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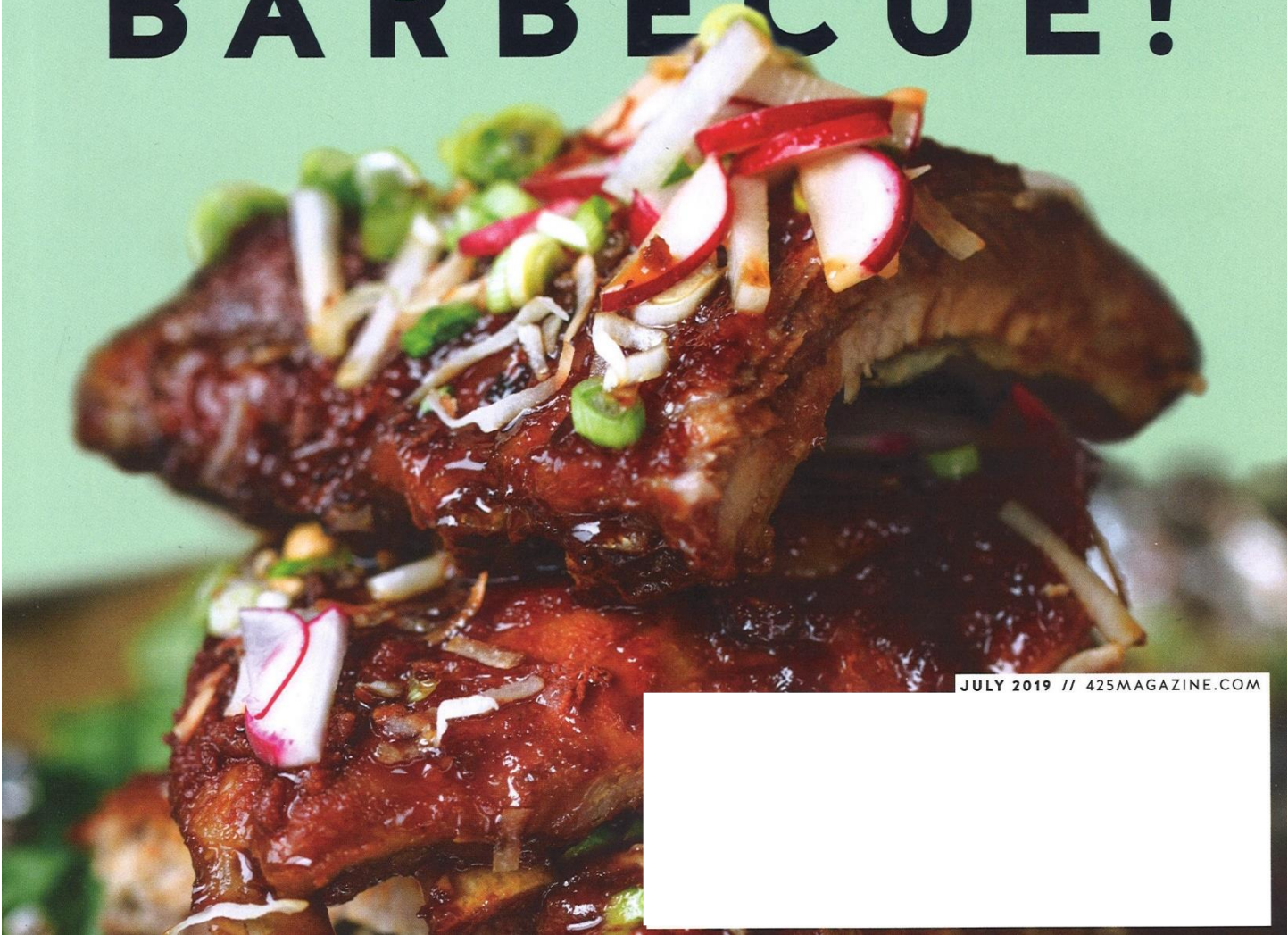
plus!

GRILL LIKE
A MASTER CHEF

SAN JUAN ISLAND
SCAVENGER HUNT

24 AWARD-WINNING
HOME REMODELS

let
there be
BARBECUE!



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**EVERGREENHEALTH
MANAGER HONORED FOR
OUTSTANDING LEADERSHIP**

Barb Jensen, who has practiced as a registered nurse for almost 40 years and currently serves as the manager of EvergreenHealth’s trauma services and Forensic Nurse Examiner team, was honored for Outstanding Leadership by the Trauma Center Association of America. The award ceremony was held on April 30 in Las Vegas at the TCCA’s annual conference. For the last roughly 20 years, Jensen has served with EvergreenHealth and was called “absolutely irreplaceable” by the center’s medical director of emergency management.



**GENE JUAREZ HOLDS ‘TRANSFORMATIONS’
RUNWAY SHOW**

On June 9, ShowBox SoDo in Seattle became the epicenter of creativity as Gene Juarez teams from 10 salon & spa locations, two academies, and their creative team showcased their talents with a runway show of hair and makeup transformations, as well as on-stage transformation demonstrations. Each Gene Juarez team designed the runway looks based on their given theme, which ranged from embracing diversity to punk rock to fantasy looks. During the event, with hundreds of staff in attendance, awards also were announced. Rand Young won The Lifetime Achievement Award and several other training trips and salon-learning experiences were raffled off to Gene Juarez staff.



**ALASKA AIRLINES DEBUTS NEW ‘TOY
STORY 4’ AIRCRAFT**

If Buzz Lightyear’s catchphrase, “To infinity and beyond” is to be believed, the newest addition to the Alaska Airlines fleet is the most likely vehicle to get Toy Story 4’s animated stars to new heights. On June 14, the Seattle-based airline recently unveiled a special-edition aircraft to a crowd of surprised travelers at Seattle-Tacoma International Airport for the gate activation of the themed aircraft. Guests on the inaugural flight were met at the gate with a celebration. Festivities included a live DJ, trivia and prizes, step and repeat photo booth, crafts, free swag, and a surprise appearance from the brand’s Chief Football Officer and Seattle Seahawks quarterback Russell Wilson wearing a Pizza Planet shirt.



**HEARTH OPENS
IN KIRKLAND**

The wait is over! On June 5, roughly 300 people gathered to celebrate and experience the launch of Kirkland’s new American fare restaurant Hearth. Located at 220 Kirkland Avenue, the eatery is headed by executive chef Adam Johnson, who will curate an ever-evolving menu with locally sourced ingredients. ■

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