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**I**t's the fight of the week — maybe even the fight of the year. But you can't bet on it in Las Vegas.

When it comes to Capt. Jack Sparrow vs. Superman, the only line is online.

And online sports books stand ready to cash in on the increasing interest in such box-office bouts as this week's heavyweight slugfest between "Superman Returns," which opened

*Internet gaming opens the field for gamblers to find all types of action*

last week, and Friday's "Pirates of the Caribbean: Dead Man's Chest."

Nevada casinos are prohibited by law from taking bets on anything other than sporting events.

So anyone who wants to bet on the

identity of the latest "American Idol" — or this week's box-office champ — has to go online.

Reflecting increased interest in so-called pop culture bets, a variety of Internet sites offer propositions on everything from the outcome of the 2008 presidential election to how many hurricanes will hit the U.S. this year.

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