

WELCOME

Welcome to the latest edition of Stansted Airport's Community Flyer, our quarterly e-news bulletin updating you on the latest airport news and our local community programmes.

Having recently joined London Stansted Airport as Managing Director after spending 19 years with Transport for London, it has been encouraging to see the range of excellent community initiatives being delivered locally.

I've already had the pleasure of attending our recent jobs fair and Meet the Buyer events, as well as the Airports' Consultative Committee Meeting. I look forward to attending many more community events in the future as we continue to deliver our commitments within our Working Together for a Brighter Future Strategy.

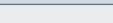
We have also recently released our 2022 CSR Report, click here to read more.

The report really highlights the important contribution our education and employment facilities made through the last 12 months, and the progress we've made against our goals to be a Net Zero Carbon business by 2038.



Wishing you a very happy Christmas and prosperous New Year.

GARETH POWELLManaging Director



OPERATION LONDON BRIDGE

It's been an eventful few months since the last edition of the Stansted Airport Community Flyer.

In September we joined the rest of the nation in mourning the loss of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II. Around 30 heads of state arrived and left from Stansted for the state funeral, one of the largest logistical operations the airport has ever handled.

Among the VIPs arriving at Stansted were United States President Joe Biden, who arrived on Air Force One, Australian Prime Minister Anthony Albanese, Canadian Prime Minister Justin Trudeau, and a delegation from Ukraine as well as royalty from around the world including and His Majesty King Mohammed VI of Morocco and Japan's Emperor Naruhito.

In August, we welcomed Emirates back to Stansted, with the world's largest international airline operating a daily service to Dubai. We also recently completed the construction of a new double airbridge, allowing second door access for carriers operating larger aircraft, such as Emirates' Boeing 777-300.

We have also been busy preparing for our runway resurfacing project which will begin in January. This will be the first time in 16 years the runway has been completely re-surfaced. To minimise the impact on the local community and the airport's operation, the work will be carried out at night. Further information on the runway resurfacing project will be provided in the next edition of the Community Flyer.





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We are committed to addressing the issues which matter most to people living near us

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London Stansted has provided in excess of £1.4m of noise insulation grants since the scheme began in 2004! Read more here.

STANSTED AIRPORTS NEW YOUTH FORUM

15 young people from the local area are working with Stansted Airport to help shape how it interacts with the local community.

Our new Stansted Airport Youth Forum brings young people aged 16-25 together to provide feedback on the airport's current Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) work as well as offer suggestions for future community initiatives.

The students participating in the initiative will meet quarterly and either live, attend college or sixth form within a 15-mile radius of the airport.

In the first session, they discussed MAG's Working Together for a Brighter Future strategy and how local initiatives, such as the airport's colleague volunteering programme, benefit the local community.

The group also heard a presentation on the future airspace change programme and gave feedback on the consultation plans.

Community Engagement Manager Daniel Burford said. This really is a forum for young people to set the agenda to not only have a platform to discuss important topics with the airport but to also understand the benefits of living near an international travel gateway. If you are aged between 17-21 and would like to join the forum, then please email community@stanstedairport.com

£60,000 TO SCHOOLS FOR ECO GARDEN COMPETITION

Seven green-thinking local schools have won a share of £60,000 in Stansted Airport's eco-garden competition.

Schools within ten miles of the airport were invited to submit designs for gardens or green spaces that improve biodiversity to compete for the cash prizes.

A prize fund of £45,000 was initially offered by the airport for the competition but due to the high quality of entries, the Stansted Airport Community Trust decided to award grants to all shortlisted schools,

"We are thrilled to be supporting Stansted Airport's Community Trust Fund as an event partner for its eco-garden competition".

Sarah Bentham UK Marketing Manager at GARDENA

resulting in a total prize pot of £60,000.

The 7 winning schools (Herts and Essex High School, Grafton Primary School, Hockerill Anglo European College, Richard Whittington Primary School, Thorn Grove, St Mary's, Windhill 21) all presented excellent designs utilising existing underused space and turning these into areas where the whole school will benefit from the new outdoor learning environments.

VOLUNTEERING IS A TEAM EFFORT

Colleagues have been logging off their laptops and digging into local community projects. Our Procurement Team spent a fabulous day at the Accuro project on Start Hill, sprucing up their garden and carrying out maintenance tasks to ensure the space is in tip top condition for their service users.

