

Fact Sheet

Overview:

Situated on the edge of San Diego's Gaslamp Quarter, the 223-room Westgate Hotel embodies the elegance of old-world European luxury, reminiscent of France's legendary Palace of Versailles. The urban resort features deluxe guest rooms appointed with luxury linens, European finishings, elegant marble bathrooms and floor-to-ceiling views of San Diego's skyline and beyond. The Westgate Hotel offers a world-class combination of service, comfort and elegance with a wealth of amenities including AquaVie – a state-of-the-art wellness club, luxury spa, rooftop pool and outdoor running track – plus 12 meeting and event spaces and four food and beverage concepts pairing modern French culinary tradition with Californian grace.

Location: 1055 Second Avenue San Diego, CA 92101

Reservations: 619.238.1818 or visit https://www.westgatehotel.com/

Social: If The Westgate Hotel

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Services/Amenities:

The hotel offers the following services/amenities:

- AquaVie Fitness + Wellness Club
- Heated, Junior Olympic-sized rooftop pool and hot tub
- Four on-site dining options Westgate Room, Veranda, Plaza Bar and Grand Lobby
- In-room dining
- Afternoon High Tea
- Weekend brunch
- 25,000 square feet of meeting and event space
- Business lounge
- Wedding venues and on-site services
- Concierge services
- 24-hour valet parking
- Overnight laundry and dry-cleaning service
- 49-inch LED TVs
- Floor-to-ceiling windows with uninterrupted views
- Luxurious down pillows and comforters
- Oversize marble showers
- Large work desk with power outlets
- Complimentary Wireless Internet

Design:

Custom built in 1970 as a chic re-creation of France's legendary Palace of Versailles, The Westgate Hotel embodies old-world European luxury filled with priceless and one-of-a-kind treasures. The elegant downtown San Diego landmark boasts a distinctively European ambiance conjured

by opulent décor of Baccarat crystal chandeliers specially made for The Westgate in Milan, Italy, French tapestries and exquisite Persian rugs throughout. The Westgate Hotel features notable antiques including an eighteenth-century marble fireplace, the fifth manufactured Steinway Piano and a desk from the Palace of Versailles itself.

Guestrooms:

An elegant urban resort, The Westgate Hotel's 223 guestrooms are the largest in the city of San Diego. Each spacious room is designed to meet the highest standard of European hospitality with soundproof floor-to-ceiling windows welcoming natural light and offering uninterrupted views of downtown San Diego and Balboa Park. The Westgate Hotel offers 400-square-foot Deluxe, Premier and Accessible rooms along with expansive Suites sized up to 1,500 square feet including the Presidential, Governor's, Royal and Executive suites. Each room is complete with luxury bed linens and down comforters and adorned with European antique furniture and opulent décor.

Dining:

There are four onsite dining outlets at The Westgate including Westgate Room, Plaza Bar, Veranda and the Grand Lobby, which features Afternoon Tea every Thursday – Sunday. Led by Chef Fabrice Hardel, Westgate's dining concepts seamlessly pair innovative French-inspired cuisine with rich Californian flavors for an elegant, modern global dining experience. Guests can dine in for weekend brunch with a menu of a la carte favorites, all-day room-service, or poolside dining delivered right to their chair. Guests can enjoy a prestigious line-up of live musicians every Thursday – Sunday evening at the Plaza Bar or the Veranda.

Westgate Room is a San Diego icon anchored in the finest of French culinary traditions and rich in French architectural details. Adorned with sparkling chandeliers, crisp table linens and the elegance of the Westgate's heritage surroundings, the European-inspired gourmet dining concept serves breakfast, lunch, dinner and cocktails daily.

Open Daily | Breakfast: 6:30 – 11 a.m.; All Day Dining: 11 a.m. – 9 p.m.

Veranda is the newest restaurant concept at The Westgate offering an all fresco fine dining experience. The freshly transformed first floor culinary gem offers guests a stylishly relaxed open-air dining destination surrounded by plants and florals.

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Plaza Bar, reminiscent of a vintage private club with plush club chairs and a marble bar, offers an intimate setting for pre-dinner drinks or a nightcap. The glamorous libation destination features a relaxed setting serving premium wine, beer, champagne or craft cocktails. Open Daily | 4:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.

