

GRBrief

Here's What's Happening at Green Bay Austin Straubel International Airport April 2018



Jump on board! Flights added to Chicago and Atlanta

Good news for travelers! [American Airlines](#), [United Airlines](#) and [Delta Airlines](#) will all add flights at [Green Bay Austin Straubel International Airport](#) (GRB) in the coming months.

Details of the flights include:

- Delta Airlines will resume a second daily flight to Hartsfield–Jackson Atlanta International Airport (ATL) on April 12.
- United Airlines will institute its fifth roundtrip between GRB and Chicago O’Hare International Airport (ORD), beginning April 9.
- American Airlines will add a fifth roundtrip flight between GRB and ORD this fall, on October 4.

“The airlines are responding to increased demand for flights at GRB,” explained Airport Director Tom Miller. “The increase in service is also a great indicator that airlines are recognizing the importance of serving smaller communities like Green Bay. More flights will make it even easier to get to and from GRB. We’re looking forward to the positive impact that these additional flights will have on our travelers and all of northeast Wisconsin.”



Airlines also increase capacity at GRB

Not only are new flights being added at GRB, the increased demand has resulted in the three airlines serving GRB to increase capacity. “What that means,” explains Airport Director Tom Miller, “is that, for many flights, the airlines are bringing in larger planes to accommodate demand. This is mainly occurring during peak travel times each day; early in the morning and late afternoon, due to demand primarily by business travelers.”

A number of regional jets, with 50 seat capacities, are being upgraded to jets with 70 to 76 seats. Through the month of June, all GRB carriers are scheduled to increase the seat capacity nearly 15%, across the board.



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Keeping snowy owls - and travelers - safe

While snowy owls are beautiful birds from the Arctic, they can also pose a significant hazard when they choose to hunt and roost at airports. That's why GRB turned to several wildlife organizations and experts to help capture these birds from the airport grounds and safely relocate them elsewhere.

So far, a total of nine snowy owls have been successfully trapped and released in other areas. Two safely captured snowy owls from GRB were named Austin and Straubel, after Austin Straubel, and were successfully fitted with transmitters to track their travels following release. You can track their travels here: www.projectsnowstorm.org.

Special thanks for help and cooperation go to [Northeastern Wisconsin \(NEW\) Audubon Society](#), Winnebago Audubon's Janet Wissink, Fox Cities falconer Frank Ujazdowski, [The Feather Wildlife Rehab/Education Center](#), [Project SNOWstorm](#) and the [Natural Resources Foundation of Wisconsin](#).



Pulling Together For A Cure

Are you up for an adventure? Join us for an exciting and unique event centered around a game of tug of war to raise money for the [American Cancer Society](#). In partnership with Delta Airlines at Green Bay Austin Straubel International Airport, *Pulling Together For A Cure* will take place 10 a.m. – 5 p.m., Saturday, July 21.

For the Pull, teams of ten adults will compete by pulling an Aircraft Rescue and Fire Fighting Truck in the fastest time. There will also be great entertainment from *The Voice of Hope* singing

competition. This free event is open to the public and will feature plenty of kids' activities, fun takeaways, a silent auction and drawings and a luminaria tent; food and micro craft beers will also be available.

We invite the community, businesses and organizations to embrace this event and cause to help support the mission to save lives, celebrate lives and lead the fight for a world without cancer.

For more information, join us on May 2 at the Green Bay Distillery (835 Ashwaubenon St.) Pulling team information will be shared 6 – 7 p.m., and auditions for *The Voice of Hope* will start at 7 p.m.

To start a *Pulling Together* team:

Email PullingTogetherGRB@cancer.org or sign up at www.PullingTogetherGRB.org. The event is limited to 20 teams, each team must raise a minimum of \$2,500 to compete.

To audition for *The Voice of Hope*:

Email PullingTogetherGRB@cancer.org to reserve a spot for the May 2 auditions; walk-ins are also welcome. More information here: www.crowdrise.com/Thevoiceofhope.

To sponsor or volunteer:

Email PullingTogetherGRB@cancer.org or call Shannon Thompson at 920-321-1376.

Fritz, GRB's therapy dog, celebrated his 6th birthday on March 1. What better way to celebrate than to stop for a quick pic at the new selfie station on Concourse A. Happy Birthday Fritz!



Win a limited-edition Brown County 200th Anniversary Opoly Game

In celebration of [Brown County's 200th anniversary](#), GRB is giving away Brown County 200th Anniversary Opoly Games to winners of a Facebook trivia giveaway contest.

In the past few weeks, different GRB trivia questions have been posted to our Facebook page every week. A winner is randomly chosen from the persons who comment on the post within 24 hours with the correct answer to the trivia question. The winner receives a Brown County 200th Anniversary Opoly Board Game.

The GRB Brown County 200th Anniversary Opoly Giveaway began on March 5 and will run until April 13, so it's not too late to participate! Go to our Facebook page to enter: www.facebook.com/AustinStraubelAirport



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GIVEAWAY

Trivia Question
#1
The first community
airport was located at
the intersection of
what two avenues in
Green Bay?

Comment with the correct answer for
the chance to win a board game!

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Check out the progress being made on [Jet Air Group](#)'s new 40,000 sq. ft. hangar, scheduled to be completed this July, just in time for EAA!



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