



TALKING TEMPS

**Happy St.
Patrick's Day!**

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Dayroll News

March Temp of the Month

When completing your timesheet please remember to:

Congratulations to Monica Abaunza and Shilpa Ram

- Make sure you write your name on the top of your timesheet!
- Any missing timesheets will be notified via SMS by 3pm.
- Ensure that you have your Supervisor/Manager sign your timesheet
- Timesheet cut-off is every Friday

City Temp of the Month—Monica Abaunza

Monica registered with Quay in June 2005, and has been with us in her current assignment for almost 6 months, having been extended 8 times. The following was said by Monica's Supervisor: *"I would like to recommend Monica Abaunza for the title of Temp of the Month. Monica is a quiet achiever. She is extremely efficient, diligent and has a very professional approach to her work. Monica is also proactive which is very important in a high volume government environment. Apart from her professional qualities, Monica is personable, and is an active team member with innovative ideas"*.

Parramatta Temp of the Month—Shilpa Ram

Shilpa has been working with Quay since June 2005. Shilpa has proven to be a reliable, hard working and loyal temp. We have always received positive feedback towards Shilpa and her contributions to her team. On top of her performance Shilpa has referred many candidates to Quay who we have been able to assist with employment opportunities. Thank you for all your efforts and continue to keep up the great work.

Forget Me Nots

If you are not feeling well and are unable to go to work, remember to make 2 phone calls—one to your Supervisor and one to your Consultant. We need to know so that you can get paid correctly.



Highly Commended Winners

City Winner—Mario Madera

I would like to nominate Mario Madera who has received outstanding feedback from his contact at Amnesty International. Mario initially was only meant to be there for a few weeks- almost 4 months later he is still being praised. His data entry has been highly commended with no errors throughout this period. Amnesty have loved having someone who understands they are a non profit organisation, and who works with them. Various internal delays which effected his tasks have been dealt with in a very professional manner. He is very co-operative, and he has adapted to their environment very well. Everyone appreciated his work and work ethic, and as the assignment comes to its last week, Amnesty will miss Mario very much!

City Winner—Kay Ling Ng

Kay Ling Ng has been with Quay since late 2004, being placed at the Ministry of Transport. Almost two years later, Kay Ling is still there and doing as much of a fantastic job as she always has done. With only excellent feedback from her supervisors, Kay Ling serves as a tremendous ambassador for Quay Appointments and will always be a very valued member of the team. Well done Kay Ling!

WE WANT YOUR FEEDBACK!

If you would like to see something new or different in Talking Temps, or would like to make a contribution, please email any suggestions to resumes@quayappointments.com.au

Parramatta Winner—Jainnie Nallas

Jainnie started her first temporary assignment with Quay January this year. With her dedication and hard work she has enabled her assignment to be extended and client's feedback at all times has been fantastic. She has been referred as a "gem" and her initiation and willingness to take on further tasks has been very much appreciated by the team. Jainnie, you are a quiet achiever and it's time for you to shine! Well done and thank you for all your hard work!

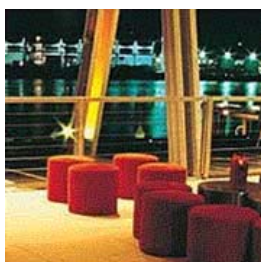
FRIDAY NIGHT OUT

By Andrew Mulholland

This months Bar in the Spotlight is:

CARGO BAR

Location, location, location – situated on Kings street Wharf over looking Pyrmont Harbour you have views to die for and atmosphere that will make you melt.



The music policy covers Funky (and Electric) House. The crowd is definitely up for it.

A spacious venue with seating outside and inside - hold on to your hat as it's standing & dancing room only!

If you get peckish pizza can be ordered up to 9pm

Be prepared to spend a few \$\$\$\$ on drinks – a little pricey but the location & fun factor definitely make up for it

Dress code: casual smart – Collar for Guys & well... Gals go with the flow. Be warned the later you come the less likely you are to get in.

Andrew's fun factor rating – oooo let me see.... 7 out of 10

King Street Wharf
52-60 The Promenade (Cnr King & Lime St)
Sydney NSW 2000
Phone (02) 9262 1777
Fax (02) 9262 1733
www.cargobar.com.au

Opening Hours
Sunday—Wednesday: 11:30am to midnight
Thursday—Saturday: 11.30am to 4am

March Birthdays



Steven Atkins, Tina Luccitti, Natalie Osoriom, Elissa Boswell, Renee Grasso, Karen DeLa Cruz, Divyan Pillay, Prishanee Sritharan, Ann Jeyachandra, Robin Harrison, David Abel, Emma-Louise Chisari, Robyn Heine, Margaret Donohoe, Nipa Das, Helen Garcia, Michelle Roberts, Sandi Giang, Lakshmi Saripalli, Shauna Hanway, Gail Nelson, Andre Edwards, Philip Leckloksavang, Frida Calderon, Ingela Nilsson, Tamsyn Richards, Zachary Romain, Jyotish Kumar, Stacey McAllister, Georgia Fotopoulou, Nana Ansu-Yeboah, Filomena Vlachos, Jaclyn Foster.

French Chicken Casserole

Serves 5-6



A hearty chicken casserole, with bacon and beans—great for cooler autumn evenings!

Ingredients

8 Chicken Drumsticks	4 Bacon Rashers diced
1 onion, roughly chopped	3 celery stalks, sliced
1 carrot, peeled and sliced	1 tbsp chopped thyme
1 x 420g can Condensed Tomato Soup	1 Cup Chicken stock or use water or white wine
1 x 400g cannellini beans, well rinsed and drained.	

Method

1. Brown the chicken drumsticks in a dash of oil in a lidded frying pan until well browned, set aside. Add the bacon, onion, celery and carrot to the pan and brown.
2. Add Condensed Tomato Soup, with chicken stock, water or wine.
3. Add the browned chicken drumsticks, thyme and season with salt and pepper. Cover and simmer gently for 15 min.
4. Add Cannellini beans. Cover and simmer for a further 10 min, until chicken is tender.

Get to Know Your Consultant—Beth Shalini

Beth has been working at Quay Appointments for 6 months, and is within her first year of recruitment. Beth believes that a great Quay Temp is someone who has a great attitude, takes pride in themselves from their presentation to their presence in assignments and are always on time to jobs and always get their timesheets in on Friday!



Favourite Movie: This one is tricky, there's a couple... but the classical fave is Pulp Fiction.

Favourite Alcoholic Beverage: Fresh Strawberry and Lychee Caprioska

Best kept secret in Sydney: Haven't been there for a while, but Chicane Restaurant/ Bar on Burton St in Darlinghurst. They have great cocktails and food. My most recent rendezvous destination is however Max Brenner in Double Bay or Paddington- Milk Italian hot choc-YUM!

What do you love most about yourself: My ability to find great bargains

Some yourself up in 3 words... Girl at heart