Fire Chief, Raymond Santos, guides Governor Lou Leon Guerrero, LT Governor Joshua Tenorio, and other special guests on a tour of the new, state-of-the-art ARFF Facility.



Governor Lou Leon Guerrero, LT Governor Joshua Tenorio, GIAA Board and management, and members of the legislature, pose at the ARFF Facility watch tower with Ms. Shanetta R. Griffin, P.E., FAA Associate Administrator for Airports.



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## Airport Police Reaches Out Against Drugs and Bullying





REACHING OUT. The GIAA K9 Unit participated in the Haya Community Center's Anti-Drug and Anti-Bullying Outreach on July 25, 2022. Airport Police Officers John Mantanona and John Flores, pictured with their K9 counterparts, Sasha and Hummer, respectively, presented a K9 demonstration, spoke about their roles and responsibilties as police officers and K9 handlers, and shared tips on how to recognize and address drug use and bullying.

### GIAA and GVB on the Road in Japan





GIAA ON THE ROAD. GIAA Executive Manager, John M. Quinata, Rolenda L. Faasuamalie - Airport Marketing Administrator, and Elfrieda Koshiba - GIAA Marketing Program Coordinator, teamed up with the Guam Visitors Bureau for a fiveday, three-city roadshow in Japan from August 1 - 5, 2022. The delegation met top-level government and airport officials and Japanese media in Fukuoka, Okayama, and Shizuoka, to share that Guam is ready to receive visitors and is a safe travel destination.

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