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Empire City Casino Captures Five Awards in Nationwide Contest to Find “The Best”

January 14, 2014 – New York’s own, **Empire City Casino**, located at Yonkers Raceway in Westchester County, has walked away with five top honors in the nationwide contest for “Best Dining & Nightlife Awards” by *Casino Player* magazine. The recognition once again clearly illustrates Empire City’s status as a leading destination in America for gaming and entertainment.

Empire City was named “Best” in the following categories, selected from racetrack casinos (aka ‘racinos’) across the country:

- “Best Overall Service Award”
- “Best Place To Celebrate”
- “Best Comedy Club” – ***The Good Time Room***
- “Best Place For Cocktails” – ***Dan Rooney’s Café & Sports Bar***
- “Best Italian” – ***Nonno’s Trattoria***

“We are delighted to be selected ‘the Best’ in five categories by *Casino Player* magazine,” said **Ryan Murphy**, Empire City Casino Vice President of Marketing. “We are proud recipients, congratulate our staff, and will continue to offer our players the ultimate gaming experience.”

Click [here](#) to view the full “Best of” issue of *Casino Player* magazine.



About Empire City Casino at Yonkers Raceway:

Empire City Casino, one of the largest entertainment and gaming destinations in the country, features 5,300 of the hottest **slots**, electronic **craps**, **roulette**, **baccarat** and **sic bo**; year-round harness **rac**ing & International **simulcasting** from North America’s leading harness and thoroughbred venues; nightly **live entertainment** including the best party, country, tribute and Latin **bands**, **comedy**, **karaoke** & more. A plethora of **dining** options will satisfy even the most discerning palate: enjoy authentic Italian cuisine at **Nonno’s Trattoria**; dine trackside with live betting at **Empire Terrace Restaurant**; convenient delicious options at the **International Food Court** or **Grab ‘n Go**. A new \$50 million expansion added **Dan Rooney’s**, a high-energy sports bar which boasts creations by Michelin-starred Chef Christopher Lee; **Pinch**, in collaboration with **Ducasse Studios**, not only whets the appetite but also features 100 New York craft beers; and **Alley 810**, a craft cocktail lounge rounds out the entertainment options with retro **bowling** lanes. Empire City Casino at Yonkers Raceway is located at 810 Yonkers Avenue (at Central Avenue) in Yonkers, New York, Westchester County (I-87 to Exit 2), open seven days a week from 9:00am to 4:00am. Connect with us on [facebook.com/empirecity](https://www.facebook.com/empirecity), follow us on [twitter.com/EmpireCity_C](https://www.twitter.com/EmpireCity_C), visit www.empirecitycasino.com or call 914.968.4200 for more information.

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