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### GAYLORD ENTERTAINMENT CO/DE

Form 8-K November 05, 2008

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549 FORM 8-K CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): November 5, 2008 GAYLORD ENTERTAINMENT COMPANY

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 1-13079 73-0664379

(State or other jurisdiction of (Commission File Number) (I.R.S. Employer

incorporation)

Identification No.)

One Gaylord Drive

Nashville, Tennessee 37214

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (615) 316-6000

(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 (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- 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 2.02. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION.

On November 5, 2008, Gaylord Entertainment Company issued a press release announcing its financial results for the quarter ended September 30, 2008. A copy of the press release is furnished herewith as <u>Exhibit 99.1</u>.

## ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

- (d) Exhibits
- 99.1 Press Release of Gaylord Entertainment Company dated November 5, 2008

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### **SIGNATURES**

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

### GAYLORD ENTERTAINMENT COMPANY

Date: November 5, 2008 By: /s/ Carter R. Todd

Name: Carter R. Todd

Title: Senior Vice President, General

Counsel and Secretary