

The Ultimate Ice Cream Experience®

































































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WELCOME TO COLD STONE CREAMERY!

Cold Stone Creamery® is one of the most talked about ice cream concepts in the world today. And that's just the way we like it! Renowned for offering super-premium ice cream creatively customized on a frozen granite stone, our guests delight in the Ultimate Ice Cream Experience at Cold Stone® and are more likely to be repeat customers because of it.

For over 30 years we've served up smooth & creamy super-premium ice cream. Our ice cream creations, cakes, shakes, and more are all made fresh, in-store, using only the highest quality ingredients. And of course, it wouldn't be a classic Cold Stone experience without our quintessential process of preparing your Signature Creation™ on a frozen granite stone.

How good is our ice cream? Well, let's just say that on a scale of 1 to 10, we're somewhere around an 11.5. But we're about more than just serving up amazing ice cream. We like to think we're really in the business of making people happy...

It's all about what we call the *10-Minute Vacation*[®]... that 10-minute getaway you deserve from the world outside our doors. Just head inside any Cold Stone Creamery, and that's what you'll get. From enthusiastic, singing crew members, to the shared laughter of a family enjoying a treat together — if it's making you, your friends, or your loved ones happy, then Cold Stone Creamery is doing its job right!

Recent Accolades

RANKED TOP 50

Nation's Restaurant News "Beloved Brands"

RANKED TOP 50

Entrepreneur® Franchise 500

CONSUMER PICK

Nation's Restaurant News

BEST ICE CREAM

Ventura County Readers' Choice Awards Camarillo, CA

BEST COLD TREAT IN UNION CITY

Union City Patch Readers' Choice

BEST ICE CREAM

Best of Summer Viewers' Choice Contest

BEST ICE CREAM

Dayton Business Journal Readers' Choice

Our Products

We offer Signature Creations[™] and Shakes with mix-ins of nuts, fruits and candy – or you can Create Your Own Creation[™]! Cold Stone Creamery also offers cakes and novelties!

Our top Signature Creations[™] include:

- Birthday Cake Remix[™]
- Chocolate Devotion[®]
- OREO® Overload
- Founder's Favorite[®]
- Peanut Butter Cup Perfection[®]
- Cookie Doughn't You Want Some[®]



Unique Selling Points

Perceived USP's	USP Drivers
Quality	 Super-Premium Ice Cream Made fresh daily in-store Fresh made waffle cones & bowls Handcrafted cakes and novelties
Variety & Customization	 Unique flavors of ice cream Infinite combinations of ice cream & mix-ins
Store Environment	Happy, friendly employeesSinging and entertainment

Franchisee Testimonials

"I've been a multi-unit Cold Stone Creamery franchisee for 12 years.

Cold Stone Creamery is the original "create your own" food concept that has always focused on top product quality and service excellence. I've found that those key elements along with progressive ideas and support at the local level have been key to my success as a Cold Stone Franchisee. Owning a Cold Stone Creamery has been a very rewarding experience." -Jeffrey S., Colorado

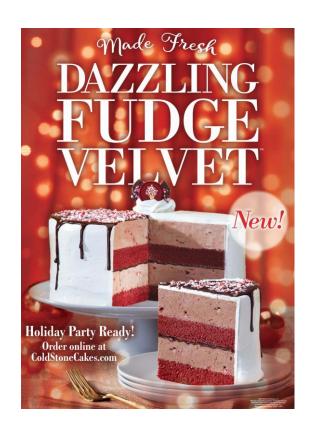


Menu Boards

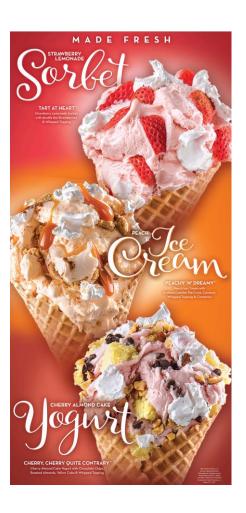




POP & Product Innovation







Olo / Online Ordering

First brand in the ice cream industry to launch online ordering with online payment. We use the company *Olo* out of NYC. Reaching over \$31 million dollars in sales in seven years. Another program that helps drive incremental sales as sales happen even during hours our stores are closed or crew are too busy to take phone orders. Cold Stone Creamery is proud to offer our FULL menu via the Olo platform ensuring every craving or need our guests may have, from cakes to their own customized Creation, is just a few clicks away. www.ColdStoneCakes.com



