

Sitting below Boston's iconic neon CITGO sign is the vibrant Kenmore Square/Fenway neighborhood. Best known as the long-time home of Fenway Park and the Boston Red Sox, residents and visitors are drawn to the area for its lively nightlife along Lansdowne Street, cool mix of restaurants and bars, and convenient location.

Kenmore Square is not so much a square as it is the convergence of Commonwealth Ave, Brookline Ave and Beacon Street. The Kenmore T subway station lies underground, with a bus terminal above ground, making the area easily accessible.

Recently, new hotels have opened alongside high-rise apartments and condo developments. An influx of dining and nightlife options, and additional office and retail spaces, have revitalized the neighborhood.

Kenmore/Fenway has a distinctive youthful vibe, as Boston University, Simmons University, Emmanuel College and other schools make their home nearby, and young professionals enjoy an easy commute into the city.

Lush greenery surrounds the area as residents stroll along Commonwealth Avenue or explore the paths and open spaces along Fenway's portion of the Emerald Necklace. The neighborhood is also notable for its access to the Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum, Museum of Fine Arts and Symphony Hall that showcase Boston's rich cultural offerings.

With the Citgo sign serving as a beacon since 1965, and baseball fans drawn to the "lyric little bandbox of a ballpark," as John Updike called Fenway Park, it is easy to see why the Kenmore Square/Fenway neighborhood is captivating to both residents and visitors alike.



Citgo sign

## RESTAURANTS/EATERIES

- **Bleacher Bar**, 82A Lansdowne Street
- **Blue Ribbon Brasserie**, 528 Commonwealth Avenue
- **Cask 'n Flagon**, 62 Brookline Avenue
- **Citizens House of Blues**, 15 Lansdowne Street
- **Eastern Standard**, 775 Beacon Street
- **Game On**, 82 Lansdowne Street
- **Loretta's Last Call**, 1 Lansdowne Street
- **Mighty Squirrel Taproom**, 1 David Ortiz Drive
- **Soloniki Greek**, 4 Kilmarnock Street
- **The Kenmore**, 476 Commonwealth Avenue
- **Time Out Market Boston**, 401 Park Drive





Fenway Park



Kenmore Square



Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum

### SHOPPING

- **Comicopia**, 464 Commonwealth Avenue
- **Newbury Street** (short walk from Kenmore Square)
- **Official Red Sox Team Store**, 19 Jersey Street
- **Prudential Center** shopping mall, 800 Boylston Street

### THINGS TO DO

- **Boston Red Sox**, 4 Jersey Street
- **Boston Red Sox Fenway Park Tours**, 19 Yawkey Way
- **Boston Symphony Orchestra / Boston Pops / Symphony Hall**  
301 Mass Avenue
- **Emerald Necklace** – Back Bay Fens area
- **Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum**, 25 Evans Way
- **Lucky Strike**, 145 Ipswich Street
- **MGM Music Hall Fenway**, 2 Lansdowne Street
- **Museum of Fine Arts**, 465 Huntington Avenue

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