

# WELCOME TO BOSTON

Get ready to amp-up your stay in New England's most revolutionary city. Whether you're visiting for work or play, we've got you covered with the coolest, locals-only tips to maximize your stay.



## Wicked Good Festival 2018

**Boston Common**  
**Saturday 8/18 @ 12PM**

Head over to Boston Commons for a completely free music festival with some noteworthy headlin-ers. Bleachers, Air Traffic Controller and Buffalo Tom will be gracing the stage this coming weekend rain or shine.

WERS 88.9 is hosting, and the music should be go-ing all day sponsored by local vendors.

In prior years, Wicked Good Festival would sell tickets beforehand, but this year they wanted to shake things up. They are instead accepting dona-tions- in the spirit of true public radio.

Around the grounds, you will find a huge array of stands set up with information and local eats. Women in Music Boston, Roxy's Grilled Cheese and MassVOTE are just to name a few.

**INSIDER TIP** The official hotel sponsor for Wicked Good Festival is The Verb Hotel. So if you are look-ing to see any of the artists, hit up Hojoko ( The Verb's in house Asian-fusion bar) for a drink.



## Dumpling Daughter

**Kendall Square**  
**Cambridge**

Head over to the Kendall Square for Dumpling Daughter's newest location. First opening in Weston back in 2014, Dumpling Daughter is the clean alternative to classic Chinese cuisine. They offer daily specialized such as Grand Marnier Shrimp, Sally Ling's Wonton Soup and of course, their famous Pan-Seared Pork and Napa Cabbage Dumplings.

All of their dishes are homemade - even their Three-Day Pork Ramen ( aptly noted with "NOT the instant kind!).

**INSIDER TIP** Dumpling Daughter is named after Nadia Liu Spellman- the daughter of Sally Ling and Edward Nan Liu. She has had a true love of Chinese food since she was young and her parents were working in the restaurant industry. Through this inspiration, she created Dumpling Daughter. She wanted to find an outlet to showcase her fam-ily's home recipes in a casual local environment. Both Dumpling Daughter locations are BYOB and waive the normal cork fee. So next time you are on a dumpling outing, make sure to bring your favorite bottle of bubbly!



## The Handle Bar

**1336 Boylston Street**  
**Fenway, Boston**

A mecca for spin enthusiasts, Handle Bar sets the bar ( pun-intended) high for people looking to max out their cardio.

**INSIDER TIP** If you need a refuel session post-spin, hit up Saloniki for a house-made gyro and some fresh pita.

### TALK LIKE A LOCAL

Know slang from the streets.

#### Combat Zone

The old burlesque area of Boston, now the Theatre District

*Did you guys ever visit the Combat Zone?*