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CALL for Moulin Rouge Collectibles. See page 9.

APR. 22, 1966 MOULIN ROUGE, \$100 Langworthy & Co. #1157 (Sillcocks #5704 4/26/66) Colors: 1,000 Black - 3 White 1/2" Inl. Edges, \$100 1 extra Printing Plate Spec. Heavy. New Dwg. - shortened tower Image courtesy of ChipGuide,

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IMPORTANT MAGAZINE (CCN) AD DEADLINES SPRING - FEBRUARY 1 SUMMER - MAY 1 FALL - AUGUST 1 WINTER - NOVEMBER 1 Advertising Manager: Nate Pincus Alternating CCN Editors: Robb McPherson <u>robb4640@outlook.com</u> Steve Miller Lvsteve1@gmail.com

Membership Renewal Reminder Cards

Just a reminder to those members who recently received a blue renewal postcard that your dues are due soon. Follow the directions on your postcard, or contact Roy Nelson at <u>membership@ccgtcc.com</u>, to renew.

Renew now and don't miss out on your next copy of the Casino Collectible News. Not sure about when your membership renewal is due? Just email Roy and he will get back to you.

Roy Nelson CCA Membership Officer

PRESIDENT'S CORNER



Welcome my fellow Club members. Here we go again with another great Edition of our Newsletter. I sincerely hope that everyone is faring well with this

horrible pandemic. Keeping busy and not becoming complacent should be the order of the day.

Recently a Club member posted on our website a great idea, for our new website, which will be enacted.

I have coined the term "positive active participant" and it seems to be catching on. The Club desperately need these participants to direct this Newsletter as well as the Website and Magazine. Many thoughts and suggestions are bandied around but the most efficient way is to send an email to any Board Member. I assure you that once that is done, the matter will be discussed fully and you will receive an answer.

I can attest to the validity of this as I sometimes do not have documentation to refer to and have a lapse in memory. With the new website under development a call will be sent out for volunteers to moderate certain parts of the website.

By letting us know of your willingness to participate you can be part of a world class website.

Nominations will soon be upon us for the Position of President and Secretary. These positions are especially important and warrant your consideration.

I wish to be nominated for my third term to continue my quest for two key issues. The first being the completion of the Revised Website and the second to attain Tax Exempt status from the State of Nevada. Both goals will bring prosperity to our Club and help cement our future.

To all the *"positive active participants" out there,* I look forward to hearing from you.

Stay Safe and Healthy, Jerry Vergatos, LM-8093-241 President

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CCA Board Actions through September, 2020

Presented by David Spragg, CCA Secretary

Website Revison

Counting his chips

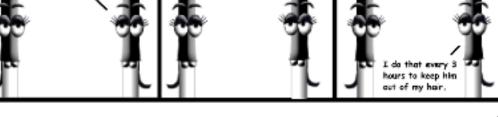
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Suitable clarification was received on all issues raised in the website redesign proposal tabled last month. The proposal was accepted and the new website will be developed over the coming months.

ACTION: Unanimously Agreed

New Releases by Paul Schaffer will return in November.

You Count © 2020 www.OfficeSurprise.com 7254, 7255, 7256, 7257... Blue, don't forget we have dinner reservations at 6:30 and the movie starts at 8:15. Ok, thanks. Darn it. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5.... What is he dinner What is he starts at 8:15. Darn it. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5.... Darn it. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5....



CCA Members Quarterly Poker Tournament RESULTS

Players in the Quarterly CCA Members Poker Tournament on 9/13/20, donated \$300 to the CCA, as a result of this event (which is NOT sponsored by the CCA). A special thanks is due to Mike Nawrocki, with his Poker Challenge add-on, and a personal donation to the CCA, in the amounts of: \$140 and \$160, respectively.

The overall Donation to the CCA was \$600!

