

HARRAHS ENTERTAINMENT INC  
Form 8-K  
September 29, 2005

**UNITED STATES**

**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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**FORM 8-K**

**CURRENT REPORT**

**Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

**September 29, 2005**

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

**HARRAH S ENTERTAINMENT, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State of Incorporation)

**001-10410**  
(Commission File Number)

**62-1411755**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification Number)

**One Harrah s Court**

**Las Vegas, Nevada 89119**

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

**(702) 407-6000**

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(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

N/A

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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  - o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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ITEM 8.01 OTHER EVENTS.

In connection with our recently filed Registrant Statement on Form S-3 for the Floating Rate Contingent Convertible Senior Notes due 2024 and for purposes of incorporation by reference therein, Harrah's Entertainment, Inc. (the Registrant) has filed herewith as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K the consolidated financial statements of Horseshoe Gaming Holding Corp. (Horseshoe) for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2003. The Registrant acquired Horseshoe on July 1, 2004.

ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(d) Exhibits:

23.1 Consent of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

99.1 Financial Statements and Supplementary Data

**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

HARRAHS ENTERTAINMENT, INC.

Date: September 29, 2005

By: /s/ Stephen H. Brammell  
Stephen H. Brammell  
Senior Vice President, General Counsel  
and Corporate Secretary

EXHIBIT INDEX

Attached as exhibits to this form are the documents listed below:

| <b>Exhibit</b> | <b>Document</b>  |
|----------------|--|
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| 99.1           | Financial Statements and Supplementary Data              |