Afternoon Tea, held every Thursday – Sunday afternoon in the Grand Lobby, is an unforgettable experience steeped in elegance and decadence. Surrounded by exquisitely appointed French interiors and the shimmer of antique crystal chandeliers, guests enjoy a wealth of black, green, white or herbal tea selections served beside elegant tea sandwiches and a sweet selection of fresh handmade savories, pastries and French macarons.

Afternoon Tea is served Thursday – Sunday from 2:30 – 5 p.m.

Spa & Wellness:

The Westgate's state-of-the-art wellness center, AquaVie Fitness + Wellness Club, offers hotel guests and members an urban oasis of serenity in the heart of downtown San Diego. Spanning four levels, the haven for health is thoughtfully designed to represent a unique environment and elevate the wellness of the mind, body and spirit. Featuring an impeccable 15,000-square-foot panoramic lookout across the San Diego skyline, AquaVie's 40,000 square feet of custom-designed workout spaces come complete with 200 cardio and weight machines. The luxury spa and modern fitness center feature relaxing steam rooms, dry saunas, a Junior Olympic-sized rooftop pool, an outdoor running track, rooftop spin and strength training equipment, private studios, fitness classes and poolside food and beverage service.

Spa services by appointment only

Fitness Club open Monday – Friday 5 a.m. – 10 p.m.; Saturday – Sunday 7 a.m. – 7 p.m.

Pool open daily from 6 a.m. - 10 p.m.

Meetings:

Conveniently located minutes from the San Diego International Airport and Convention Center and steps from the Trolley Station, The Westgate Hotel features 12 meeting and event venues boasting more than 25,000 square feet of flexible indoor and outdoor space. The Westgate Hotel uniquely offers in house AV specialists and up-to-the-minute technology capabilities. The hotel's contemporary event rooms are designed for guests to enjoy everything from private dinners to workshops and catered receptions.

The 2,550-square-foot Versailles Ballroom is lavishly accented with Baccarat crystal chandeliers, notable artwork and paneling, and perfect for intimate events of up to 150 guests. Le Fontainebleau, the 1,640 square foot special event space, recreates an anteroom in the Palace of Versailles with antiques, Baccarat crystal chandeliers, plush carpets and brocade chairs. The prestigious Rivera Room, located adjacent to the Fountain Terrace, is lined with glass doors offering a generous indoor-outdoor setting for banquets, receptions and special events. Normandy Room, perfect for pre-event gatherings or intimate meetings, features bright paneled walls and a private bar for a unique ambiance across from the Versailles Ballroom. Beyond Four Walls boasts rich oak paneling, bright damask wall coverings, mahogany boardroom tables, private bathrooms and AV equipment. For a stylish corporate gathering or special event, Westgate's Fountain Terrace is a scene for a memorable occasion complete with a stunning skyline backdrop and sunset views for up to 500 guests. Westgate's array of smaller private spaces include the Fleur de Lis, Ambassador, Envoy, Coronet, Petit Salon, Imperial Bar, and Embassy Rooms.

Weddings:

From the paneled French ballroom to the sleek secluded terrace, the European-inspired urban resort sets a stunning and unforgettable scene for weddings of up to 150 guests. The Westgate Hotel offers unmatched elegance and chic style accommodating every aspect of nuptial celebrations from rehearsal dinner and the grand reception to farewell brunch and everything in between. The hotel's expansive suites are ideal

for bridal parties looking for relaxed refinement. Guests can indulge in pre-wedding pampering at AquaVie's spa sanctuary with an array of body and facial treatments.

Check-in/Check-out: 4:00 p.m. / 11:00 a.m.

Parking: The Westgate Hotel offers 24-hour on-site parking for hotel guests and

guests of the property's dining outlets. Overnight parking is \$45 for hotel guests. For shorter visits, the first hour is \$12 while every additional 30 minutes is \$6. The daily maximum parking rate is \$50. Guests attending the Westgate Room, Plaza Bar, Weekend Brunch or Afternoon Tea will receive validated parking for three hours at \$10. There is no self-parking

available.

Pet Policy: With the exception of Assistance Animals, The Westgate Hotel does not

allow pets in guest rooms.

Photos: <u>Imagery linked here</u> (Photo credit: The Westgate Hotel)

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