EVENT HIGHLIGHTS

2018

APR

Hong Kong International Airport’s (HKIA) mobile app, “HKG My Flight”, wins gold in the “Smart Mobility (Smart Transport)” category at the Hong Kong ICT Awards 2018.


MAY

Airport Authority Hong Kong (AAHK) awards the right to develop and manage a 350,000-square-metre integrated commercial development, comprising retail, dining and entertainment facilities, in SKYCITY to Roxy Limited, a wholly owned subsidiary of New World Development Company Limited.

AAHK’s commitment to sustainability is recognised with a “10th Anniversary Special Award” at the Hong Kong Awards for Environmental Excellence held by the Environmental Campaign Committee.

JUN

AAHK awards the right to develop and manage a premium logistics centre in the South Cargo Precinct to a joint venture led by Cainiao Network, the logistics arm of Alibaba Group.

AAHK signs two memoranda of understanding with Groupe ADP, operator of Paris-Charles de Gaulle, to strengthen co-operation in airport management, and aviation and air cargo development.

JUL

Virgin Australia begins service at HKIA with daily direct flights to Sydney.

HKIA commemorates its 20th anniversary with a series of celebration activities.

AUG

“HKG My Flight” and MyTAG, a smart luggage tag developed by AAHK, claim prizes in the Digital Brand Awards 2018 organised by the Chamber of Hong Kong Computer Industry and Metro Broadcast Corporation Limited.
EgyptAir starts twice-weekly flights from HKIA to Cairo.

AAHK acquires AsiaWorld-Expo Management Limited, the company that operates AsiaWorld-Expo (AWE), a 70,000-square-metre convention centre on the airport island. The acquisition will generate strong synergies between AWE and SKYCITY and other airport developments.

HKIA receives three accolades at the Asia Pacific ICT Alliance Awards for strategic implementation of smart technology.

HKIA is named “Best Airport: Asia” in Monocle’s Travel Top 50 Awards.

Thai Smile Airways starts operating at HKIA with daily flights to Bangkok and Phuket.

In collaboration with Brussels Airport, HKIA launches an airport-to-airport pharma corridor, offering secure service for shipments of temperature-sensitive pharmaceuticals.

The HKIA website and “HKG My Flight” earn “Triple Gold Awards” in the Web Accessibility Recognition Scheme co-organised by Hong Kong Internet Registration Corporation Limited and the Office of the Government Chief Information Officer.

AAHK signs a memorandum of understanding with the Hainan Provincial Development and Reform Commission, facilitating closer co-operation with airports in Hainan, China.

HKIA is the world’s first airport community to receive Centre of Excellence for Perishable Logistics (CEIV Fresh) certification from the International Air Transport Association.

AirAsia launches flights from HKIA to Krabi and IndiGo starts service to Bangalore.

Hong Kong International Aviation Academy attains full membership in the International Civil Aviation Organisation’s TRAINAIR PLUS Programme.

HKIA is honoured with the “Airport of the Year” title by International Airport Review.