



September 2017 – Carina G.

Carina has always had the qualities of a leader. As the oldest of six kids (4 brothers and 1 sister), she was expected to help with her siblings, was responsible for their actions, and knew they were learning from hers. Being a leader is nothing new to her, so it's no surprise she stands out as a Key Manager for Brewingz in Spring Cypress, "I enjoy coaching the staff. I'm a server and bartender as well, so I've learned the tricks and trades of this industry. I enjoy passing on this information and seeing how it helps, how the staff can easily improve." Carina has been with BreWingZ for over five years. So not only does she have the knowledge to lead the staff, but she's genuinely connected to the community and says the customers are her favorite part of the job, "We have such loyal customers. Having "regulars" here is the best part. You not only know what days they come and what they order, you know them on a personal level." It's this connection with her customers and the fast pace of the restaurant industry that keeps her motivated from day to day, "I love the fast pace. I like to be moving. Two for Tuesdays are my favorite days to work – it just goes by so fast."

When it's time to slow down and take it easy, Carina dedicates her time to her family. They have varying schedules through the week, but on Sundays, date night with her son is a must, "He knows. As busy as our schedule gets, he knows Sundays are dedicated for us. We'll go to dinner, perhaps a movie. That's our time."

In the future, Carina plans to go back to school to become a Sonographer or Radiologist. She has always had a passion for helping others, so a focus in the medical industry has always been a goal, "Since I was young I've always felt the genuine need to help others. When someone asks me for help, I don't ask a lot of questions; I'm just there."