Demographics

- Frequent visits by people ages 25-54
- Skews female
- Population of 50,000 within 3 mile trade area
- Median household income of \$55,000



Franchisee Testimonials

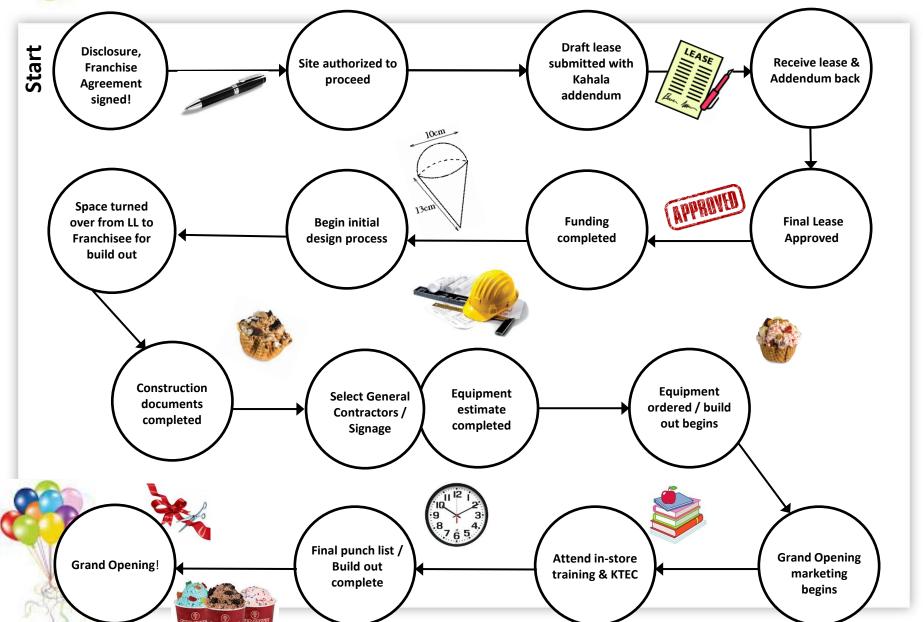
"My experience in the thirteen years since I opened my first Cold Stone Creamery has been nothing but positive. As a multistore owner teamwork and support is crucial to our success. The support that I receive from my Area Developer and Corporate is outstanding. The franchise provides many resources from different levels to help you succeed. Besides, who doesn't want to put a smile on people's face every day!" -Esther W., California

"The Cold Stone Brand has been a great fit for me and will be a good fit for any franchisee willing to work hard at building a successful business for their future." —Jim M., Colorado

Development Process Overview





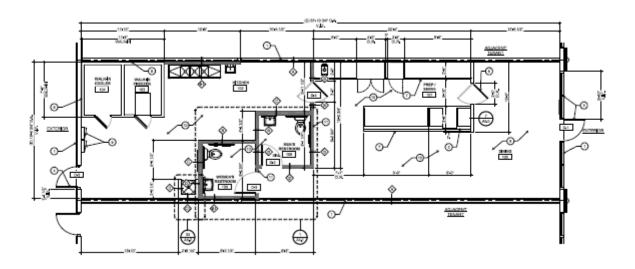


Site Selection & Real Estate

- The Cold Stone[®] Real Estate team works with our franchisees to help secure some of the best locations in each city once a Franchise Agreement has been signed
- Average 1,100 square feet adaptable to smaller sizes in appropriate spaces
- Evening traffic areas Entertainment complexes / lifestyle centers
- Store front visibility a must
- End cap preferred / ability to have large signage on store and monument signage at center
- High population densities are best
- Exclusive use in center
- High Schools and Universities in close proximity

Design & Construction

- Preliminary floor plan design
- Furniture and equipment list
- Project management assistance





