# LUSSMANNS FISH & GRILL

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## Lussmanns wins The Environmental Award at Inspiring Hertfordshire 2015

Lussmanns Fish & Grill Restaurants, the independent restaurant group located in Hertford, St Albans and Harpenden, has received another prestigious award for its sustainability.



Managing Director Andrei Lussmann and colleagues (pictured – details below) received The Environmental Award at an exclusive black tie ceremony held at the Porsche Centre, Hatfield on 14 May 2015 and attended by more than 350 guests.

Launched in 2012 by the Hertfordshire Chamber of Commerce, the Inspiring Hertfordshire Awards highlight the expertise and outstanding contribution that individuals and businesses make.

They enable companies to showcase their performance and achievements to clients and customers, suppliers, stakeholders and the wider business community.

Introducing the awards, Neville Reyner CBE DL, Chairman of the Hertfordshire Chamber of Commerce, said, "It is an honour to celebrate such outstanding businesses in Hertfordshire and I want to personally thank our wonderful sponsors for their continued support. To the finalists, you're all winners and should be incredibly proud of your achievements!"

Receiving The Environmental Award on behalf of Lussmanns Fish & Grill Restaurants, Managing Director Andrei Lussmann said: "Lussmanns continues in its quest to become the high street champion of both value and sustainability. This award is a welcome vote of recognition from the local business community and, as always, greatly appreciated."



This year has also seen Andrei Lussmann named Environmental Champion of the Year at the St Albans Mayor's Pride awards and Lussmanns named UK Sustainable Small Restaurant Group of the Year at the Sustainable Restaurant Association Awards 2015, retaining this national award for a second, consecutive year.

Details of the winners in all categories can be found on the Hertfordshire Chamber of Commerce website: <u>http://www.hertschamber.com/news/chamber-news/winners-of-the-prestigious-inspiring-hertfordshire-awards-are-announced</u>

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Photo shows Managing Director Andrei Lussmann (centre-right, holding award) with Group Head Chef Nick McGeown (centre-left) and Operations Manager Tom Filip (right)

#### About Lussmanns Fish & Grill Restaurants

- Lussmanns is the locals' fish & grill restaurant, championing the best welfare-driven British producers, and dedicated to looking after all the family.
- Giles Coren, food critic for *The Times*, described Lussmanns as 'everything a modern local restaurant should be' and rated us 8/10.
- We have been recommended by *The Good Food Guide* since 2010.
- We are founder members of the Sustainable Restaurant Association (SRA), SRA Three Star Sustainability Champions and won UK Sustainable Small Restaurant Group of the Year at the SRA Awards 2014 & 2015.
- We are rated as one of the UK's top restaurants by <u>Fish2Fork</u>, the campaigning restaurant guide for people who want to eat fish sustainably.
- In 2011 and 2012, we won the Independent Restaurant category of the RSPCA Good Business Awards.
- We have restaurants in St Albans, Hertford and Harpenden, Hertfordshire.
- For more information, including supplier details, please visit our website at <u>www.lussmanns.com</u>, join us on facebook at <u>http://www.facebook.com/LussmannsRestaurants</u> and twitter @lussmanns and @AndreiLussmann.

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