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**PLAYER WINS \$10,000 AFTER BEATING THE TIC-TAC TOE CHICKEN AT SPOTLIGHT 29 CASINO**

COACHELLA, CA (April 29, 2010) ... After almost 36,000 games of tic-tac-toe, Ginger has finally been defeated! Hong Sy of Los Angeles, CA, defeated the tic-tac-toe playing chicken earlier today to win \$10,000.

The chicken had been fending off challengers since March 1, with Sy being the first person to beat the chicken during the two month period. Sy had played the chicken roughly six times previously, before outwitting Ginger to claim the \$10,000 prize.

“Ginger has been a popular fixture at Spotlight 29 Casino. We are glad to see that someone could finally beat her,” said Robert Smith, Player Development Manager. “We are thrilled for Hong to win the \$10,000. She is a loyal player and visits the casino several times a month. She couldn’t be more excited.”

In March and April, about 600 people per day challenged the chicken to a game of tic-tac-toe. About 70% of the games resulted in a tie. This was Ginger’s second appearance at Spotlight 29 Casino, and the only casino in the valley that she has played in. Ginger is slated to remain at Spotlight 29 Casino through the end of May. Prize amounts for May have yet to be determined.

**About Spotlight 29 Casino:**

Spotlight 29 Casino is conveniently located off I-10, just minutes from all of the desert cities, featuring 2,000 slot machines and a complete lineup of the most popular table games with flat screen televisions throughout. The casino offers a wide variety of entertainment options; a 2,200 seat showroom for headline entertainment, the Blue Bar with live entertainment and an array of dining choices including JEM Prime 29 Steakhouse and the all-you-can-eat buffet at Cafe Capitata. Last year the casino underwent exciting renovations including a new poker room, a high limit slot area as well as a new lounge for Platinum Members. Open 7 days a week, 24 hours a day, the fun never stops at Spotlight 29! Spotlight 29 Casino is a business venture of the Twenty-Nine Palms Band of Mission Indians. [www.Spotlight29.com](http://www.Spotlight29.com), 760-775-5566.

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