

# RUNWAY NEWS

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UK Economy**

**Summer Fun Day  
Saturday 2 July 2011**

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# Welcome

to the new look Runway News, still packed with airport news and information on our community engagement programme for you to enjoy.



We had an exciting 2010, with memorable events like the Volcanic Ash and bad weather. Despite this, the airport welcomed 2.8 million passengers and saw airlines introduce new leisure destinations.

The LCY Team was proud to receive the prestigious Lord Mayor's Dragon Award recognising the airport's significant contribution and commitment to the economic regeneration of London through the Take off into Work Programme (see page 7 for more).

With an exciting 2011 ahead of us we look forward to seeing the reconfiguration works completed in the security area and introducing new facilities and outlets to the departure lounge. Not to mention the new leisure routes due to commence this summer.

Stay updated by visiting [www.londoncityairport.com](http://www.londoncityairport.com) or follow us on Twitter or Facebook.

## Competition Time

### Win two FREE return tickets to Deauville from LCY

To enter, all you need to do is answer this question:

**Q: In which month did CityJet Re-launch its Deauville route from London City Airport?**

**A: a. October                      b. January                      c. March**

Complete your details and post this form to Rupal Patel, London City Airport, City Aviation House, Royal Docks, London E16 2PB, or hand your completed form in at the Information Desk in the Airport Terminal.

**Name:**..... **Contact number:**.....

**Address:**.....

**Email Address:**.....

*(Please include email address if you wish to be added to our mailing list, to receive the latest news and also to enter our regular competition).*

**Terms & Conditions:** Competition is not open to employees at London City Airport. Competition closes Friday 6 May 2011. All applicants must be over 18 years of age.

# Airport Update

## LCY Welcomes New CCO

LCY is pleased to welcome Matthew Hall as its new Chief Commercial Officer (CCO). Matthew comes from a very diverse background within aviation and has extensive experience in sales and marketing. Prior to his arrival, he held the post of Vice President, Airline and Supplier Business Development, for Travelport and was previously the Managing Director, Sales and Marketing EMEA, for American Airlines. Matthew will be leading and supporting sales, marketing and other commercial efforts.



Matthew Hall



## Best UK Airport Award

London City Airport was thrilled to receive yet another award for Best UK Airport, at the Business Travel Awards Gala Dinner 2011.

Judges praised the airport's efficiency in dealing with the challenges of heightened security and weather disruption, and recognised our continuous commitment to service excellence, with continued emphasis on speedy passenger processing.

## Judicial Review Update

Following a Judicial Review hearing in November 2010, the planning permission granted to the airport in 2009 has been upheld.

An application for an appeal hearing has been made.

**For more information, please contact Janet Goulton, Planning and Development Manager at [janet.goulton@londoncityairport.com](mailto:janet.goulton@londoncityairport.com) alternatively contact 020 7646 0530.**

# Airport Update

## LCY Worth £1/2 Billion to the UK Economy Every Year

A recent study conducted by York Aviation, one of the UK's leading specialist independent air transport consultancies and the leader in airport economic impact assessments, has revealed that London City Airport directly contributes over £1/2 billion to the economy each year.

Based on a thorough literary review, on-site research and interviews with leading business figures across the Capital, the study highlights for the first time the combined economic benefits that London City Airport delivers.

### This includes:

- £197 million spent by business tourists coming via London City Airport
- £115 million spent by leisure tourists coming via London City Airport
- £21 million in Air Passenger Duty
- £71 million from productivity benefits delivered through journey times savings by using London City Airport
- £100 million through operations and businesses at London City Airport that also support over 2,700 jobs

Alongside this, the York study demonstrates that London City Airport's role in facilitating wider economic growth could support as much as an additional £944 million of GDP including:

- £550 million - assuming the airport supports at least 5% of the estimated £11 billion contributed by Canary Wharf to GDP every year
- £314 million - assuming the airport supports at least 1% of the estimated £31 billion contributed by the City of London to GDP every year
- £80 million - assuming the airport supports at least 5% of the estimated £1.6 billion contributed by ExCeL to the economy

The findings from the study come after a speech in Shoreditch on 4 November by the Prime Minister, David Cameron, in which he noted that 'quick access' from London City Airport had been an integral part of the growth and success of East London.



To read the full report visit, <http://www.londoncityairport.com/AboutUs/MediaPublications.aspx>

# Airline News

## British Airways Brings Summer to Newham



British Airways is growing its route network at London City Airport with the launch of two new sunshine routes this summer.

From June, passengers will be able to fly direct from the Docklands to Malaga in Spain and Faro in Portugal.

The airline is also increasing frequency to Amsterdam with six daily flights, Glasgow to five daily flights and Edinburgh to eight daily flights. The popular summer services to Palma and Ibiza will resume at the end of March, with Barcelona operating an all year service.

Flights will be operated by BA CityFlyer, the wholly owned British Airways subsidiary airline.

For further information and to book visit [www.ba.com](http://www.ba.com)



## CityJet Re-launch Deauville and Introduce Pau

CityJet has announced the re-launch of its Deauville route. The carrier will operate three flights per week to the Normandy coast town with prices starting from £59 one way, including all taxes.

Not only has CityJet re-launched Deauville, the beautiful French town of Pau has also been added to its destinations from LCY. Pau is perfectly placed for exploring the western Pyrenees, in particular the towns of St-Engrâce and Caunterets.

The new service will operate three times a week (Monday, Thursday and Saturday), starting 2 April 2011.

