### **MEARS IN MOTION**

# Congratulations to these winners of our 1st Quarter Employee Appreciation Raffle!



Hector C.
M/C Operations
Shiatsu Massage Pillow



Boyd R.
M/C Operations
Waterpik
Waterflosser



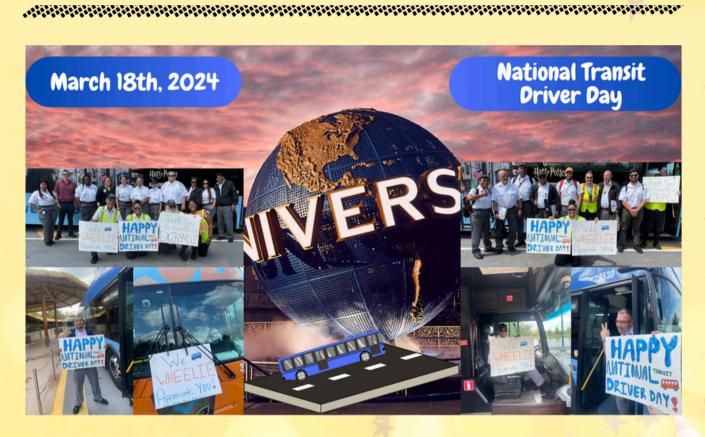
Latoya F.
M/C Operations
Omron
Blood Pressure Monitor

### **Welcome Aboard!**

Wilson G., Military Talent Acquisition
Manager/HR Assistant Manager
has joined the Mears Team!
Wilson brings an impressive background
of 14 years in recruiting and has recently
retired from the U.S. Army. He will be
working at Motor Coach Operations
three days/week and in Building M8
the remaining two days/week.

Please join in welcoming Wilson to HR.





Chaz T.,
Supervisor of Resort Transportation
at Universal Orlando Resort
writes:

"I wanted to share the small gesture we did for the Drivers who were in on March 18th in honor of National Transit Driver Day. We made posters and took opportunities to say thank you to the Drivers for going the extra mile for our Guests!"

# Customer Comment

We recently received this heartfelt note and photo from a grateful guest:

"Excellent service from our arrival to Orlando to our departure home.
Especially Motor Coach Operator Virginia V! She shines above and beyond.
Virginia was amazing, so kind and extremely caring with my special needs daughter.
Virginia had front seating on the bus, which was extremely helpful because my daughter has cerebral palsy and has difficulty walking.
Virginia also had the movie Encanto on, which made our travel less hectic because it made my daughter so comfortable.
Virginia has a special touch and such a big heart! ♥
Thank you for excellent service and the best staff ever!
We will be back!!!"

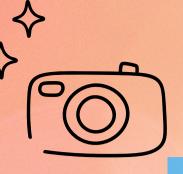


### **Airport Update**



On April 9th
our Airport Taxi division
recognized *Rolson C.*as Employee of the Quarter.

In other news,
last quarter everyone who worked
received an appreciation certificate
for their extra efforts during
the HIMMS conference in March.
The taxi team that weekend
moved more than
5,700 cabs during a 2-day period!
They were treated to a pizza celebration
in recognition of their outstanding teamwork.



### Check out this month's "Best Shot" Photo Contest Winner



MC Operator Alberto T.
captured this image
while on a charter in Clearwater.

# "SOAR IN '24" MONTHLY AWARDS

## CONGRATS TO THESE OUTSTANDING TEAM MEMBERS FOR THEIR MARCH ACCOMPLISHMENTS!

#### **EXTRA MILE AWARD**

FRANK B., MEARS CONNECT

#### **HAPPY CUSTOMER AWARDS**

BRIAN M., MC OPERATIONS
ERIC P., MC OPERATIONS
ERIN L., SALES
EZEKIEL S., MC OPERATIONS
FRANCO B., SALES
JERMMY R., MC OPERATIONS
KASEY S., MC OPERATIONS
PEGGY N., SALES
RICKEY S., MC OPERATIONS
RUEBEN S., MC OPERATIONS
SHAKIA G., MC OPERATIONS

#### **NEXT-GEN MENTOR AWARDS**

DOUG H., MEARS CONNECT
PHILIP H., MEARS GLOBAL/SPECIAL ACCOUNTS

#### **PILLAR AWARDS**

CHASITY G., SALES
CYNTHIA M., AIRPORT OPERATIONS
NATHALIE M., MEARS CONNECT/DISPATCH

#### SOAR IN '24

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#### **SUNSHINE AWARDS**

AYRTON P., MEARS CONNECT ORTANCIS G., SALES

#### **TEAM PLAYERS/BRIDGE BUILDERS**

FRITZNER M., MC MAINTENANCE
JOSE R., CLIENT SERVICES/SAFETY
LLEWELLA F., ACCOUNTING
MILTON D., CLAIMS
PAMELA W., ACCOUNTING
TERRENCE M., CLIENTS SERVICES/SAFETY
TYLER H., CLIENT SERVICES/SAFETY
YVETTE B., ACCOUNTING

# Congratulations to these members of our Loyalty Club, celebrating employment anniversaries in the First Quarter of 2024.

