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Welcome to The Lenox! We are truly thrilled that you chose to stay with us while here in Boston.

I have long said that, while you, our guest, may not remember exactly what we did for you while you were with us, we are confident that you will long remember how we made you feel when you were here – looked after and safe! To that end, if there is anything we can do to make your stay more comfortable and enjoyable, we are here to help.

Warmest Regards,

A handwritten signature in white ink, appearing to read 'Daniel Donahue', with a stylized flourish at the end.

**Daniel Donahue
President**

It's What's Inside That Counts

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Your Stay

You're finally here! Now what?

You've taken care of getting here,
now let us take care of you.

Fine Print

The little details matter, so we've got you covered.

Fitness Center

Down in our lower lobby and open 24/7, our fitness center features Peletons, free-weights, treadmills, and more, so there's no excuse to skip your daily workout, although we won't tell your trainer if you do.

WiFi

Complimentary and blazing fast, connect to the Lenox_Guest network and boot up your web browser.

Parking

Did you drive in? Then you already know that our incredible valets have taken care of your car. Give us a little notice before you need your vehicle so we can have it ready and waiting when you are!

Business Center

We have a small business center, perfect for a quick stop to check your emails or print your boarding passes, right down in our lobby near the entrance to City Table.

Laundry

Check with our front desk for our latest dry cleaning and wash & fold services.

Coffee & Tea

Right down in our lobby outside the elevators each morning, our coffee & tea service features locally roasted coffee from Share Coffee Roasters in Hadley, MA, and whole-leaf tea from MEM Tea in Cambridge, MA.

Where's the in-room coffee maker?

We hold ourselves to a pretty high standard, from cleanliness to service, and that applies to making your morning beverages, too. To achieve both, we've partnered with Share Coffee Roasters & MEM Tea to provide a truly cafe-level experience right in our lobby. We freshly grind & brew each batch of our Lobby Roast coffee and all of MEM's teas are whole-leaf for the best beverages around.

Take a look at nearly any of the great cafes in the area and you'll find them serving up MEM Tea, and Share Coffee is carried in high-end cafes from Western MA to NYC and beyond, plus our lobby!

Food + Drink

With three on-site dining options & 24/7 in-room dining, we've got something delightful & delicious for everyone.

Dining In

Dine out without going out!

City Table

With two-story windows and an open concept layout, City Table serves up American and international-inspired dishes, sourcing local New England ingredients. Serving breakfast & dinner daily along with brunch on the weekends, no visit would be complete without a stop at City Table!

Breakfast

Mon – Fri: 7am - 11am

Brunch

Sat: 7am - 3pm

Sun: 6:30am - 3pm

Dinner

Sun - Thurs: 4:30pm – 10pm

Fri & Sat: 4:30pm – 11pm

Small Bites

Sat: 3:00pm – 4:30pm

Sólás Irish Pub

A quaint neighborhood pub with modern flair, Sólás takes a modern approach to classic pub dining paired with a fun and lively atmosphere. The menus at Sólás feature a rich selection of classic pub dishes with New England touches.

Daily, 11AM - 2AM

City Bar

An approachable & chic cocktail bar, City Bar boasts a wide variety of expert infusions, unique martinis, and classic cocktails. Their dinner and late night menus include a distinctive blend of exceptional American Cuisine and modern character.

Nightly, 4PM - 2AM

In-Room Dining

All menu items are available for dining up in your room from any of our outlets during operating hours. Some of our in-room favorites can be found on the next page, along with our late-night menu. Simply give the front desk a call to order!

24 hours/day

In-Room Faves

Just a small sample of some of our favorite dishes to enjoy in-room!

