



NEWS FOR CREWS



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Happy New Year 2012

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COLONEL TACO



Well we are starting off 2012 with a tremendous event in our history. Our B&G family just grew by almost one third with the addition of 24 restaurants in the Houston market.

To our new Texas Teams--- I want to take this opportunity to welcome all you into our family. While you will find some changes, hopefully you will find them to be for the better. Our maintenance teams are already out in your restaurants repairing and replacing equipment. We will shortly be turning our attention from bringing equipment up to standards to bringing the lobbies and exteriors up to standards. We will be focusing more on training and looking constantly for those individual members of our teams that want to join our management force. We prefer to promote from within, so it is important that we train and seek out those members of our teams that want a future in management. If that interest you, contact your RGM or your AC or call Jay Leblanc at our Restaurant Support Center.

I also want to congratulate the team members and their manager, Shannon Arrington, of the new Jennings, La. restaurant that opened in mid-December after being scraped and rebuilt. It appears from the sales that the folks of that town missed their Taco Bell.

We have a few changes that will be taking place over the next 6 weeks or so:

- We are switching all payrolls to either direct deposit or pay cards. More details will follow, but to be brief, if you have a bank account we will directly deposit your pay into your account. If you do not use a bank, we will issue you a pay card (very similar to a debit card) and each payroll we will reload your pay card. There will be no more payroll checks written. The advantage is that there will not be any more lost or delayed checks in the mail.
- Learning Zone will be our method of training going forward and will be on the internet in the restaurant.
- Serve-Safe testing will be restaurant based off of the restaurant computer...no more need for attending classes.

2012 promises to be an exciting time, I am expecting great things to happen at B&G. I trust all of you want to take the ride with me. But remember...it all starts with our **CUSTOMERS**, we have to give them the **SERVICE** they expect, in the **TIME** they expect and provided by people who **CARE** about their experience.

Till next month.... *Greg Hamer*



Florentine Melgar, RGM and her Team: Sonya Pineda, Maria Dimas, Robert Davis and Ana Garcia



Who's Hot at B & G



The Team at Restaurant # 27808 lead by Florentine Melgar, a Marketing Training Manager with over 10 years' experience, has truly been an inspiration as shown throughout the transition from Corporate to B&G Enterprises of Texas.

Their Store was immaculately clean, thoroughly organized, solid Brand performance, and heavy with a very positive culture.

Florentine and the FM 1960 Team have completely embraced the changes presented as a part of moving into the B&G family...their partnership will undoubtedly help to lead B&G Texas to the top of the "mountain" as we lay claim to being the **"Best In Brand!"**





*Happy Birthday to You !
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January Birthdays*



SAFETY FIRST

1. Keep your work area clean & orderly
2. Clean up your mess, never let safety be someone else's job.
3. Clean up or report spills right away.
4. Always wear Shoes for Crews

