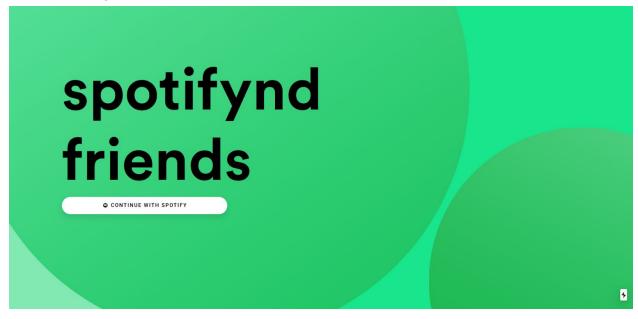
user manual

Prerequisite: Before being able to use any of the features that Spotifynd Friends has to offer, you must have a Spotify account with at least one public playlist containing at least one song.

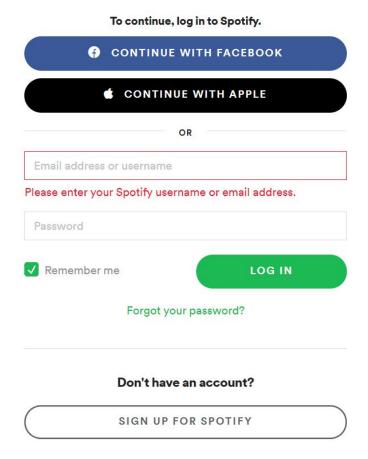


Step 1: To enter the Spotifynd Friends you must press the Continue with Spotify button and then you will be directed to enter your Spotify account credentials in the following page



Step 2: Upon entering the Spotify login page you have the option of either using an existing Spotify account or creating a new account. After your credentials are entered you will be redirected to a page that details how much of your account information can be used by our app.





Step 3: By pressing agree, you grant Spotifynd Friends access to your public Spotify information such as your playlists ,account status, and followers. None of your personal information is stored. The next page is the main page of Spotifynd Friends.

Spotifynd Friends

You agree that Spotifynd Friends will be able to:

View your Spotify account data

Your email

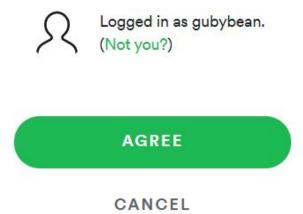
The type of Spotify subscription you have, your account country and your settings for explicit content filtering Your name and username, your profile picture, how many followers you have on Spotify and your public playlists

View your activity on Spotify

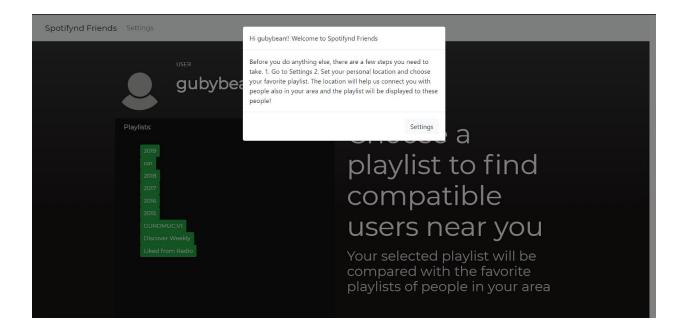
Playlists you've made and playlists you follow

You can remove this access at any time at spotify.com/account.

For more information about how Spotifynd Friends can use your personal data, please see Spotifynd Friends's privacy policy.



If you are a first time user of Spotifynd Friends you will be met with a modal window that directs you to set your location and favorite playlist in the settings page.



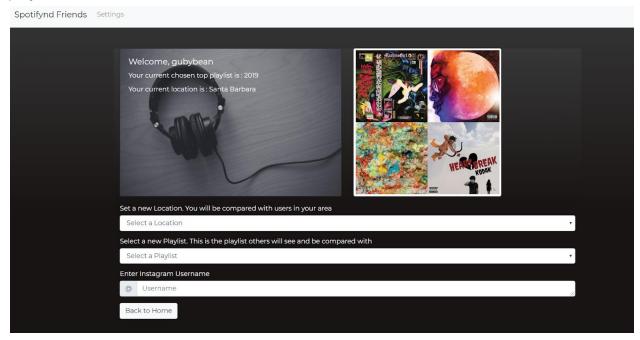
Step 4: Click the settings button in the bottom right corner of the modal window

Hi gubybean!! Welcome to Spotifynd Friends

Before you do anything else, there are a few steps you need to take. 1. Go to Settings 2. Set your personal location and choose your favorite playlist. The location will help us connect you with people also in your area and the playlist will be displayed to these people!