City Table

MARGHERITA FLATBREAD

fresh mozzarella, housemade marinara, torn basil

SOFT PRETZELS

bavarian style, ipa cheddar dipping sauce

BRAISED & GLAZED SHORT RIB

whipped celery root, brussels sprouts, jus

REALLY GOOD SPICY BOLOGNESE

slow cooked bolognese sauce with hearty blend of spicy 'nduja & beef, local cavatelli pasta, shaved manchego & pan rustico

GRILLED 14OZ SIRLOIN

grilled sirloin, tempura onion rings, watercress salad, whipped potatoes, bordelaise sauce

CHOPPED SALAD

romaine lettuce, crumbled feta, sliced green olives, grilled corn, hard cooked egg, chopped bacon, tomatoes, dijon vinaigrette

LAYERED CARROT CAKE

cream cheese frosting, walnuts & salted caramel

LINDT CHOCOLATE MOUSSE

65% cacao, orange zest, salted caramel

Sólás Irish Pub

LAGER BATTERED CHICKEN TENDERS

signature sólás recipe served with ginger honey mustard

LENOX CLUB SANDWICH

fresh roasted turkey breast, applewood smoked bacon, sliced tomato, crisp lettuce & mayo on griddled country white

GREENS & GOAT CHEESE SALAD

Mixed greens, crispy goat cheese, red grapes, candied pecans, balsamic vinaigrette

QUESADILLA

Grilled chicken or pulled pork, pico de gallo, guacamole & sour cream

For full menus from all of our dining outlets, scan the QR code here:





LATE NIGHT MENU



UDI'S GLUTEN FREE BREAD AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST

SALTED SOFT PRETZEL

SERVED WITH CHEDDAR IPA DIPPING SAUCE 12

SÓLÁS BURGER*

HALF POUND GROUND CHUCK, YOUR CHOICE OF CHEDDAR, SWISS, AMERICAN, OR BLEU CHEESE ON A GRILLED POTATO ROLL, SERVED WITH FRIES 18

CLAM CHOWDER

A NEW ENGLAND CLASSIC 12

HOUSEMADE POTATO CHIPS

THIN & CRISPY WITH SPICY DIPPING SAUCE 8

CHICKEN AVOCADO BLT

GRILLED CHICKEN BREAST, AVOCADO MOUSSE, SMOKED BACON, LETTUCE, TOMATO & CHIPOTLE MAYO ON PARMESAN FOCACCIA, SERVED WITH FRIES 17

GRILLED CHICKEN QUESADILLA

PICO DE GALLO, GUACAMOLE & SOUR CREAM 17

LAGER BATTERED CHICKEN TENDERS

SIGNATURE SÓLÁS RECIPIE SERVED WITH GINGER HONEY DIPPING SAUCE 14

BASKET OF FRIES

WITH CURRY SAUCE 12
WITH CHEDDAR, SMOKED BACON & SCALLIONS 10

MAC & CHEESE

MILD SPICE RICH & CREAMY HOUSEMADE CHEESE SAUCE, TOPPED WITH TOASTED KETTLE CHIP CRUMBS & SCALLIONS 17
ADD BACON 6 | PULLED PORK 9

GREENS & GOAT CHEESE SALAD

MIXED GREENS, CRISPY GOAT CHEESE, RED GRAPES, CANDIED PECANS, BALSAMIC VINAIGRETTE 12

DESSERTS



BUTTERSCOTCH PUDDING

VANILLA WHIPPED CREAM & GUINNESS SALTED CARAMEL SAUCE 9

CHOCOLATE CAKE

THREE LAYER CAKE WITH CARAMEL SAUCE & WHIPPED CREAM 9

GUINNESS BROWNIE

WARM CHOCOLATE BROWNIE TOPPED WITH BAILEY'S SPIKED CREAM 10

CARROT CAKE

CREAM CHEESE FROSTING, SPICED PECANS, VANILLA ICE CREAM 9

 THESE ITEMS ARE SUGGESTIONS FOR GLUTEN SENSITIVE GUESTS. WE UNDERSTAND THAT SENSITIVITY TO GLUTEN CAN VARY AND IT'S IMPORTANT TO NOTE THAT SOLAS IS NOT A GLUTEN FREE ENVIRONMENT. WE USE SEPARATE FRYOLATOR FOR FRYING GLUTEN FREE ITEMS.

