

# SOUTHPAW



# IN YOUR CORNER

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This is  
**'In Your Corner'**  
Southpaw's  
monthly  
newsletter

Here at Southpaw, we love to celebrate all of our employees successes. 'In Your Corner' will be released monthly to update what is going on throughout our regions in our 100+ locations. We are dedicated to building a Southpaw community and celebrating all of our people. We look forward to the monthly stories we get to tell, from our corporate office, and coast to coast in our field locations!



Shoutout to our Atlanta ASL team rocking their new Southpaw gear. You all look great!

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# Get to Know us at Southpaw...

## Shana Grant Payroll Assistant

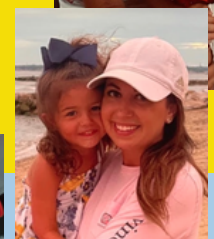
Shana has been working for Southpaw since January 2023. She is a payroll assistant and Southpaw's official WOW Rewards/Swag Specialist. Her favorite part about working for the company is working around such kind, and supportive women! She also continues to be a hairdresser part time, a job she's had for 18 years.

Outside of Southpaw, Shana is always with her family and friends. She has been married to her husband Casey for 10 years and has 3 kids, Elena, (9) Dominic, (7) & Emilia (5). Her kids spend most of their time playing soccer, lacrosse, baseball and basketball, and Shana is their #1 fan- never misses a game! If she's not in the stands, cutting hair, or doing payroll, then she enjoys cooking (especially Italian dish/ dessert recipes that were passed down from her big Italian family) or spending a day at the beach! Her favorite sport teams are the Red Sox, Uconn Huskies, Boston Celtics & The NY Giants!

**Shana's Dunkin Order:** Large Hot or Iced coffee with almond milk and 1 Splenda, Sourdough breakfast sandwich and hashbrown

**Shana's Taco Bell Order:** Steak Quesadilla

**3 words to describe Shana:** Protective, Kind, Strong



# What's going on in Taco Bell Atlanta:

## Team Atlanta Wins for Most News Stories Ever in 'In Your Corner'

A huge WOW goes out to team Atlanta! You guys sure know how to celebrate your teams! We received so many wonderful stories, shout outs and pictures from the area this month. This truly embodies the Southpaw team spirit, and we love the enthusiasm! Keep it up!

We received shoutouts for sales growth (and more) in Gwinco Suwanee, Dahlonega, Hickory Flat, and Oakwood, plus 5-star celebrations in Dahlonega and Oakwood. 100% health inspections in Peachtree Corners! Roswell had best speed in Ashton's area at 2:56! Trent shouted out Haynes Bridge due to the determination and hard work they put in every day! Tenicia shouted out Buford Drive for developing employees and being able to help other area units with staff! Morgan shouts out the Acworth team as they have proven time and time again that they are superheroes!



# What's going on in Taco Bell Atlanta:

## More ATL Celebrations!

Regina recognized her AGM JB Owen! He is a huge part of her team and is always there to help especially with technical issues with KFC. Great job, Owen! She is also celebrating her shift manager of P7, Anthony with team Douglasville. Congratulations Anthony!

Jesse is shouting out Matthew, Shining Star award for outstanding performance, Edna AGM of the month from Smyrna for her resilience, and Tim, #1 ASL in Atlanta for 6 weeks in a row! Congratulations Matthew, Edna and Tim!

## AMAZING JOB, TEAM ATLANTA!



## What's going on in Dunkin' West:

### Employee of the Quarter

Congratulations to Donna from Goodyear, she was named employee of the Quarter in the West! She is wonderful asset to Southpaw, and we are so proud of her hard work. Keep it up, Donna!

### Birthday Shout Out

A special birthday shoutout to Terri, our manager for our Surprise location. We hope you had the happiest birthday!



# What's going on in Taco Bell Louisville:

## New Location Breaks Ground

In Kentucky we are building and preparing for our 41st location! Southpaw Taco Bell is Coming Soon to Cave City, KY, we look forward to the Grand Opening this Fall 2023.

## 5-Star Celebrations

Congratulations to Zahra Elkory and Team Bashford and Alma Jiminez and Team Fern Creek for their Supreme 5-Star ratings!



## What's going on in Dunkin' East:

### Donut Decorating Day

Mari, and her Midland Park store, gave back to the local School for the Deaf this month. The location hosted a donut decorating party, where each student got to decorate their own donut! About 60 students attended, and a great time was had by all.

Amazing job, team Midland Park!



# What's going on in Taco Bell Mid-Atlantic:

## Reopening of the Sterling Location

The Delmarva market celebrating the reopening of the Sterling, Virginia location. The updates look fantastic, and the market is excited to get their top sales store back open!

## RGM Meeting and 5-Star Celebrations

In June, we held our Quarterly RGM meeting and shared some important information and recognition with our Restaurant General Managers; after the meeting we took the team for an afternoon of bowling. Prior to the meeting Thursday, Human Resources spent time in their field to visit Chris Buckley's area and recognize some of our 5 star locations.

