# NACS Show 2014 Guide to Las Vegas

# The NACS Show Venue

The Las Vegas Convention Center (LVCC), located adjacent to the Las Vegas Strip, encompasses approximately 3.2 million square feet with exhibit space of 2 million square feet and meeting space of nearly 250,000 square feet. The facility is one of the most modern and functional centers in the world - centrally located within walking distance of 100,000 guest rooms.

Free wireless Internet access available in all common lobby areas in the convention center and in Luckys restaurant in the Grand Lobby and the Aces Restaurant in the South Hall.



**LVCC Overview Map** 



**LVCC Hall & Room Locations** 

# **LVCC Parking**

Parking <u>is available</u> for over 5,000 cars. There is a \$10 per day parking charge with in and out privileges through the day.

#### **ADA Accessibility Parking**

Parking spaces for the disabled for both regular vehicles and vans are available at the Las Vegas Convention Center and Cashman Center for properly identified vehicles. Out-of-state dash placards are recognized or temporary disabled parking permits are available through the Nevada Department of Motor Vehicles. Contact them in advance for an application at DMV Special Plates 775-684-4750 in Carson City or visit www.dmvnv.com. A physician's statement will be required. Below you can click on the maps to show the Exterior and Interior Access.









# **Getting to LVCC**

### **Taxis**

More than ten taxi companies provide service to and from the airport and locations throughout Las Vegas. Taxi cab service is regulated by the <u>Nevada Taxicab Authority</u>, a Nevada State agency responsible for issuing medallions and setting fares.

- Some taxis will not accept credit card payments. Customers should notify the attendant if they plan to use a credit card for payment.
- There is a \$2.00 charge on all fares originating at the airport.
- The maximum number of passengers allowed in any taxi is five (5), including infants and children.

### **Public Bus Transportation**

The Regional Transportation Commission of Southern Nevada (RTC) provides bus service to and from McCarran International Airport. For route information, and to make a reservation visit the RTC web site or call: 702.228.4800 / TDD 702.676.1834.

### **Driving to LVCC**

Las Vegas Convention Center 3150 Paradise Road Las Vegas, NV 89109

For customized driving directions please call the Las Vegas Convention Center switchboard to further assistant. The phone number is 702-892-0711.

For more information on the LVCC check out: http://www.lvcva.com/

#### McCarran Airport Shuttle Service

Group shuttles are an economical way to get from the airport to most major hotel/resorts. While en route, group shuttles make multiple stops at locations along the way, so relax and enjoy the spectacular view.

# **Shuttle Service Providers**

Service Provider Contact Information



www.airlineshuttlecorp.com
1. 702.444.1234





#### **Service Provider**

#### **Contact Information**



**Bell Trans** 

www.bell-trans.com

800.274.RIDE (<u>1. 800.274.7433</u>) 702.385.LIMO (<u>1. 702.385.5466</u>)



www.showtimetourslv.com

Showtime

1.702.895.9976



www.shuttlelasvegas.com (1. 800.258.3826)

**SuperShuttle** 

# Getting Around Las Vegas

### **Airport Shuttle**

The most economical way to get to your hotel. Shuttles can cost less than \$10 for Strip/Downtown. Check with your hotel for schedules.

# **Car Rentals**

The average price for an economy car in Vegas is around \$25 to \$30 per day, but the sky's the limit if you want a little more extravagant.

#### **Limousine Services**

See Las Vegas in style for as low as \$35 an hour. Options and pricing vary depending on the vehicle and services.

#### **Parking**

Free parking is abundant. Virtually every major hotel offers free valet parking (don't forget to tip!)

### Public Transportation - (Regional Transportation System - RTC)

A one-way fare on the Strip costs \$3, and slightly less in the rest of the city. Buses on the Strip run 24/7.

#### **Taxis**

Fares start with \$3.30 on the meter, and \$2.65 is then added for every additional mile.





# Las Vegas Monorail

We link you to the Vegas Strip's world-class restaurants, entertainment, shopping, nightlife, hotels, conventions and casinos and everything in between in just minutes. Customer Service ticketing office hours of operations are open daily from 9am to 7pm and located near the <u>ticket vending machines</u> (TVMs).



