

Weekly Newsletter

THE KENT COMPANIES

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Period 11, Week 3

Mr. Payroll



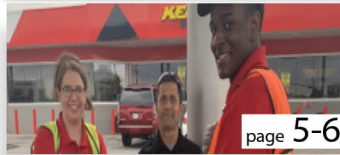
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TOM THUMB NEWS



FORE! Rick and Fred attended the FPMA Fall Conference and Golf Outing benefiting the scholarship foundation. Enjoying themselves, they spent some time with their Red Bull friends. Rick is the golf outing chairman and certainly knows how to plan event.



Our newest team member, Francisco at 952, getting ready for a busy Friday afternoon.



Carea at 962 detailing her ice chest for great first impressions!

TOM THUMB NEWS



Zulma, at 963, preparing delicious pastries! 963 has been shifting to cooking less, more often and has grown their Kwik Eats substantially by increasing the quality and elevating the guest experience.

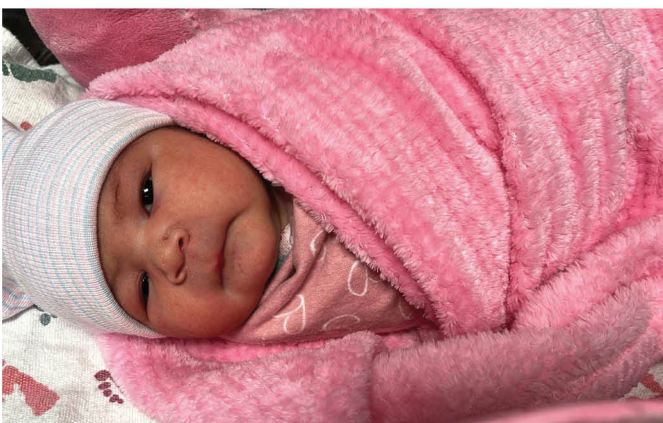


Maria & Jennifer at Subway 9953 are ready for Friday lunch!



Anier, at 952, fully cross-trained and is supporting Subway during employee vacations. Thanks for the teamwork, Anier!

MR. PAYROLL NEWS



We welcome Ximena (right), weighing 6lbs and born on 10/17, and Mazzikin (left), weighing 8lbs and born this morning. Congratulations to Ms. Liz and Ms. Vikki. Welcome little ones to our Mr. Payroll Family.



BOUNTYLAND NEWS



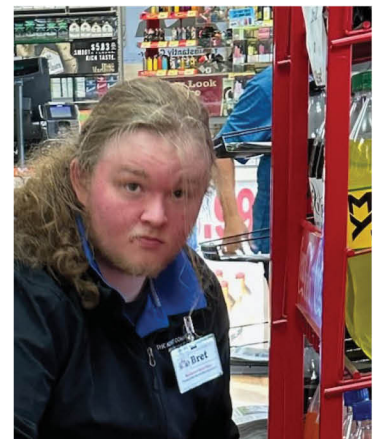
Happy Anniversary, Shanya. Five years have flown by and we are looking forward to many more!



Tammy at 706 getting Eggs Rolls for the deli ready to go out. Thank you for your hard work!

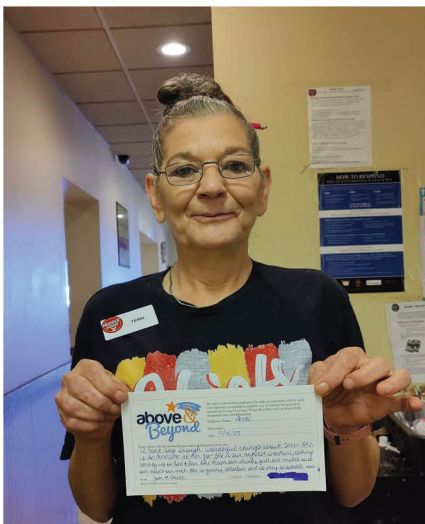


District 11 at the Coke Facility to do some additional training on our new MyCoke ordering system so we can all be pros on the new ordering system.



Bret at 706 stocking our 2 liters and keeping those racks looking great.

FOOD SERVICE NEWS



Terri (805) being recognized by a guest for her exceptional Guest Service!

FOOD SERVICE NEWS



Abilene Dining Reviews

Justin Cacioppo · 1m · 🌐

Went to the Huddle House in Tye, for the first time. \$11.99 got me a plate with eggs, bacon and hash browns, plus a plate with a Belgian waffle, and a half-sized plate with biscuits and sausage gravy. My girlfriend had a \$12.99 plate that came with a good-sized chicken fried steak, 2 eggs, toast, and French fries. Everything tasted absolutely amazing! The waffle was the best I've ever had. Butter, syrup, and I crumbled the bacon from the other plate and topped the waffle with it. I got the feeling the waitress was annoyed a little, be it with us or a personal problem, but she was professional and did her job, so I tipped just over 20%. Best breakfast in Abilene!

Huddle House 805 getting recognized by Abilene Dining Reviews!



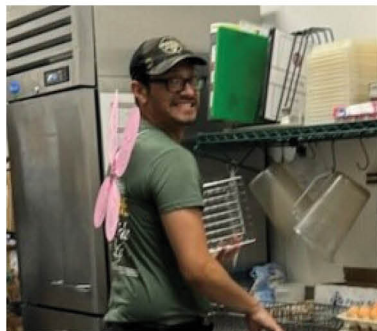
Huddle 591 supporting "Pink out" for breast cancer awareness month!



