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Syracuse Regional Airport Authority

This month the Flyer would like to take the opportunity to introduce the Syracuse Regional Airport Authority to the airport community.

The Syracuse Regional Airport Authority (“the Authority”), a public benefit corporation, is established to provide the necessary tools and support to Syracuse Hancock International Airport to maintain and operate the facilities in a safe, secure and efficient manner. The Authority is committed to promoting the growth and success of the Syracuse Hancock International Airport by overseeing fiscal responsibility, regional marketing, and job creation in the aviation industry, and those industries that support aviation. The Authority is organized under the Public Authorities Law of the State of New York.



The mission of the Syracuse Regional Airport Authority is to provide safe, secure, efficient and low-cost air transportation service to the 12-county region that Syracuse Hancock International Airport currently serves. The Authority seeks to stimulate air service, economic development, trade and tourism by focusing on the shared goals of its stakeholders: more service to more destinations, lower operating costs and increased non-aeronautical revenue. The Authority recognizes that the Syracuse Hancock International Airport is a gateway to the central New York region and beyond and seeks to optimize customer service and exceed customer expectations with continuous improvements to the terminal building and public-use facilities.

If you would like additional information regarding the Authority, please go to the airport's website at www.syrairport.org



Walking the Runway

This month's employee spotlight shines on Lucas Becker. Mr. Becker has worked for the



Department of Aviation as an Ops worker for the past three years. When he came to the Department of Aviation he was not new to the aviation field; Lucas had previously worked for Landmark Aviation as a baggage handler and aircraft fueling. In the event of an in-flight emergency, he also assists Air Rescue and Fire Fighting (ARFF). He currently works the second shift (3-11:30pm) and his daily responsibilities include wildlife management, field condition reports, vehicle escorts on the AOA and oversight of the collection and proper treatment of glycol. If you see Lucas in your travels at the Airport, introduce yourself and say “hello”.

ARFF Live Fire Training



On September 16, 2011 the Air Rescue and Fire Fighting (ARFF) division traveled to the Northeast Fire Training Center to complete live fire training. The facility is located in Rochester, NY, adjacent to the Greater Rochester International Airport. This FAA required training begins with a presentation that provides the firefighters with a familiarization of the facility, strategies and tactical considerations in fire suppression operations as well as utilizing the facilities aircraft and fuel spill simulators. Trained instructors give the firefighters different scenarios and observe and evaluate how the scenarios were handled. “It gives us an opportunity each year to use the fire fighting skills that we could be called on to use during an aircraft emergency,” said Captain Terry Krom.





Construction Corner

As you can tell by looking around, the Passenger Terminal Security and Access Improvement Project is in full swing. The separation wall in the Center Terminal and the temporary wall installation in the North Terminal



Baggage Claim area are near completion.

Beginning this week (10/17/11), the installation of the temporary work area security fence is set to begin.

Be sure to check the Construction Corner section of the Flyer monthly for all construction related updates.



Community Events



The Salt City Urban Art & Craft Market is an eclectic and innovative event that takes place in Syracuse, NY. Now in its third year, the market offers an alternative to traditional craft venues and fine art fairs. Inspired by a surge of independent and small design businesses across the country, organizers set out to create an annual marketplace for local artists, designers, and crafters to showcase and sell their work here in central New York.

Visitors to the market have come to expect a vibrant, community-based event; re-imagining all things locally handmade while enjoying local music performances and delicious food provided by a local venues! The event is Saturday, October 22, 2011 from 10am-6pm at the King + King Architects 358 W. Jefferson Street.

Plus be sure to check out...



Fright Nights at the Fair runs Friday, Saturday & Sunday Nights through the entire month of October! Including October 31st! Single Attraction Ticket - \$10.00 (\$8.00 group price). The HAYRIDE returns for 2011- \$15.00 for a ride through the Dark TERROR-tory! Multi Attraction Ticket - Experience ALL the Haunted Attractions and the HAYRIDE for an astonishing low price of only \$20.00 per person!

Please Remember...

Smoking is prohibited anywhere on the AOA per sections 13-16A and 13-17A of the revised general ordinances in the City of Syracuse. The Department of Aviation is in the process of installing signs located outside on the ramp/concourse areas. Any individual that is in violation will be ticketed and at risk of their employee badge being revoked. If you choose to smoke, please do so in the designated areas.



Celebrate!



We would like to wish a very Happy Anniversary/Birthday to all of those individuals celebrating in August!

Happy Anniversary :

Mike Bozzuto	10/83 (28 years)	DOA
Nhia Lee	10/90 (21 years)	DOA
Erin Foster	10/99 (12 years)	Delta
Ron Bowles	10/01 (10 years)	DOA
John Murphy	10/02 (9 years)	DOA
Bill Amidon	10/03 (8 years)	DOA
Cindy O'Neil	10/04 (7 years)	DNC
Jim Wilkinson	10/05 (6 years)	DOA
Leslie Melendez	10/07 (4 years)	DNC
Julee Fairbanks	10/08 (3 years)	DOA
Tyesha Dennis	10/10 (1 year)	DNC
April Pieropan	10/10 (1 year)	DNC

Happy Birthday:

Elsa Lamanna	10/2	DNC
Fred Fratto	10/6	DOA
Joseph Bergh	10/8	DOA
Tyler Fogus	10/10	DNC
Tim McMahon	10/10	DOA
Ted Rasbeck	10/10	DNC
Dan Dalton	10/13	DOA
Miguel Ortiz	10/17	DOA
Mark Ferrante	10/21	DNC
Greg Sheftic	10/22	DOA
Lisa Heifferon	10/25	DNC
Jim Wilkinson	10/26	DOA
Karrie Austin	10/28	DNC
Karen Huynh	10/29	DNC
Meaghan Burnett	10/31	Delta
Antimo Pascarella	10/31	DOA
Vanessa Peters	10/31	DNC
Mercedes Woodridge	10/31	DNC

Do you have any errors, updates, suggestions or info for next month?

Would you like to join our mailing list?

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