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BANDOOK®

where indian street food meets the soul

The word “bandook” literally means “gun” or “rifle” in the Hindi/Urdu/Bengali language and takes its cue from when British soldiers used it widely when coming into contact with Indian troops during the Raj.

Deeply entrenched within the culture of the Subcontinent, the word continues to be used throughout South Asia. Forceful, robust, potent, strident and powerful - Bandook has all the connotations of an entity hard to ignore - dominant, commanding and even quite irresistible! It's the kind of heritage any Indian restaurant would be proud of and Bandook Indian Kitchen more than meets the criteria with its superlative Indian street food cooking, affable service and fabulous surroundings.

CHAATS

AN ESSENTIAL OF INDIAN STREET FOOD

- PANI PURI** *VG* **4.00**
Puffed semolina shell, chickpeas, jal jeera water.
Mouthwatering... but of course!
- KALE PAKORA CHAAT** *V • GF* **4.50**
Crunchy kale, onion, tomato, chickpea vermicelli,
mint glaze
- SAMOSAS CHAAT** *V* **6.50**
You can't go wrong with Punjabi vegetable
samosas, curried chickpeas, tamarind chutney

SMALL PLATES

BIG ON FLAVOUR

- AMRITSARI FISH** *GF* **6.50**
Who would say no to crispy fish fingers, mint chutney
- PESHWARI LAMB CUTLET** *GF* **11.00**
Tender, locally-sourced lamb chops marinated in
our signature house spice blend, cooked on the grill.
The Sergeant-Major always asks for two portions!
- PAKORAS** *VG • GF* **5.50**
Assorted seasonal vegetables in gram flour batter,
mint & coriander chutney
- CHILLI PANEER** *V • GF* **7.50**
Cottage cheese, garlic, ginger, soy, chilli, sweet
peppers. The Cavalry will even put down their
bandook to tuck into this one...

LARGE PLATES

THE 1ST BOMBAY GRENADIERS EXPECTS THEM LARGE SO GIVE THEM LARGE

GRANDMA'S CURRY

Please check for today's blackboard special

(THE BENGAL CIVIL SERVICE AND THE
CAVALRY FIGHT OVER THIS ONE!)

Bandook's famed signature homestyle curry.

- CHICKEN** *GF* **13.00**
- LAMB** *GF* **14.50**
- FISH** *GF* **12.00**

BAINGAN MOILEE

VG • GF **12.00**

A gently-spiced Kerala favourite with potatoes
and aubergine in a lovely coconut milk sauce

BIRYANIS

NIZAMI GOSHT BIRYANI

GF **15.50**

A renowned biryani from Hyderabad with
Lamb, boondi raita

HYDERABAD SUBZI BRIYANI

V • GF **12.00**

Asparagus, choy sum, Burani raita

SIDES

- TARKA DAL** *V • GF* **3.50**
Classically comforting yellow lentils tempered
with spices
- KURKURIT BHINDI** *VG • GF* **4.50**
Crunch fried okra with cilantro chutney
- GUNPOWDER CHIPS** *VG • GF* **4.50**
Try them once and you'll keep coming back
for more!

RICE & BREADS

- PULAO RICE** *V* **3.00**
- STEAMED RICE** *VG • GF* **2.50**
- INDIAN BREADS** *V* **3.00**
- KATCHUMBER** *VG • GF* **4.50**
A surprisingly simple yet delicious salad of
red onion, cucumber, fresh coriander and
lemon juice

V Vegetarian *VG* Vegan
GF Gluten Free *N* Contains Nuts
For additional dietary and allergens please ask your waiter.

A MEAL FOR A MEAL

For every meal you eat at Bandook, a child in
India will be getting a nutritious meal via the
Akshaya Patra Foundation.

OPENING TIMES

Tuesday - Friday

12 noon - 2.30pm, 5.30pm - 9.30pm

Saturday: 12 noon - 10pm

Sunday: 12 noon - 9pm

OUR SUPPLIERS

We're proud to use the best of local suppliers to create our flavour-packed dishes and much-loved Indian street food classics.
VEGETABLES Bristol Sweet Mart, Bath Bus station Fruiterers **MEAT** Bartlets and Sons **FISH** Clifton Seafood Company