Jodi (591) doing some deep cleaning during down time!



Devon (Huddle FC) getting in Halloween spirit by doing some decorating!



Jessie (1107) already getting in the Halloween spirit and spreading his wings!



Joddie (1107) showing excellent Guest Service to new guests!



Huddle House 805 is very grateful for their new ice machine!!

KENT KWIK NEWS



Congratulations to Mark on his one-year anniversary and Sam on his 2-year anniversary, going on 20!!! They're from store 440.



Here's store 440's Dream Team!!



Cross training is an important part of training. Justin, our FC in Training is having fun working at the Baskin Robbins and then helping a Guest with her purchase.



Join us in wishing Andrew a happy Birthday. He's enjoying his favorite food. Happy Birthday, Andrew!!



Having fun during a store meeting at store 315.

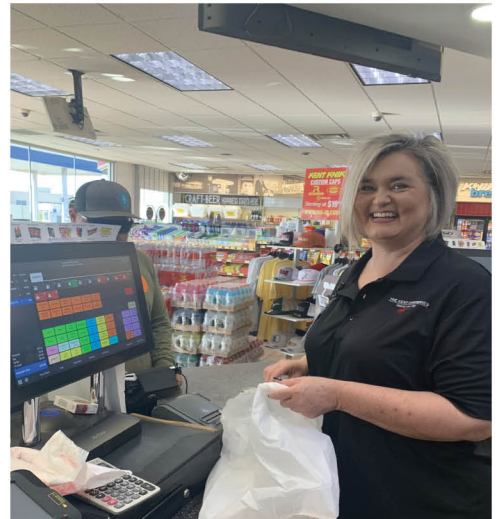


Paula, our Manager at store 304, was with the police department before joining the Kent Family. Looking good!!

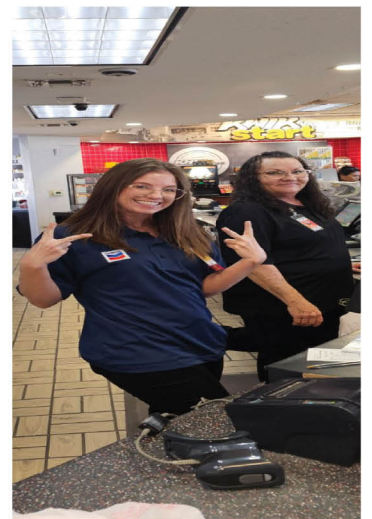


Congratulations to Anizadays for receiving a Certificate of Appreciation. Thank you for everything you do and keep up the great work!!

KENT KWIK NEWS



We're so excited on the success of our training program, it's all about learning hands-on roles in the different stores. We cover all the details from cleaning restrooms and gas pumps to replacing receipt paper and running registers. It's all about taking care of the Guests!!



WESTEX NEWS



Saul Levario, Radiologic technologist, has been with WestTex Urgent Care since 2015. Saul was born in El Paso, and grew up in Odessa, Texas. He is the eldest of four children, and he has two sons and a daughter. Saul attended grade school in Odessa and then went to Permian High School. He attended Odessa College and obtained an associate degree in applied science, and earned certifications for his CNA and Pharmacy Tech. Saul has his license in Radiologic Technology. He shares, "I enjoy and adore my career and always strive for excellence in the field." His professionalism on the job and his positive attitude definitely shines forth when he is at the clinic and helping our clients.

When Saul is not working, he enjoys lifting weights whenever possible, so he can maintain a salubrious lifestyle. He also enjoys woodworking, and building whatever is needed in his home. A man of many skills!!

Saul, very experienced with X-Ray technology and with woodworking tools!



October is Breast Cancer Awareness month!!

Breast cancer awareness statistics:

- Breast cancer is the most commonly diagnosed cancer among American women.
- Black women are most likely to die from breast cancer than women of any other racial or ethnic group. Experts believe that it's partially because about 1 in 5 Black women is diagnosed with triple-negative breast cancer, more than any other racial or ethnic group.
- About 85% of breast cancers occur in women who have no family history of breast cancer. These occur due to genetic mutations that happen as a result of the aging process and life in general, rather than inherited mutations.
- Just being a woman and growing older are the two biggest risk factors for breast cancer. Those factors are difficult to change, but you can change other risk factors, such as smoking, drinking alcohol, and not exercising regularly.
- Regular breast self-exams, an annual exam by your doctor, and yearly mammograms are important tools in breast cancer detection — especially early detection, when cancers may be more treatable.



SAFETY NEWS

Keeping Safety in Sight

Nothing is too Small!

Safety Definition: to ensure safe and healthful working conditions for workers by setting and enforcing standards by providing training, outreach, education, and assistance.

LOOK. THINK. DO.

Look out for danger. Think of how you can protect yourself. Do your work safely.

6 Basic Workplace Safety and Health (WSH) Rules to prevent Slips, Trips and Falls

Slips, trips and falls at work can lead to injuries or even death. Every year, more than 3,000 workers are injured due to slips, trips and falls accidents. Do your risk assessment before starting work.

Report to your supervisor if you feel unwell.



Clean up spills immediately.



Always hold the handrail.



Do not get distracted while walking.



Keep walkways well-lit and free of obstructions.



Use non-slip footwear and replace it when worn out.