*THESE ITEMS ARE COOKED TO ORDER AND/ OR MAY CONTAIN RAW OR UNDERCOOKED INGREDIENTS. CONSUMING RAW OR UNDERCOOKED MEAT, POULTRY, SEAFOOD, SHELLFISH OR EGGS MAY INCREASE YOUR RISK OF FOODBORNE ILLNESS. BEFORE PLACING YOUR ORDER, PLEASE INFORM YOUR SERVER IF ANYONE IN YOUR PARTY HAS A FOOD ALLERGY.

Mom's Apple Cake

Daniel Donahue, President

I have vivid recollections of my Mom peeling apples at our kitchen table, the smell of spices and foggy kitchen windows competed with the coldness outside. While a peeler would do for most, not for my Mom. A small, well used knife would allow her an almost uninterrupted peel to free the skin from the apple. It seemed that it was almost a single motion that once the skin was separated, the slices were in the bowl of iced water.

Her labor of love, as you might have surmised, delivered the best apple cake that I have ever put into my mouth. Always moist. Always full of flavor. And above all, always served with a love that could only be conjured up by someone who makes food the way she lived her life, with unconditional love and pure care.

Make it. And resist the temptation to ask those enjoying it why they haven't called you in a while.

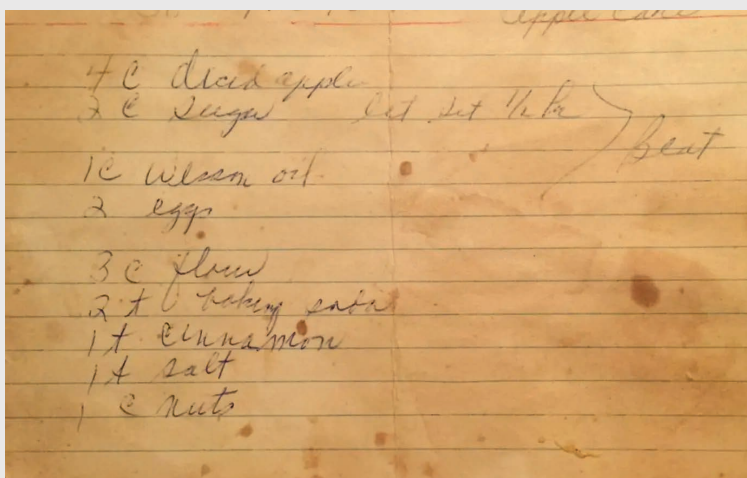
I love my Mom.

Ingredients

4 cups diced apple
2 cups sugar
1 cup vegetable oil
2 eggs
3 cups flour
2 teaspoons baking soda
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1 teaspoon salt
1 cup chopped nuts

Method

- Preheat oven to 350 degrees.
- Combine the diced apples & sugar, let sit for 30 minutes.
- In a bowl, combine the flour, baking soda, cinnamon, salt, & nuts. Whisk together to evenly distribute.
- In a separate bowl, combine the macerated apples & sugar, oil, & eggs. Beat to combine.
- Pour wet mixture into dry mixture and fold to incorporate.
- Pour cake batter into a buttered and floured bundt pan. Bake at 350 until golden brown and a toothpick comes out clean, about 50 minutes.



Meet Our Team

Just a few of the faces you might see around our building, and some who work behind the scenes!



Wa Chan
Housekeeping
10 years



Sean Nally
Valet Manager
8 years



Beverly Doughty
Concierge
8 years



Brendan Griffin
Sales Manager
20 years



Melissa Villalobos
Executive Assistant
8 years



Nick Coren
Valet
12 years



Partner Spotlight

Seacoast Sweets

Lisa Burns, Director of Marketing Communications

Seacoast Sweets is a family-owned and operated small-batch candy maker just south of us in Rhode Island. Originally founded in Newburyport, MA, Seacoast Sweets moved to Rhode Island in 2018 to expand

operation.

