

Cibo Green

Late-Night Negronis and GoodFellas in Sandy Springs

Quick, grab a calendar.

Happy Friday, by the way.

Anyway, calendar. Now mark an X through next Thursday and carefully write the words “negronis,” “lamb belly with polenta” and “5'10"/brunette/dimples” next to it.

We'll let you get started on that last part this weekend...

As for the rest, we just thought you could use a little reminder about the arrival of *Cibo E Beve*, a new under-the-radar Italian spot ripe for a date-night (and late-night) takeover, opening Thursday in Sandy Springs.

As you step inside and **take in the scene** before you, a predominant thought will prevail: this place is tiny. Yes, it's a small nook of a space. But within that space, limitless possibilities.

There's the gray zinc bar to your right: the future scene of your *Honey Pimm's Cup*-induced urge to summon every last **small plate on the menu**, from the *Wood Grilled Octopus* all the way to the *Hamachi Crudo Salmoriglio*. But eventually, the time will come to move on.

And when that time comes, you'll escort your be-dimpled companion to the white marble chef's counter, where you'll settle into Italian leather chairs and petition a round of *Fernandos* (Fernet-Branca, Galliano) while you watch your wood-fired margherita pies and orange/fennel-braised osso buco being prepared right in front of you.

Of course, you could also do all of the above at the dark-wood communal table while you watch drinking scenes from old-school movies (*GoodFellas*, early Bond flicks...) on the big-screen projector.

Which reminds us, there's a big-screen projector.

Read more:

http://www.urbandaddy.com/atl/food/13842/Cibo_E_Beve_Late_Night_Negronis_and_GoodFellas_in_Sandy_Springs_Atlanta_ATL_Highpoint_Restaurant#ixzz1TF8FfW

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