On December 2 we opened The Cafe Carnegie at Carnegie Museums of Pittsburgh, Oakland, and then on December 13, Esker Grove at Walker Art Center in Minneapolis.

Noted Pittsburgh and two time James Beard Award nominated Chef Sonja Finn is our executive chef consultant at The Cafe Carnegie. Together with Chef de Cuisine Becca Hegarty, they created a seasonally inspired, locally sourced menu for the dining room, which we converted from an express concept to table service. Though open not quite a month, The Cafe Carnegie landed on the Best New Restaurants of 2016 in the local press.

Five time James Beard Award nominee Doug Flicker is our executive chef consultant at Esker Grove, where he is ably assisted by Chef de Cuisine T. J. Rawitzer. Their vegetable and grain forward, dazzling dishes prompted one local restaurant critic refer to them as “food art worthy of the Walker.”