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### SUPERCENTER AIRAI HOURS OF OPERATION:

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**SUN TO THURS: 7 AM TO 10 PM**  
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**SAT: SUNSET TO 10PM**

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**MON TO THURS: 7 AM TO 9 PM**  
**FRI: 7 AM TO SUNSET**  
**SAT: SUNSET TO 10 PM**

#### SURANGEL'S DEPARTMENT STORE

##### RAW SURF & DIVE SHOP

**SUN TO THURS: 9 AM TO 9 PM**  
**FRI: 9 AM TO SUNSET**  
**SAT: SUNSET TO 10PM**

#### YRANG'S BEAUTY SALON

##### OJ KUTZ BARBERSHOP

**SUN TO THURS: 10 AM TO 7 PM**  
**FRI: 10 AM TO SUNSET (30 MINS. BEFORE)**  
**SAT: CLOSED**

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**SUN TO THURS: 11 AM TO 9 PM**  
**FRI: 11 AM TO 4 PM**  
**SAT: 6:30 PM TO 10 PM**

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## A SUCCESSFUL 40-YEAR PARTNERSHIP: FOODLINX'S CEO VISITS OUR SUPERCENTER AIRAI

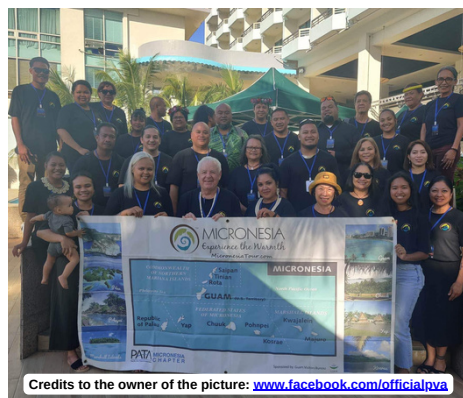


Recently, our Supercenter Airai was honored to host Laurie Martinez-Pate, President/CEO of Foodlinx, during her visit. Over the past four decades, we have had the pleasure of doing business with Laurie as she has transitioned from one company to another and eventually started her own company, Foodlinx.

During her visit, we were able to showcase the strong and mutually beneficial partnership we have developed with Laurie and Foodlinx over the years. Their personalized services have been a crucial factor in our success, and it was evident that they are committed to ensuring their customers' businesses thrive.

We also had the opportunity to discuss Foodlinx's dedication to sustainability and environmental responsibility in their operations, which is in line with our values and initiatives. Their commitment to working with vendors and service providers who actively reduce their carbon footprint was truly inspiring.

## PACIFIC ASIA TRAVEL ASSOCIATION (PATA): 1ST TRI-ANNUAL MEETING IN PALAU



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We are thrilled to announce that Surangel and Sons Co. has recently joined the Pacific Asia Travel Association (PATA) through its tourism-related businesses, including RAW Surf and Dive Shop, AVIS Palau, and Hot Wheels Car Rentals. This membership can provide us access to a wide network of industry experts and resources to enhance our services and promote responsible tourism in Palau and the Asia Pacific region.

Our partnership with PATA has the potential to create significant benefits for the tourism industry in Palau and beyond. We are excited to work together to promote responsible tourism practices and improve the tourism offerings of Palau.

We would also like to extend our gratitude to PATA for selecting Palau as the host for its General Membership Meeting and to welcome Surangel and Sons Co. as a new member of the organization.

We are confident that this partnership will lead to positive developments for the industry and the region as a whole.

**GOD IS GOOD!  
MHHS SAR MISSION + SSC KSAU TUGBOAT**

After an intensive search and rescue mission, the crew of the SSC KSAU successfully located four missing outreach persons safe and sound on March 4, 2023, about 30 miles WSW of Angaur. The four individuals were boat operator Abraham Tatingal, psychiatrist Dr. Sylvia Wally, and nurses Minda Benjamin and Ruth Naruo, who were on an outreach mission from the Ministry of Health & Human Services.

