

# This Week @ SEA



**This Week @ SEA** is your one-stop news resource for openings, closures, and changes at Seattle-Tacoma International Airport (SEA). Forward or print this and share it with your teams!

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## Airport News

### April 24 - 30

- **International Society for Autism Research's (INSAR) International Meeting for Autism Research** - Next week, the Seattle Convention Center will welcome approximately 2,300 attendees to the International Society for Autism Research's (INSAR) International Meeting for Autism Research. Travelers for this conference may need additional support as well as needing Sunflower Lanyards.
  - **Primary Arrival Dates:** Tuesday, April 29th and Wednesday, April 30th
  - **Main Departure Dates:** Saturday, May 3rd and Sunday, May 4th
- **Badging System Switch Over Announcement** - On May 12, the Port of Seattle will roll out a new badge system, Intellisoft IDMS. This will impact badges for all Aviation and Port locations, and you will see new badge designs starting May 12, 2025. During this transition period, the Credential Center and other Port badging location hours of operation, and services will

be reduced:

- **Friday May 2:** Last day for new badge appointments
- **Monday May 5th- Tuesday May 6:** Renewals and Badge Pick-Ups only
- **Tuesday May 6:** Last day badges are produced in the old design format.
- **Wednesday May 7 through Friday May 9:** Credential Center closure. All badging services will be unavailable during this time. Badge deactivations will need to be emailed to [idbadgescheduling@portseattle.org](mailto:idbadgescheduling@portseattle.org).
- **Monday May 12:** IDMS System Go-Live. Services will be limited this week to allow for a smooth transition. All new badges produced from this date forward will be in the new vertical design. Existing badges remain valid through their current expiration date.
- **Credential Center Updates** can be found [here](#).
- **Marine Maintenance** badging questions can be directed to: Josh Chaffee
- **Maritime** badging questions can be directed to: Russ Read



Here's what's happening with Upgrade SEA. [The Interactive Map is available](#) with the latest information

- **Restroom Renovation**
  - The D11 restroom is scheduled to open on April 30, which includes the family restrooms and drinking fountains.
- **SEA Gateway**
  - The suspended scaffolding above departures will be removed and

installation of ceiling finishes will be complete on Monday, April 28.

- Skybridge 2 will reopen at 4 a.m. on Tuesday, April 29.
- This week the terrazzo overlay work will begin at Checkpoint 5 which reduces queueing and temporarily closes screening lanes 5 and 6.
- **SEA Underground Controls**
  - Full shutdowns of the south loop (A/B/S stops) for 5 nights of bussing April 27- May 1 and May 4 - May 8 (11 p.m. - 2 a.m. and 4 a.m. - 5 a.m.).
- **Maintenance**
  - Closure of Men's/Women's/Family Restrooms, Baggage Level, Gina Marie Lindsey Hall between 10 p.m. - 4 a.m. Monday - Thursday nights (weekly through May 16)



## At Your Fingertips

### Be REAL ID Ready for Travel

Your flight is booked. Your bags are packed. Is your identification good to go for travel in 2025? REAL ID is happening and one of the most important things on your travel checklist is making sure your ID card is up to date.

Beginning on May 7, 2025, all travelers over the age of 18 will need a state-issued REAL ID compliant license or identification card to fly within the United States. The big news is that your regular driver's license by itself isn't enough for air travel. Here's what to know to avoid travel disruptions.

[See what form of ID you need](#)



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