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Whether you're a local or tourist, we always feature our favorite spots along with all the new and exciting things our city has to offer.

This week's cover features Alec Mapa and Cade Maddox. The duo will be hosting the illustrious 2024 GayVN Awards on January 25th at Resorts World and streamed live on GayVNAwards.com. This highly anticipated red-carpet event will celebrate exceptional achievements across 33 award categories, with 17 being fan-voted. Don't miss the opening party at The Garden on January 24th and the afterparty at Queen Las Vegas on the 25th.

Sin City Classic is a wrap and now the City gets ready to host its very first Super Bowl! Preparations are already underway for the February 11th event. The event is expected to rival New Years Eve in Vegas with over 300,000 visitors expected.

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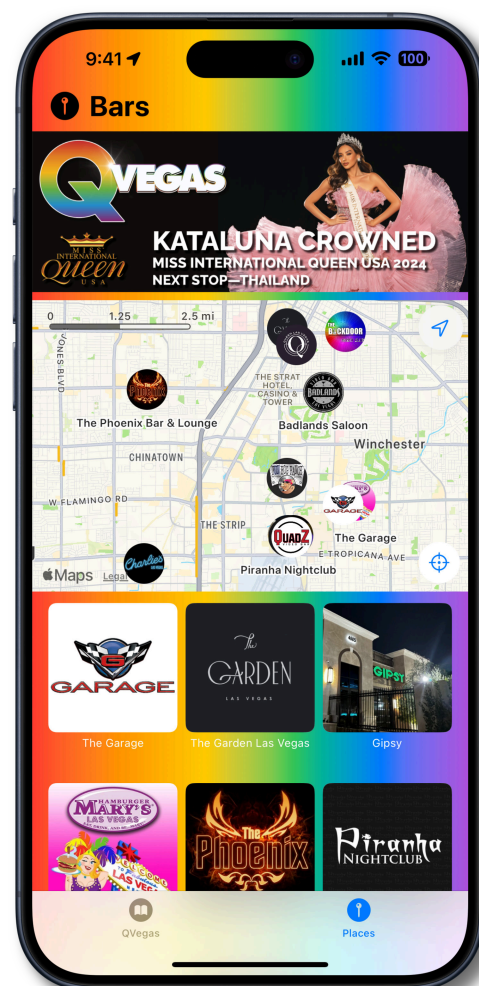
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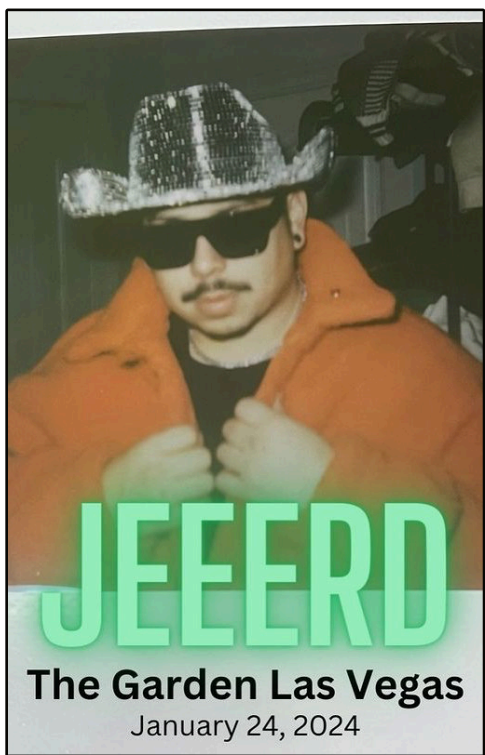
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Dynamic Duo Cade Maddox and Alec Mapa to Host Star-Studded 2024 GayVN Awards in Las Vegas

The 2024 GayVN Awards, hosted by the renowned Cade Maddox and Alec Mapa, is set to be an illustrious event in the world of gay adult entertainment. Scheduled for January 25 on the iconic Las Vegas Strip and streamed live on GayVNAwards.com, this highly anticipated red-carpet event will celebrate exceptional achievements across 33 award categories, with 17 being fan-voted.