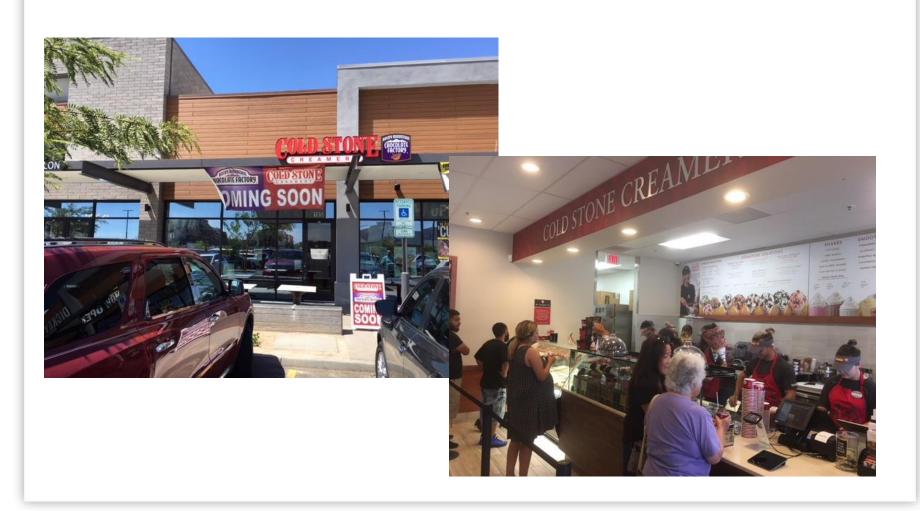
Store Design







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Franchisee Testimonials

"I've owned other franchises and worked in several brands. What drew me to Cold Stone Creamery? It's the Ultimate Ice Cream Experience®. When people come into our store, they come in happy. They are celebrating — an anniversary, birthday, soccer game, a first date, whatever it may be — and they leave even happier because we serve them the best ice cream in the world. So first, the amazing customer experience really drew me in. Second, we make the ice cream fresh every day using an Italian ice cream machine in the back of the store. Everyone that comes in the store believes that Cold Stone Creamery is the best ice cream, and it's the freshness factor that sets us apart. Cold Stone Creamery is unlike any other brand."

-Kyle W., Multi Unit Operator

Training

Brand In-Store Training (IST)

Cold Stone Creamery "Ops" Training

- 10 days (80 hours)
- Franchisee of record required to attend*
- Conducted at a Certified Training Store[^], which is an open/operating Cold Stone Creamery to provide a first-hand "taste" of real store operations, while under the expert instruction of a Certified Trainer
- Train during a variety of opening, mid-day and closing shifts to learn brand skills & knowledge, the range of store operations and serving guests
- Successful completion and attendance of the full program and 85% on the Final Exam is required before taking possession of store

^{*} Same trainee must attend both IST and KTEC because the programs dovetail with one another.

[^] Franchisees, in most cases, must travel to reach a Certified Training Store (CTS)

KTEC Classroom Training (KTEC)

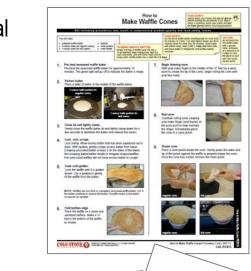
Training the key concepts to partner most successfully with Kahala

- 5 days*
- Conducted from Kahala Headquarters in Scottsdale, AZ
- Multi-brand training class open to all brands under the Kahala banner
- Franchisee (+manager) audience
- Small business principles and concepts critical to our ever-adapting hospitality industry
- Q&A with Kahala Leadership
- "Successful completion" is 100% attendance and 85% or greater on the Final Exam

^{*} With the evolving COVID-19 situation, temporary adjustments may be in place that affect KTEC Training—specifically, the method of delivery and participation (i.e., online vs in-person), which may further extend the KTEC scheduled commitment from 5 days to 6 days. Either way, the program does not exceed 40 hours.

