## Tom Johnston

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## **Career Statement**

As highlighted by my career as a restaurant manager and professional, I have dedicated myself to the success of the restaurant and personal accomplishment by prioritizing and maintaining 5 responsibilities in the following order of importance: 1. Employees (both direct reports and peers) 2. Guests/customers 3. Vendors/Purveyors 4. Community/charity 5. Net Profit.

## Career Highlights

- Throughout my career in restaurants I have worked every aspect of the restaurant both FOH and BOH
- 11 years bartending at one establishment
- In a 4 year career at Bartolottas Restaurants I began as a Bartender and finished as a General Manager
  - → Timeline
    - 6/2010 Hired as Bartender Harbor House
    - 3/2011 Promoted to Bar Manager
    - 5/2012 Promoted to Restaurant Manager Joey Gerard's Greendale
    - 6/2012 Accepted Title and responsibilities of Beverage Director for Joey Gerard's Greendale and Meguon
    - 12/12 Promoted to Assistant General Manager (Maintained Beverage Director Responsibilities)
    - 5/14 Promoted to General Manager Rumpus Room
- Successfully maintained beverage lists including cocktails/wine/beer/NA for multiple locations
- Successfully maintained Inventory and respectable COGs of beverage lists for multiple locations
- Successfully maintained and grew profitability of multiple restaurants
- Involved in opening four restaurants from all different perspectives, Harbor House as an hourly worker, Rumpus Room as the beverage list consultant to Joey Gerard's as member of the management responsible for the concept, construction, licensing, and execution
- Joined the Pizza Man team in 9/2014 as General Manager
- Maintained the success and profitability of the restaurant
- Consulted in the opening of the second restaurant
- Implemented tighter inventory control systems and COGs goals
- · Maintain a charitable arm for Pizza Man and keep up with community involvement

## **Employment History**

• Za Man Inc (Pizza Man)

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- ➤ General Manager 9/2014 -- Present
- Bartolotta Restaurant Group

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- ➤ Bartender (start) General Manager (end) 6/2010 9/2014
- Triple Crown Inc (Buck Bradley's)

➤ Bartender – 8/2000 – 3/2011

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