

Vacation at the Rio...Why not?

Surveys conducted by BCAPL/CSI showed participants overwhelmingly approved the date change for the Championships. Actually, it was overdue! School is not in session, so families with school age children can now attend. Getting away from the Mother's Day conflict is also huge. Now mothers, daughters, grand mothers and family can enjoy their day and not have to postpone traditional family events.

ALL-SUITE HOTEL! Family vacation at a world famous 4 Star resort? Take advantage of all Vegas has to offer and maximize your dollars using the Rio/BCAPL/CSI reduced room rate package with no resort fees tacked on as other hotels add. Every suite offers over 600 square feet of luxury with sofa and sitting area with table and chairs. Having stayed there before, I can assure you it is very spacious and will easily accommodate the family or another couple. Did I mention the free refrigerator in the room and the Vegas views?

Will I have time to vacation with family at the Championships? YES!

Previous Championships had room for approximately 245 tables for play. Not the case at the Rio. This world class event will boast of about 350 tables in play, new software allowing players to access their match times and fewer late evening match starts. This allows players flexibility to schedule more free time.

Not just destination Rio, but destination Vegas! I have lived there on and off for 12 years and every time I return there is something different. But what always remains the same is how far one can stretch their entertainment dollar. The Rio offers great free entertainment in the Masquerade Village. Whether you enjoy casino floor gaming for your free time entertainment, poker, relaxing at the pool, or family outings with a helicopter ride over the Grand Canyon, you can do it in Vegas. Vegas has the best entertainment events on the planet; check out the entertainment sites and catch a world famous show.

Championship Dates – July 17-27 2013. This date change screams vacation! Make this inaugural event one to remember – bring the family. In addition to the BCAPL event, CSI provides a home for the **US Open One Pocket**, **US Open 10-Ball** and the **US Open Straight Pool** events; all taking place at the BCAPL National Championships. All three US Open events showcase the absolute best players in the world; all under one roof, one time frame and **one vacation**.

In summary, look ahead to your summer schedule, this year and next, compare what your destination dollars get you, weigh those numbers, and consider your choices. Also, go to different entertainment sites for Vegas, explore options, and make the best choice for your vacation. Please feel free to contact me with any questions you may have.

See you in the Rio for the 2013 Championships...

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