

SHAWN WOLF

Met Shawn Wolf, owner of Palm Beach Segway Tours, a West Palm Beach company that has guided guests around town since 2007. Here, Wolf talks about what makes Downtown West Palm Beach “a true hidden gem.”

How I've seen downtown grow:

“I saw the whole Waterfront revitalization take place, in addition to the old library being torn down and the new City Hall and library being built. I saw the public docks being built as well as the South Cove Islands. These are all significant landmarks that have changed and enhanced the landscape of downtown. I have also seen so many great restaurants and businesses get their start in downtown and have since grown to be staples to the downtown area.”

What makes downtown unique:

“It is a relatively small city with a big city feel. It is a great eclectic mix of all ages and demographics. There is so much to do for everyone, young and old.”

What I love most about downtown:

“Everything is so conveniently located — within a short walk, bike or free trolley ride around town. You have access to the spectacular Downtown West Palm Beach Waterfront or just over the bridge to Palm Beach, one of the most exclusive areas in the world. I feel that downtown is a true hidden gem. It's never too busy or crowded, and there is no shortage of things to do and places to eat.”

Where I eat downtown:

“For breakfast, Paris Bakery & Cafe for their eggs and pancakes. A quick healthy lunch would be Chickpea for one of their falafel bowls or wraps. Sit-down lunch at Lynora's for a Grilled Chicken Baguette. Dinner would be



Shawn Wolf, owner of Palm Beach Segway Tours, bubbles over with enthusiasm about Downtown West Palm Beach. PHOTO BY JIM BERIAU

THE DOWNTOWNERS

West Palm Beach business owners dish about why they're downtown – and why you should be, too!

Pistache for their classic Steak Frites and Hullabaloo to try one of their new menu items. If I have a sweet tooth during the day, I walk around the corner to Ganache Bakery for their delicious rum cakes or chocolate chip cookies.”

Where I play downtown:

“Sometimes I like to just take a walk or Segway down to the Waterfront during the day and take in the beautiful

scenery and perfect weather. After work, I enjoy meeting friends at E.R. Bradley's, where the views of the Waterfront can't be beat.”

When I love downtown:

“If I had to choose, I would say the month of December at night. Everything is all lit up and decorated for the holidays, and it just feels magical.”

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Why I want to be downtown:

“A big part of our Segway tour highlights Downtown West Palm Beach. Being on Clematis Street is perfect for us. We have great restaurants, shops, attractions, events and the beautiful Waterfront all steps away.”

Why you should visit downtown:

“There is always something new happening! Just take a walk around and explore. That is what we always encourage our guests to do.”

– Staci Sturrock