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Star Alliance salutes FFG culinary team

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Flying Food Group has chalked up a duo of successes with accolades from Star Alliance and Philippine Airlines.

Flying Food Group ORD and its culinary team earned its first accolades from industry ratings organisation Star Alliance after a luncheon it hosted for Star Alliance staff and O'Hare-based Star Alliance airline members. Thomas Trapp, deputy Star Alliance airport coordinator and station manager, ANA, described the event as "amazing and scrumptious." He said to executive chef Moe Elmaher: "You all truly proved your skills and talents to us."

Philippine Airlines (PAL) has also presented Flying Food Group Honolulu (HNL) with the Philippine Airlines Mubuhay Award Trophy for Best Airline Caterer, 2nd runner up, in the Transpacific, Australia and Europe Region (2015).

Jaime Arturo L. Viola, PAL senior assistant vp catering operations, presented the trophy to FFG vp of sales & service Bob Sun and HNL customer service manager Les Nakamura and their team at FFG's Honolulu kitchen.

FFG HNL caters five weekly PAL flights. The airline has been an HNL customer since 2000.

Executive vp of airline sales Nicolas Rondeau said: "It is significant when a longtime customer — able to evaluate catering performance over time — honours FFG with a performance award."