- 1. Robert "2pharrbob" Brinton
- 2. Dennis "acccc442x" Garnier
- 3. Richard "Burbankgambler" Huber
- 4. Greg "itchybun" Ikemoto
- 5. James "JDL20000U" Love
- 6. David "Lindy99" Lindblad
- 7. Brad "medalchip" Smith
- 8. Ronald "Old_Pat_Fan " Gaudette
- 9. Jack "pacman107" Hampshire
- 10. Jerry "pizzaman373" Vergatos
- 11. Mike "rocki1965" Nawrocki
- 12. Steve "ScrewyLouie" Passalacqua
- 13. Bud"The_Wiz652" Wisinski
- 14. Jim"xkmendl" Whobrey
- 1<mark>5. Walter "Wallyg</mark>attor" Dibeler

Payouts:

1st Place - \$560 - Mike Nawrocki

2nd Place - \$330 - James Love

3rd Place - \$230 - Dennis Garnier

Watch for future events. We thank the players, organizers (Richard Huber and Steve Bedo) and especially Mike Nawrocki for this donation.









CCA MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP:

- Quarterly magazine Casino Collectible News
- Access to dozens of books in the club Library.
- Superior trading status as a member of the CCA, people will be more trusting in their trade transactions with you because they know you're bound by the Code of Ethics. Additionally, members prefer to trade with other members, and in fact, some people will only trade with club members.
- Ability to vote for the Chip Of The Year, Silver Strike Of The Year, Token Of The Year, and Card/Key Of The Year.
- · You can pre-register for the convention and get one of the famous goody bags.
- You can attend the Early Bird Banquet before the convention.
- You can be listed in the public, online Club Directory (along with your email and website URL) for others to learn about you and your collecting interests
- You will develop life-long friendships with other club members.
- You receive a membership card and are entitled to use the club logo on your business cards and web pages.
- You get to have a vote in the direction of the most influential organization in the hobby.
- You have access to the full Club Directory that contains many names and addresses not available in the public, anline directory.
- You have the honor of belonging to an organization that takes its ethics and codes of canduct very seriously.
- You have the honor of belonging to an organization dedicated to the preservation of part of our nation's history.

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Foreign mailings are at	First Class rate. All other mailings are via third class mail.			

Annual dues will be renewable in the same quarter in which the membership application was processed. Check our address labels for your membership expiration dates. Mail your completed application with your check made payable to CCA to:

> CCA Membership Officer **Roy Nelson** 4338 Grey Spencer Dr Los Vegos, NV 89141 Or apply online with your credit card at www.ccgtcc.com

Join the CCA today!

Tap or click the membership application on the left to download a printable Membership Application form.

Or, do the same **HERE** to immediately visit the CCA's online Membership Application page and join right now!



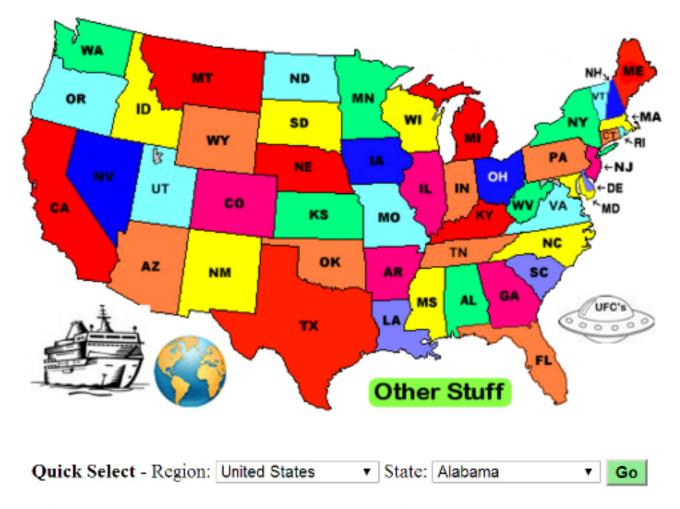
Are you a Member of the CCA? Want to learn more? Please use the QR Code, at right, with your hand held, to visit the CCA's Membership Application Page.



