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### Fox Run Brands Awarded 2016 Delaware Valley HR Department of the Year

Philadelphia, Pa. November 18, 2016 - Fox Run Brands, a kitchenwares company located in Ivyland, Pennsylvania has been named the 2016 Delaware Valley HR Department of the Year by the HR Department of the Year Awards. The awards were presented on November 17 at the Crystal Tea Room in Philadelphia and featured a number of notable companies throughout the Delaware Valley.

Jamie Rivero, Director of HR and operations at Fox Run Brands, was present to accept the award on behalf of the company. After receiving the award, Rivero said, "I couldn't have done it without my team and the people we work with every day. As we continue to grow, we strive to be a champion for our employees and this award is due in large part to them."

Fox Run Brand's also received a nomination for the "Excellence in Employee Relations" award for their on-going commitment to keeping the team connected. "With employees in Pennsylvania, Illinois, Canada and China we strive to keep everyone informed and up to date," said Fox Run CEO Sean Leonard. "We're very proud of Jamie and the HR team and this is their just desserts for all the hard work they put in every day."

The Delaware Valley HR Department of the Year Awards was founded in 1998 by Scott Rosen, President of the Rosen Group. His belief was that HR professionals should receive recognition for what they do and the growth and change they produce within their organizations. Now in its 19<sup>th</sup> year, the awards attract organizations both big and small and feature the title award "HR Department of the Year" and a number of awards for excellence.

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#### About Fox Run Brands:

For over 50 years, Fox Run has been a leading supplier of quality products for the kitchen to thousands of specialty retailers in North America. We are headquartered in bucolic Bucks County Pennsylvania and operate distribution facilities in Toronto and Shanghai. What started as a cookie cutter manufacturer and has grown to include more than 3,000 products for the home. We are a specialist in bakeware and BBQ grillware but also carry a wide variety of food prep, coffee and tea products, woodenware and more. Our products are marketed under recognizable brand names such as Fox Run Kitchens, Outset, Ironwood Gourmet, Doughmakers and Kitchen Art.