Operational Support

- Operational support by dedicated Area Developer or Regional Director of Operations (Depending on location)
- Continuous support from pre-opening to grand opening
- On-going support through phone/email and store visits
- Liaison between you, our suppliers and Kahala Brands [™] Headquarters
- Operations Manual and Operations Toolkit outline in great detail procedures and systems – online resources available through KTEC online





Franchisee Testimonials

"I'm amazed it's been 20 years! Five stores, and we've got a good business. Our story is an indication that you just never know. If opportunities avail themselves — and you're lucky enough to see them as opportunities — you embrace them."

-Ruth Spiegel, Florida

"Cold Stone Creamery has been an excellent way of providing for my family for the last 14 years. Growth is definitely good, and I very much enjoy the freedom I have with three stores. Time with family and quality of life are important to me, and I have a very good balance right now."—Greg Cropp, Texas



Marketing

- Local store marketing (LSM) toolkit
- Grand opening marketing program
- Nationally-coordinated and locally driven LSM
- National marketing fund
- Regional media plans
- Marketing materials website





Franchisee Testimonials

"The support both locally and in Corporate has been outstanding since day one. The best part of opening your own business with Cold Stone is having experts in every department helping with your questions and providing on-going support. "-Sharon G., Southern California

"Owning a Cold Stone Creamery has been a very rewarding experience."

—Jeffrey S., Colorado



Financing

Cold Stone Creamery does not currently offer financing, however we can provide a contact list of suggested lenders



Investment

- Initial Franchise Fee of \$27,000 (1st Traditional Location)
- Initial Investment of \$310,375 \$580,650 (Traditional)
- Required Liquid Capital is \$125,000
- Net Worth Requirement of \$250,000

Royalty and Advertising Fees

Royalty fee – 6% of gross sales Advertising fee – 3% of gross sales

Current FDD Item 7 (Traditional)

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column4	Column 5	Column 6
Type of Expenditure	Traditional Low Amount	Traditional High Amount	Method of Payment	When Due	To Whom Payment is to be Made
Initial Franchise Fee (Note 1)	\$12,000	\$27,000	Lump Sum	At Signing of Franchise Agreement	Us
Rent/Security Deposit (for 3 months) (Note 2)	\$9,750	\$19,500	As Incurred	Prior to Opening	Landlord(s)

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column4	Column 5	Column 6
Type of Expenditure	Traditional Low Amount	Traditional High Amount	Method of Payment	When Due	To Whom Payment is to be Made
Travel and Living Expenses (2 persons) while training, not including salaries, if any, for you and your employees	\$3,000	\$7,500	As incurred	As incurred	Airlines, hotels, car rental agency & restaurants
Real Estate	(Note 2)	(Note 2)	(Note 2)	(Note 2)	(Note 2)

Lease Review Fee	\$0	\$2,500	Lump Sum	When you request review by Kahala Management's real estate department	Us
Architectural Fees	\$7,000	\$20,000	As incurred	Prior to Opening	Licensed and Approved Architect
Leasehold Improvements (Note 3)	\$97,500	\$250,000	As incurred	Prior to Opening	Approved Contractors and Vendors
Exterior Signage	\$9,700	\$15,000	As Incurred	Prior to Opening	Approved Sign Company
Equipment (Note 4)	\$123,000	\$185,375	Lump Sum	Prior to Opening	Approved Vendors and Suppliers
PCI Compliance Costs	\$150	\$1,300	As billed by third party vendor	As billed by third party vendor	Approved Vendor
Opening Inventory (Note 5)	\$8,000	\$8,000	Lump sum	Before opening	Vendors & suppliers
Employee Uniforms	\$500	\$800	Lump sum	Before opening	Vendors

Grand Opening Marketing Advertising (Note 6)	\$10,000	\$10,000	Lump sum	Earlier of; prior to execution of a lease or prior to construction of premise	US
Insurance Premiums (Note 7)	\$500	\$2,500	Lump sum	Before opening	Insurance carrier
Permits and Licenses	\$2,000	\$3,000	Lump sum	Before opening	Governmental entities
Telephone and Utility Deposits and Hookups (Note 8)	\$250	\$1,000	Lump sum	Before opening	Utility companies
Insurance Premiums (Note 7)	\$500	\$2,500	Lump sum	Before opening	Insurance carrier
Permits and Licenses	\$2,000	\$3,000	Lump sum	Before opening	Governmental entities
Telephone and Utility Deposits and Hookups (Note 8)	\$250	\$1,000	Lump sum	Before opening	Utility companies