Recognize this webpage?...

ChipGuide - A Catalog of Casino Chips and Collectibles

The ChipGuide



Total Items on the ChipGuide = 258,306 as of 10/01/2020

You can help the MoGH achieve greater success in our efforts to add more content. This recent screen shot shows 258,306 images are currently on ChipGuide. But we have plenty of room for more. Do you have scans of casino memorabilia and collectibles that could be added? If so, please visit the site and offer your scans by clicking on "SUBMISSIONS."

Museum of Gaming History Membership Report

Don Priff

Chris Carlson

Steve Miller

David Loriso

Jim Steffner

Jim Kruse

Fred Bergman

Mike Quinlivan

Andy Hughes

Barry Hauptman

Our MoGH Membership upgrade program continues to grow. The Board of Directors of the Museum of Gaming History wishes to thank the following members for their financial commitment in helping to support our many ongoing and new projects.

Life Members

Jerry Vergatos Malcom McNeil Robert Pardue Michael Gersie Ann Gersie Tony Kreusch James Love Gary Kruehl Wayne Thompson Jonathan Ullman Steve Kuska

Gold Members

Ken Kendra Alan Schuyler Rich Burgel Steve Lauber Michael Blishak Dennis Lee Dennis Page Sharon Cox Bud Myer Sharon Nickson Cox Tom Lopez Steve Palumbo Ron Gaudette Mike Spinetti Doug Smith Chuck Sikora IV Mike Skelton Neal Silverman Charles Kaplan Geoff Schumacher Mike Nawrocki

Eduardo Estabanez Nate Pincus Ross Poppel Paul Liscio Tom Pleau Roy Nelson Ted Whiting George Dmitrevski Allan Anderson

Erik Isackson Terry Vaughan Rick Peterson Eric Dauplaise Carey Burke Jay Sands Jim Follis Donald Durnin James Hogg

Join Us....

Your support is needed for the MoGH to continue to grow and succeed in our quest to someday have an actual museum. One that will carry our name forward, and one that we can be proud of.

Please contact me if you wish to upgrade your already existing membership at <u>vergatos@msn.com</u> for further details

Jerry Vergatos MoGH LM-0001

Membership Director

ATTN: Gold Members. Your annual dues are likely due now as the majority of you renew during and at, the Annual Convention. Be on the lookout for a reminder email. Thank you

CALL for Moulin Rouge Artifacts and Collectibles...

The Museum of Gaming History is in discussions with the Neon Museum, Las Vegas, Nevada, for a return and re-establishment of our prior partnership.

Previously, the MoGH has had several Exhibits at the Neon Museum, which have included displays of collectibles and memorabilia from the Golden Nugget, Stardust and Sahara casinos. Our last Exhibit was removed to make space for the Neon Museum's Special Exhibit by Tim Burton, with a promise to explore re-partnering after the Burton Exhibit was completed. While it was completed some months ago, the pandemic had caused a closure of the museum.

In preparation for reopening the museum, they did some refurbishing of the Moulin Rouge sign, to get it re-lit. Now that it is re-lit, we are in discussions to return with an Exhibit 'in tribute to' the Moulin Rouge Casino, Las Vegas, NV.

We are therefore looking to our membership to loan or donate any Moulin Rouge collectibles and memorabilia. If you would like to participate in this endeavor, please contact Jim Follis, MoGH Director, Exhibits and Events, at: GamingOre@theMoGH.org.

Local Club Activities....

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Colorado

We had 12 of us at the 9-20-20 meeting, and there was a fair amount of activity as Bob Clay did bring Dean Porter's Colorado chips along with Mrs. Porter. Some people showed up that we haven't seen in a long time.

For the coming November 15th meeting Bob Clay is talking about bringing Dean's Colorado tokens, and I'm not sure what else. More on this as we get closer to meeting time and I can contact Bob to see what he intends to bring.

It was really good to get together again in an almost normal situation with social distancing and masks in play.