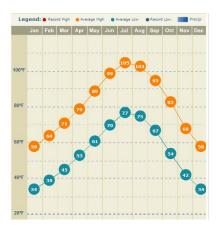
### When the Monorail runs

Mondays 7 a.m. to 12 midnight Tuesday through Thursday from 7 a.m. to 2 a.m. Friday through Sunday, the system operates from 7 a.m. to 3 a.m. Las Vegas Monorail Customer Service – (702) 699-8299

# What to expect from Las Vegas weather in October

October average high: 82F/28C October average low: 59F/15C

October average precipitation: 0.21 in



# **International Travelers**

For any questions about obtaining proper documentation for entering the U.S., please click on the link below. It provides you with information and links for the Visa Waiver Program (VWP) and a link to the Department of State website. You can find all the information you need about entering the U.S. from here, as well as filling out all applicable forms.

Entering the U.S. - Documents required for Foreign Nationals (International Travelers)

International travelers who are seeking to travel to the United States under the Visa Waiver Program (VWP) are now subject to enhanced security requirements and will be required to pay an administrative fee. All eligible travelers who wish to travel to the U.S. under the Visa Waiver Program must apply for authorization and then pay the fee using the following process: Electronic System for Travel Authorization

For international travelers you can find information on the McCarran International airport here: <a href="https://www.mccarran.com/Find/TravelerInformation/InternationalTravel.aspx">https://www.mccarran.com/Find/TravelerInformation/InternationalTravel.aspx</a>

For a full listing of all foreign consulates in and around Las Vegas please click on the link below. Foreign Consulates





# Las Vegas Cuisine

# **The Strip**

- Burger Bar 84% \$\$\$ The Strip -American, Burgers 3950 Las Vegas Boulevard S
- Grand Lux Cafe 88% \$\$\$ The Strip -American, Breakfast/Brunch 3355 Las Vegas Boulevard S
- <u>Earl of Sandwich</u> 92% \$ The Strip -Sandwiches/Subs, Soup 3667 Las Vegas Boulevard S
- <u>Sugar Factory</u> 72% \$\$\$ The Strip -American, Breakfast/Brunch,
   Desserts/Ice Cream 3655 S Las Vegas Boulevard
- Mastro's Ocean Club 93% \$\$\$\$ The Strip - American, Seafood, Steakhouse 3720 S Las Vegas Blvd
- Slice of Vegas 94% \$\$\$ The Strip -Italian, Pizza, Vegetarian 3930 Las Vegas Boulevard S
- Mozen Bistro 92% \$\$\$\$ The Strip -Asian, International, Organic 3752 Las Vegas Blvd S
- <u>Hash House A Go Go</u> 83% \$\$ The Strip
   Breakfast/Brunch, Modern American
   3535 Las Vegas Boulevard S

#### <u>Downtown</u>

- Florida Cafe: Cuban Bar and... 86%- \$\$
   Downtown Cuban, Desserts/Ice Cream
   1401 Las Vegas Blvd S
- <u>Luv It Frozen Custard</u> 93% \$
   Downtown Desserts/Ice Cream 505 E
   Oakey Blvd
- <u>El Sombrero</u> 91% \$\$ Downtown -Mexican, Tacos, Tex-Mex 807 S Main St

- Triple 7 Brewpub 87% \$\$ Downtown -American, Pub Food 200 N Main Street
- Vic & Anthony's Steakhouse 92% \$\$\$\$
   Downtown American, Seafood,
   Steakhouse 129 E Fremont Street
- <u>Pizza Rock</u> 96% \$\$\$ Downtown -Italian, Pizza 201 N 3rd Street

# Off-Strip

- Yama Sushi 91% \$\$\$ East Side Asian,
   Japanese, Sushi 1350 E Flamingo Rd
- Hofbrauhaus Las Vegas 85% \$\$\$ East
   Side German 4510 Paradise Rd
- Roy's Restaurant 92% \$\$\$\$ East Side -Hawaiian, Seafood 620 E Flamingo Road
- In-N-Out Burger 94% \$ East Side American, Burgers 4705 S Maryland Pkwy
- <u>Casa di Amore</u> 85% \$\$\$ East Side Italian, Seafood 2850 E Tropicana Avenue
- Monta 96% \$ West Side Japanese,
   Noodle Shop 5030 Spring Mountain Rd
- The Fat Greek Mediterranean... 86% \$\$
   West Side European, Greek,
   Mediterranean 4001 S Decatur Blvd #34
- Omelet House 94% \$ West Side -Breakfast/Brunch, Diner, Sandwiches/Subs 2160 W Charleston Boulevard
- Naked City Pizza Shop 90% \$\$ West Side - Italian, Pizza, Sandwiches/Subs 3240 S Arville Street
- Rollin' Smoke Barbeque 96% \$\$ West Side - American, Barbecue, Southern/Soul 3185 S Highland Dr.

