

A LEISURELY BRUNCH
AT RESERVOIR



MAI TAIS AT
BOOTLEGGER TIKI



ROAD TRIP TO
JOSHUA TREE



How to Palm Springs

TRAM TO THE TOP
OF SAN JACINTOS

HIKE THE INDIAN
CANYON OASIS



A GLASS OR
TWO AT BIRBA



TALL STACK, AT
BILLY REED'S

OR MAYBE JUST
DON'T DO ANYTHING





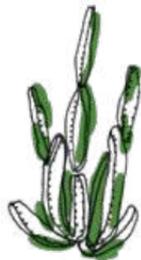
EXPLORE THE DESERT

POOL PARTIES &
NIGHT SWIMS

Palm



MIDCENTURY
MUCH?



A LITTLE "ME"
TIME

A LITTLE "US"
TIME

Springs

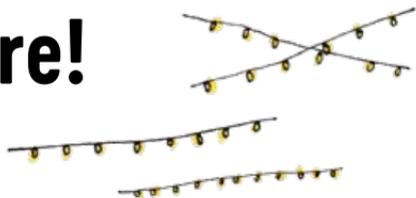


SLOW DOWN AND
RELAX



SUNSETS FOR DAYS

Hey there!



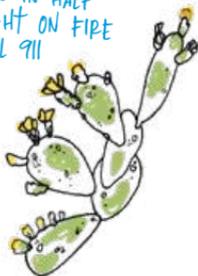
We've made you a list of our favorite things to do, eat, drink and see here in the desert. We hope you find this little book useful on your adventures around Palm Springs.

In a pinch, it can also be used as a coaster, a tiny sun umbrella, or even kindling should a survival situation arise.

1. FOLD IN HALF
2. HOLD OVER HEAD
3. DON'T MOVE



1. FOLD IN HALF
2. LIGHT ON FIRE
3. CALL 911



1. FOLD IN HALF
2. PLACE UNDER DRINK

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Our places

#SELFIES



We have some great places that are part of our family here. We figure they're worth a mention along with all these other great options around town.



Wexler's @ ARRIVE

Just out your door // Open everyday.

Ever wanted to eat pastrami in a hot tub? You're in luck.

Wexler's aims to take the traditional deli back to its roots and provide a place of community, pride, familiarity and quality.

Born of a desire to serve classic Jewish deli food made by people who care, the menu features traditional deli favorite.



Ice Cream & Shop(pe)

Dangerously close to where you are now // Open late.

Need a place to get your ice cream fix and also get some shopping done? With rotating flavors, a do-it-yourself sprinkle bar, and a rad gift shop, you'll understand why they say #palmsspringsisbetter.

GRAB A SEAT BY THE POOL!



Draughtsman

1501 N. Palm Canyon Drive // Open late everyday.

Two doors down from ARRIVE, Draughtsman serves modern pub food, an ever-changing selection of craft beers, beer cocktails, and all the old classics.

Sandfish Sushi & Whiskey

1566 N. Palm Canyon Dr. // Open everyday.

Just across the street, our friend Engin Onural serves up fantastic sushi paired with whiskey and whiskey cocktails.

Coffee

If you have one eye open right now, a pounding headache, and you're still wearing your bathing suit, then you probably had a good time last night. And you definitely need a coffee right now. So here are our favorite coffee spots:

NEED.
COFFEE.
NOW.



Cartel Coffee



1551 North Palm Canyon Dr. // Open everyday.

Cartel's first shop outside Arizona is conveniently also the closest coffee shop to your face right now. These guys love making coffee and it really shows.

Ernest Coffee



1101 North Palm Canyon Dr. // Open everyday.

If you need your Stumptown fix (who doesn't?), Ernest is your spot. Just a 10-minute stroll from ARRIVE, Ernest is a local favorite for great coffee, pastries and people-watching. There's even a tiki bar in the back!

Joshua Tree Coffee

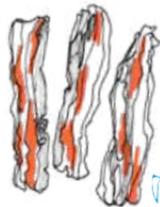
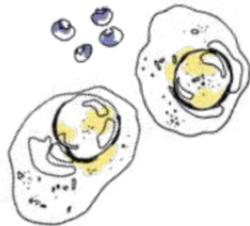
61738 Twentynine Palms Highway, Joshua Tree, CA // Open everyday.

If you are headed out for a daytrip to Joshua Tree, then hit up our friends at Joshua Tree Coffee on your way into or out of the park on Twentynine Palms Highway. They're doing really cool stuff up there and they're super friendly to boot.



