

Concierge Dine Around Comes to Savor Tastes of Gateway Area

GATEWAY AREA RESTAURANTS AND CONCIERGES CONNECT AT DINE AROUND LA

With the ever-evolving culinary talent in Los Angeles, it is virtually impossible for concierge and hotel referral staff to stay up-to-date with the restaurant scene. "Dine Around L.A." is a time- and cost-effective, easy and fun way for restaurateurs and concierges to stay connected and nurture ongoing mutually beneficial relationships.

In Dine Around LA, nine participating restaurants showcase their best offerings and libations to a group of approximately 35 concierges. They are then able to make recommendations to their hotel guests and staff based upon their positive personal restaurant experiences.

A collection of Gateway-area restaurants participated, including Yokoso, Century Tap Room, Andiamo, JW Steakhouse, Hangar 18, Studio 12, Unity LA, Costero Bar and Sam First.



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calendar

BOARD MEETINGS:

Tue March 5 8 – 9:30am – Hyatt Regency
6225 W Century Boulevard
Guest Speaker — DWP — Century Blvd. Trunk Line Construction

Tue May 7 8 – 9:30am – LAX Administration Building
1 World Way West

GATEWAY LOS ANGELES
5901 W. Century Boulevard, Suite #100
Los Angeles, CA 90045

Gateway Volunteers Help Count the Homeless

GATEWAY AREA VOLUNTEERS ASSIST IN ANNUAL L.A. COUNTY HOMELESS COUNT

Every year, the county conducts a census of the homeless population through the Greater Los Angeles Homeless Count. The Count helps the public and government leaders better understand homelessness in our region and direct resources where they're needed most. This year's Count included more than 8,000 volunteers who canvassed more than 80 cities and 200 communities across L.A. County. In the Gateway area, the Count identified 14 homeless individuals living on the street or out of their cars. Gateway has long had a focus on the issue of homelessness, and Executive Director Laurie Hughes said getting an accurate count of individuals on the street helps focus resources. "It's important to know what's really happening on our streets so we can assist the homeless in getting the services and resources they need," she said. Final results from the Count will be released in late May.



JOIN SUSAN G. KOMEN AT MORE THAN PINK WALK

Let's get out there and support Susan G. Komen, a Gateway member, and walk for a great cause!

LAWA RELEASES PASSENGER GROWTH

The airport continues to grow, serving a record number of passengers is 2018. That growth helps fuel the success of Gateway businesses.

SUPPORT SAM FIRST

LET'S HELP PUT SAM FIRST OVER THE TOP SAM IN THE RUNNING FOR THE TOP 100 JAZZ VENUES 2019!

Sam First is in the running for the "Top 100 Jazz Venues 2019" poll through All About Jazz! The voting ends March 31, so let's help get Sam First and the Gateway area some recognition... cast your vote by becoming a member and voting here: tinyurl.com/yc7wszn9 All About Jazz has dedicated more than two decades to supporting jazz as an art form, and more importantly, the creative musicians who make it. The website hundreds of thousands of readers every month, so let's make sure our Century Boulevard jazz spot tops the charts!

LAWA Releases LAX Travel Stats for 2018, LAX Continues to Grow

Los Angeles World Airports has released the LAX Service and Passenger Activity Update for 2018, and the airport has continued to record volume for domestic, international and total passengers.

In 2016, the airport handled 80.9 million passengers. That number jumped to 84.6 million in 2017, and jumped again to 87.5 million passengers last year. That move represented a 3.5% increase and breaks down to 61.5 million domestic and 26 million international passengers.

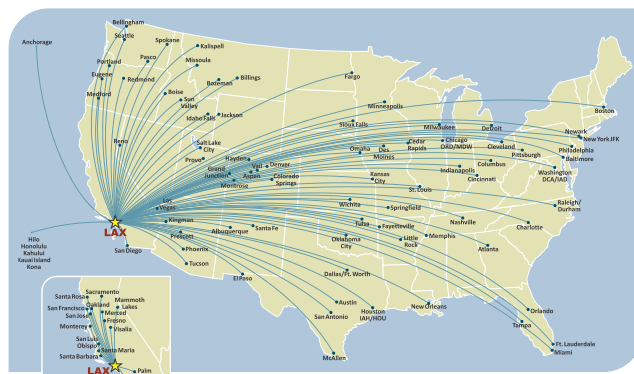
That makes LAX the No. 2 passenger airport in the nation.

The airport currently serves more than 109 non-stop domestic destinations and 93 non-stop international destinations, including non-stop flights to Buenos Aires, Argentina; Shenyang and Xian, China; and Lomé, Togo; initiated in 2018.

Among its peers, LAX grew at an average pace in 2018, but only seven airports throughout the country exceeded LAX's growth, led by Orlando, which saw a 6.9% increase in passenger traffic.

"The growth of LAX has a direct result on the economic success of the businesses surrounding the airport, especially our hotels and restaurants," said Gateway Executive Director Laurie Hughes.

Domestic Non-stop Destinations: 109



Source: Worldwide Flight Schedules, CY2018

"The airport's continued success means our members are continuing to flourish as well."

The airport has been booming since 2014. In fact, LAX has added 21 new airlines since then and notched a 20.9-million increase in passengers – a 31.2% increase.

In terms of international service, LAX has added non-stop service to 36 new destinations since 2014. Those new offerings have helped LAX achieve a 46.6% increase in international passengers since then.