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column4	Column 5	Column 6
Type of Expenditure	Traditional Low Amount	Traditional High Amount	Method of Payment	When Due	To Whom Payment is to be Made
Computer Training and Food Safety Certification Course	\$100	\$250	As needed	As incurred	Vendors, Suppliers
Miscellaneous (Note 9)	\$3,925	\$3,925	As incurred	As incurred	Vendors, etc.
Depository Account (Note 10)	\$3,000	\$3,000	Lump Sum(must be replenished on a regular basis)	Signing of Franchise Agreement	Your bank (we have the right to withdraw from this account)
Additional Funds -3 month initial period (Note 11)	\$20,000	\$20,000	As incurred	As incurred	Us, Employees, Various Third Parties
Total (Note 12)	\$310,375	\$580,650		le real estate costs, con for the business location eposit.)	

Current FDD Item 7 (Non-Traditional)

Column 1	Column 2 Low	Column 3	Column4	Column 5	Column 6
Type of Expenditure	Amount	High Amount	Method of Payment	When Due	To Whom Payment is to be Made
Initial Franchise Fee (Note 1)	\$8,000	\$20,000	Lump Sum	At Signing of Franchise Agreement	Us
Rent/Security Deposit (for 3 months) (Note 2)	\$0	\$19,500	As Incurred	Prior to Opening	Landlord(s)
Travel and Living Expenses (2 persons) while training, not including salaries, if any, for you and your employees	\$3,000	\$7,500	As incurred	As incurred	Airlines, hotels, car rental agency & restaurants
Real Estate	(Note 2)	(Note 2)	(Note 2)	(Note 2)	(Note 2)

Column 1	Column 2 Low	Column 3	Column4	Column 5	Column 6
Type of Expenditure	Amount	High Amount	Method of Payment	When Due	To Whom Payment is to be Made
Lease Review Fee	\$0	\$2,500	Lump Sum	When you request review by Kahala Management's real estate department	Us
Architectural Fees	\$1,000	\$15,000	As incurred	Prior to Opening	Licensed Design Architect
Leasehold Improvements (Note 3)	\$0	\$180,000	As incurred	Prior to Opening	Approved Contractors and Vendors
Exterior Signage	\$1,500	\$15,000	As Incurred	Prior to Opening	Approved Sign Company
Equipment (Note 4)	\$8,000	\$150,000	Lump Sum	Prior to Opening	Approved Vendors and Suppliers
PCI Compliance Costs	\$150	\$1,300	As billed by third party vendor	As billed by third party vendor	Approved Vendor

Opening Inventory (Note 5)	\$1,000	\$8,000	Lump sum	Before opening	Vendors & suppliers
Employee Uniforms	\$200	\$800	Lump sum	Before opening	Vendors
Grand Opening Marketing Advertising (Note 6)	\$5,000	\$5,000	Lump sum	Earlier of; prior to execution of a lease or prior to construction of premise	US
Insurance Premiums (Note 7)	\$500	\$2,500	Lump sum	Before opening	Insurance carrier
Permits and Licenses	\$500	\$3,000	Lump sum	Before opening	Governmental entities
Telephone and Utility Deposits and Hookups (Note 8)	\$250	\$1,000	Lump sum	Before opening	Utility companies

Computer Training and Food Safety Certification Course	\$100	\$250	As needed	As incurred	Vendors, Suppliers
Miscellaneous (Note 9)	\$1,000	\$3,925	As incurred	As incurred	Vendors, etc.
Depository Account (Note 10)	\$3,000	\$3,000	Lump Sum (must be replenished on a regular basis)	Signing of Franchise Agreement	Your bank (we have the right to withdraw from this account)
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Type of Expenditure	Low Amount	High Amount	Method of Payment	When Due	To Whom Payment is to be Made
		High Amount \$20,000		When Due As incurred	



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