The GayVN Awards, often referred to as 'The Oscars of Gay Porn,' have a storied history of recognizing excellence in the industry. With categories that have evolved over the years to reflect the changing landscape of gay adult entertainment, the awards have continually honored the best in performance, production, and creativity.

Performance Categories

Central to the GayVN Awards are the performance categories. In previous years, these have included 'Performer of the Year', 'Best Newcomer', and 'Best Actor'. The 'Performer of the Year' category is particularly prestigious, spotlighting individuals who have shown exceptional

talent and presence over the past year. Cade Maddox himself won this accolade in 2020, a testament to his impact in the industry.

'Best Newcomer' is another sought-after title, recognizing emerging talents who have made a significant impact in their debut year. Meanwhile, 'Best Actor' honors performers who have delivered outstanding performances in feature productions, showcasing not only their physical prowess but also their acting abilities.

Production Categories

The production categories are equally significant at the GayVN Awards. These include 'Best Feature', 'Best Director', and 'Best Cinematography'. 'Best Feature' acknowledges the top full-length adult film of the year, while 'Best Director' celebrates the visionaries behind the camera who bring these films to life. 'Best Cinematography' is awarded to the production that exhibits exceptional visual artistry and technical skill.

Specialty Categories

Over the years, the GayVN Awards have also included specialty categories that



recognize unique aspects of gay adult entertainment. These have ranged from 'Best Fetish Scene' to 'Best Group Scene', and 'Best Duo Scene'. Each category celebrates a different dimension of creativity and performance, catering to the diverse tastes and preferences within the gay adult community.

Fan-Voted Categories

An essential element of the GayVN Awards is the inclusion of fan-voted categories, which allow the public to have a say in who gets honored. Categories such as 'Favorite Porn Star', 'Hottest Newcomer', and 'Social Media Star' are decided by fans, adding a layer of audience engagement and connection to the event.

Technical and Artistic Categories

Recognizing the behind-the-scenes work that goes into creating high-quality adult content, the GayVN Awards also include technical and artistic categories. These have included 'Best Art Direction', 'Best Editing', and 'Best Soundtrack'. Each category underscores the importance of the technical and artistic contributions that elevate the overall quality of adult productions.

Impact and Legacy of the GayVN Awards

The significance of the GayVN Awards extends beyond the night of glitz and glamour. It provides a platform for acknowledging and celebrating the artistry, talent, and diversity within the gay adult entertainment industry. By highlighting outstanding achievements in various facets of adult film production and performance, the GayVN Awards play a crucial role in shaping industry standards and inspiring future generations of performers and creators.

This year's co-hosts, Cade Maddox and Alec Mapa, embody the spirit of the awards. Maddox, with his impressive track record and fan following, brings a unique perspective as a celebrated performer. Mapa, renowned for his humor and advocacy, adds a layer of charisma and inclusivity to the event. Together, they represent a harmonious blend of talent, entertainment, and community spirit that defines the essence of the GayVN Awards.

The 2024 ceremony promises to be a memorable one, not just for the accolades and recognitions, but also for the sense of community it fosters. As the industry

continues to evolve, the GayVN Awards remain a beacon of excellence, pushing the boundaries of adult entertainment and celebrating the diverse expressions of sexuality within the gay community.

As we look forward to the event, it's clear that the GayVN Awards are more than just an award ceremony; they are a celebration of talent, a recognition of excellence, and a testament to the enduring impact of gay adult entertainment in the broader cultural landscape. The awards provide a platform for artists to be recognized for their contributions, and for fans to engage with and celebrate the performers and creators they admire.

The anticipation for the 2024 GayVN Awards is palpable, and with Cade Maddox and Alec Mapa at the helm, the event is sure to be a night of entertainment, celebration, and recognition of the best in gay adult entertainment. As the industry continues to grow and evolve, the GayVN Awards will undoubtedly remain a pivotal event in recognizing and honoring the talent, creativity, and diversity that define this vibrant and dynamic industry.



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