Bret V., 39 years

Nick S., 35 years

Tim B., 32 years

Jeanne H., 30 years

**Butch S., 29 years** 

Luis L., 29 years

Daniel O., 28 years

Felix R., 28 years

William R., 28 years

Lynn P., 27 years

Ozzie D R., 27 years

Carolyn D., 26 years

#### **25 Years**

**Gregory M.** 

Horace B.

#### <u>19 - 16 Years</u>

Carl H.

Daniel B.

Edwin R.

Elsa A.

Mauricio S.

Puran B.

Ray R.

**Rockland S.** 

Simon M.

Tyler H.

#### 15 Years

Joel M.

#### 14 - 11 Years

Boyd R.

**Bradley L.** 

Brian D.

Cliff M.

Cornelliuse D.

Cristal L.

Deron D.

Laurel R.

Norma G.

Randolph P.

Robert U.

Vassel V.

#### <u>10 Years</u>

Carla M.

Jean H.



#### **First Quarter Loyalty Club**

Continued...

<u>9 - 6 Years</u>
Ahmad I.
Anibal A.
Babalola O.
Cassandra L.
Christie V.
Darrell D.
Dominic D P.
Elvin I.
Jaqueline M.
Jeffrey B.
Jehu J.
Joanna M.
John C.
Jose C V.
Jose R.
Lou S.
Luis Z.
Noldy S J.
Raquel B.
Raymond H.
Robert L.
Robert M.
Rueben S.
Segundo C.
Thomas K.
Trey W.

Vicente G.

<u>5 Years</u>
Charlene J.
Daniel H.
Erica M.
Gansham P.
Jean F.
Krisztina T.
Onofre P.
Rossini D P.
Ruth G.
Tom M.
Yvette S.
4 - 2 Years
Brian C.
Christina R.
Dacoya B.
Daniel R.
Debbie V.
Eduardo B.
Emilee C.
Fouad L.
lan K.
Imre V.
Jeff D.
Jeff S.
Jeffery H.
Jessica P.
Jillane H.

Continued... Jonathon B. Joseph B. Kathleen P. Kueise L. Latoya F. Lourdes S C. Marisabel R. Mark F. Mark H. Mary A. Michael A. Michael B. Michael Q. Nyah M. Osman I. Ratna F. Rita J. Robert T. Rodney D. Ruth G. Tanesha B. **Terrence W.** Tom M. Waldo M. Wayne R. Wilbert R.

4 - 2 Years



#### **First Quarter Loyalty Club**

Continued...

#### 1 Year

Anthony C-M. John V. Arianna T. Kenneth R. Brad S. Leyda G. Llewella F. Carl E. Chardnet I. Luis Z. Curtis B. Maliek C. Darian I. Mariah G. Mita M. Deandre S. **Destiny S.** Nancy K. Eric G. Rafael G. Eric P. Randel H. Ruben C. Ezekiel S. Frantz S. Rudy V B. Galo R. Samuel S C. Hector C. Steevenson D. Jalynn J. Tabatha T. Tarzarria P. Janice J. Jean-Paul G. Tiffany F. Travis M. Jesus G. Jo O. Warren S.



### **Together We'll Soar in '24**

As we continue celebrating employees throughout the Mears company, which of the **Soar in '24** award categories are you most excited about?

#### **Happy Customer Award**

Given when an employee receives a documented and verified compliment from a guest/external customer. Accompanied by \$25 service award.

#### Team Player/Bridge Builder

An INTERNAL shout-out or thanks from a Mears co-worker.
Often this award acknowledges an employee who
demonstrates helpful collaboration with other
departments, teams or colleagues.

#### **Pennywise Award**

Recognizes an employee whose work shows they're mindful about saving money/time/resources on the job.

#### **Big Brain Award**

Given in recognition of an employee who comes up with a great idea or solution to a problem or challenge.

#### **Service Hero**

Celebrates an employee who skillfully turns a negative customer service experience around and achieves guest recovery.

#### **Sunshine Squad**

Given for demonstrating a positive attitude, lifting the mood of teammates, offering encouraging words, boosting department morale.

#### **Big Heart Award**

In recognition of an employee in good standing who is also making a significant positive impact in the Central Florida community (outside of work).

#### **Next-Gen Mentor**

Awarded in recognition of a trainer who shows exceptional effort/results in teaching/coaching new employees.

#### **Rising Star**

Recognition of someone who is newly hired (in the past three to six months) and already making a significant mark in the company.

#### **Extra Mile Award**

Given to someone who demonstrates extra effort above and beyond the expected norm. Recipients of this award often demonstrate creativity in handling an unexpected situation that comes up on the job, perhaps something that couldn't be anticipated in a training program.

#### **Pillar Award**

For the employee whose consistency and reliability contribute to the overall success of the team. Often this person is the "unsung hero" working quietly in the background.

#### Safety First Award

Recognizes on-the-job safety (all roles, not just drivers).

#### **Loyalty Club**

Initially given at the one-year anniversary of employment, and annually thereafter. Employees first become members of the 1-Year Loyalty Club, then the 2-Year Loyalty Club, followed by the 3-Year Loyalty Club, etc.

For more information about Soar in '24 recognition, please talk with a department leader.

#### **GOOD NEWS**

We've created a Facebook page just for YOU! "Mears Transportation Employees News" is the place to go for the latest company happenings. The group is live on Facebook now, so join TODAY.

