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featuring: Ian Bournazel

Our feature ambassador for the month of October is Ian Bournazel, a Front Desk Agent with the Coast Bastion Hotel in Nanaimo, BC.

lan has worked at the Coast Bastion Hotel for 27 years. He started as a night auditor and now works as a front desk agent, mostly in the evenings welcoming guests to the hotel.

Why did you choose the hospitality industry, and specifically Coast Hotels?

It was a great way to get warm and dry after working in the fishing industry. The Coast Bastion was the biggest hotel in Nanaimo.

What are you most proud of in your role or your biggest accomplishment in your role?

Relationships with long term guests and being able to be a positive part of their trip.

What is the best part of working at Coast Hotels?

Meeting people from all walks of life.

What was your dream job when you were a kid? Secret Agent.

What is the top item on your "bucket list"?

Flying a glider in the Andes.

If you could have lunch with anyone who would it be?

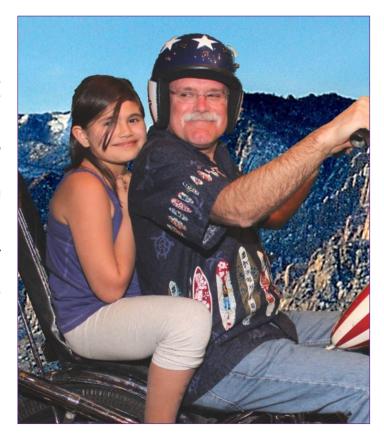
Carl Sagan, the coolest astronomer ever! I would like to discuss astronomy with him.

What is your favorite food?

Moussaka.

Describe your personality in 3 words...

Conscientious, Curious, Empathetic.



What would your dream vacation be? Hawaii.

If you could live anywhere in the world where would it be? Happy living right her in Nanaimo.

thank you lan for being an amazing ambassador!

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