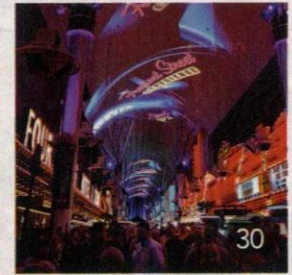
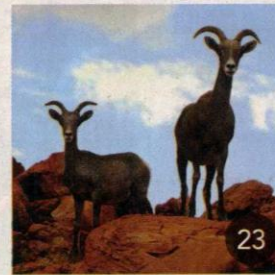
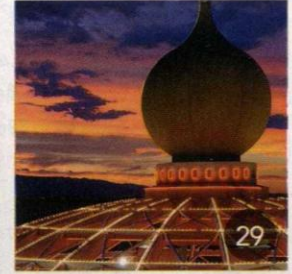
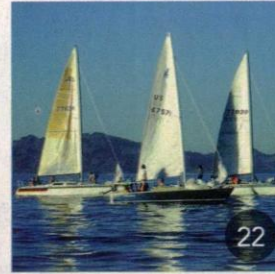
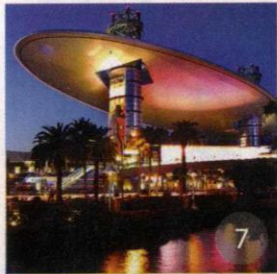


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## 30 things we love about Las Vegas



**1** A suite at the **JW Marriott**. The beds are beyond soft, and every bathtub has water jets.

**2** The guys at **Gold & Silver Pawn**, the focus of "Pawn Stars" on History Channel. You'll easily discover its exact location while driving Las Vegas Boulevard toward downtown—due to the number of people snapping photos.

**3** **Japonais** at the Mirage. There's no better way to do Japanese.

**4** **The Playboy Club** at the Palms. Hang with Hef and his girls. Really.

**5** The Buffet at **Wynn Las Vegas**. We can't get enough of the lettuce wraps.

**6** **Margaritaville** at the Flamingo. Great food, great drinks, even better fun.

**7** Shopping 'til we drop at **Fashion Show**. **8** Watching planes land at McCarran Airport from the pull-out across from PT's on Sunset Road.

**9** **KA** at MGM Grand. It offers some combat for the guys.

**10** Playing with the interactive touch-screen tables at **i-Bar** at the Rio—bowl, take a tour of Las Vegas, even flirt with the hottie across the bar.

**11** **Shark Reef** at Mandalay Bay. In addition to getting up-close and personal with these predators from the deep, gaze at sea turtles, rays, moon jellies and more.

**12** The **Welcome to Fabulous Las Vegas** sign, our town's unforgettable beacon, designed by Betty Willis in 1959 and still as relevant today as it was then.

**13** **Las Vegas Springs Preserve**. Discover the history of Las Vegas, watch out for flash floods and get tips about how to live green that we can all put into action.

**14** Dancing the night away at MGM Grand's **Studio 54**, a classic Vegas nightlife spot.

**15** Meeting people from around the world at every turn.

**16** The fun book at **Casino Royale**. So many deals, plus \$50 of free slot play.

**17** **Sur La Table** at the Miracle Mile Shops at Planet Hollywood, now in an expansive new home just inside the shops' entrance from the parking garage. Find every kitchen implement you'll ever need—and then some.

**18** **The Bellagio Conservatory**. This bright and airy atrium is tended to by a horticultural staff of more than 100.

**19** Guacamole and a margarita at **T&T** at Luxor—kick back and enjoy the party.

**20** **Jubilee!** at Bally's, which contains more showgirls than we've seen, well, anywhere.

**21** The thrill of the gaming floor, in particular, throwing down a bet on our favorite number on the **roulette** wheel.

**22** Renting a boat and spending the day on the water at **Lake Mead**.

**23** Bighorn sheep sightings during an early-morning hike at **Red Rock National Conservation Area**. \$5 per car and hikes that vary from mild to expert.

**24** **The Seahorse Lounge** at Caesars Palace. This 1,700-gallon aquarium offers a 360-degree view of Australian Potbelly seahorses.

**25** **KGB**, a Russian-themed burger joint at Harrah's. It's helmed by chef Kerry Simon, whose whimsical desserts will have you recalling your childhood.

**26** Watching the casino action from the **mezzanine** of New York-New York.

**27** The cucumber martini at Mandalay Bay's **StripSteak**.

**28** The breathtaking costumes in **The Lion King** at Mandalay Bay, which celebrated its first anniversary this May.

**29** The detailed porte cochere at the **Sahara**.

**30** **Fremont Street Experience's**, Viva Vision screen, which displays shows set to the music of Queen and KISS high above the street below.

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