



Dear friends,

According to my son I've "come full circle," and I think he's right. The live performances, back stage passes, after show confabs, and late mornings that were so common during the early days of my career will once again enter my routine. That's because CM is representing City Winery as they make their much-anticipated Boston debut this September at One Canal. The brainchild of Michael Dorf, cultural pioneer and founder of NYC's Knitting Factory, City Winery is a fully functional urban winery, restaurant, 300-seat concert venue and private event space. Frank Turner, Rufus Wainwright, Art Garfunkel, and Suzanne Vega are among the opening line up of concerts that will bring added star-power to Boston's entertainment scene.

BECOME A CITY WINERY VINOFILE MEMBER



City Winery Boston has announced that VinoFile™ memberships are now available. For a small \$85 annual fee, VinoFile™ members enjoy perks such as buying tickets with 48-hour advance notice (except for grand opening period with 3-week extended window) and no ticket fees. Members may also reserve a favorite table based on prior seating requests, have the opportunity to check in with a virtual wine sommelier, and enjoy exclusive member events. VinoFile™ memberships can be purchased now at citywinery.com/boston. For more information email Boston@citywinery.com.



WAHLBURGERS MAKES MANHATTAN DEBUT

As many of you know, I am over-the-top excited about City Winery's upcoming opening - without diminishing, of course, the energy and enthusiasm I deliver every day to all of my clients!

Did you know that as a concert ticket holder you are guaranteed a seat at a table with full food and beverage service? That you'll be drinking wine from Riedel Crystal? That for only \$85 you can buy an annual VinoFile membership entitling you to buy tickets in advance of public sale, among other benefits? That original artwork painted by a leading Boston Expressionist will hang on the walls? That City Winery serves wine-infused pizza made with the yeast extracted from the winemaking process? That the venue is so intimate you can look into the eyes of the performer?

Does it get any better than this? No, at least not for me. I'm thrilled to help support City Winery's mission to contribute to the vitality of Boston's cultural community. I've come back to my rock and roll roots, and I'm having a really great time!

See you at City Winery!



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The Wahlberg family's better burger restaurant is now open in the Yorkville neighborhood on the Upper East Side and will soon open its doors in Times Square. Check out Mark Wahlberg's interview that we secured on [Yahoo Finance](#) to learn more about how the brand is quickly establishing itself among the nation's top burger destinations. And, better yet, stop by a Wahlburgers near you and select from a chef-inspired menu featuring a variety of fresh burgers and other signature items including Mom's Sloppy Joe, thin crispy onion rings, tater tots, and thick creamy adult frappes.



ENJOY LIVE BANDS ON BOSTON HARBOR



Enjoy live funk, bluegrass, Celtic or jazz music by local bands on Friday, Saturday and Sunday nights while cruising Boston Harbor aboard Classic Harbor Line's Northern Lights, an elegant vintage motor yacht. Not your average booze cruise, Northern lights offers an elegant and intimate setting for viewing live performances. Guests can dance or sit back and enjoy the music while taking in the cityscape and nighttime views. Snacks, beverages and cocktails can be purchased on board. Northern Lights is also available for private charters. For more information visit boston-sailing.com or call 888.292.0180.



STOWEFLAKE HOT AIR BALLOON FEST



Come to the [Stoweflake Hot Air Balloon Festival](#) on July 7-9 and let your spirits soar high as more than 25 hot-air balloons fill the sky over the glorious mountainous landscape of Stowe, Vermont. View breathtaking launches, enjoy live entertainment, and partake in delicious food and refreshments from the beer and wine garden. Join the fun with a hot-air balloon ride, both high-flying or tethered, and delight your kids with a variety of children's activities. For more information, visit [Stoweflake.com](#), call 802.253.7355, ext. 5538 or email sfrballoonfest.flights@gmail.com.



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