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heers to one year! In honor of our **Roses Mill Office** anniversary, we are raffling off a **Taste of Milford Prize Pack** (pictured at right) worth \$600! Stop by the office by September 30th to enter. No purchase necessary, Must be 18 or older. Rules available in branch. Visit **milfordbank.com/ branch-locations**.

HELP US TO FIGHT HUNGER

Food 2 Kids program and Stratford's Sterling House Food 4 Kids program. The goal of both programs is to provide each child with food that they can take home over the weekend to ensure a secure source of food. Food insecurity impacts the wellbeing of children. Their physical, emotional, and social health, as well as their ability to learn, can be negatively affected. Both organizations are passionate about making sure that children have the resources they need to thrive.

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To donate, go to milfordfood2kids.org and sterlinghousecc.org/ stratford-food-4-kids.



Tommy Bahama



HIGHLIGHTS & HAPPENINGS



What does your job entail?

My job entails making sure that customers' questions and concerns are addressed and that their goals are met. When customers come to the Bank, they are looking for our best advice and guidance to get them to their financial goals. Other times they are coming in for an issue they need help with. I take pride in being able to do my very best to help them. When I am not sure of the answers, I know that I have a great group of colleagues who can help me.

What inspired you to pursue your career? Before banking I was a retail store manager for 20 years. What I loved most about that job was the connection I had with my customers. They weren't one stop shoppers. They were life-long customers, generations that shopped with us. I was able to see many kids go to college, get their first job, get engaged and married, and then have kids themselves. For all of those lifetime events they trusted me and came to me to get what they needed. Most of the time trusting me enough to say, Maricel you know me, just pick what you think what would be best for me. The Milford Bank gave me that same feeling. I felt like this place would be a place where I could help generations and have those type of connections with clients which is what drew me to want to work here.

What is it about you that most folks don't know?

I'm from Chile and came to this country when I was 7 years old. I speak fluent Spanish. Some of the lucky ones know because they've had a chance to taste my mom's empanadas!







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We congratulate these **MILFORD BANK TEAM MEMBERS** on their anniversaries and thank them for their continued stellar work!

CELESTE LOHRENZ 36 YEARS LYNDA MASON 25 YEARS NILA PATHAMMAVONG 25 YEARS **REGINA PRESCOTT 25 YEARS** JO-ANN PAOLETTI 23 YEARS SAJINA SHRESTHA 9 YEARS CASSANDRA SATTERLEE 6 YEARS SONAL DESHMUKH 1 YEAR