Book now for the special introductory offer of just £99 return, all inclusive, available for sale 10-31 March, travel period: 2 April-30 June 2011.

For further information or to book visit [www.cityjet.com](http://www.cityjet.com)

# Community Corner

## A Date for the Diary



### Fun Day 2011!

London City Airport's Air Show is set to soar to the skies on **Saturday 2 July 2011**. The Air Show, the highlight of the airport's annual Fun Day, is back by popular demand, along with a variety of fun-filled family activities and entertainment.

Fun Day, now in its 15th year, and one of the largest annual community events in East London, will take place at the Royals Business Park, Newham Dockside, opposite the airport. Offering free entry to visitors there will be an array of sporting related activities, sideshows, inflatable play areas for children, along with London's only air show.

The airport's annual summer event, which attracts well over 20,000 visitors, is in aid of Richard House Children's Hospice, which provides care and respite to children with life-limiting conditions. **Remember to save the date!**

### Community Notice Board

Welcome to the Community Board which gives us the opportunity to inform you how our time has been spent during November 2010 – February 2011.

- £775 was collected from lost property and raised by staff for Richard House Children's Hospice.
- 50 LCY staff collectively volunteered 259 hours delivering workshop talks to students, raising their aspirations and participating in charity events.
- 12 students undertook work experience at the airport.
- LCY supported 80 organisations and events in Newham, Tower Hamlets and Greenwich.
- 78 students attended the airport for Educational Tours.
- The LCY Barnaby Bear Geography Programme was delivered to 11 classes with a total of 330 year two students.
- LCY donated hampers and flights tickets to 30 local organisations.

Calling  
All  
Budding  
Super  
Stars!

Do you think you have the X Factor? Can your singing or dancing talent make you the star of East London?

Team Fun Day is inviting aspiring singers and dancers to take part in the airport's first ever Fun Day Talent Show!

This is your chance to show off your singing or dancing skills and win yourself a VIP experience at the O2.

All you need to do to enter is fill in a submission form which you can download from [www.funday2011.com](http://www.funday2011.com) or email [funday@lcy.co.uk](mailto:funday@lcy.co.uk) for a form to be sent to you.

## Corporate Christmas Card Competition

A London City Airport Christmas Card Competition for local Primary Schools in Newham and Tower Hamlets took place during November and December last year.

Year six classes at Old Palace Primary School in Tower Hamlets and Drew, Gallions, Britannia Village and St Luke's Primary Schools in Newham took part in the competition.

Pupils were set the challenge to design a Christmas Card themed around the airport. The entries were judged by senior airport staff and the nine winning designs have been integrated into London City Airport's 2010 Corporate Christmas card sent to business and political leaders.

The winning young artists were presented with a framed Christmas Card featuring their design and awarded a prize donated by WH Smith, at an awards ceremony at the airport with LCY Directors and the Community and Marketing Teams.



LCY 2010 Christmas Card Winners

## Christmas Team Spirit at Ascension Hall



Airport volunteers hard at work

A team of volunteers from the Airport descended on Ascension Church Hall, Custom House in December. The Team spread Christmas cheer by decorating the Hall, preparing tables

and wrapping hundreds of presents in time for the Church's annual elders' Christmas Party.

Airport volunteers also helped serve Christmas dinner, before the Hall was prepared ready for the afternoon's raffle and entertainment provided by Newham Music Trust, arranged by London City Airport.

## Take off into Work Update

The Take off into Work programme saw another group of more than 10 trainees eager to work at LCY undertake training and work placements during November, December and January.

Since the launch of Take off into Work in March 2009 146 candidates have gained employment, of which 95 have been placed into employment onsite at LCY.

**Candidates interested in the Take off into Work programme should contact Newham Workplace on 020 8430 4331.**

## London City Consultative Committee – 11 January 11

The quarterly meeting includes an Airport Director's Report on developments at LCY, including changes to the route network, the number of flights and passenger numbers.

There is also a standing item on environmental issues including environmental complaints and other requirements of the s.106 Agreement. Attended by appointed community representatives, airport users and local Councillors, the Committee is a Forum to discuss the operation of the airport and its impact on passengers and local residents.

**LCACC**✈

This meeting saw special guests Phil Roberts from the Civil Aviation Authority and Alex Bristol from National Air Traffic Services deliver a presentation on the CAA's proposed Future Airspace Strategy.

**For further information about the Consultative Committee, view minutes or contact your representative please visit, [www.lcacc.org](http://www.lcacc.org) or alternatively email the Committee Secretary, Stuart Innes [secretary@lcacc.org](mailto:secretary@lcacc.org)**

## 30 Seconds with a Committee Member

**Introducing Gertie Duffy, Consultative Committee Representative for North Woolwich.**

A member of the LCACC Committee for over 20 years, Gertie is an active community representative. She has been involved with a significant amount of issues and developments related to the airport. Her ongoing commitment and contribution to the Committee has meant that she is able to liaise with her local community to update local people regarding airport developments and future proposals and seek feedback. As the Treasurer of the Royal Docks Learning and Activity Centre, Gertie is a key Community Leader and always at the forefront of all community activity.



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## Airport Operating Hours

<b>Monday to Friday</b>	<b>0630 to 2200</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>0630 to 1230</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>1230 to 2200</b>
<b>Bank Holidays</b>	<b>0900 to 2200</b>

The airport is closed on Christmas Day. The airfield may operate for up to 30 minutes past the closure times above in the event of unavoidable operational delay.