Settings

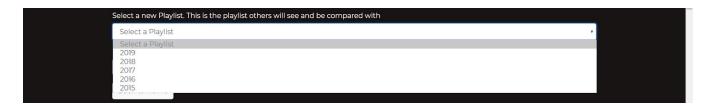
In the settings page there are two fields that you are required to enter in order for you to find others in your area with similar musical tastes based on the similarity of your playlists.



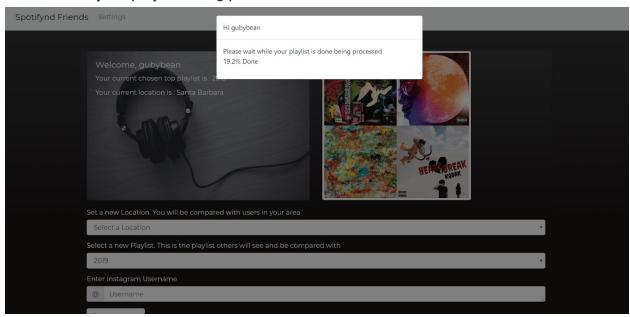
Step 5: Choose the location that best suits your current living situation from the list of provided locations.



Step 6: Choose your favorite playlist from your list of Spotify playlists.



Upon choosing your top playlist you will be met with a modal window that shows you the status of your playlist being processed.



Hi gubybean

Please wait while your playlist is done being processed

19.2% Done

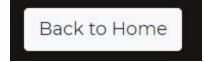
(optional) Enter your instagram username to give others using Spotifynd Friends the ability to connect with you.



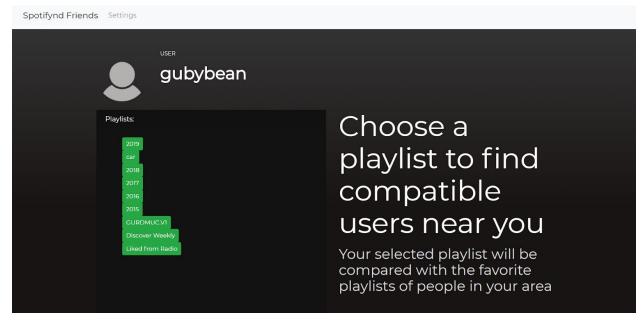
To return to the main Spotifynd Friends page you can either press the Spotifynd Friends button at the top left of the page.

Spotifynd Friends

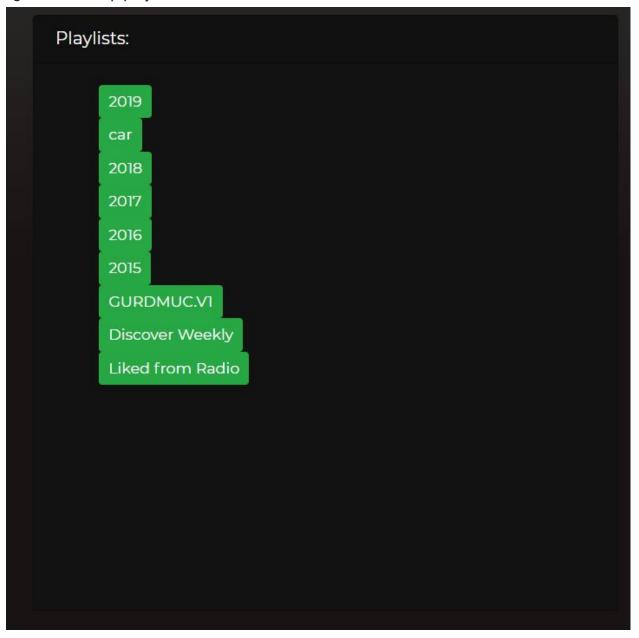
You can also press the Back To Home button underneath the Instagram field to return to the Sptofiynd Friends main page



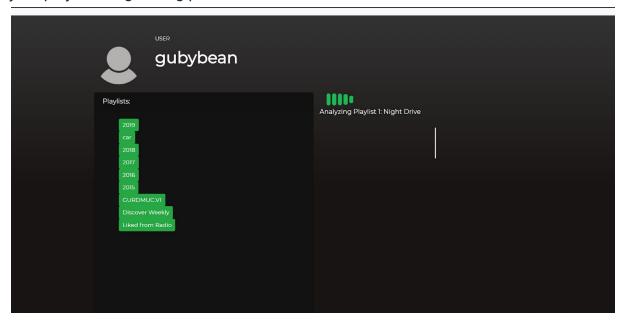
This is the main Spotifynd Friends page, it displays a list of your public and private playlists and are only visible to you.



