



Take Your Meatballs Outside

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The oft-frustrating wait times at the [Meatball Shop](#) at last have some relief, as the crew debuts their twelve-seat outdoor patio tonight. A dozen new chairs might not sound like a lot, but that's a 30 percent increase on top of the 39 seats indoors — the difference between *finally* getting a table and giving up only to drown your sorrows in another restaurant's lesser meatball sub.