

The Palm Beaches Fact Sheet

America's First Resort Destination®

ACCESSIBLE FROM FOUR FLORIDA AIRPORTS

Palm Beach International Airport-200 Daily Flights
Fort Lauderdale-Hollywood International Airport
Miami International Airport
Orlando International Airport

83°F
average high

68°F
average low

47 miles
OF PRISTINE COASTLINE

more than
180
Hotels

4,000+
dining options

Thirty Nine
cities & towns



LOCATION:

Located along Florida's southeast coast, north of Miami and southeast of Orlando, The Palm Beaches represent a collection of 39 cities and towns. The Palm Beaches span from the coastal cities of Tequesta and Jupiter to Boca Raton and Highland Beach, and out west to Lake Okeechobee.

HOW WE GOT OUR NAME:

Palm Beach's name was inspired by The Providencia, a cargo ship carrying 20,000 coconuts that ran aground off its shores in 1878. Coconut palms grew where the coconuts were planted, creating Florida's first coconut grove and palm tree-lined coast.

GOLF:

The Palm Beaches are Florida's Golf Capital®, with more than 145 public & private golf courses.

CULTURE:

The Palm Beaches are called Florida's Cultural Capital® for a reason: the destination is home to outstanding arts and cultural organizations that offer thousands of events annually.

AMERICA'S FIRST RESORT DESTINATION®:

Between 1894-1896, Henry M. Flagler, often referred to as the founding father of Florida, built two waterfront resorts: the Royal Poinciana Hotel and The Breakers. Flagler also brought Florida's first nine-hole golf course to the area, putting Palm Beach on the map as America's First Resort Destination®, the first destination developed exclusively for tourism.

GETTING HERE:

In addition to four nearby airports (PBI, MCO, FLL and MIA), travelers can access The Palm Beaches by train via Tri-Rail and Brightline (West Palm Beach and Boca Raton stations). The destination is also an easy drive from Orlando, Tampa, Fort Lauderdale and Miami for those traveling by car.

LODGING:

From iconic resorts and well-appointed modern hotels to waterfront views and downtown hot-spots, 20K hotel rooms welcome visitors throughout the destination, in every style and price point.



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DESTINATION EVENTS

SPRING

March

- James Hardie Pro-Football Hall of Fame Golf Tournament
- Palm Beach International Boat Show
- Palm Beach Pride

April

- Barrett-Jackson Auto Auction
- Delray Affair
- Evening on Antique Row
- International Gay Polo Tournament
- South Florida Watermelon Festival

May

- MOSAIC - Month of Shows, Arts, Ideas and Culture

SUMMER

June

- The Pink Retreat

July

- 4th on Flagler

FALL

September

- Delray Beach Restaurant Month
- Flavor South Florida

October

- Oktoberfest of The Palm Beaches

November

- Eudēmonia
- LagoonFest

WINTER

December

- Boca Raton Bowl
- Holiday in Paradise
- Palm Beach Food & Wine Festival
- Palm Beach Holiday Boat Parade
- Palm Beach Marathon
- Zoo Lights

January

- Art Palm Beach

- Artisans of Wine & Food at The Boca Raton
- Battle of the Bands
- South Florida Fair
- South Florida Strawberry Festival
- Winter Equestrian Festival
January through March

February

- ArtiGras Fine Arts Festival
- Cognizant Classic in The Palm Beaches
- Delray Beach Open Tennis Championship
- Festival of the Arts Boca
- Kips Bay Decorator Show House
- Lake Worth Beach Street Painting Festival
- MLB Spring Training for the Miami Marlins, St. Louis Cardinals Washington Nationals & Houston Astros
February through March
- Swank Farms Dinners
- The Palm Beach Show - Jewelry, Art, Antiques, Design
- US Polo Assn. Gauntlet of Polo
February through April



DESTINATION DEVELOPMENTS

NEW HOTELS

- Amrit Ocean Resort
- Palm House
- The Belgrove Resort & Spa
- The Vineta Hotel
- WoodSpring Suites Palm Springs

HOTELS ON THE HORIZON

- The Gulfstream Hotel
- The Nora Hotel

NEW ATTRACTIONS

- TGL presented by SoFi
- Glazer Hall
- XCEL Padel
- Sunset Lounge