24768 Laplace – Mary Fraisse, Ciara Thompson, Alvin Wilson **2952 Mall Dr. Alexandria** – Rondrika Buckner, Clarence Cobbs, Iesha Johnson, Trakeila Johnson
2619 Natchitoches – Shanell Baines, Ashley Walker **3532 Pineville** – Donterris Hayes, Cary Ann Howard, Amanda Johnson, Marisa Johnson, Emily Overton, Terry Perry **26732 Houma** – Diana Caillouet, Jon Ward **4727 Thibodaux** – Anese Banks, Sandra Melendez, Meghann Picou **26003 Marksville** – Joseph Lonzo, Darrel Augustine, Rochelle Austin, Maddison Jacobs **15326 Picayune** – Scarlett Tedder **15758 LaRose** – Kevon Bourda, Blaine Cheramie, Alex Compeaux, Anjelica Jones, Kendra Jones, Troy Mayeux, Whitney Scott **16865 Bastrop** – Alvin Debose, Lourie Trahan **17183 McArthur Alexandria** – Voncheeri Duncan
17489 Bayou Vista – Yasmaine Johnson, Tremaine Lightfoot **17611 Boutte** – Jaron Howard, Lashonda Ingram, Lashanae Taylor **2876 Hwy 171 Lake Charles-** Demetrius Savoy **2999 Ruth St., Sulphur** – Zachary Drodody, Gregory Ellis, Chaselin Martin, Tonya Vital **3165 Prien Lake, Lake Charles** – Charles Adams, Jr. Carolyn Glover, Latoyia Jackson, Yojan Shrestha, Demetria Watson **3601 Jennings** – Jasmine Franklin, Kimberly Woods **3700 Eunice** – Angeleach Davis, Donald Dischler, Tylor Leblanc, Sondra Schoeffler, Teresa Torres **16313 Crowley** – Paula Conner, Courtney Hoage **16951 Nelson Rd, Lake Charles** – Kaitlyn Bellard, Darrell Fruge, Brittany Hayes, Jamie Victorian **18210 Gerstner, Lake Charles** – Brittany Barnes, Norman Trahan **26656 Chalmette** – Amanda Hill, Kenya Richard **2875 Gause Blvd. Slidell II** – Angelica Armond, Latunia Jenkins, Michele Procell, Keishanda Simmons **16664 Bogalusa-** Indiya Woods **24526 Leesville** – Raina Biery, Susanna Blue, Nastashia Webber **23902 Abbeville** – Jonathan Brown **26276 Columbia** – Allen Larson, Amber Tabacco **26637 Breaux Bridge** – Christopher Kendall, Taylor Modicut, Pamela Robert, Karlee Scrantz **26916 Baton Rouge** – Wanda Kaiser, David McCrea **27675 Moss Bluff** – Erika Jones, Kimberly Trammell, Dustin Varas
20070 Fuqua Houston – Ana Ramirez, Sendy Velasquez **2434 Scarsdale Houston** – Abu Nowshad **26764 Angleton** – Gregg Bearden, Travis Briscoe, Mathew Hayes, Maria Martinez, Jared Solis **2870 Dickinson** – Maria Angamarca, Shanice Coats, Mary Dieterich **2886 Galveston** – Maria Martinez, Nancy Ortiz **3658 Baybrook Mall, Friendswood** – Ana Romero **15585 Parkwood, Friendswood** – Zulma Barrera, Fernando Velazquez **19740 League City** – Jose Castro, Maria Medina, Cynthia Ramirez, Edie Smith **25722 Baytown** – Francisca Bojorquez, Arcadio Crespo **27539 Pearland** – Glenda Gonzalez, Miriam Ibarra **27109 Webster** – Sasha Guerrant, Ivis Villanueva **27786 Belfort Houston** – Kevin Leonard **27788 Spring** – Ivey Williams, Hector Zelaya
27790 Uvalde Houston – Eric Garcia **27792 Westheimer Houston** – Teisha Elmore, Karla Perez, Lidia Santos **27793 Sugarland** – Damian Tzunux **27795 Spencer Pasadena** – Luis Vilchez **27797 West Rd. Houston** – Alma Velasquez **27798 Panther Creek Woodlands** – Celene Lopez, Dwight Webster **27799 College Park Woodlands** – Sarah Bass, Olinda Cardenas, Jeremiah Edwards, Xavier Garcia **27800 Market Place Katy** – Abiodun Kayode, Maria Quintana **27801 Wallisville Houston** – Jeremy Garcia, Jorge Jimenez, Sheri Mata **27802 FM Rd Houston** – Lioudmila Zegar **27803 Same Houston Humble** – John Paredes **27804 Magnolia** – Rosalba Rodriguez **27805 Spring Cypress Spring** – Kali Bass **27806 Fry Rd Katy** – Jose Segovia **27807 Taylor Houston** – Maria Carmona, Ana Gonzalez, Alberto Guerrero, Courtnea Jenkins
2079 New Iberia – Michael Bell, Michael Marshall, Derrick Sam **24975 Leesville** – Anthony Crow **937003 Lake Charles** – Darryl Thompson **937004 Laplace** – Niesha Bardell **24689 Houma** – Areka Hunt, Devin Snyder **937006 Lafayette** – Bianca Faulk, Mykel Francis, Lakisha Zeno **20144 Destrehan** – Jamirer Flowers, Jaron Howard, Loreal Robinson **937009/20017 Morgan City** – Marlaciyen Jack, John James, Cynthia Little **937013 Gonzales** – Luis Morales **937014/20511 Gray** – Jerry Bergeron, Rynikka Holmes, Shanta Shorty **Teriyaki TX10023** - Diane Littleton, Casey Nguyen **AC's** – Francisco Silva
Office – Sabrina Merchant, Ann Marie Robinson

Congratulations RGM Shannon Arrington and Crew of "New" Taco Bell # 3601 Jennings, Louisiana New Store Opening 12-15-11 Cutting the ribbon with Mayor, Terry Duhon is our own Brenda Hamer



The Welcome Wagon



The B & G Family

Wants to take this opportunity to welcome our new Area Coaches, Augusto Chaves, Mark Palmer Steve Sula and the Texas 24 Teams.

Welcome to the Family !!