

## WHILE YOU'RE HERE...



# Things to Do in Palm Springs!

## Featured Attraction

### [Palm Springs Aerial Tramway](#)

Aboard the Palm Springs Aerial Tramway, the World's largest rotating tramcar, you will experience a breathtaking journey up the sheer cliffs of Chino Canyon. Begin the ten minute ride at the Valley Station, elevation 2,643 feet, and end at the Mountain Station, elevation 8,516 feet. No matter what the season, whether you are enjoying spectacular views or hiking in a pristine wilderness, a one-of-a-kind experience can be had by all.

### [The Living Desert](#)

The Living Desert offers an experience like no other. This unique zoo and botanical garden specializes in the deserts of the world. Giraffes, mountain lions, zebras, & cheetahs are just a few of the incredible animals that take you from Africa to North America. The botanical gardens include geographic replicas of areas as diverse as Baja California's Viscaïno Desert and the exotic deserts of Madagascar.

### [Coyote Ridge Stable](#)

Just 20 minutes from Palm Springs! Horseback ride through the scenic foothills of Morongo Valley with breathtaking views of the San Geronio Mountains and Mount San Jacinto! Happy trails!

### [Children's Discovery Museum of the Desert](#)

Whether it's playing with the strobe fan to design fascinating visual patterns or producing the coolest short film clip at the Animation Station, kids can let their imaginations run wild at Children's Discovery Museum of the Desert. This museum offers more than fifty hands-on exhibits to engage the senses in interactive fun and learning.

### [Downtown Palm Springs](#)

Palm Canyon Drive is the very heart of the city of Palm Springs. Here is where you'll find all the shops, galleries, restaurants and attractions that make Palm Canyon Drive a wonderful and memorable experience.

### [Indian Canyons](#)

Indian Canyons in Palm Springs consists of Palm Canyon, Andreas Canyon and Murray Canyon. Palm Canyon offers hikers a moderately graded foot path that leads down to a stream perfect for picnicking. Andreas Canyon offers a more serene, scenic route perfect for photography and bird watching. Murray Canyon is an easy to moderate hike boasting abundant wildlife encounters and is less visited and more secluded.

### [Adventure Hummer Tours](#)

Take a ride aboard an H-1 Hummer into the real desert! Our Hummers are OPEN AIR desert tours. Our tour has been seen on the Discovery Channel. Our tours will both thrill and educate you as we journey into both the third largest oasis in the world as well as into Joshua Tree National Park. We climb to the edge of a volcanic summit where you can see all the way to Mexico.

### [Joshua Tree National Park](#)

Located one hour north of the Coachella Valley in Twenty Nine Palms, Joshua Tree National Park covers 794,000 acres of two diverse desert ecosystems: the Colorado and Mojave Deserts. Take an easy drive for an afternoon or spend several days walking, hiking and camping in one of the greater Palm Springs area's coolest attractions.

### [Palm Springs Air Museum](#)

Home to one of the World's largest collections of flyable WWII aircraft and the air-conditioned hangars have no ropes to keep you from interacting with the exhibits. The extensive library and crew of trained volunteers can provide you details on the aircraft and a sense of the experience of flying them.

### [Wet 'n' Wild](#)

Palm Spring's only water adventure park is 16 acres of water rides and attractions. Themed to 1950s Southern California beaches, guests can catch a wave in the 800,000-gallon Rip Tide Reef wave pool; brave Tidal Wave Tower's seven-story vertical chutes, or relax in the Sunset River. Tube and body slide fans can head for Surf Rider Rapids or Sea Snake.

### [Palm Springs Outlet Shopping Malls: Cabazon Outlets and the Desert Hills Premium Outlets in Cabazon](#)

Make your trip to Palm Springs complete with a fun-filled shopping trip to the popular Palm Springs Outlet Malls, with more than 180 name-brand designer outlet shops and stores! Score an incredible find at the outlet stores – just a quick half-hour drive away!

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