# City Cruises - Spirit of Boston Lunch Cruise

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| **Location:** Boston, MA, USA  **Category:** Tours & Sightseeing  **Currency:** USD  **Language:** English  **TimeZone:** America/New\_York  **Duration:** 2.0 hours | **Magpie Product Code:** QHMLCZ  **Company Website:** cityexperiences.com  **Primary Contact:** City Cruises  **Email:** Heather.Egerton@Cityexperiences.com |

**Highlights:**

- -2 hour cruise along the Boston Harbor

- -A delicious attended buffet lunch freshly prepared on board

- -On-board entertainment with DJ music

- -The best views of the Boston skyline and waterfront landmarks, including Zakim Bunker Hill Memorial Bridge, Boston’s Seaport District and the historic USS Constitution warship

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**Description Summary:**

Enjoy spectacular views of Boston as you dine on an all-you-can-eat lunch buffet aboard a scenic cruise. See an endless stream of city sights, including Bunker Hill and the site of the Boston Tea Party. Enjoy a delicious all-you-can-eat buffet lunch with seasonal offerings. It’s a great way to spend the afternoon and take in all the sights of historic Boston!

**Description:**

Join Spirit of Boston for an afternoon on the harbor. Spirit’s two-hour Lunch Cruises include a narrated tour highlighting notable landmarks along our route. See historic "Old Ironsides" (USS Constitution), Zakim Bunker Hill Memorial Bridge, Logan International Airport, Inner Boston Harbor Island and many other sights. Enjoy the Boston skyline from windows surround the climate-controlled dining decks, or head to the open-air rooftop lounge for stunning panoramic views.

Enjoy spectacular views of Boston as you feast on a lunch buffet aboard a scenic cruise. Make your way to the Seaport World Trade Center, board your boat and explore the decks before settling in at a table.

While you dine (see below for a sample menu), soak up Boston's stunning skyline from the panoramic windows and listen to the narrated commentary.

During your cruise, pass by the World Trade Center, the financial hub of Boston. See where the Boston Tea Party took place in 1773, when rebels dumped tea into the harbor to protest British taxes. Drift past the site of the Boston Massacre, where five American colonists were killed by British soldiers in 1770, a location now marked by a simple circle of cobblestones.

Marvel at the World War II naval destroyer, the USS Cassin Young, as well as the USS Constitution, also known as Old Ironsides, a nickname earned because of her invincibility in battle. Old Ironsides was launched in 1797 and is the oldest, fully commissioned naval vessel in the world.

Snapshots of Fort Independence and Castle Island: Fort Independence, first settled in 1634, features the nation's oldest fully maintained fort. Admire Tobin Memorial Bridge, opened to traffic in 1950.

After you finish lunch, stroll up to the top deck for fresh air and amazing views. Or, rock 'til you dock while the DJ plays a variety of music. It’s a great way to spend the afternoon and take in all the sights of historic Boston.

**Inclusions:**

-2-hour lunch cruise

-All-you-can-eat buffet

-DJ entertainment

-Coffee, tea and iced tea

-Service charges

-Taxes and fees

**Exclusions:**

-Other beverages (not listed in Inclusions)

-Gratuities

**Know Before You Book:**

- -Children 2 and under cruise free

**Know Before You Go:**

- -Valid Photo ID required

- -Only credit cards will be accepted for additional on-board purchases.

**Health:**

All guests are required to wear masks/face coverings when on board as they are interacting with others who are not members of their household. Masks not required while seated. Cloth face coverings are not required under on young children under age 2, and anyone who has trouble breathing.