Brunch

BUY ME
BRUNCH



Did you know brunch was invented in Palm Springs in 1965 by visionary Leonard J. Brunchington?

TRUTH STORY!

What's vacation without brunch? No city does brunch better than Palm Springs. Hands down. So you need to go eat brunch. And you need to choose wisely. Here are the best of the best:

Cheeky's

622 N. Palm Canyon Dr. // Closed Tuesdays.



Our friends at Cheeky's are a serious local favorite for brunch. If you can handle a little wait (they don't accept reservations), Cheeky's definitely won't let you down. And make sure you try their bacon flight!

Tropicale

330 E. Amado Rd. // Open everyday.

Bottomless mimosas are the name of the game at Tropicale. With a lush outdoor patio and all the brunch classics, Tropicale is a local favorite and where you'll find us nursing a hangover in the morning (and, if we're honest, most of the afternoon).



Billy Reed's

1800 N. Palm Canyon Dr. // Open everyday.

Take your favorite old school diner, add a full bar, a dash of kitsch, put it in a time capsule and voila! All day breakfast, filet mignon and eggs, prime rib night and Billy himself comes in every morning to fresh bake over a dozen amazing cakes & pies!

Lunch & Snacks



The Barn Kitchen

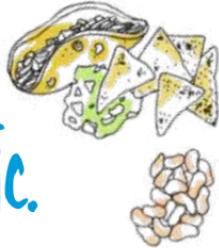
1330 E. Palm Canyon Dr. // Open everyday for lunch.

Located at the beautiful Sparrows Hotel, this tiny restaurant offers a small but perfectly executed menu of sandwiches, salads and small bites. Plus, they're just really nice people.



You missed
brunch?
Don't panic.

JJ'S CHIP REFILLS
=
DANGER ZONE



You slept through brunch. Or maybe you're the type who wants to eat lunch at 11am. Either way, you won't be disappointed with lunch at these spots:

NOOOOOOO!!!
you FOOL!!



J.J.'s

1550 N. Palm Canyon Dr. // Open everyday.

One of very favorite places in Palm Springs, J.J.'s is a great option just across the street for family-run, authentic Mexican. Just don't fill up on the bottomless tortilla chips. Whatever, you probably already did.

Chef Tanya's Kitchen

706 S Eugene Rd // Closed Sun. and Mon.

Vegan cuban food. Yes, you read it right. And it's really really really good. Trust us, this place is a total gem in the desert.



Pool time

LET'S DO THIS THING



You woke up, you drank coffee, you ate brunch. You need a break. It's pool time. Here are our favorite places to do some pool tourism:

SUNSCREEN ☑

TOWEL ☑

SHADES ☑

US WEEKLY ☑



Ace Hotel

701 E. Palm Canyon Dr. // Open everyday.

If you're looking for an honest-to-goodness pool party, the Ace is your best bet. Great music, beautiful people, and a lot of lounge chairs. Their cover charge on the weekend is a bummer, but hipster heaven ain't free, right?

(INSERT HIPSTER JOKE HERE)
(or don't, whatever...)

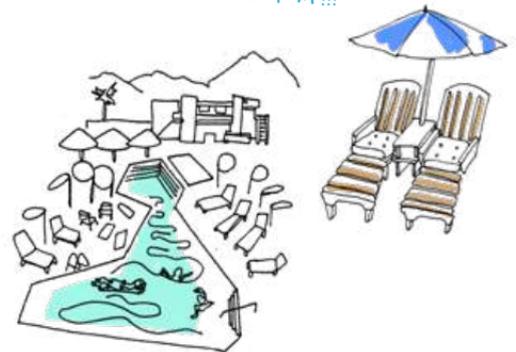


Riviera Hotel

1600 N. Indian Canyon Dr. // Open everyday.

In case you missed your turn to Las Vegas and accidentally ended up in Palm Springs, this is the weekend pool scene for you. Because everyone likes to oontz oontz once in a while.

TUPNT AFI!!!

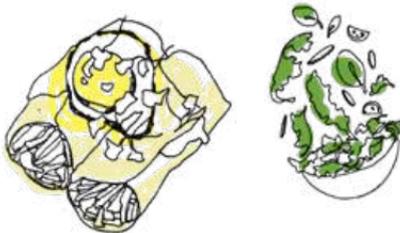


Casual Dinner

HUNGRY
LIKE THE WOLF



They say breakfast is the most important meal of the day, but they say a lot of things. These are the places we could eat at every night and which won't break the bank.



