

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Kline Corey</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) 520 ZANG ST., UNIT D (Street) BROOMFIELD CO 80021 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 03/01/2021	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>NOODLES & Co [NDLS]</u>	
		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) EVP - Technology	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Class A Common Stock	34,098 ⁽¹⁾	D	

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date				
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(2)	06/27/2023	Class A Common Stock 2,423	18	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(2)	05/13/2024	Class A Common Stock 2,130	31.53	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(2)	03/04/2025	Class A Common Stock 2,442	18.43	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(2)	05/06/2025	Class A Common Stock 4,216	16.7	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(2)	11/16/2025	Class A Common Stock 6,595	10.64	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(2)	08/18/2026	Class A Common Stock 6,000	6.84	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(3)	06/29/2028	Class A Common Stock 2,018	12.3	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(4)	06/28/2029	Class A Common Stock 3,278	7.88	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- Includes 22,972 of restricted stock units (RSUs) that have not vested. Each RSU represents a right to receive one share of Noodles & Company Class A common stock
- These options are fully vested.
- Includes 1,009 in vested options and 505 options that will vest on 6/29/21 and 504 options that will vest on 6/29/22.
- Includes 820 in vested options and 820 options that will vest on 6/28/21 and 819 options that will vest on 6/28/22 and 6/28/23.

Remarks:

/s/ Melissa Heidman,
attorney in fact

03/11/2021

** Signature of Reporting
Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (b)(v).

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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