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10 THINGS I LOVE ABOUT VEGAS

## BENNINGTON PIERCES TOGETHER HIS FAVES

*Besides his passion for music, Linkin Park frontman Chester Bennington has a passion for ink. Bennington co-founded Club Tattoo and spread his inked wings by recently opening a fifth store in Miracle Mile Shops at Planet Hollywood Resort. The store, which features everything from tattooing and piercing to clothing and body jewelry, continues to promote the trendsetting lifestyle brand that began in Arizona more than a decade ago. Bennington sat down with LVM's Kiko Miyasato and inked his Sin City favorites.*

**Club Tattoo in Miracle Mile Shops.** Selfishly and unselfishly, this place is the best. It's the best in the world.

**Gambling.** I'm not a big gambler, but I enjoy it. I never gamble to win money, even though that's a nice fringe benefit. I mostly like it because of the insane characters you get to meet at the tables.

**Amazing restaurants.** Koi is great. And of course, Nobu, which is awesome. Las Vegas also has great steakhouses like Strip House.

**Pools.** They're one of the cool things that I love about a lot of the properties. The pool at Mandalay Bay is probably the best in Vegas, period.

**"O" by Cirque du Soleil.** It's one of the most amazing shows I have ever seen. Seeing what those performers have to go through physically is pretty impressive.

**Richard Petty Driving Experience.** It's a lot of fun. It's pretty badass and it's a great experience.

**Golf.** There's some great golf courses out here. I like to play when I can. I suck, but for me golfing isn't really about being good at it; it's more about being outside and in nature.

**Battista's Hole in the Wall (4041 Audrie St., just off the Strip).** The Italian restaurant, I love it. The food and the old man with the accordion are awesome.

**The War table.** I don't know why there isn't War in every casino! You can spend hours there. It's a cheap game, it's fun, you can waste time and people are crazy about it.

**Drunk people.** Because they're drunk and they're idiots and it's hilarious and I love it. I love watching people carry 4-foot-tall margaritas with shoulder holsters—it's ridiculous!