### **North Las Vegas**

 #1 Hawaiian Barbecue 91% - \$ North Las Vegas - Asian, Hawaiian 5870 North Losee Road, Suite 157





- <u>Capriotti's Sandwich Shop</u> 88% \$\$
   North Las Vegas American,
   Sandwiches/Subs, Soup 1311 W Craig Rd
- Que Mas Mexican Cafe 91% \$\$ North
   Las Vegas Mexican 1435 W Craig Rd
- Old School Pizzeria 89% \$ North Las Vegas - Bakery, Italian, Pizza 2040 E. Craig Rd
- <u>Famous Dave's Barbeque</u> 87% \$\$ North Las Vegas - Barbecue, Southern/Soul 2630 E. Craig Road

# South Las Vegas

- <u>Texas de Brazil</u> 88% \$\$\$ South Las
   Vegas Brazilian, Steakhouse 6533 S Las
   Vegas Blvd
- Havana Grill 88% \$\$ South Las Vegas -Cuban 8878 S Eastern Ave Ste 100
- Original Sunrise Cafe 92% \$\$ South Las Vegas - Breakfast/Brunch 8975 S Eastern Avenue

- The Bootlegger Bistro 87% \$\$\$ South Las Vegas - Italian 7700 Las Vegas Boulevard S
- BJ's Restaurant & Brewhouse 86% \$\$
   South Las Vegas American, Burgers,
   Pub Food 9500 S Eastern Ave
  - \*Restaurant information and ratings from UrbanSpoon.com

# Neighborhoods near the LVCC

#### **Downtown Las Vegas**

Downtown Las Vegas is the central business district of Las Vegas, Nevada. It is the original town site and gambling district of Las Vegas, prior to the Strip, and the area still incorporates downtown gaming. As the urban core of the Las Vegas Valley, it features a variety of hotel and business skyscrapers, cultural centers, historical buildings, and government institutions as well as residential and retail developments. Downtown is located in the center of the Las Vegas Valley and just north of the Las Vegas Strip, centered on Fremont Street, the Fremont Street Experience and Fremont East. The city defines the area as bounded by I-15 on the West, Washington Avenue on the North, Maryland Parkway on the east and Sahara Avenue on the South.





### The Las Vegas Strip

The Las Vegas Strip is an approximately 4.2-mile (6.8 km) stretch of Las Vegas Boulevard South in Clark County, Nevada. The Strip is not located within the City of Las Vegas but is in the unincorporated towns of Paradise and Winchester, which are south of the Las Vegas city limits. Most of the Strip has been designated an All-American Road and is considered a scenic route at night. Many of the largest hotel, casino, and resort properties in the world are located on the Las Vegas Strip. Fifteen of the world's 25 largest hotels by room count are on the Strip, with a total of over 62,000 rooms. One of the most visible aspects of Las Vegas' cityscape is its use of dramatic architecture. The modernization of hotels, casinos, restaurants, and residential high-rises on the Strip has established the city as one of the most popular destinations for tourists.

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Downtown\_Las\_Vegas

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Las\_Vegas\_Strip

# Las Vegas Attractions

**Welcome To Fabulous Las Vegas Sign -** The famous "Welcome to Las Vegas Sign". Start of the fabulous "Las Vegas Strip"!

**Flamingo Wildlife Habitat -** Appropriately enough, the Flamingo resort is home to a flock of live Chilean Flamingos! These birds, as well as a collection of other feathered friends, fascinate our guests and populate our Wildlife Habitat. In addition to our namesake, you'll find swans, ducks, Koi, and turtles populating these grounds. All of our animals are carefully tended by experts and live on islands and streams surrounded by sparkling waterfalls and lush foliage.

**Stratosphere Tower Thrill Rides -** All rides are at the top of the Stratosphere Tower, over 900 feet high. The four extreme thrill rides are The SkyJump, the Big Shot, the X Scream, and Insanity.

The X Scream, "is an eight seat ride that dramatically thrusts its open roller coaster car along a 69-foot ramp at 30 miles per hour until suddenly stopping 29 feet over the edge of the tower and 866 feet from the ground below. The panoramic view from the top and the temporary sensation of free fall add to the ride's exhilaration.

