

# BOSK LONE RESTAURANT GUIDE

The North Shore area abounds with good restaurants. We've tried to put together a few facts about many of the Danvers-area restaurants, and also to mention a few really good restaurants that are a bit further away.

The secret codes below include: 24-hour time for restaurant hours, Thursday abbreviated as "R" (ThuRsdAy) to ~~avoid~~ avoid confusion, totally arbitrary "near - med - far" for driving distance, a very rough guess at price ranges, and quality listings of Excellent, Good, Fair, Adequate. (We left out the Poor one we found down in Marblehead.)

Some places deserve special mention: Folsom's in Salem has fresh fish. So does Daniel Fuller House. The Hilltop Steakhouse is the place to go for steak, but they've often got a long line. Bibliophiles will enjoy the Hardcover. All the walls are bookshelves. (The food's good, too.)

The road most encrusted with restaurants is Route 1 (go south from the Ferncroft). You'll find restaurants hugging the roadway all the way from Danvers to Boston. Route 114 (go east from Route 1) also has lots of good places, and is the route to Liberty Tree Mall.

Don't forget the Radisson Ferncroft's restaurants -- the Greenery (breakfast and coffee shop) and the Running Board (a fancy gourmet restaurant). There are also fast food tables set up in several places around the con.

Finding a restaurant with a NON-SMOKING section is hard. Only Denny's (some say they're better than HoJo) has really has one. These other restaurants said they could (or might) make special non-smoker arrangements -- if they were consulted in advance: Bistro Lebistingo, Daniel Fuller House, and Jimmy's Allenhurst.

Name	Phone	Hours	Type	Driving Distance	Price Range	Credit Cards	Liquor	Quality	Other Information
American Roast Beef 1 Sylvan Peabody	531-3551	1000-0200 (wkends)	Fast	med	\$2.50	No			Also soft ice cream
Anthony's Hawthorne 95 Oxford St. Lynn	595-5050	1130-2100 M-R 1130-2200 F-S 1200-2100 Sun	Gen	far	\$5-11	All	Y	G	Lobst, seafood, downtown pkg problems
Aries Delicatessen Liberty Tree Mall Danvers	774-8005	1000-2200	Sandw	med	\$2-4	No	Y		Sandw, no dinners
Bali Hai Rt 1 South nr Rt 129 S. Lynnfield	593-8600	1130-0130	Poly	med	\$5-10	MC AE DC	Y	G	Some say "best Polynesian in area"
Bel Aire Diner 131 Newbury (Rt 1 N) Peabody	535-3555	0600-0145 M-S 0630-0145 Sun	Diner	near	\$2-4	No	No		Respectable 8 yrs ago A real diner.
Bill & Bob's Roast Beef 9 Bridge St Salem	744-9835	1000-0200	Sandw	far	\$1-2	No	No		A friend says "Best RB sandwiches"