And it really is a family operation at Seacoast! Run by wife & husband team, Danielle & Kevin, their three kids can often be found helping cut ribbons for the chocolate boxes in breaks between weekend Nerf gun fights. Other family members also chip in, especially during the lead up to the busy holiday season, to ensure their delicious candies make their way from Rhode Island to your snack time!



For us it's about the smiles we see when people open a box of Seacoast Sweets!

Danielle, Seacoast Sweets

their delicious candy making



Seacoast Sweets started as a winter hobby. For years, candy patties were made around the holidays for family & friends. Word spread and they started getting requests to actually buy their delectable candies, so Seacoast Sweets was born to turn that hobby into a fully fledged business.

Seacoast Sweets likes to keep it simple. All of their chocolates are handmade in small batches

with quality ingredients. From the peanut butter filled patties made with Teddy's peanut butter, made in Everett, MA, to throwback classics like peppermint patties to the more whimsical S'mores patties made with real Fluff, made in Lynn, MA, and part of our Fireside Experience package.



Partner Spotlight



Sweet Lydia's

Christopher Smith, Director of Revenue & Distribution

Whipping up the fluffiest marshmallows & most delectable candy bars around, Sweet Lydia's was founded in 2012, but taken over and run by passionate pastry chef and early employee, Shannon Arenburg.

Starting out as one of Lydia's first employees as an intern, Shannon studied Baking & Pastry at Southern New Hampshire University. She went on to study pastry internationally in Florence and honed her candy making skills at well-known restaurants throughout Boston. When Lydia of Sweet Lydia's was ready to move on, Shannon didn't hesitate to step in and make Sweet Lydia's her own. Setting up her candy making

operation at a restored textile mill in Lowell, MA, Shannon continues Lydia's sweet legacy while adding her own twist.

It brings me an immense amount of joy to bring people together around a warmly lit table to enjoy from-scratch sweets. Your tastebuds will thank me later.

Shannon, Sweet Lydia's

From her Twickers bar, featuring homemade shortbread and rich caramel, to her Manhattan bar, a chocolatey delight with locally made whiskey-infused caramel,

these candy bars aren't just for the kids. Our favorite though? Sweet Lydia's pillowy vanilla marshmallows will make you wonder if you've ever truly eaten a marshmallow before.

Shannon has gone on to expand her business into a full pastry shop called Pizzelle, inspired by her time in Italy. Featuring breakfast pastries, tarts, cakes, cookies, & so much more, paying Shannon a visit in Lowell makes for the start of a fun-filled day trip!



Explore Boston

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Museum Hopping

Victoria Molina, Marketing Intern

A trip to Boston wouldn't be complete without a visit to either the Museum of Fine Arts or the Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum – two iconic galleries. But if you're looking for a more unique museum experience, we have you covered too!

Museum of Fine Arts 465 Huntington Ave.

The Museum of Fine Arts (MFA) in Boston is a treasure trove of art spanning various cultures and periods. It's known for its extensive collection, ranging from ancient Egyptian artifacts to contemporary pieces. The museum holds paintings by renowned artists like Van Gogh, Monet, and Rembrandt, as well as an impressive array of sculptures, decorative arts, and textiles. If you get the chance to visit, it's definitely worth exploring!

