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HOLDEN LUNTZ GALLERY











The Flagler Museum showcases the history of Palm Beach through the home of Henry Flagler, the oil and railroad magnate and developer of modern Florida. His residence, designed by Thomas Hastings and John Carrère, speaks to

the Gilded Age, and of course there is his restored personal railcar to see as well. The Norton Museum, which has been under renovation, will reopen in late February. While they have all types of exhibits, I really enjoy the small but noteworthy permanent collection. I go to The Society of the Four

Arts primarily for its library, which is wonderpretty as well, but I do love the gardens at The the-Sea. Remember to bring some quarters to buy food for the beautiful koi! The best way to tour the city is on foot or by bicycle. The Lake Trail is where you see the Lake

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All the hotels I mentioned have wonderful restaurants. We also really enjoy the restaurants of the Miami

chef Clay Conley: At Buccan, the focus is on American cuisine. All the food is very innovative and the menu changes often. The roasted quail on polenta is delicious; Imoto is pan-Asian food-the dumplings, the duck, the pot stickers, and the sushi are all amazing. Grato in West Palm Beach is more casual and serves Italian bistro food in a

lively setting (a bit noisy for me, but great for a younger crowd!) Go to Honor Bar for the emerald kale salad, the Macho Salad with chicken. and the tuna tartare. Café Flora has the best Burrata salad and veal Bolognese (with real cream) in town. The gazpacho is wonderful as well. We love to sit outside for lunch. Two other great restaurants in West Palm are

Mazie's and Kitchen. Mazie's is updated comfort food. I adore their chicken and the sweet potato biscuit that comes with a pot of whipped butter-fattening but worth it! At Kitchen, everything is the freshest, the simplest, and the best. The chef, Matthew Byre, is an amazing food star, and the grilled fish or grilled chicken is not to be missed! *