



Your Airport News

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"I would like to welcome you to our latest edition of Your Airport News. After a busy Easter period in where we saw over 400,000 passengers travelling through Bristol Airport, we have also welcomed three new airlines Aegean, Sunexpress and Corendon. In total, we expect to provide links to 123 destinations during 2023, which is our highest number to date. Also, we continue to invest within the airport, with a refurbished 'Brigg & Stow' bar and restaurant now open on the mezzanine level of the Departure Lounge. This is part of a wider £4million upgrade to the passenger experience in the terminal.



"From all the teams here at Bristol Airport, we look forward to seeing some of you throughout the rest of this year." – Dave Lees, CEO, Bristol Airport

Bristol Airport's Charity of the Year



Bristol Airport has announced it will support British Heart Foundation – 'Heart of Bristol' throughout 2023. Bristol Airport has pledged to raise vital funds to help the local Bristol 'Heart of Bristol' and fund lifesaving research into heart and circulatory diseases, taking place at the Bristol Heart Institute.

Warm Space Area

Over the winter, Bristol Airport opened a new 'warm space' area for local residents living near the Airport. With the issues surrounding the cost of living, Bristol Airport looked at ways of helping the local community by securing a warm space area in the on-site Hampton Hotel. This scheme is now closed and will be reopening next Winter for local residents who live near the Airport.



Drop & Go Car Park – Changes for Blue Badge Holders

After receiving feedbackat the recent disability forum, there will be changes to the tariff and stay duration for Blue Badge holders for the 'Drop & Go' car park at Bristol Airport from Tuesday 2nd May. After customer enhancements to the area, investment in the latest technology and to align with other car parks on site, a new process will be introduced.

Blue Badge holders will be able to drive directly to the exit barrier and scan their Blue Badge (showing the bar code on the reverse side of Blue Badge) and receive 40 minutes parking for a reduced fee of £5.00. A help button is available on all exit barriers, with assistance available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week if customers have issues on exiting the car park. All other car parks and tariffs will remain the same.



New on-demand bus WESTlink launches



Bristol Airport has been working closely with North Somerset Council as the new WESTlink, a new on demand bus service, begins operating in the West of England. The minibuses operate without a fixed timetable or route, instead using an automated system to join up people's desired journey into one trip to get passengers to where they need to be as efficiently as possible.

To find out more information on the WESTlink bus service, visit >> https://bit.ly/41j1HMl

Aegean commences flights between Bristol and Athens



Last month, Aegean Airlines inaugural service commenced between Bristol and Athens. The route provides customers the opportunity to fly direct into one of the world's historical cities and opens the door for multiple onward connections for travellers. With a vast, global, multi-hub connectivity it means customers from the South West and Wales will be able to fly

from their local airport to an increased number of convenient destinations.

Bristol Airport Jobs Fair

Bristol Airport is hosting its next Jobs Fair as the Airport prepares for a busy Summer season. Bristol Airport has once again teamed up with other employers based across the site and will be holding the event on Thursday 18th May, between 2pm and 4pm in Lulsgate House at Bristol Airport.



To find out more about the event, visit >> bit.ly/BRS_Jobs_Fair

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