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## Vietnamese restaurant comes to Lancaster

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Grab & Go Sandwich n Boba Tea is located next to Church's Chicken on Charlotte Highway, where Captain D's used to be.

Linh Nguyen

Grab and Go Sandwich n Boba Tea is coming to Lancaster later this month.

The Vietnamese fast food restaurant plans to open Jan. 31 at 1307 Charlotte Highway. It hopes to combine the convenience of fast food with healthier options than most chain restaurants.

CEO Linh Nguyen said she hopes to bring a new cuisine to the area that many Lancaster natives may not have already tried. “A lot of people moved out to Lancaster and Indian Land, so I would like to add something new to that area because they are missing a lot of things. They have Starbucks, but not a lot of (new) restaurants,” Nguyen said. “I would like to introduce Vietnamese fast-food restaurants,” Nguyen said. “Probably not many (people have) eaten Vietnamese Asian fast food before, but that’s not the kind of fast food (they know). It does it in a healthy way. It has a lot of veggies and fresh food. If you’re looking for something quick, and not like fast food, then you can probably think of us at Grab and Go.”

Nguyen said that when many people think about Vietnamese food, they only think about Vietnamese noodle soup, or pho, and she hopes that people will be able to branch out and try new and different types of Vietnamese food.

“We are a close bond family that grew up drinking boba, eating bánh mi (Vietnamese sandwiches) and pho (Vietnamese beef noodle soup),” according to the Grab & Go Sandwich n Boba Tea website.

“We perfected the taste of every item on the menu, so you can feel satisfied each visit.”

The menu features Vietnamese sandwiches, pho, croissant sandwiches, appetizers, ice cream and multiple types of boba tea.

On their menu, sandwiches are \$9.50, super pho is \$15.50, croissants are \$7.95, appetizers are \$6.50, ice cream is \$7.50 and teas are \$6.75, with additional toppings for 75 cents. “With inflation right now, the competition of (other restaurants) is hard for everyone,” Nguyen said. The restaurant is currently hiring for all positions.

For more information, visit the Grab & Go Sandwich n Boba Tea Facebook page, or call 803-285-2622.

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