**Shark Reef Aquarium -** A trip to the Shark Reef at Mandalay Bay takes guests on a 14-exhibit journey through a jungle environment into a sunken shipwreck where they will see 2,000 animals, including some of the most dangerous predators in the world. Accredited by the American Zoo and Aquarium Association, the Shark Reef offers a pre-taped tour and has naturalists positioned throughout the exhibit to answer questions.





**High Roller -** If you are looking for a unique and spectacular view of the Las Vegas Strip and surrounding area, look no further than the High Roller Observation Wheel. Towering at 550 feet, it is the largest observation wheel in the world - and it provides a one-of-a-kind experience in Las Vegas. Situated at the end of the entertainment, dining, and retail district known as The LINQ, it is the new focal point of center Strip. Experience a grand adventure as you enter into one of 28 spherical cabins, holding up to 40 guests. Enclosed by 360 degrees of glass windows, the cabins also feature dynamic video and music shows. At one foot per second, it will take you approximately 30 minutes to soar high above Vegas and grab that special photo memory!

**The Auto Collections -** The World's Largest Classic Car Showroom! The Auto Collections at The Quad is the auto enthusiast's dream. Featuring 250 classic cars that span more than a century, every single one is available for purchase--from a mere \$20,000 to pricey \$3 million. The auto collection is conveniently located on the 5th floor of the parking facility.

For more attractions visit: <a href="http://www.lasvegas.com/activities/attractions">http://www.lasvegas.com/activities/attractions</a>

# Las Vegas Shows

**Blue Man Group -** With invigorating music, innovative lighting effects, sensational technology and the antics of three captivating blue men, the show brings an over-the-top experience to audiences on the Las Vegas Strip. The excitement starts with a dazzling percussive parade that begins 45 minutes before each show. The high-energy procession, a musical centipede of percussion instruments, musicians, robots and puppets co-created with world-renowned 3-D designer Michael Curry, immerses unknowing spectators into the imaginative world of the Blue Man Group. It's your first insight to the thrilling spectacle that awaits you when the Blue Man Group is onstage.

Mystère by Cirque du Soleil - You could view Mystère by Cirque du Soleil as a deep, abstract interpretation of the origins of life and the universe. Or you could simply see it as the most "pure" Cirque du Soleil experience you can get in Vegas. Either way, Mystère is going to wow you with the beauty it evokes and the acrobatic talent it showcases. This show fuses elements of performance art, music and culture from around the world, using characters that seem both familiar and exotic all at once. Performers in colorful outfits channel birds, lizards and other colorful animals with dance and acrobatic maneuvers, just as the two baby characters bring both laughs and gasps to the audience with their innocent and often near-perilous hijinks.

Jersey Boys - The show is a musical documentary that tells the often turbulent, rags-to-riches story of Frankie Valli and The Four Seasons. It follows the lives of the four blue-collar boys from the tough streets of Newark, New Jersey, as they became one of the biggest pop music sensations of all time. The story is told from the viewpoints of all four band members: Tommy DeVito, who founded the group and kept them together until they finally hit it big with "Sherry" in 1962; Frankie Valli, the best-known member of the group with his trademark falsetto voice; Bob Gaudio, who penned the group's biggest hits; and Nick Massi. Some people will also be surprised to learn that it includes the story of actor Joe Pesci, the friend who introduced DeVito to Gaudio and helped launch the group's rise to success.

**LOVE Cirque du Soleil -** The Beatles LOVE by Cirque du Soleil at the Mirage takes audiences on a magical journey through the fantastical world depicted by the timeless music of the Beatles. Acrobatics, aerialists and a cast of colorful, intriguing characters combine to create a mystifying visual pared with the already sensational soundtrack.





**Rock of Ages** - Broadway and motion picture hit Rock of Ages will have audiences at the Venetian singing along to their favorite rock songs of the '80s by bands like Styx, Journey, Bon Jovi and Poison. The hilarious Rock of Ages brings audiences back to the era of big hair and even bigger bands with a soundtrack of 28 popular rock songs from the '80s including "Every Rose Has Its Thorn," "I Wanna Know What Love Is," "Here I Go Again," "Don't Stop Believin' " and more.

**O by Cirque du Soleil -** O by Cirque du Soleil is an ethereal, visually stunning show that incorporates the elements of air, fire and - most prominently - water. The name, a play on the French word for water, is fitting. A cast of 85 acrobats, synchronized swimmers and divers perform in and above a 1.5 million-gallon pool.

For more shows visit: <a href="http://www.lasvegas.com/shows-and-events/">http://www.lasvegas.com/shows-and-events/</a>