On March 3 at 9:32 PM, Eric Whipps received news from Camille Reyes that the boat carrying an outreach team had gone missing. He promptly reported the incident to Mason Whipps, who instructed the crew of the SSC KSAU to assist with the search and rescue operation at sunrise. The crew, comprising Master Fasco Bawotong, Chief Engineer Edwin Absalon, Chief Mate Abu Taher, and ABs Razi Cboy Rimirch, Millong Orrukem, and Jemelo Abapo, had actually departed the Surangel dock in Airai at 05:20 PM, heading towards Helen's Reef.

After receiving the direct order from Mason, the SSC KSAU crew promptly changed course and turned back to Angaur to aid in the search and rescue operation. The crew was on high alert and ready to assist in any way possible to ensure the safe recovery of the outreach team.

The United States Coast Guard vessel Frank Hatch and the PSS Remeliik II were also contacted by Mason Whipps to assist in the search and rescue operation. The SSC KSAU crew coordinated with these vessels via channel 16, along with multiple smaller vessels on site and a PMA plane and Sea Dragon, to conduct an extensive search of the area.

Fortunately, the SSC KSAU crew was able to locate the missing boat and its occupants using the boat's GPS coordinates. The crew found the outreach team at [Lat 6deg42'50" Lon133deg38'38" Alt+72 ft](#), and SSC KSAU towed the boat back to Angaur, where the team was met by the PSS Remeliik II and the USGS Frank Hatch.

The successful search and rescue mission was the result of the coordinated efforts of various organizations, the heroic actions of the SSC KSAU crew, and of course through the grace of God. The safe return of the missing persons is a great relief to their families, friends, and colleagues.

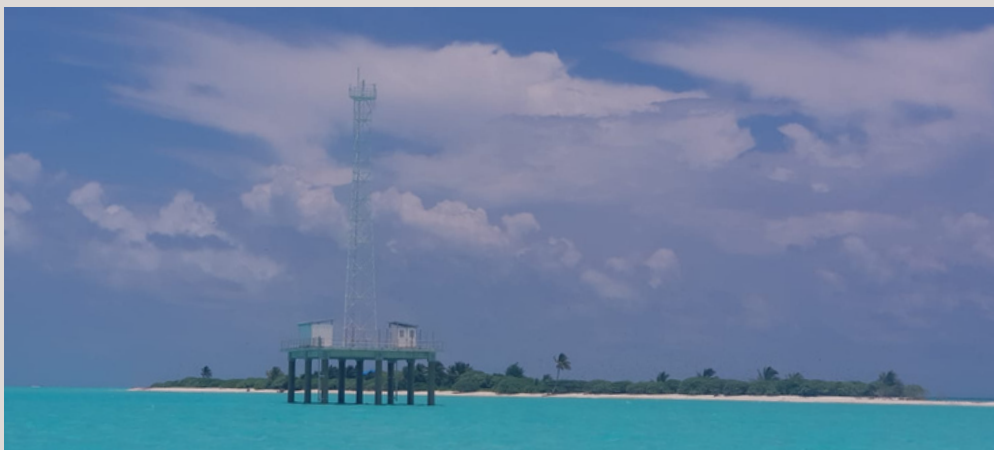
It is still unclear why the boat carrying the outreach persons failed to reach Peleliu. However, this incident underscores the importance of taking safety precautions and being prepared when going out to sea. As of now, there are no announcements regarding any follow-up actions or lessons learned from the mission. Meanwhile, the SSC KSAU will proceed to Helen Reef to complete their project with SSC Techall and return next week.



Safe on Board SSC Ksau - March 4 6:45 PM



**SURANGEL CONSTRUCTION PROGRESS UPDATE:  
CSS TOWER HELEN'S REEF  
(AS OF MARCH 21)**



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**SMASH FOR LOVE: PALAU BADMINTON ASSOCIATION + CHATIME PALAU**

The Palau Badminton Association recently hosted their 1st Chatime Palau's Smash for Love Badminton Tournament, and we want to congratulate all the winners for their exceptional performances and sportsmanship.



We would also like to express our sincere appreciation to Chatime Palau for their sponsorship of the event, and for their dedication to promoting healthy living and community engagement. Their support was instrumental in making the tournament a resounding success, and we look forward to seeing more events like this in the future.

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