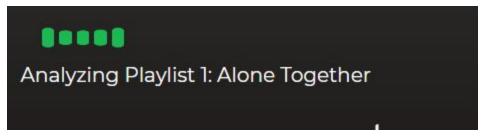
Step 7: To match with others based on your location, choose a playlist to be compared against their top playlists.



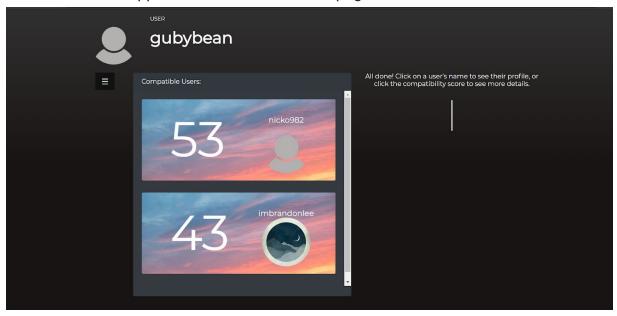
Upon clicking your playlist you will see a loading animation on the right and see all of your playlist songs being processed.



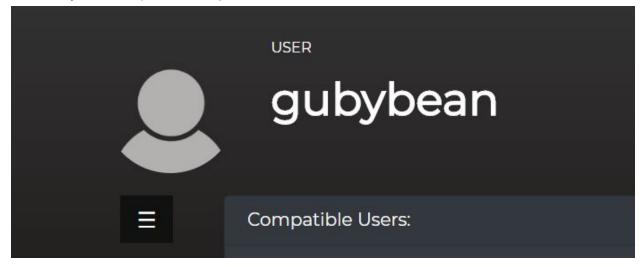
Status of your chosen playlist being analyzed and compared against other users in your chosen area



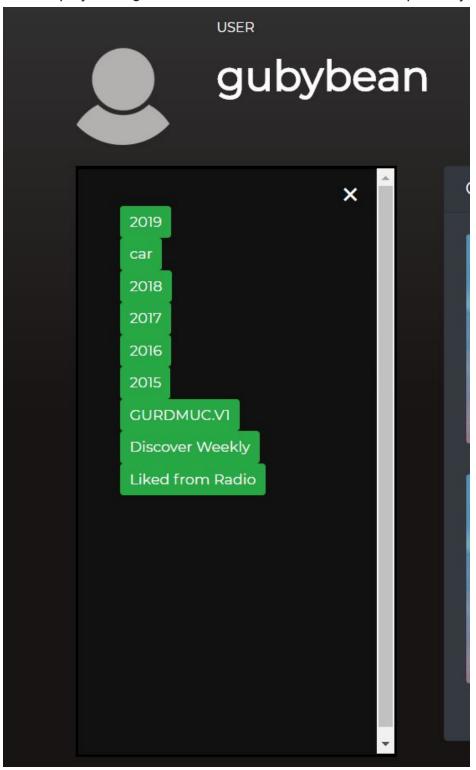
After your playlist is finished being compared against all other users in your area, a list of user cards will appear on the left side of the page.



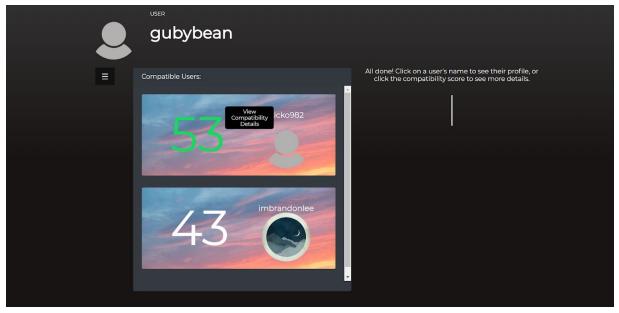
If you wish to choose another playlist for comparison simply press the hamburger icon beneath your user profile image.