Bishop's Restaurant 99 Hampshire St. Lawrence (off Rt 28)	683-7143	1130-2200 S-R 1130-2300 F 1600-2300 Sat	Gen?	far!	\$8-12	All	Y	E	Middle-east. LOTS of food. Worth the drive. Dancing downstairs. Lunch \$2-4. Spec in veal, shrimp. Parking tight, but possible South of downtown.
Bistro Lebistingo 8 Front St. Salem	745-0324	1130-1430 1730-2230	French	far	\$7-11+	All	Y		
Bob's Famous Fried Clams 441 Highland (Rt 107) Salem	744-9366	1100-2000 S-W 1100-2200 R-S	Seafd	far	\$2-5	No	No	G	
Bonanza Steak House 139 Endicott, Danvers near Lib Tree Mall	777-1430	1100-2200 F-S 1100-2100 Sun	Steak	near	std	-	No	A	"Bonanza is Bonanza!"
Brighams Lib Tree Mall Danvers	774-9348	9:30-9:30	Ice Cr	near	std	No	No	A	
Burger King 184 Endicott Danvers	774-9356	1030-2400 M-F 1030-2300 S, Sun	Chain	near	std	No	No	A	
Burger King Rt 1 South Peabody	535-9707	1030-2300 M-S 1100-2300 Sun	Chain	med	Std	No	No		
Calitri's Italian Cuis 126 Newbury (Rt 1 S) Danvers	777-1266	1100-0100	Ital	near	\$3-6	AE V MC	Y	G	Good reputation. Several fen ate here once and liked it.
Captain Courageous 25 Rogers Gloucester	283-0007	1130-2200 F-S 1200-2100 Sun	Seafd	far	\$5-12	All	Y	G	
Century House Rest. Rt 114 E Peabody	531-1410	1130-2200	Gen	near	\$7-10	All	Y		
China Sails Endicott Danvers	777-0078	1130-2130 M-R 1130-2400 F-S 1200-2030 Sun	Chin	near	\$5-10	All	Y		
Chinaland Jct 1A, 128 (Ex 20N) Beverly	922-3035	1130-0130 M-F 1200-0130 Sun	Chin	med	\$4-9	All	Y		"Good reports, third hand."
The Commodore 45 Enon (Rt 1N) Beverly	922-5590	1130-2200	Gen	med	\$6 up	All	Y	E	Expensive, but good.
Compass Rose Rt 1 South at Rt 114 Danvers	774-1300	1130-2130 Closed Mon	Gen	near	\$5-11	MC V AE	Y		Brand new. Looks like a really good place.
The Continental 266 Broadway (Rt 1N) Saugus	233-2587	1130-2200 S-T 1130-2300 W-S	Gen	med	\$8.50+	All	Y	E	Expensive, but good.
Daniel Fuller House Rt 114W Middleton	774-4236	1630-2200 M-F 1630-2300 Sat 1200-2300 Sun	Gen	near	\$7-12	AE MC V	Y		Non-smoker arrangements possible. "Fresh Fish" -20% M-Sat, 1630-1830
Denny's Rest. 152 Endicott Danvers	774-1897	24 hrs a day 7 days a week	Chain	near	\$2-5	-	No	A	Non-smoker section. An alternative to HoJo.
Diamond Head 92 Broadway (Rt 1N) Saugus	233-5150	1130-0200	Poly	med	\$5-10	All	Y		
8 Sons Diner 181 Newbury (Rt 1N) Danvers	774-9367	1030-1430 M-R 1700-2100 F-S 0830-1330 Sun	Diner	near	\$2-4	No	No		Another real diner.
Folsom's Chowder House 7 Dodge (Rt 1A) Salem	745-1230	1300-2100 R-Sat Closed Sun	Fish		\$3-6	No	No	E	Fresh fish! Fish mkt. Take out.