Rooster & Pig

356 S. Indian Canyon Dr. // Closed Tuesdays.

A small but mighty Vietnamese-American beer bar serving food from the heart. Maybe some of the best food in the city. No reservations accepted, so the wait can be a little long.

but totally worth it!

Shanghai Red's Oyster Bar

235 S. Indian Canyon Dr. // Open everyday.



Oysters in the desert? Trust us, this place is a total gem. Amazing fish tacos, oyster shooters, fried seafood and ice cold beer.

Las Casuelas Terraza

222 S. Indian Canyon Dr. // Open everyday.



A Palm Springs institution. Super lively downtown location, great live music, large portions and giant margaritas. A recipe for success.

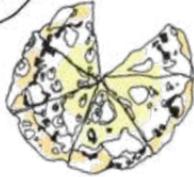
PIDDLE: HOW MANY OYSTER SHOOTERS ARE TOO MANY OYSTER SHOOTERS?

ANSWER: THREE

Upscale Dinner

FINE
WINING.
FINE
DINING.

OH YOU
FANCY?



Hey big spender, here are the best places you and Rich Uncle Pennybags can drop some dime for top flight chow.



TRIED THE
OCTOPUS. LIVED
TO TELL
THE TALE



Melvyn's

200 W. Ramon Rd. // Open everyday.



time to put
out the good
silverware

It doesn't get any more classic Palm Springs than Melvyn's. A frequent haunt of Sinatra back in the day, it's a nostalgic supper club with a variety of old-school classics on the menu.

Birba

622 N. Palm Canyon Dr. // Closed Monday and Tuesday.

From the same folks who brought you that bacon flight at Cheeky's, Birba is our favorite spot for causal but refined Italian grub. Reservations are a good idea.

Workshop

800 N. Palm Canyon Dr. // Open everyday.

Easily one of the most beautiful restaurants in Palm Springs, Workshop offers solid farm-to-table eats. The communal seating arrangement is great for meeting new people and/or creepy eavesdropping.

Sandfish Sushi & Whiskey

1566 N. Palm Canyon Dr. // Open everyday.

Just across the street, our friend Engin Onural serves up fantastic sushi paired with whiskey and whiskey cocktails.

Cocktails



IT'S 5 O'CLOCK
SOMEWHERE.

When it's time to take the party elsewhere, there are lots of places to take it. These are a select few of our favorite local watering holes.



DRINK #1



DRINK #2



DRINK #3

NOT PICTURED:
DRINKS #4-8

Bootlegger Tiki

1101 N. Palm Canyon Dr. // Open everyday.

Rad little tiki bar hiding behind Ernest Coffee. Seriously some of the best cocktails in town.

try THE COCO LOCO!



Amigo Room

701 E Palm Canyon Dr // Usually open.

Dark and sometimes downright musty, there's still no shortage of cool kids to be found here at the Ace Hotel's bar. Check out Bingo Night Mondays or Karaoke Tuesdays – always a fun time!

BINGO & KARAOKE!

YAHATZEE!

Dead or Alive

150 E. Palm Canyon Dr. // Usually open.

With an ever-changing assortment of craft beers and wines, DOA is a stripped down but very cool little hole in the wall.

Truss & Twine

800 N Palm Canyon Dr // Open everyday.

By the proprietors of Workshop Kichen, this chic spot offers great craft cocktails and perfect small bites. They also have a rotating cast of great DJs spinning from the built-in DJ booth.

Dive Bars

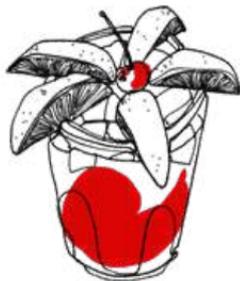
Courtyard
BAR

I REGRET
NOTHING.



When you want to get weird, the desert obliges. These are a select few spots that we think reliably take you somewhere you by no means ever meant to go but maybe are glad you did. ~~Maybe.~~

DEFINITELY.



Village Pub

PUB

266 S. Palm Canyon Dr. // Open everyday.

Drink a pitcher! Grind on a stranger! Listen to an 80's band! If you miss college parties or you want to see some bachelorettes and bachelors make some bad life decisions, then this is your spot.



Toucans

2100 N. Palm Canyon Dr. // Open everyday.

Named "Best Gay Bar 2013" by Palm Springs Life, we love to hit this spot for the packed dance floor, the epic Sunday drag show, and the weekly go-go competitions.



