**NO NONSENSE GUIDE TO CHICAGO RESTAURANT WEEK**

Where to go if you’re looking for a deal, a date-night spot or something close to the ‘L.’

**WINTER SUCKS**

- **Appetizer-friendly**
- **Date-night approved**
- **Within walking distance**

**NO RESERVATIONS**

Don’t let the endless options of Chicago Restaurant Week scare you. Here’s where to go.

**Chicagos Restaurant Week** is one strange bird. With a laundry list of brand-new openings, established veterans and so-so spots, it’s a wild ride.

**Best Value**

- **Lunch at Bolonian House**
  - 89 W. Jackson Blvd, 312-266-8300
  - Menu: $22
  - Highlights: The price you get for your $22 includes a choice of soup, appetizer, main course, dessert and a glass of wine or beer.

**Dinner at Ada St.**
- 1664 N. Ada St, 773-697-7069
- **Price:** $33
- **Highlights:** The most badass menu theme goes to Ada St., where dishes are inspired by famous concert rider requests. The shrimp cake appetizer is a nod to the Beach Boys’ request for 25 peeled shrimp, sliced avocados, alfalfa sprouts and white pistachios. Reading this menu is just as fun as digging into the three-course meal.

Ada St. ribeye with baby bok choy inspired by Rush