

HAPPY HOUR



DRINK

1.50
OFF

McMenamins Beer *pint* • Edgefield Hard Cider *pint*

Edgefield Wines *glass*

Well Drinks Old Crow Bourbon • Joe Penney's Gin
Spar Vodka • Spar Citrus Vodka
Lunazul Blanco Tequila • Flor de Caña Rum
Lauder's Scotch • High Council Brandy

2
OFF



Featured Illustrated Cocktails

Edgefield Wine Flight *three samples*

Brewery Flight *six samples* • Cider Flight *three samples*

Distillery Flight *three samples*

5
OFF



Edgefield Wines *bottle*

FOOD



Meat & Cheese Board

cured meats, artisan cheeses, quince paste, rosemary nuts,
olives, crostini 18

33rd State Loaded Tater Tots

maple-stout smoked pork belly, Brie cream sauce,
truffle salt, fresh herbs 13

Black & White Fries

white truffle oil, Parmesan, fresh parsley, black garlic aioli 13 ⑦

Margherita Flatbread

tomato confit, basil chiffonade, fresh mozzarella,
balsamic glaze 11.50

Crystal Smash Burger a la carte*

two ¼-lb beef patties, American cheese, lettuce,
onion, mayo, toasted bun 10

Gluten Free ⑥ Vegan ✱ Vegetarian ⑦ Summer '25
*Items are cooked to order. Consuming raw or under cooked
eggs & meats may increase your risk of foodborne illness.
**Every effort will be made to minimize contact with gluten



OUR HISTORY

The eponymous Hal's Café opened in 2011 as McMenamins Zeus Café, a downtown eatery at the confluence of distinct and disparate Portland history. In 2023 we renamed the place for our beloved Hal Finkelstein. Hal opened Zeus Café, lending his ethos of fine dining and the highest standards – and the energy to go with them. In his trademark white button-down with the sleeves rolled up, Hal buzzed around, constantly busy polishing, training, and managing, but he always had time for a kind word or a chat with a customer. Hal passed away in February 2022, and his absence reverberates throughout this wedge of McMenamins. His warmth and professionalism set the tone that will carry on in this place that now bears his name.

The triangular block at West Burnside, 12th and Stark is itself a storied spot. In the 1860s, a brewer had a house built there and went to work at the new City Brewery, just across Burnside. Later, the triangle became a vortex, drawing in a whole carnival of characters – especially from the 1940s onward, when a nightclub opened at 12th & Stark (today's Hal's Café). Like a beacon, it has drawn everyone from jazz connoisseurs to underworld figures and led to the rise of Portland's Gay Triangle district, which still thrives.

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