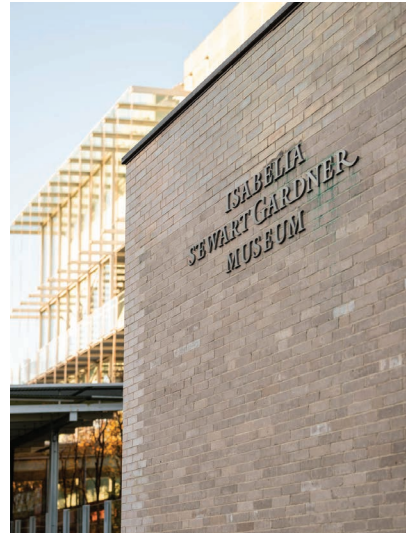
Isabella Stewart Gardener Museum 25 Evans Way

Just a few steps away from the

MFA, this 15th-century Venetian-style three story palace boasts galleries surrounding an open air courtyard. This museum is also the scene of the 1990 heist which over 500 million in Art was stolen, including an original Rembrandt. This museum is renowned for its distinctive layout and the personal collection of its founder, Isabella Stewart Gardner, a prominent art collector and philanthropist.

Boston Athenaeum 10 1/2 Beacon Street

One of the oldest and most distinguished independent libraries in the U.S. and best kept secrets of Boston is located right by Boston Common. The Boston Athenaeum, founded in 1807, is a wonderful haven for readers, writers, and thinkers alike. This 12-floor establishment is a unique blend of a library, museum, and cultural center. You can explore over half a million books here, along



with thousands of sculptures, paintings, art pieces, and more. If you'd like to make a visit, you can book a one-hour tour or a day pass!

Museum of African American History 46 Joy Street

Just steps away from the Massachusetts State House, you'll find the Museum of African American History, New England's largest African American art and history museum. It is located in the former Abiel Smith School, which was opened in 1835 as America's first public school for African American children. This museum offers exhibits, programs, and educational activities that explain authentic representations of life in the 18th and 19th centuries, and powerful stories of Black families who advanced the cause of freedom.



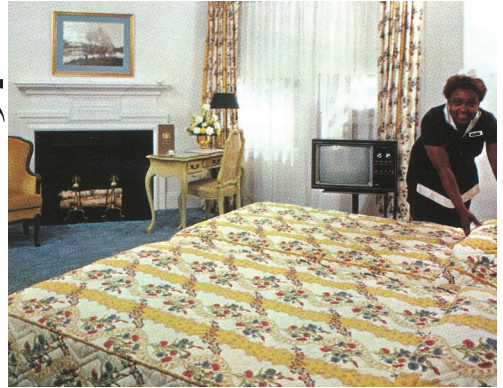
Fireplace Rooms

One of the most unique features at The Lenox is the many rooms with wood-burning fireplaces right inside them. Back when The Lenox first opened in 1900, the fireplaces were touted as a benefit not only due to the ambiance they provided, but as dedicated in-room heating! Our other rooms were all heated by a central coal-fire system. In the 80s, many of our fireplaces were bricked over and made non-functioning, only to be rescued and restored in the mid-2010s. Join us on a visual journey to see how our fireplace rooms have evolved over the years!

1960s



1970s



1980s



1990s



2000s



2020s



Winter Reading List

Lisa Burns, Director of Marketing Communications



The Fraud

Zadie Smith's book delves into the Tichborne case's controversy, where a working-class man asserted his identity as the missing heir to an affluent family's wealth. Weaving together the narratives of Elizabeth Touchet, a white housekeeper, and Andrew Bogle, a former enslaved individual from Jamaica, this hefty novel uncovers a complex tale of intertwined lives.

Astor: The Rise and Fall of an American Fortune

CNN journalist Anderson Cooper, along with co-author Katherine Howe, chronicles the saga of the prominent Astor. The book traces the family's illustrious history, commencing with John Jacob Astor's migration from Germany and his establishment within the cutthroat beaver fur trade, a business fraught with bloodshed and fierce rivalry.

Such Kindness

Set in present-day Massachusetts, *Such Kindness* by Andre Dubus III is a tender, painful look at one man's reckoning of an expansive life that once included marriage, a son, and owning his own business, but is now diminished to government housing, disability, and constant pain.

