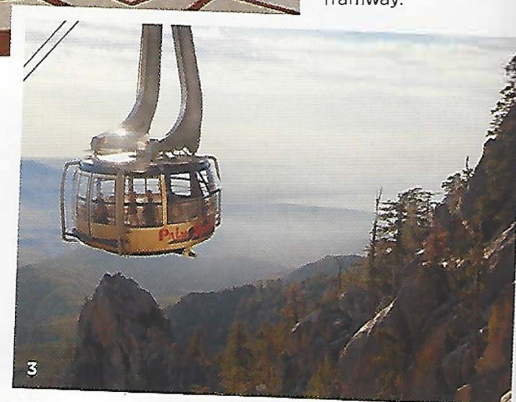


# BG On Location



1 The Galleria is a trove of new and vintage finds. 2 An in-depth look at the local architecture from The Modern Tour. 3 Bird's-eye views from the Aerial Tramway.



## DRINK

Tucked away from the hustle and bustle of Palm Canyon Drive, the city's popular main drag, MELVYN'S, located at the Ingleside Inn, will take you back to the ultra hep days of the Rat Pack. The iconic watering hole offers an old-style charm, not to mention the infamous karaoke bar, which on any given night can be found packed with regulars and tourists alike. Some even claim the spirits of former patrons Rock Hudson and Lucille Ball still inhabit the premises today.

*Melvyn's Restaurant & Lounge, 200 W Ramon Road • 760 325 2323 [inglesideinn.com/melvyns-restaurant](http://inglesideinn.com/melvyns-restaurant)*

## DO

Michael Stern, author of *Julius Shulman: Palm Springs*, helms THE MODERN TOUR, offering ninety-minute driven tours featuring the homes of everyone from Frank Sinatra to Elizabeth Taylor and providing the fascinating backstory on the local architectural attractions.

*The Modern Tour, 1000 Palm Canyon Drive #204 • 760 904 0904 • [themoderntour.com](http://themoderntour.com)*

Feeling adventurous? Visit the AERIAL TRAMWAY, where views of the surrounding landscape are stunning, and so is the weather—temperatures fall as much as thirty degrees as you travel past the picturesque cliffs of Chino Canyon on the largest rotating aerial tramway in the world, cooling you off just in time for a hike on one of the many trails of Mt. San Jacinto State Park.

*Palm Springs Aerial Tramway, 1 Tram Way 760 325 1449 • [palm SpringsAerialTramway.us](http://palm SpringsAerialTramway.us)*

cocktail is the perfect tart complement to their substantial menu of updated classics.

For dinner, head to WORKSHOP, where the industrial glam decor sets the stage for dishes that make the most of local farm-fresh produce, such as roasted heirloom carrots with dates and goat cheese, or delicious veggie enchiladas. Another option is local favorite LE VALLAURIS, renowned for its Mediterranean specialties like succulent lamb accented with spicy harissa.

*Norma's, The Parker Palm Springs 4200 E Palm Canyon Drive 760 321 4630 • [theparkerpalmsprings.com/dine](http://theparkerpalmsprings.com/dine)*

*Cheeky's, 622 N Palm Canyon Drive 760 327 7595 • [cheekysps.com](http://cheekysps.com)*

*Workshop Kitchen + Bar, 800 N Palm Canyon Drive • 760 459 3451 • [workshop-palmsprings.com](http://workshop-palmsprings.com)*

*Le Vallauris, 385 W Tabquitz Canyon Way 760 325 5059 • [levallauris.com](http://levallauris.com)*

## PIT STOP

The Date Shake from HADLEY'S FRUIT ORCHARDS is so good, it's worth its own road trip. It's no secret that Los Angelenos have long been making the twenty-minute drive for years just to taste Hadley's not-so-secret sweet and sultry creamy concoction, which blends vanilla ice cream with uncommonly flavorful locally grown dates.

*Hadley Fruit Orchards, 48980 Seminole Drive, Cabazon • 951 849 5255 [badleyfruitorchards.com](http://badleyfruitorchards.com)*

## DRESS FOR THE OCCASION

HEADING TO PALM SPRINGS THIS SEASON? EXPLORE OUR PICKS FOR WHAT TO WEAR IN THE SUN-DRENCHED DESERT LOCALE, PLUS SEE BEHIND-THE-SCENES PHOTOS FROM OUR PALM SPRINGS SHOOT ON [5th58th.BG.COM/BLOG](http://5th58th.BG.COM/BLOG)

## SHOP

Shopping in Palm Springs is the ultimate treasure hunt. The UPTOWN DESIGN DISTRICT is acclaimed for its vintage furniture, clothing and jewelry finds from the 1950's, '60s and '70s. When it comes to Bakelite jewelry, ROUTE 66 WEST is *it* for collectors worldwide. If searching for furnishings a step beyond the much sought after Eames designs, head to BOULEVARD, or check out the open-air GALLERIA, a gold mine of mid-century finds. New to the Galleria is NO. 6, opened by legendary dandy and friend of BG Patrick McDonald and his twin brother, and featuring their fantastic curated selection of clothing, home décor, books and vintage items.

*Route 66 West, 465 N Palm Canyon Drive 760 322 6669 • [rubylane.com/shop/route66west](http://rubylane.com/shop/route66west)*

*Boulevard, 800 N Palm Canyon Drive 760 832 9011 • [boulevardps.com](http://boulevardps.com)*

*Palm Canyon Galleria/No. 6 457 N Palm Canyon Drive • 760 323 4576/310 802 9201 • [gmcb.com/galleria](http://gmcb.com/galleria)*

## EAT

Brunching in Palm Springs is just as important as hydrating in the scorching desert locale. The first two places to roll off anyone's tongue are NORMA'S and CHEEKY'S. Norma's Waz-Za? rhubarb-stuffed waffles with brûléed bananas are for the truly insatiable, and Cheeky's New Age lime wine

