



Your Airport News

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"I would like to welcome you to our latest edition of Your Airport News. As the school summer holidays have come to a close, we have seen close to 40,000 passengers pass through our terminal on some peak days during the past few months. We have continued to see a rise in people's desire to travel again this year with unprecedented levels of demand for air travel. I am pleased to report that in the main we have continued to deliver a good level of service to our customers. I'm delighted that Bristol Airport has achieved the accreditation from the Real Living Wage Foundation. This means that Bristol Airport and our business partners on site are paying at least the real living wage, based on the actual cost of living. The independent assessment shows we're providing thousands of well-paid jobs in our community.



If you're travelling with us in the coming months, I hope you have a great trip. If not - hopefully we will welcome you to Bristol Airport soon."
Dave Lees, CEO, Bristol Airport

New Public Transport Interchange



Preparation work on the largest ever capital project, investing over £60m has commenced. This transformational project will enhance services and accessibility for customers whether arriving or departing from Bristol Airport, providing a public transportation hub, additional multi-storey car parking and enlarge the Drop Off and Pick Up area. This investment will provide customer improvements such as waiting rooms, rest facilities and easier access to the terminal. The major public transport interchange hub will be created for coaches, buses and other forms of public transport on the top level of the multi-storey car park. The public transport interchange hub will accommodate 16 coaches at the same time, an increase from the current six spaces and is a major contribution to Bristol Airport's commitment to improving public transport links across the region.

New A3 Worle Train Station Bus Link



This summer we introduced a new bus stop to link Worle Train Station and Bristol Airport. The new connection provides customers with a much faster and more convenient way to travel between Bristol Airport and the South West. The new service has been integrated within the original A3

Weston Flyer timetable and will continue to operate for 24-hours a day, seven days a week. The new stop is included within the 'free travel for colleagues scheme'. Bristol Airport colleagues travelling for work can show their Bristol Airport ID badge to take advantage of free travel on the A3 Weston Flyer bus services.

New Water Refill Stations

In July, we installed six new water stations in our terminal to make it easier for customers to reuse their water bottles instead of buying new plastic bottles every time.



The water refill stations will help reduce the number of single-use plastic bottles being bought and disposed of at the airport. The new water refill stations have been installed adjacent to Boots in the Departure Lounge and by gates 7,12 and 34 for customer and colleagues to use.

Local school children name the new fully electric buses

At the beginning of this year, pupils from Winford Church of England Primary School were asked to come up with the names of the new fully electric buses at Bristol Airport. The students were invited to suggest 'space-themed' names for the four fully electric CoBuses – with the winners being 'Bus Aldren'; 'Bus Light Year'; 'The Solar Express' and the 'Comet Cruiser'. During the summer, the ten school children who came up with the names were invited up to Bristol Airport and to see the 'Bus Light Year' CoBus in person. The pupils were given a behind-the-scenes tour of the south side operations of the Airport and were given an opportunity to go on board the bus.



Local Community Fund

The first half of 2023 has been a successful start to the year for Bristol Airport's Local Community Fund with over £170,000 granted to support local community projects. In total, 51 individual projects have benefited from the Fund with grants ranging from £500 to £15,000 so far in 2023.



W-S-M and Felton Common Litter Picks

This summer, members of the Bristol Airport team took part in a litter pick on the Felton Common and the Weston-Super-Mare beach. During the litter pick on Felton Common, the team collected 12 bags of rubbish including an umbrella, a disposable BBQ and an old traffic cone.