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Friendly's 51 High Danvers	774-8323	0600-2300	Ice Cr	near	Std	No	No	A	
Friendly's Family Rest. Rt 114, East of Rt 1 Peabody	532-1445	0600-0000 S-R 0600-0200 F-S	Family	med	\$3-6	No	No		More than just a Friendly's.
General Glover House Vinnan Sq (Rt 1A) Swampscott	595-5151	1700-2200 M-S 1200-2200 Sun	Gen	far	High	All	Y	E	A fine place. Owned by Anthony's.
Gloucester House Seven Seas Wharf Gloucester	283-1812	1130-2200 F-S 1130-2100 S-R	Gen+Sea	far	\$5-12	All	Y	G	Luncheon specials
Ground Round Rt 1 South (before Rt 128) Peabody	535-9863	1130-2400 7 days	Chain	med	\$3-5	No	Y		More-expensive hamburger and sandwiches.
The Hardcover Restaurant Rt. 1 N at Rt. 114 Danvers	774-1223	1700-2200 M-R 1700-2300 F-S 1630-2130 Sun	Gen?	near	\$6-19	AE MC V	Y	E	Decor is books&books. Finest rest. in area? Expensive, but don't miss. Ocean view.
Hawthorne-by-the-Sea 153 Humphry Swampscott	595-5735	1130-2200 M-F 1200-2230 S-S	Gen	far	\$5-10	All	Y		Not as good as Gen Glover and Anthony's Hawth? Best steak in the area. Always a long wait to get in. Worth it. Participating hotel.
Hilltop Steak House Rt 1 South (just past THE SHIP) Saugus	233-7700	1100-2300	Steak!	med	\$5-12	All	Y	E	
Howard Johnson's Rt 1 North at Rt 114 Danvers	774-9692	24 Hours	Chain	near	\$3-6	V MC	No		
Int House of Pancakes 5 Sylvan (nr Lib Tree Mall) Peabody	531-9763	0600-2400 S-R 24 Hrs F&Sat	Chain	med	\$2-5	No	No		"A good Ihop"
J&J Seafoods 10 Maple Danvers	774-6923	0900-1800 0900-1930 Fri	Seafood	med	\$2-5	No	No		Fried seafood
Jimmy's Allenhurst 101 Andover (Rt 114) Danvers	744-5200	1630-2300 T-S 1200-2100 Sun Closed Mon	Gen	near	\$6-14	V AE MC	Y	G	Non-smoker arrangements may be possible. "A good place." "Traditional". Worth the money. Only accessible from Rt 128 NORTH.
King's Grant Inn Rt 128 Exit 21N, Trask Lane Danvers	774-6800	1100-2300	Gen	med	\$8-16	All	Y	E	
Kowloon Restaurant 948 Broadway (Rt 1 N) Saugus	233-0077	1130-0200 S-R 1130-0300 F-S	Polyn	med	\$5-8	All	Y		
Landolphi's Restaurant 175 Water St. Danvers	774-1208	1130-2200 M-F 1130-2300 S-S	Seafood	med	\$5-11	MC V	Y		Good Reputation. Entertainment.
The Lyceum 41 Church Salem	745-7665	1100-2000	French	med	V Exp	All	Y	E	Everything a la carte Lunch more reasonable
McDonald's 135 Andover (Rt 114E) Danvers	774-0151	0645-2400 M-F 0645-2300 S-S	Chain	near	Std	No	No	F	
Natalie's 356 Andover (Rt 114E) Danvers	777-1423	1300-2200 R 1300-2300 FS	Ital	near	\$3-5	No	Y		
Orange Julius Liberty Tree Mall Danvers	777-1423	1000-2100	Chain	med	Std	No	No	F	Just Orange Juliuses (Julii??) and hot dogs.
Pewter Pot 153 Endicott Danvers	774-9627	0700-2400 7 days	Family	med	Std	No	No	A	Breakfast, lunch.
Prince Spagh & Pizza Rt 1 South Saugus	233-9824	1100-2400 1100-0100 F-S	Ital	med	\$3-5	No	Y	G	
Proctor House 373 Lowell St Peabody	531-1598	1130-2200 M-R 1130-2300 F-S 1630-2300 Sun	Gen	med	M-H	All	Y	E	Fine place. Small.
Romie's Ye Olde Oyster- house. 174 Sylvan (near Liberty Tree Mall) Danvers	774-1112	1130-0020 7 days	Seafood	med	M-H	All	Y	E	Highly recommended. Small.
Running Board Radisson Ferncroft Right here!	777-2500	1800-2200 7 days	Gourm	zero	\$8-14	All	Y		Small. Right here in the hotel.
The Ship Rt 1 South South Lynnfield	593-6700	1130-2200 1130-2300 wknd	Seafood	med	\$5-10	All	Y	F	Looks like a ship. Quality of nautical decor exceeds that of food.
Simard's Super Sub 85 High St. Danvers	774-9093	0800-2200 T-S 1000-2200 Sun 0800-2100 M-W	Subs	med	Std	No	No	F	
Spaulding's Restaurant 68 Maple St. Danvers (Danvers Square)	774-9714	1130-2100 M-Sat	Gen	near	\$4-8	No	No		Home-style
Stromberg's 2 Bridge St. Salem	744-1863	1100-2030	Seafood	far	\$4-10	MC V	Y		In business for 100 years.
Supino's Pizza & Subs 301 Newbury Danvers	774-0707	0700-2300	Pizza	near	Std	No	No		
Supreme Roast Beef 12 Elm St. Danvers	777-0606	1000-0100 S-R 1000-0200 F-S	Sandw	near	Std	No	No		
Valle's Rt 1 South Saugus	233-7100	1100-2400 S-S 1100-2300 M-F	Stk&Sea	med	\$4-10	All	Y		
Vic's Drive-in 12 Sylvan (Liberty Tree Mall) Danvers	774-1724	1100-2200	Pizza	med	Std	No	Bh	G	"OK". Has a bakery. Subs.
Village Green Ctry Kitch Rt 1 N, between Dayton and Rt 62, Danvers	744-3020	1100-2200 7 days	Gen	near	\$4-9	All	Y		Participating hotel. Good reputation.
York Steak House 180 Endicott (near Lib. Tree Mall) Danvers	774-3600	1100-2130 S-R 1100-2200 F-S	Chain	med	\$3-5	No	No		A good York Steak House.