Zelda's

611 S. Palm Canyon Dr. // Open Thu-Sat.

If you're really in-it-to-win-it, then Zelda's is the only game in town. It's a full-on nightclub with bottle service and lights and all that hubbub. Don't say we didn't warn you. #NOPEGETS

#SOMEPEGETS

#HARDTRUTHS

#WHATHAVEIDONE?

#LONGTRIPHOME

High Desert

Where's
the U2 tape?

JOSHUA TREE



JUST ANOTHER
POCK

THE KIDS SAY
"J. TREE"

TIP: BRING WATER AND A
SENSE OF CHILDLIKE WONDER.

Joshua Tree

In the desert. Never closed.

If you've got a car, a half-day to spare, and you really dig the desert landscapes, you've got to hit Joshua Tree. Turn on U2 and try to hit the park early in the morning or at sunset for maximum emotional resonance. Park entry fee is only \$30 for all-you-can-climb boulders. And be sure to hit up our friends Joshua Tree Coffee on your way there.



Pappy & Harriet's

53688 Pioneertown Rd, Pioneertown, CA 92268 // Closed Tuesday & Wednesday.

We don't really want to tell you about this place, because it's probably the coolest spot in the desert and maybe its best kept secret. Pappy & Harriet's is a rad little roadhouse up near Joshua Tree. Their steaks are great, but the real kicker is their live music program. They regularly get first-rate bands to play there - like, bands you definitely have heard of and probably couldn't get tickets to the last time they were in town. If you're lucky enough to be around for one of those shows, it's pure magic.

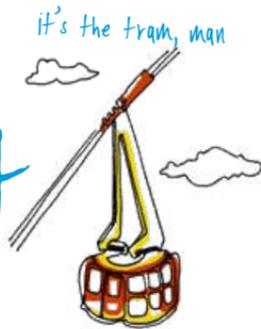
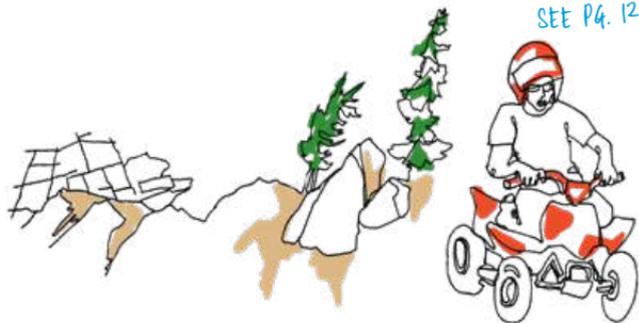
The Integratron

2477 Belfield Blvd, Landers, CA 92285 // Book at integratron.com
Part sound bath, part time machine, part spiritual journey - this will be an unforgettable part of your trip. Make sure to book a sound bath reservation early. They sell out quick!

Activities

For all that
spare time
Between meals

Palm Springs isn't just about floating in the pool all day. It can be, but it doesn't have to be. Depending on the weather, morning is usually the best time to go outdoor adventuring. You'll be back in plenty of time to hit the pool.



Palm Springs Aerial Tramway

1 Tram Way // Open everyday.

This may sound like a tourist trap, but that 6,000 foot elevation gain and 30 degree temperature drop are very real. There's usually snow up there 'til June, and no shortage of hiking trails, dramatic views and other alpine goodness.

I CAN SEE MY HOUSE FROM HERE!

ATV - Offroad Rentals

59511 US Hwy 111 // Open everyday.

Nothing says Palm Springs like four wheelin'. Legend has it that Sinatra once drove an ATV into his pool and didn't even spill his martini. Now's your chance to follow in his footsteps.



Palm Canyon Trail (at Indian Canyons)

38500 S Palm Canyon Dr // Seasonal hours.

A great hike when the weather is cool. The beautiful trail ends at an oasis. Bring: sunblock, hat, water, and \$9 for admission.

Palm Springs Dog Park

2222 N Civic Dr // Open everyday.

A great place to get doggo a little exercise or - if you left the dog at home - to watch other people's dogs getting exercise (we don't think that's creepy (but it kinda is)).

AND A SNACK. YOU GET HUNGRY.

→ *OBVIOUSLY*
Palm Springs has way more to offer than just the places we talked about in here. If you want, we'll happily tell you about a hundred other places to eat, drink, shop, play, learn, and more.

The Purple Room. Melvyn's. Elmer's. Smoke Tree BBQ. Spa Casino Resort. Desert Hills Outlets. The Living Desert. The Palm Springs Modern Art Museum. Real Italian Deli. El Jefe. Palm Springs Yacht Club. *...THE LIST GOES ON*

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