**Health items:**

Face masks required for travelers in public areas, Face masks required for guides in public areas, Hand sanitizer available to travelers and staff, Social distancing enforced throughout experience, Regularly sanitized high-traffic areas, Gear/equipment sanitized between use, Transportation vehicles regularly sanitized, Guides required to regularly wash hands, Regular temperature checks for staff

**Minimum:**
1 guests per booking

**Maximum:**
19 guests per booking

**Booking Cut-off:**
24
hours
before start time

### Season:

2020 Season: From 04-01-2020 To 03-31-2021

**Sunday:**
17:30
  
**Monday:**
11:00
  
**Tuesday:**
11:00
  
**Wednesday:**
11:00
  
**Thursday:**
11:00
  
**Friday:**
11:00
  
**Saturday:**
11:00

### Operating Type: Opening Hours

### Season:

2020 Season: From 04-01-2020 To 03-31-2021

**Sunday:**
From 12:00 to 14:00
  
**Monday:**  
**Tuesday:**
From 12:00 to 14:00
  
**Wednesday:**
From 12:00 to 14:00
  
**Thursday:**
From 12:00 to 14:00
  
**Friday:**
From 12:00 to 14:00
  
**Saturday:**
From 12:00 to 14:00

### Locations:

**API provider:**
Anchor

**Pickup:**
none

**Starts Notes:**
The Spirit of Boston is docked at the Seaport World Trade Center at Commonwealth Pier.
200 Seaport Blvd #75 • Boston, Massachusetts 02210

**Type:**
Starts location

**Address:**
200 Seaport Boulevard, Boston, MA, 02210

**Directions:**
-From Points North via I-93:
Heading southbound on Interstate 93 Boston, take Exit 23, Purchase Street and move into the left lane.
At the top of the ramp, take a left turn onto the Evelyn Moakley Bridge/Seaport Boulevard.
Follow Seaport Boulevard for approximately .8 miles.
The Seaport Boulevard entrance to the Seaport Garage will be on the right, after the Seaport Boulevard/B Street intersection.
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-From Points South via I-93:
Heading northbound on I-93 towards Boston, take Exit 20, which will be immediately after Exit 18.
Follow the signs to "I-90 East." Take the first tunnel exit, Exit 25, to "South Boston."
At the first set of lights at the top of the ramp, proceed straight onto East Service Road.
At the next set of lights, take a right onto Seaport Boulevard. The Seaport Boulevard entrance to the Seaport Garage will be on the right, after the Seaport Boulevard/B Street intersection.
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-From Points West via Storrow Drive:
Take Storrow Drive East to Leverett Circle and follow signs for Interstate 93 South/Logan Airport.
Once on Interstate 93 South, follow directions from "Points North".
-From Points West via I-90:
Follow the Massachusetts Turnpike/Interstate 90 East to Exit 25 – South Boston.
At the top of the ramp, bear left towards Seaport Boulevard.
At the first set of lights, proceed straight onto East Service Road.
At the next set of lights, take a right onto Seaport Boulevard.
The Seaport Boulevard entrance to the Seaport Garage will be on the right, after the Seaport Boulevard/B Street intersection.
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-From Logan International Airport and Route 1A South:
Follow the signs towards I-90 West - Ted Williams Tunnel.
Take the Ted Williams Tunnel to Exit 25.
At the top of the ramp proceed straight onto B Street. Follow B Street to the end and take a right onto Seaport Boulevard.
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-From Public Transportation:
From South Station, take the MBTA Silver Line Waterfront (one level above the Red Line, one below the food court) to World Trade Center Station.
Take the stairs/escalators/elevators to the second level and exit onto World Trade Center Ave.
The Seaport Hotel will be ahead on the right.

**Notes:**
Spirit of Boston offers a $14.00 rate for parking at the Seaport Hotel Parking Garage for dinner guests Monday - Friday ONLY! Guests must enter the Seaport Hotel Parking Garage after 5:00 PM and exit prior to 11:00 PM. Please be sure to bring your parking ticket with you so it can be stamped at our ticket booth. It is necessary for discounted parking. At all other times parking is $22.00 for up to 6 hours. There are also outdoor parking lots on Northern Avenue and Seaport Boulevard that do not offer discounts. Parking rates there vary from $7 to $10 per day. Prices are subject to change.