Small Mercies

This is an intense thriller by Dennis Lehane that takes place in Boston in 1974, when the city's busing crisis was just getting started. The story centers around a single mother in the neighborhood of South Boston, whose daughter goes missing on the same night a Black man is found dead under suspicious circumstances.

Concierge Corner



Boston's Best Cocoa

Tom Nguyen, Concierge

It's that time of year when temperatures start to drop and nothing quite brings the warmth like toasty hot cocoa! Check out some of our area favorites below:

L.A. Burdick 220 Clarendon St.

A quaint spot nestled in the Back Bay, L.A. Burdick is known for having decadently rich, European-style drinking chocolate. With your choice of dark, milk, or white chocolates, there's a hot cocoa just for you! You can also find a wide assortment of delicious, handmade chocolates and French pastries to pair with your cocoa.

Caffe Vittoria 290-296 Hanover St.

Boston's first Italian café, Caffe Vittoria, is a wonderful spot in the North End. It's the perfect place to enjoy after dinner if you're looking for a warm, scrumptious cup of cocoa, paired with great desserts. The tiramisu is a fan-favorite!

Thinking Cup 85 Newbury St.

With locations around Boston, the Thinking Cup is a great patisserie and coffee shop serving up delightful French hot chocolate. This specialty hot cocoa uses 64% Tainori Valrhona drinking chocolate, a dense, high-end alternative to regular cocoa powder. You won't be disappointed after trying their decadent cocoa!

Trident Booksellers & Café 338 Newbury St.

Inside this indie bookstore on Newbury St., you'll find not only a wide variety of books, but a cute diner with great drinks & eats. It's a fun spot to read a book & drink a cup of white or regular hot chocolate! If you're looking for a pick-me-up but also craving hot chocolate, Trident also serves a delicious Chocolatino, which is an espresso with steamed chocolate milk, topped with whipped cream and more chocolate.



The Lenox Fireside Experience Package

The last spot on our list is extra special! With our Fireside Experience Package, you can snuggle up by the wood-burning fireplace in our Executive Fireplace rooms & enjoy a locally sourced hot cocoa treat. Featuring COOP's MicroCreamery hot chocolate, Sweet Lydia's handmade marshmallows, and Seacoast Sweet's S'Mores Patties, the Fireside Experience package will have you hoping for a snow day.



Concierge Corner



Skating Around

Nick Peterson, Concierge

It's the most wonderful time of the year for ice skating in Boston. From outdoor rinks with glistening lights and music to indoor rinks to keep you warm, here are some great skating spots to check out this season!

Boston Common Pond 38 Beacon Street

It's that time of year when the famous Frog Pond on Boston Common is transformed into a magical ice-skating rink! Located in the center of the park, visitors of all ages can skate and enjoy a wonderful experience, especially at night when the surrounding trees are all lit up. You can also rent a Bobby Seal to help you glide across the rink if you're a beginner. The rink will be open seven days a week from December till March, and you can check out their website for additional information regarding skating times, admission, and skate rentals.

Rink at 401 Park 401 Park Drive

Located adjacent to Time Out Market in Fenway, this 6000 sq. ft ice skating rink is a perfect spot for a date night or a get together with friends! The rink is open seven days a week and offers public skating, private lessons, and even special events like Ice Flow Yoga every Sunday at 10:00am. For a post-skating celebration, feel free to grab a drink at Trillium Brewing right next to the rink or dine at Time Out Market. The Rink at 401 Park is only three stops away on the MBTA D line (Fenway) from the Lenox, so make sure to add this stop on your next adventure in the city!

Steriti Memorial Park 561 Commercial Street

This indoor rink is a hidden gem in the North End with great waterfront views and scenery. Since it's overseen by the



Massachusetts Department of Conservation and Recreation, it's free and open to the public, but skate rental is additional. This skating rink is a wonderful option if weather conditions are too harsh outside or if you're looking to explore the North End and its amazing restaurants. However, times may be limited since it's a community arena, so make sure to check here to see if there's any games or events occurring before you plan a visit.



