



New departure experience

Makeover Update

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Update on the redesign of Auckland Airport's international departure area

Just a couple of months to go and the first two stages of the redesigned international departure area at Auckland Airport will be complete! The space has taken on a whole new look and is transforming into a more modern and inviting farewell area.

So what's been happening?

- The sun is shining through the roof with four of the five skylights now complete.
- A kids area is currently being designed for the carpeted space next to Espresso Bar. This will be complete in time for the Christmas rush!
- The Bluecoat helpdesk will get an overhaul to bring it in line with the new look.
- Watch out for the laying of the red carpet in the farewell area at the end of October, this marks the completion of stage 1!
- Stage 2 of the project - the construction of the new emigration processing area is progressing well. The new border agency area will open early November.

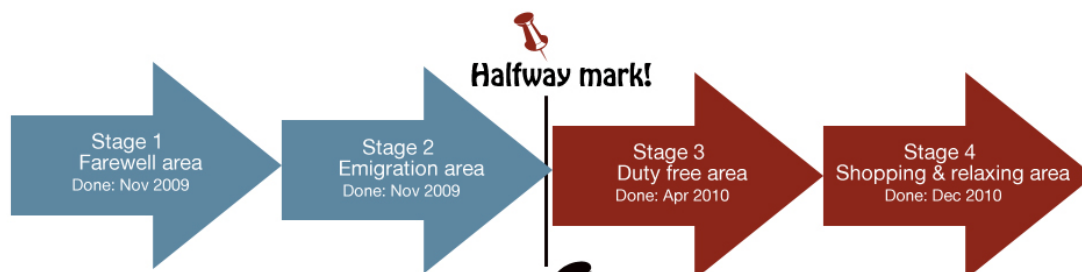


Airside musical chairs

While the focus remains on landside departures area, there are a few changes going on airside which will pave the way for some fabulous transformations in the coming months.

- Walker and Hall has moved into a new space and looks amazing.
- DFS are consolidating into their beauty store and moving into the space that was occupied by Walker and Hall. This is to free up some space for JR Duty Free who will be moving out of their store to make way for construction.
- Think NZ opens in November on the upper level of Pier A where Made in New Zealand and The Cellar used to be. Think NZ will stock high end Kiwiana products. Their product range is extensive and showcases food, drink and fashion product.
- Work continues in the arrivals area with JR Duty Free due to open their new store by the end of October.

We're almost halfway!



Stage 3 is next.
It is a complete refit of the duty free area. It begins with the consolidation of the stores to make way for some new building space. The new area will then begin to take shape with the stores being fit out in time for a new opening in May 2010.