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6 Ways to Show Employee Appreciation: Gifts and Giving Around the Holidays

You don't have to wait until National Employee Appreciation Day to show your employees you appreciate their hard work and commitment. It's crucial your hourly workers feel valued, especially during challenging times. And, the holiday season is the perfect time to implement lasting initiatives.

Read full story to discover creative employee appreciation ideas that you can easily personalize for your team.

Source: *Sprockets*

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Preferred Employer Tips

Be that place people WANT to work at! Employee turnover is a battle that many owners face regularly. But is it a necessary battle? What if you could make some business changes that could ensure a happy team that then dramatically increases your employee retention?

Click the button below for some tips to help get you out of the non-stop circle of recruiting, hiring and training. Create a business brand that generates positive word of mouth for being known as the preferred employer in your community.

Source: *Wisconsin Restaurant Association*

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HOW TO BECOME A PREFERRED EMPLOYER IN THE HOSPITALITY INDUSTRY

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How Can You Be Sure Someone Has What It Takes to Lead Others?

Whether you're a line manager on the floor or an executive in the C-suite, you have to eventually accept, in your heart of hearts, the fact that the majority of the leadership decisions you will make will involve people. And since people are an organization's



most appreciable asset (as the cliché goes), it becomes even more apparent that a leader's most important asset is to develop people skills (i.e., soft skills).

Source: Marcel Schwantes. Leadership From the Core



Past Workforce Webinars...

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