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| This week’s stories that you’ll find within the MGM Minute: |

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| KAMALA HARRIS TOURS MGM GRAND IN LAS VEGAS, MEETS WITH EMPLOYEES |
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| * Vice President Kamala Harris toured MGM Grand Hotel & Casino’s back of house last week, greeting employees and discussing labor and economic issues with officials from the Culinary Workers Union.
* The Vice President’s stop at MGM Grand was part of a visit to Las Vegas during which she touted the Biden administration’s economic efforts, delivered a speech to a local labor convention, and held meetings with Nevada lawmakers.#
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| MGM RESORTS CELEBRATES THE COSMOPOLITAN OF LAS VEGAS ACQUISITION |
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| * MGM Resorts held a welcome celebration this past week for The Cosmopolitan of Las Vegas and its 5,000 team members, known as Costars.
* The Cosmopolitan officially joined the MGM Resorts portfolio of properties back in May.
* The celebration was held at Bellagio inside the “O” Theater.
* The event included performances by several MGM Resorts entertainers including Carrot Top, Jabbawockeez, the cast of “O,” and Blue Man Group.#
* ***Bill Hornbuckle, CEO & President, MGM Resorts:***“We just want to thank you for welcoming us so warmly. What you all do over there has been amazing. The spirit you have, the passion you have, the special place you have in the Las Vegas market is unique. I assure you we’re here to protect it, we’re here to encourage it, embrace it, and hopefully and ultimately improve upon it. You have much to be proud of, but I can assure you that we’re much prouder to have you be a part of our family.”

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| MGM RESORTS CELEBRATES HOSPITALITY INTERNSHIP PROGRAM |
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| * MGM Resorts celebrated the graduation of the 2022 Hospitality Internship Program class. The ceremony was held at Park MGM.
* The 10-week, paid internship program was open to college students from across the country who are currently enrolled at a university as a Junior or Senior.
* The program provides hands-on opportunities to students seeking work experience in Hotel and Casino operations, as well as Food & Beverage.
* MGM Resorts will welcome a new class of Hospitality Internship Program participants next summer.#
* ***Wanda Gispert, VP Talent & Workforce Development, MGM Resorts:***“We’re so proud of this class. This is the HIP class for MGM Resorts for 2022 and they’ve done a phenomenal job in their training. We’re all about workforce development at MGM Resorts and our future is bright because we have sharp students like this. We’re so happy that we’ve offered each and every one of these graduates placement in our Management Associate Program for 2023, so as they graduate from college, they’ll have offers already in hand.”
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| MGM RESORTS FOUNDATION AWARDS$2 MILLION IN GRANTS; EMPLOYEES SUPPORT NEVADA PARTNERSHIP FOR HOMELESS YOUTH |
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| * The MGM Resorts Foundation has awarded nearly $2 million in grants to 82 nonprofit organizations across the country.
* The funds are the result of contributions made to the Foundation’s Community Grant Fund by MGM Resorts employees and guests.
* Since 2002, the Foundation has raised more than $100 million and supported more than 1,500 charitable organizations.#
* Along with that, MGM Resorts employees recently visited Nevada Partnership for Homeless Youth during their *Feel Good Fridays* event.
* The team of volunteers distributed backpacks full of school and hygiene supplies.
* These efforts are part of *Focused on What Matters*, MGM Resorts’ wider commitment to social impact, sustainability and community engagement.#
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BETMGM EXPANDS NFL PARTNERSHIP INTO CANADA, TEAMS WITH ENTOURAGE STAR JERRY FERRARA |

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| * BetMGM has extended and expanded its partnership with the National Football League.
* Under the deal, BetMGM is now an Official Sportsbook Partner of the NFL in Canada. This news complements BetMGM’s agreement with the NFL in the U.S. in which it became an Approved Sportsbook Operator of the League back in 2021.#
* Also, BetMGM has signed actor and *Entourage* star Jerry Ferrara as a celebrity brand ambassador and content creator.
* Ferrara will co-host *Unleashed,* BetMGM’s weekly sports podcast. He’ll also participate in BetMGM fan events and will be featured in upcoming marketing campaigns.#
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| MGM RESORTS CONTINUES TO RECRUIT & HIRE NEW EMPLOYEES |
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| * MGM Resorts continues to recruit and hire new employees across the country.
* Interested candidates can apply for a variety of positions by visiting the MGM Resorts hiring events page.
* The event page is updated frequently and can be found at [careers.mgmresorts.com](https://careers.mgmresorts.com/global/en/students).#
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