**Instant Confirmation:**
Yes

### Cancellation

**Cancellation Policy:**
none

**Cancellation Cut-off:**
24
hours

**Cancellation Notes:**
All sales final.

**Options:**

2 hr cruise departing at 12 pm

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### Pricing

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| **Saturday Lunch Cruise** |  | **Retail** | **NET** | **%** | **Min Rate** |
| Adult | 18-99 years |  |  |  |  |
| Child | 3-11 years |  |  |  |  |
| **Sunday Lunch Cruise** |  | **Retail** | **NET** | **%** | **Min Rate** |
| Adult | 18-99 years |  |  |  |  |
| Child | 3-11 years |  |  |  |  |
| **Weekday Lunch Cruise** |  | **Retail** | **NET** | **%** | **Min Rate** |
| Adult | 18-99 years |  |  |  |  |
| Child | 3-11 years |  |  |  |  |

### Other Information

**Voucher Info**

Seaport World Trade Center
  
Commonwealth Pier, 200 Seaport Blvd, Boston, MA 02210

**FAQ**

**Accessibility. Is the Spirit Wheelchair Accessible?**

Yes. The Spirit has a deck and restrooms that can accommodate most standard-sized wheelchairs. Our crew is happy to aide passengers that need assistance. Please call 888-345-6660 to discuss any accessibility concerns and ensure that you are seated on an accessible deck.

**Bars. What are the operating hours for the bars on board?**

Spirit's bars are open throughout the cruise, offering guests the option to purchase alcohol and other beverages a la carte. All bars aboard our vessels close 30 minutes prior to docking.

**Boarding. What is "Boarding Time" and "Cruising Time"?**

"Boarding Time" is the earliest our guests may board the ship. Typically we begin boarding one hour prior to the "Cruise Time." Tickets may be picked up at our dockside kiosk up to one hour prior to the cruise.

**Boarding Procedures. What should I expect?**

You will be asked to show your ticket. In accordance with US Coast Guard Regulation, all passengers and their belongings being brought on to our vessels are subject to search and screening. In order to expedite the boarding process we ask that you please do not bring any unnecessary bags on board and please make sure that all gifts are in gift bags or unwrapped for easy screening.

**Children. Are there any age requirements?**

Children of all ages are welcome on our lunch and dinner cruises. Children under 3 are complimentary and a discount is offered for children between the ages of 3 and 12 on select Lunch Cruises. Call toll free 866-310-2469 for details.

**Coast Guard Regulations. Is the vessel Coast Guard certified?**

Yes. The Spirit of Boston is Coast Guard certified and maintained regularly to adhere to strict safety regulations.

**Dietary Restrictions. Do you accommodate dietary restrictions?**

Please check our menu for our vegetarian options. While we offer gluten and allergy free products and gluten sensitive menu items, we openly handle several allergens throughout our galleys. While we take precautions to keep ingredients separate, we cannot guarantee a gluten free environment. We do not have separate prep surfaces, cook tops or equipment. Our chef prepare and cook in common areas with shared equipment, therefore the items may come in contact with other food products.

**Refund Policy. Do you offer refunds?**

There are no refunds or exchanges. All sales are final. We cruise year-round, rain or shine. In the rare event the Coast Guard prohibits cruising because of weather, we will contact you to make other arrangements.

**Rescheduling Policy. What is your rescheduling policy?**

All cruise tickets are non-refundable.

**Seasickness. Will I get seasick?**

It is highly unlikely. The Spirit of Boston sails in the calm waters of the inner harbor and outer islands. We do not go out into open ocean water.

**Smoking. What is your smoking policy?**

All interior areas of our ship are non-smoking areas. Passengers who smoke may do so on the outdoor observation decks.

**Tickets. Where can I pick up the cruise tickets?**

Tickets can be conveniently picked up at the dock up to one hour prior to boarding, on the day of the cruise. The credit card used for purchase and photo ID will be required.
  
Disclaimer: Please check in at the ticket booth with pre-printed or online/electronic tickets.

**Weather. Do you sail in inclement weather?**

Absolutely. Our ships are fully enclosed and climate-controlled for your comfort. We sail rain or shine all year long.

**Redemption**
Tickets will be held at the box office