Gold Coast Airport

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SANTA TOUCHES DOWN AT GOLD COAST AIRPORT

Inbound and outbound passengers through Gold Coast Airport in the lead up to Christmas may well be greeted by the airport's favourite member of staff – Santa Claus.

Santa has been a seasonal employee at the airport since 2004, taking up residence in the terminal to spread some Christmas cheer to the travelling public.

Gold Coast Airport Chief Operating Officer Paul Donovan said it's always a pleasure to host Santa as he spreads the festive spirit to airport passengers.

"December is one of the biggest months of the year for us and it's great to see the smiles on our passengers' faces, particularly the children, when they spot Santa in the terminal.

"The positive feedback from our passengers is what keeps Santa coming back to Gold Coast Airport each year, and his deployment in the terminal is our way of wishing our passengers a merry Christmas and thanking them for their patronage," Mr Donovan said.

Santa will be greeting passengers from today (14/12) up until Christmas Eve, before heading back to the North Pole to pack the sleigh with gifts for the big day.

He can be found spreading Christmas cheer through the terminal and handing out treats for the children daily from 7am – 12.30pm and again from 3.30pm – 7.30pm.

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