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Hub Pen Company Wins Proforma's Centurion Award

The company was honored for growing annual sales by more than \$100,000.

BRAINTREE, MASSACHUSETTS (August 6, 2014) – Hub Pen Company was recently recognized by Proforma for year-over-year sales growth in excess of \$100,000. Mike McMillan, Director of National Accounts, accepted the award on behalf of Hub Pen Company during Proforma's 27th Annual Convention & Family Reunion in Grapevine, Texas.

Hub Pen is part of Proforma's Preferred Limited Partner (PLP) supplier group and works closely with franchise owners to meet the needs of their customers.

"We are extremely proud of our continued sales growth with the Proforma organization and we've received nothing but positive feedback from them," said Mike McMillan, Director of National Accounts.

"Continuing to grow our sales with Proforma by more than \$100,000 yearly is a significant accomplishment and wouldn't be possible without such great customers," said Joseph Fleming, President. "Proforma is a successful group and we look forward to many more years of working together to grow our respective companies."

About Hub Pen Company: Boston has been described as the "Hub of the Universe" and in the Hub Pen story the same holds true. From Frank and Rita Fleming's humble beginnings in Boston to the 100 million pen annual operations of today, Hub Pen has grown to serve an ever-increasing national and international market.

Owned and operated by the Fleming family since 1954, Hub Pen has won:

- ASI Distributors Choice: 2013 #1 for Writing Instruments
- PPAI Supplier Star: 2013 #1 in sales volume category
- Promo Marketing: 2013 #1 for Pens and Other Writing Instruments two years running
- Identity Marketing: #1 Supplier; #1 for Writing Instruments
- New England Promotional Products Association: 2012 #1 for Customer Service, 2011 #1 Supplier
- PPAI Supplier Excellence Award for Writing Instruments four years running
- ASI Counselor Top 40 Supplier three years running

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Mike McMillan, Director of National Accounts holds the Proforma Centurion Award.