Ken Hallenbeck

SOUTHERN NEVADA CASINO COLLECTIBLES CLUB-SNCCC

Our next meeting will be on October 13, 2020 at 6 pm

THE GOLD COAST HOTEL & CASINO

4000 W. FLAMINGO, Salons C & D

Las Vegas, NV

All are invited to join in our activities

At our monthly meetings, we have trading and selling of Casino Memorabilia, which begins at 6 PM, and resumes following the meeting. You are invited to attend the meeting and trading sessions and participate in the following activities.

Safety Protocols

The SNCCC board is observing all safety protocols concerning the safety of all of our Club

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members. There will be a new layout for dealers who sell merchandise. They will be located in the back of the room and spaced at least 6 feet apart. Sellers will be required to place their chips under a cover and will be hand the item in question to the buyer. All attendees will be required to wear a face mask. The Club will provide hand sanitizer. If you are feeling ill please be courteous and not attend.

Attendance is RSVP Required. We ask that all attendees please email Jerry Vergatos at vergatos@msn.com to reserve a space in the meeting room. We will be limited to 40 members to adhere to spacing protocols mandated by the casino and the government. If there is an overwhelming amount of reservations we will ask to be placed in a larger room. Without a reservation you may be turned await. Deadline for RSVP November 8.

Early Bird Auction

At our meetings, the Early Bird Auction begins at 6:45 pm, followed by our Guest Speaker and then the Club Meeting.

Guest Speakers

Our speaker for this month is to be determined. Many of our guest speakers that were lined up before the pandemic have been cautious about making their presentations. Nevertheless we are still trying. We offer a wide variety of speakers ranging from Gaming to Entertainment. We have had noted authors,TV personalities and many local celebrities.Our members and guests have the opportunity to ask questions and get a very interesting insight into many interesting areas.

Raffle 50/50

There will be a 50/50 Raffle for cash and/or prizes which is quite fun! We have some great prizes that have been donated by our Club members, as well as from local vendors.

We welcome everyone as a guest to see what we'reall about and you can bring your friends as well!!!!!!!!!!

Our meetings are short, which gives you lots of time to socialize (appropriately) and gain knowledge about whatever interests you with casino memorabilia.

On behalf of the SNCCC, I sincerely hope you will join us when the time comes and hope to talk to everyone there.

Until then please stay safe and Healthy. We will all get thru this

Jerry Vergatos

President

Southern Nevada Casino Collectibles Club

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News from the Silver Strikers Club



Membership Report

By Alan Childers

As of June 30 2020, Club membership is at 444, a net gain of 44 members during this period (15 members did not renew, 59 new members joined).

I would like to remind members that the Club no longer issues new membership cards annually (due to rising costs of printing and mailing). We now issue a

permanent laminated membership card. Please keep your membership card for identification at Club activities and functions.

All membership questions and issues should be addressed by email to membership@silverstrikers.com.

New members from January-June 2020:

John Albritton Doug Buhrman Heather Casey Paul Dennen Daria Finley Dennis Garcia Barry Hauptman Ethan Lucas Robert McColum Leroy Mowell Ed Omelas Ryan Quinn Yolanda Scott Rick Timmins Faye Wiggins

Allan Childers SS-0356 1ª VP & Membership Officer Steve Asrilant Rich Burgel Louis Cristo Robert Emmitt Drew Franson Steven Gobel Rich Klabacha Jeffrey Lyon Raulin Mendonca. Jennifer Mullins Steven Palumbo Judy Richards Chris Skinner-Zachary Tumer Aaron York

Brian Beasley Rayford Campbell David Cruickshank Sharon Emmitt Roger Fuller Walt Gonski Michael Levesque Robert Magnant George Mepham Greg Myers Scot Partfort Carrie Riley Ronnie Sterling Jack Weingarten Lisa York Sandra Boyd Chris Carlson George Davis Tazia Farmer Charles Gajewski Ron Guadette Sonia Levesque Karen Maier Ross Morrell Lisa OBrien Thomas Pleau Jay Sands Chrystal Sullivan David Wiggins

Late Breaking News

Shaun Webster posted this message on Facebook on July 27, 2020.

