

Bryony is the Venue Manager of an Inner Melbourne Pub - the Last Jar. Her dad, Chris, is the publican. This is the second family run pub Chris has had, and it is the importance of the family run business which Bryony keeps coming back to when talking about her job.

This energetic 22 year old is friendly, organised and in control of the bar staff and the kitchen (though Dad has the last say in the kitchen!). Finding good staff is a challenge - it's all about trust.

Bryony stocks the cellar, pulls beers, delivers pub meals, clears the glasses, cleans the toilets, shuffles the furniture, yarns with the patrons, catches up with the staff and enjoys the music playing in the packed front bar.

Brexit, the skinny Kiwi, taught young Bryony to pull her first beer, she mastered it in two attempts then was shocked when told she needed to drink it!

Working as a dishwasher since age 15, Bryony finished her secondary schooling, travelled, and started university while working at the pub, within 2 years growing into the management role.

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After completing her degree in International Business Studies, she will continue at The Last Jar, and imagines her future will be owning and operating her own business.

Growing up with music, Bryony takes great pleasure in listening and watching her dad play the fiddle, especially during the pub's unique Irish sessions.

Bryony loves that people are always saying that The Last Jar is an amazing place.

"I wouldn't do this job if I didn't love it"!