

MEDIA ADVISORY

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Noodles & Company Opens In Westwood's University Station First 50 in Will Receive Free Noodles

On April 24, [Noodles & Company](#), serving classic noodle and pasta dishes from around the world, will open its third location in Massachusetts located in the new [University Station](#) development at 125 University Ave. The restaurant offers 2,500 square feet with seating for 78 guests, 64 inside and 12 on the outside patio. The fast-casual restaurant serves fresh, globally inspired dishes that are cooked to order with quality ingredients.

The restaurant will quietly open its doors on April 21 with an RSVP-only event to benefit the Westwood Permanent Firefighters Local 1994. Noodles & Company will donate \$1,000 to the organization who will in-turn use the funds towards the SAFE Program (Student Awareness of Fire Education) as well as to purchase and install smoke detectors for local elderly residents. Guests can RSVP to attend the benefit here: <http://bit.ly/WestwoodNoodles>.

Noodles & Company will celebrate its grand opening on April 24. The first 50 guests to walk through the door will receive coupon for a free Noodles dish of their choice. Families can enjoy Noodles & Company's [diverse menu](#) including sweet and spicy Japanese Pan Noodles, zesty Pesto Cavatappi and the popular Wisconsin Mac & Cheese, as well as [noodle-free options](#) such as soups, salads, flatbreads and the new [Buff Bowls](#), four of Noodles & Company's most popular dishes without the noodles. Each BUFF Bowl features a double portion of veggies, topped with protein and served on a bed of spinach in place of the noodles, for a low carb dish full of flavor yet less than 400 calories.

Local fans are also encouraged to join the Westwood Noodlegram [e-club](#). Noodlegram members receive news, offers and exclusive information on VIP events, seasonal specialties, giveaways and more.

WHEN: Tuesday, April 21: 11:00 AM – 8:00 PM (RSVP event)
Friday, April 24: 11:00 AM – 10:00 PM (Grand Opening)

WHERE: Noodles & Company
University Station
125 University Ave
Westwood, MA 02090
(781) 234-0660

About Noodles & Company

Founded in 1995, Noodles & Company is a fast-casual restaurant chain that serves classic noodle and pasta dishes from around the world. Known as *Your World Kitchen*, Noodles & Company's globally inspired menu consists of more than 25 fresh, customizable noodle bowls, salads, soups and sandwiches that are prepared quickly using quality ingredients. From healthy to indulgent, spicy to comforting, the menu provides favorites for everyone from kids to adults. Popular dishes include the Med Salad with grilled chicken, spicy Indonesian Peanut Sauté and creamy Wisconsin Mac & Cheese.

About Hamra Enterprises

Hamra Enterprises is a franchisee of Noodles and Company and owns three restaurants in Massachusetts and one Nashua, New Hampshire. It is a dynamic organization owned and founded in 1975 by the Hamra family. The company's headquarters is in Springfield, Missouri and includes six companies with over 3,500 employees in five states; Illinois, Massachusetts, Missouri, New Hampshire and Texas. Hamra Enterprises is committed to providing the highest quality products and services within the hospitality industry, creating exceptional experiences for people and communities by engaging each of its restaurant neighborhoods through community service, fundraising, and other philanthropic partnerships such as Boston Children's Hospital, Make-A-Wish of Illinois, Children's Miracle Network Hospitals, The Dave Thomas Foundation for Adoption and St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital.

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