Sue Fishpool who manages the project which provides support for adults and young people living with disabilities was delighted with the teams' efforts.

Colleagues from our Projects Team have

also been out in force at the Plant Pots and Wellies community project based in Harlow. The project which supports children and adults with additional needs by providing horticultural and outdoor therapy were joined by 15 team members who helped them build a new shed, log cabin and greenhouse as well as creating new planting areas.

We are always keen to hear from local projects who could benefit from our colleague volunteering programme. For further information please contact community@stansedairport.com









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HUNDREDS OF JOBS SEEKERS ATTEND THE LATEST ON-SITE JOBS FAIR

On 4th October London Stansted hosted its third major jobs fair of the year in preparation for Christmas and what is expected to be a busy 2023.

25 companies based at the airport were recruiting for more than 500 positions in a variety of roles including cabin crew, retail managers, engineers, chefs, drivers, check-in agents and customer service representatives. Some of the employers looking to meet new talent were Ryanair, Titan Airways, Border Force, Jet2.com, World Duty Free, HMS Host, National Express and London Stansted.

The airport has already employed over 300 new colleagues into its security operation since January, while airlines, ground handlers, and retailers have also recruited hundreds of new staff. Those securing roles with us were able take advantage of a wide range of benefits including discounts of up to 80% on public

transport when travelling to work, free onsite car parking whilst working and when going on holiday, an excellent pension scheme, training programmes, retail discounts plus many more.

The Airport Academy was in attendance promoting its free pre-employment support programmes, including fully accredited training schemes for those who are on Universal Credit and require additional support before applying for the jobs.

The successful recruitment campaigns in 2022 involved partnering with colleges, Job Centres, councils, charities, and business partners and attracted over 2,500 jobseekers. We are also pleased to share that our next jobs fair is on 7th February 2023, please click here to register your attendance or for further information email Employment.Academy@stanstedairport.com

20,000TH VISITOR CELEBRATION

The Aerozone celebrated 20,000th visitors with Year 1 students from Magna Carta Primary Academy in Stansted Mountfitchet on the 8th December.

The children enjoyed special visits from the Airport Fire Service, Essex Police, Airfield Operations, and Planning and Insights Director Kathy Morrissey. Lauren Spencer, class teacher said "The pupils had an amazing day at the Aerozone! We thoroughly enjoyed the activities that were on offer and found it interesting to meet the various people that work at the airport and explore the amazing work they do". Since opening in 2015 the Aerozone has provided a free, interactive and inspirational learning experience for students aged 4-18, giving them opportunities to learn more about how the airport operates and the huge variety of careers available on site.

For more information about The Aerozone, or to book a visit please email aerozonestn@magairports.com





"Colleagues from around the airport are supporting the Forest Hall School in Stansted Mountfitchet with their mentoring scheme for the 8th year, providing guidance to students about GCSEs and their



career options".



We are committed to cutting our reliance on fossil fuels, reduce waste and emissions

REDUCING NOISE WITH CONTINUOUS DESCENT APPROACHES (CDA)

Continuous Decent Approach (CDA) involve arriving aircraft using minimum thrust and avoiding prolonged level flight.

This approach is more environmentally friendly as it reduces aircraft noise by keeping aircraft higher for longer, using a longer more gradual descent rather than the usual approach of aircraft 'stepping down' from one flying level to the next. Because arriving aircraft are continually descending, the engine power setting can be reduced which means noise reduction, reduced fuel burn and associated emissions.

This technique has been shown to reduce noise on the ground by up to five decibels. At the moment around 89% of our incoming aircraft use CDA.



OUR LONG TERM GOALS ALIGN WITH ICAO



In October the 41st Assembly of the International Civil Aviation Organisation (ICAO) took place in Montreal, Canada.

This assembly is held every three years, and it was attended by more than 3000 representatives from 193 ICAO member states. We welcomed the agreement

reached at the assembly on a new, global commitment to achieving net zero aviation by 2050. It's so important to us that airports and the aviation industry are all approaching decarbonisation with a united front, and this is a hugely significant milestone along this road.



SUPPORTING OUR OPERATIONS WITH SOLAR ELECTRICITY

We've recently received planning permission from the Secretary of State for the development of an airport solar farm, on some of our land to the east of the Airport at High House Farm. This will help us to provide for the growing use of electric vehicles and to meet our target of Net Zero Operations by 2038. The scheme will also see us plant hedges and trees to provide screening to the local area.

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