"I know all of you have been wondering weather the Four Queens would be putting out a Halloween coin. Due to the concerns over the virus we will not be making a Halloween coin this year. We are still hoping for a January Tournament but that to will depend on what stage we are in with this virus. In the mean time we will continue to have the games up and running. Please all of you stay safe"

Shaun Webster Director of Slots Four Queens Hotel & Casino

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The Market Place...

Club Merchandise

Convention Chips – \$5.00 each / 3 for \$10.00 Set of 10 (including 2019) – \$25.00 Years Available – 2001, 04, 07, 08, 09, 11, 12, 14, 15

2019 Silver/Bronze Convention Medal Sets - \$60.00



(Silver front and bronze back shown)

2019 Bronze Medal \$10.00 each

2019 Convention Pin - \$5.00 each Prior year pins (1997 - 2001, & 2003-2018) - \$3.00 each

Set of all 22 pins (2019 included) - \$25.00



Years Available - 2004, 06, 07, 09, 10, 11,

Poker/Blackjack Tournament Sets - \$15.00

12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18

(2 sets \$12.00 each, 3 or more sets \$10 each)



Common back design

CCA Polo Shirts No Pocket \$26.00 With Pocket \$28.00 Not all colors in all sizes email to check



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CCA MERCHANDISE ORDER FORM

2018 Convention Chips\$5.00 each or 3 for \$10			
Set of 13 (including 2018) \$30.00	Year/Set	Quantity	Total
Prior Years Available: 2001, 04, 07, 08, 09, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17			
2018 Poker/BJ Tourney Set\$15 each			
2 or more sets \$12.00 each, 3 or more sets \$10 ea	Year/s	Quantity	Total
Years Available-2004, 05, 06, 07, 09, 2010, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17			—
2018 Convention Pin\$5.00			
Prior Yr Pins (1997-2001 and 2003-2017) \$3.00 each	Year/Set	Quantity	Total
Set of all 21 pins (2018 included) \$30.00			
2018 Convention Plaque-\$20 (only 30 made)			
Membership Pin-\$5.00	Quantity_	Total	
CCA Polo Shirt\$26.00 (no pocket)	Color	Size Tota	I
\$28.00 (with pocket)			
Not all colors in all sizes—email to check			_
2018 Silver/Bronze Medal Set\$60 each			
2018 Bronze Medal Only\$10 each			
Prior Yr Bronze Medals\$5.00 each/2 or more \$3.00 each	Year Quantity Total		
(Yrs avail-1993, 1996—2008, 14, 15, 16, 17)			
Dale Seymour's 'Antique Gambling Chips \$15.00 Hardback	Quantity Total		
Carlos Cartagena Prints\$7.00 each or both for \$10 Prints of original Cartagena paintings donated to CC>CC 'Welcome to Las Vegas'			
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**Shipping and handling charges within the continental U.S.

Order Amount up to \$5.00 add \$2.50, up to \$10.00 add \$3.50, up to \$25.00 add \$6.95, up to \$50.00 add \$8.95, over \$50.00 add \$10.95

NOTE: Some items, because of shape and/or weight will be mailed pre-paid priority and shipping cost may increase.

International Orders/Orders from Alaska and Hawaii-Contact for shipping charges

MoGH Merchandise

Trail of the MoGH Milestone Markers



Contact Pam Focazio to place an order for MoGH Merchandise at: Merchandise@themogh.org

MoGH Promotional Merchandise



Annual Gold Membership Plaques are available only to Life Members at \$10 each. Email Jerry Vergatos at Vergatos@msn.com



Shipping for MoGH items will be via USPS Priority Mail, Flat Rate at \$7.75, which covers Insurance.













