

Summer Guide 2018

We become tourists in our own backyard and experience all that is iconic in San Diego

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Trolley good, sir!

I've meandered around this strange and beautiful city for over three years and still don't know as many nooks and crannies as dear ol' Scotty, the trolley bus driver for [San Diego Trolley Tours](#) (4010 Twiggs St.). Apparently, Old Town is the most visited historic park in the country. That explains why finding parking is a nightmare. Also, the Old Point Loma Lighthouse is 46

feet, the tallest lighthouse in the U.S. Since when has there been a lighthouse in Point Loma? But it's not half bad, being able to ride a fancy streetcar around places like the Gaslamp and Seaport Village, getting to know the buildings I've passed by a hundred times but knew nothing about. Locals also get discounts on tickets, which typically cost \$39. And try not to wear a hat, because it'll definitely fly off while driving over the 200-foot Coronado Bridge.

—*Victoria Davis*