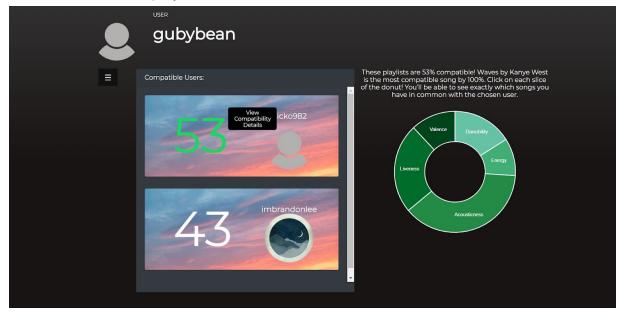
After clicking the hamburger icon, a list of your playlists will appear. Next choose another playlist to generate user cards with different compatibility ratings.



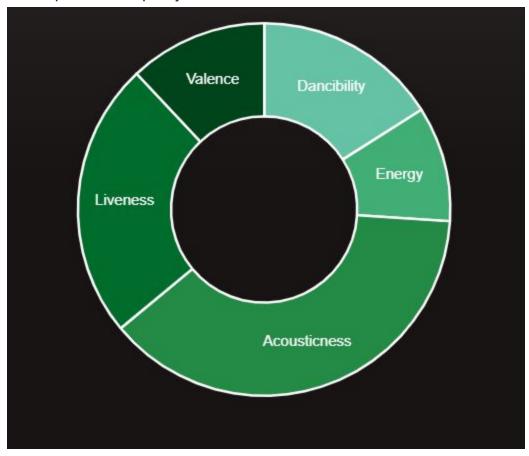
Within the user card there is a large number to the left of the other users username and profile picture. The number represents the compatibility score between your chosen playlist and their top playlist.



After clicking on the compatibility score number, you will see a donut appear on the right side of the page. Above the donut there is a message that shows the overall compatibility score and which song from your playlist had the strongest compatibility with the other users playlist.



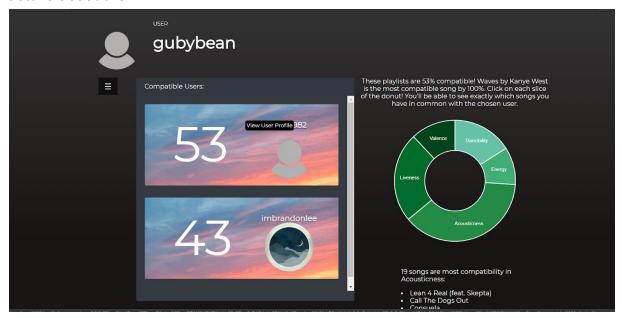
The donut contains attributes which are used to describe the various aspects of a song or composition in Spotify.



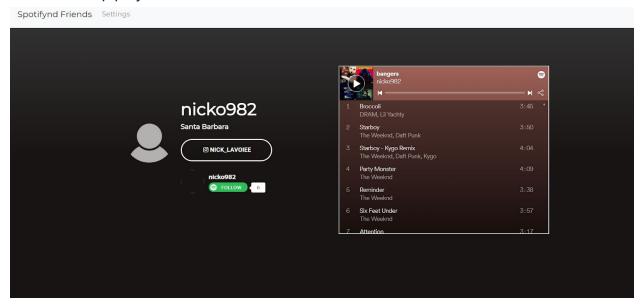
You can click on any of these attributes to see exactly which of your songs had the strongest similarity with the songs in their playlist based on the chosen attribute.



You can click on the other users username and visit their profile page and view more details about them



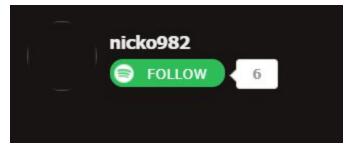
The users profile has details such as their Spotify username, location, and their embedded top playlist.



There is a link to their instagram if they entered one in the settings page.



Beneath their instagram profile link button there is another button that says Follow, it will allow your Spotify account to follow their Spotify account. The number next to the follow button is the amount of followers the user has on Spotify.



On the right side of the users profile page there is an embedded playlist. It is the other user's chosen favorite playlist and can be played through your web browser.