Looking ahead, the airport's future looks bright.

LAWA is forecasting that LAX will maintain its growth throughout 2019, although at a lower rate than

over the last five years.

LAX's top four carriers are expected to continue to add capacity, and passenger traffic is forecast to grow between 1.8% -2.2%.

In addition, overall seat capacity at LAX is forecast to grow by 2.3% in 2019, lower than the U.S. average of 3.4%, – domestic seat capacity is expected to grow at 4%, while international seat capacity is expected to contract by 1.7%.

Despite the rosy outlook, LAWA indicates that many uncertain factors remain for the airport's continued growth, including fluctuations in fuel prices, changes in the economies of the U.S and several key countries, trade tariffs, foreign exchanges and aircraft delivery delays



GET READY TO SHRED

May Gateway Shredding Events On Tap

Gateway's annual shredding event will be held in May at the following times and locations:

Wednesday, May 15

5901 W. Century
10 a.m. – 12 p.m.

6033 W. Century Blvd.
1 – 3 p.m.

Thursday, May 16

5757 W. Century Blvd.
10 a.m. – 12 p.m.

5200 W. Century Blvd.
1 – 3 p.m.

WHAT YOU CAN BRING:

File folders and paper (No need to remove staples, paper clips and binder clips) CD-Roms, Data CDs, DVDs, Microfilm, Microfiche, Credit Cards, Tapes, and Disks.

WHAT YOU CANNOT BRING:

Pendaflex files and 3-Ring Binders

Gateway has partnered with SoCal Shred/Stericycle, a full-service shredding company that provides a full array of shredding services. SoCal Shred's state-of-the-art mobile shredding trucks destroy confidential documents at 6,000 lbs/hr.

For more Info: (714) SHRED-911

Yokoso's Authentic Sushi A Hidden Gem

YOKOSO SUSHI BAR AT CROWNE PLAZA BRINGS TRUE AUTHENTIC SUSHI PREPARATION TO THE GATEWAY AREA

Yokoso Sushi, located in the Crowne Plaza Hotel, is a sushi lover's hidden gem. As you step into the stylish sushi bar, you'll see professional Japanese sushi chefs preparing the freshest fish. Locals and international travelers meet at Yokoso to indulge in authentic sushi, right here in the Gateway area. Although sushi restaurants are common, it's not easy to find sushi chefs who were professionally trained in Japan, so if you're a fan of Tokyo-style nigiri sushi or popular sushi rolls, this is the place to be.



Diners enjoy dishes like the white fish carpaccio, and the albacore special with serrano chili, fried garlic with ponzu and chili oil. Other specialties include fresh salmon (sake), tuna (maguro), and yellowtail (hamachi) sashimi. Sushi chef, Masaki Kunishima, said, "We are proud to be able to expedite such fresh items. We have discerning international travelers, as well as local foodies, who are frequent customers. I make sure they are not disappointed."

The sushi bar fills up quickly, but there are also communal tables that offer a great way to meet fellow foodies. Yokoso offers a full bar, Japanese sake, and craft cocktails alongside an impressive list of local micro brews and international wine.

YOKOSO

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Powerwashing to Begin

GATEWAY WILL UNDERTAKE ITS QUARTERLY POWERWASHING OF SIDEWALKS THROUGHOUT THE PBID AREA IN MARCH

Gateway LA's 2019 project to pressure wash all sidewalks in the PBID area's public sidewalks will begin in March. Gateway's contractor, Clean Street, will continue pressure washing the sidewalks in the early morning hours. Sidewalks throughout the entire district, from La Cienega Boulevard to Sepulveda Boulevard, will be cleaned, and the entire project should take approximately four to five weeks to complete. The pressure washing always makes a huge difference in the area, and helps give a great first impression for anyone visiting Gateway buildings.



Join Susan G. Komen in Raising Money to Fight Breast Cancer

MORE THAN PINK WALK SCHEDULED FOR MARCH 9, 2019 –REGISTER NOW!

Did you know that 1 in 8 women will be diagnosed with breast cancer in her lifetime?

In today's society, it seems nearly everyone knows someone who has been impacted by breast cancer. In the face of this deadly disease, it's not enough to simply say you support breast cancer cause. It's time to take action by joining the fight and participating in this year's Susan G. Komen **MORE THAN PINK Walk™** on Saturday, March 9, 2019 at Dodger Stadium!

Register for the MORE THAN PINK Walk event today at komenlacounty.org By participating in this important community event, you will help us accomplish several goals:

- Honor breast cancer survivors and those still in treatment
- Memorialize those who have lost their battle to the disease
- Raise vital funds for



education, screening, treatment, and national research programs

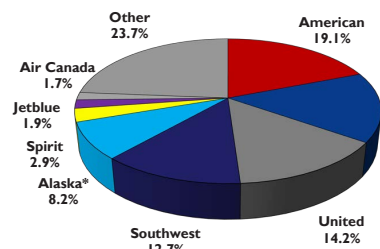
Since its inception, our events have raised more than \$2 billion to fight breast cancer, but we still have so much more work to do. And we need your help! Join us and millions of other supporters, survivors, and co-survivors who participate every year. Every dollar you raise will help to make a

difference—and show that you too are **MORE THAN Pink®**.

The Susan G. Komen LA County office is located in the Gateway Los Angeles Business District.

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Total LAX Seat Share by Carrier CY 2018



Total LAX Seat by Alliance CY 2018

