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ZIPAIR to Launch New Narita - San Jose Service on 12 December 2022!

- Direct Flights Return After Absence of 2 Years and 9 Months -

ZIPAIR (IATA code: ZG) will launch a new service between Narita and San Jose on Monday, 12 December 2022. This is the second LCC service operating the U.S. mainland from Narita Airport and the first direct service from Japan to San Jose in approximately 2 years and 9 months.

San Jose is known as the center of Silicon Valley and is located about 1 hour from San Francisco. More than 30,000 Japanese nationals reside in the area, including metropolitan San Francisco, and it is expected that ZIPAIR will provide a new option for customers to use for travel not only for tourism but also for business, trips home and visiting relatives. Take advantage of Narita Airport's network, now even more convenient with the new ZIPAIR service.



Santana Row



Mount Hamilton

- Launch date: 12 December, 2022
- Route: Narita - San Jose
- Terminal: Terminal 1, North Wing
- Aircraft: B787-8 (configured for 290 seats (18 ZIP full-flat and 272 standard seats))
- Flight schedule:

Flight Nos.	Origin	Departure Time	Destination	Arrival Time	Service Days
ZG30	Tokyo/Narita (NRT)	16:00	San Jose (SJC)	08:00*	Mon, Thu, Sat
ZG29	San Jose (SJC)	10:00*	Tokyo/Narita (NRT)	14:30 (Next day)	Mon, Thu, Sat



- * Arrives 8:10 a.m., departs 10:10 a.m. between 2 January and 11 March 2023. Photo courtesy of ZIPAIR.
 * Arrives 9:10 a.m., departs 11:10 a.m. between 13 and 25 March 2023.
 * All times are local.
 * Conditional upon government approval.
 * Please be aware that schedules, etc. are subject to possible change.

* Please check the Ministry of Foreign Affairs website for information on entry restrictions at your destination.



ZIPAIR to Launch Flights to Mineta San José Airport on December 12

Inaugural Fares Now Available for Sale!

Tokyo, September 16, 2022 – ZIPAIR Tokyo announced its decision to launch flights between Tokyo Narita and Mineta San José International Airport on December 12. Reservations for the service will open today and the carrier will offer an inaugural fare to help celebrate the nonstop service between Japan and the Bay Area.

ZIPAIR operates the highly efficient Boeing 787-8 aircraft on its international routes and will initially offer three flights per week to Mineta San José airport. The city of San José is known for its incredible weather, cultural diversity, creative innovators, and opportunities to uncover endless possibilities for adventure and fun.



“With tickets now on sale, we`re excited to be a step closer to welcoming ZIPAIR Tokyo to the Bay Area and Mineta San José International Airport,” said SJC Director of Aviation John Aitken. “This new, nonstop service between SJC and Tokyo-Narita restores an important link between San José and Japan and represents the first low-cost transpacific service between the Bay Area and Asia.”

“The service to Mineta San José International Airport will be our second route across the Pacific, following Los Angeles, which launched in December 2021. ZIPAIR`s unique business model provides customers a convenient travel option at an affordable price, which has been one of our main objectives since the establishment of the company. With our new nonstop service to the Bay Area, we look forward to welcome travelers back to Japan,” said Shingo Nishida, President of ZIPAIR Tokyo.

Flight schedules are subject to relevant government approvals.

Flight Schedule (December 12 – December 31, 2022)

Route	Flight Number	Schedule	Operates
NRT = SJC	ZG30	Departs Narita 16:00 Arrives Mineta San José 8:00	Monday / Thursday/ Saturday
	ZG29	Departs Mineta San José 10:00 Arrives Narita 14:30 (+1)	

Flight Schedule (January 2 – March 11, 2023)

Route	Flight Number	Schedule	Operates
NRT = SJC	ZG30	Departs Narita 16:00 Arrives Mineta San José 8:10	Monday / Thursday/ Saturday
	ZG29	Departs Mineta San José 10:10 Arrives Narita 14:30 (+1)	

Flight Schedule (March 13 – March 25, 2023)

Route	Flight Number	Schedule	Operates
NRT = SJC	ZG30	Departs Narita 16:00 Arrives Mineta San José 9:10	Monday / Thursday/ Saturday
	ZG29	Departs Mineta San José 11:10 Arrives Narita 14:30 (+1)	

Inaugural Launch Fare between SJC and NRT

To celebrate the launch of the service to Mineta San José airport, ZIPAIR will offer a limited time airfare on their Standard Value Seat.

Purchase Period	Route	Airfare (Per seat / One-way)
September 16 through November 30, 2022	NRT to SJC	JPY34,082
	SJC to NRT	USD229.80

- Airfare shown above are inclusive of taxes and applicable airport fees. Taxes for the Tokyo-Mineta San José route are converted at 144.45 yen per dollar. (As of September 14, 2022)
- Inaugural airfare is subject to availability.
- Airfare shown above is for a Standard Value Seat. (Per Seat / One-way fare)
- Each fare includes a maximum of 7kg of carry-on baggage allowance.
- Additional fees apply for optional services, including inflight meals, checked baggage, seat selection.

Fare Rules (「ZIP Full-Flat Value」 「Standard Value」 「U6 Standard Value」)

Reservations	Available on ZIPAIR Website or at the Contact Center
Purchase Deadline	90 minutes prior to the scheduled flight
Date Change	Not Permitted
Refund	Not Permitted

- An administrative ticketing fee will apply per person (per sector) for purchases made through the Contact Center.
- For additional details, visit <https://www.zipair.net/en/farerules>

Reservations and Sales

Reservations will be accepted from September 16 (12:00 Japan Standard Time)

For additional information, visit <https://www.zipair.net.en>

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Mineta San José International Airport (SJC) is Silicon Valley's airport, a self-supporting enterprise owned and operated by the City of San José. For more airport information, visit flysanjose.com. Connect with SJC on social media at flysanjose.com/follow.

About ZIPAIR Tokyo

Established in 2018 as a wholly owned subsidiary of Japan Airlines, ZIPAIR features a fully customizable travel experience based on an LCC business model. Offering complimentary Wi-Fi for all classes of travel, the carrier operates the Boeing 787-8 Dreamliner configured in a 290-seat layout. One of the few international airlines to provide a contactless inflight experience, ZIPAIR's self-ordering payment system is accessible to order meals and goods through a personal smartphone or tablet. Based out of Tokyo Narita, ZIPAIR currently operates to 5 international destinations, including Bangkok, Seoul, Honolulu, Singapore, and Los Angeles.