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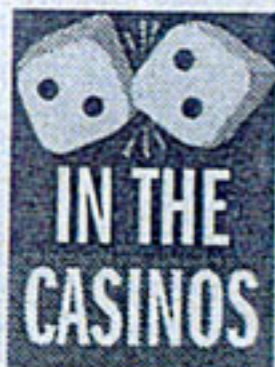
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Borgata extends invite to a Maxim-um party

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P. Diddy may be frowning over a judge's \$250,000-a-year child-support order, but the hip-hop mogul and sometime actor will try to put that behind him when he hosts the second annual Maxim All Access party tomorrow night at 10 at the Borgata.

One of Atlantic City's premier summer events, Sean (Puffy) Combs will be joined by Jet and Carmen Electra, who are among the entertainers penciled in at the Event Center, which will be transformed into a "private" club, complete with red carpet and velvet ropes, to give guests the feeling that, for one night, they're "in" — for \$75 a person.

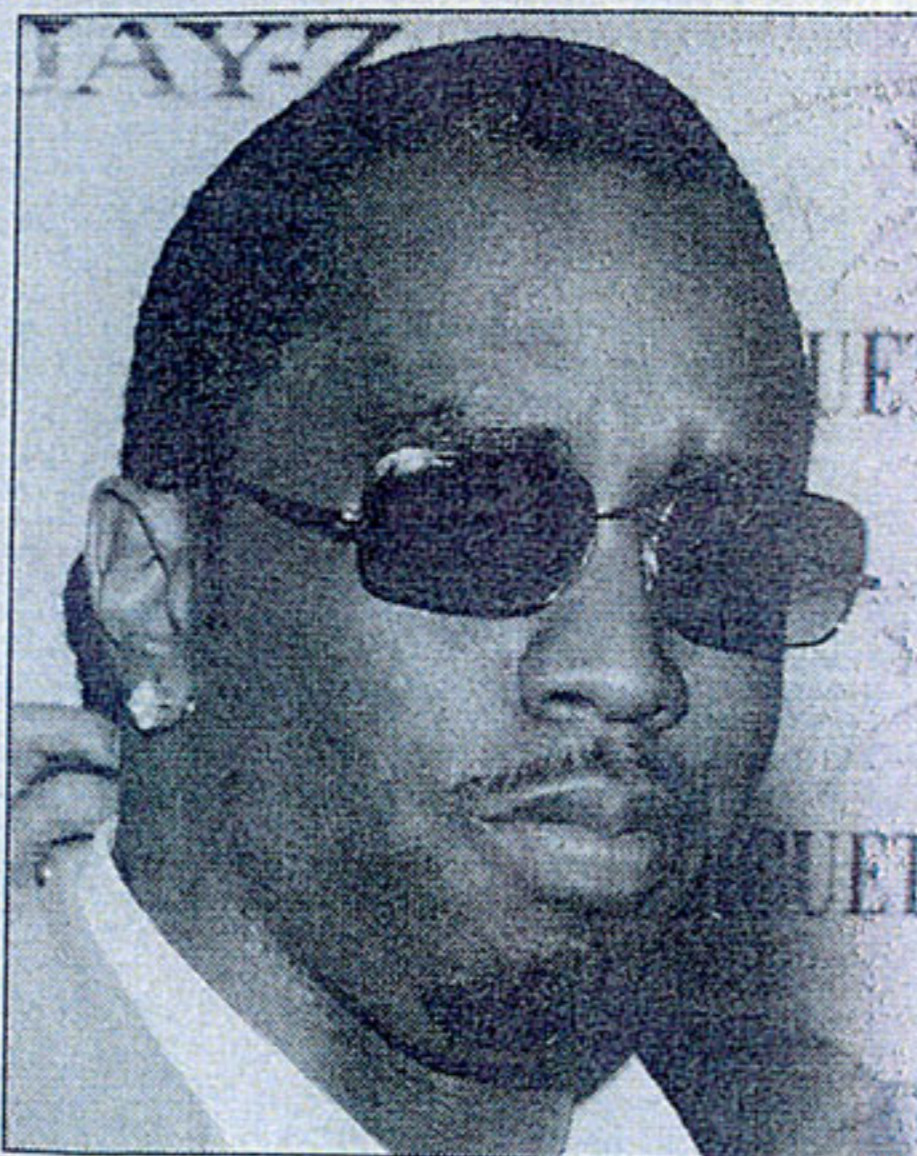


Also at the Borgata tonight is David Lee Roth, in the Event Center, while Pat Benatar and her husband, Neil Giraldo, rock the Music Box

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Elsewhere in Atlantic City: The long-awaited House of Blues era at the Showboat gets underway when Lynyrd Skynyrd becomes the first big band to play the new digs tomorrow night. Government Mule gets to "test" the house's light and sound systems tonight.

Smokey Robinson, still smooth at 65, is in the Tropicana Showroom, while Harrah's chips in with a Genesis tribute show. This is also the last opportunity to catch the Broadway musical "Cabaret" at Trump Plaza. The show, the best ever since the dice started rolling in 1978, ends its run on Sunday.



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ACCESS-IBLE: P Diddy hosts big bash.

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In Connecticut, both Foxwoods and Mohegan Sun offer a full slate, with Steve Winwood in the Fox Theater and Robert Plant, the onetime front man for Led Zeppelin and still one of rock's strongest voices, headlining in the Sun's Arena. Debbie Reynolds is in the Sun's Cabaret.

And remember Herman's Hermits? The Brit group stormed these shores in the '60s singing about 'Enry the Eighth and Mrs. Brown's lovely daughter before fading into obscurity. Now, toothy Peter Noone has the Hermits back in circulation. They're joining the Shangri-Las for three shows in the Mohegan's Wolf Den tonight through Sunday.