

Newsletter

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(nominate only one person)

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Jim Follis
5466 Jacobs Field St.
Las Vegas, NV 89148

E-MAIL SUBMISSIONS ARE ALSO ACCEPTED BY SENDING THIS COMPLETED FORM
TO:

GregSusongAward@gamingore.com
Postmark & E-Mail Submission Deadline: May 15, 2023

Inside: Lots of Convention News, Reminders and Updates!

Casino Collectibles Association - Masthead

The CCA Newsletter is a monthly publication of the Casino Chip & Gaming Token Collectors Club, Inc. (CC>CC), doing business as the Casino Collectibles Association (CCA), as established and originally Incorporated in the State of Delaware in 1988, and now Incorporated in the State of Nevada.

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The CCA Newsletter, in addition to publishing news and information about the CCA (which includes the Museum of Gaming History (MoGH)) also allows content regarding our partner organizations and their activities.

The Newsletter also publishes content about the casino collectibles hobby, which includes CCA member business cards, news from various casino collectible clubs (Local Clubs) and other outside content. In doing so, the CCA is simply providing information of possible interest to our members, and collectors in the hobby and does not specifically endorse or promote those entities. Some content is edited to be allowable in accordance with the CCA's 501 (c) (3), Not for Profit status.

EDITOR'S WELCOME



Greetings and Welcome to all of our readers. By press time, we are very close to the deadline to Nominate Candidates for the 2022 Greg Susong Memorial Award.

Included in this issue is the nomination form. CCA members are encouraged to use the form to give credit to a CCA Member that deserves this recognition.

Speaking of rapidly approaching deadlines, we are now just under 2 months away from our 30th Annual Convention and Show. Looming deadlines are Pre-Registration (May 31st), Constitutional Change voting (May 20th), Room Reservation with CCA Code (May 21st or sooner if the room allotment is depleted).

And don't forget airline ticketing, car rental and perhaps dining reservations at a special place.

We are still looking for attendees interested in presenting an Educational Exhibit, and VOLUNTEERS are very much wanted to help out.

Volunteers are the life-blood of our Convention and are exclusively invited to attend the Volunteer Reception on Saturday! Your help is needed, wanted and appreciated. (Details are at page ##.)

For those coming from out-of-town, the Las Vegas skyline is changing. The MSG Sphere (a huge ball) sits behind the

Venetian at 366 feet tall. It's entire external surface is basically, a LED video screen. Testing of the LED array is commonplace already and is quite a spectacle. Stations Casino's Durango Casino (visible from the South Point's upper floors) has been topped off, but has yet to open. On the Las Vegas Strip, across from Mandalay Bay, the Pinball Museum is quite a wonderful place to visit, to revisit our youth.

And if it has not make National news, the intersection of Tropicana and the I-15 is something to avoid! The 18-month, "Dropicana" construction project will be at it's 6-month point.

Hard to believe that the former Wild Wild West casino site will become the Athletic's MLB baseball stadium construction site.

At the South Point, USBC's Women's Championship bowling has taken over from last year's Men's Championship, and, the USBC has extended it's contract through 2039 with the South Point for both men's and women's events, in alternating years. The CCA should be so lucky!

The CCA Board and Directors/Chairs have been working very hard to make this year's 30th Convention celebration one to remember. All of us look forward to everyone being there and wish you safe travels in getting here to Vegas, baby!

Jim Follis

CCA Newsletter Editor

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE...



We are well on our way to our 30th Annual Convention. Jim Steffner, the Convention Chairman has been doing an

excellent job managing the many major and minor details of such a significant operation.

I invite your attention to the Constitutional Amendment, submitted by Brenda Riemer. There

has been some discussion on the proposed change at the CCA's Message Board, which can be seen *here*.

This issue of the CCA Newsletter also includes a corrected copy of the Treasurer's Report that appeared on the Message Board.

Well, all for now. See you at the Show!

David Spragg
CCA President

On the Docket... Board Actions Through March 2023

Claims Processing: Five (5) previously submitted Claims, that were ruled invalid for further processing, have been appealed.

Action: 3 Appeals have been determined to not warrant a change, and 2 are still under consideration.

Appointment: Paul Schaffer has been Appointed as the CCA's Social Media Committee Chairman.

Action: Paul joins previously Appointed Team members, Brad Smith and Ed Hertel.

CCA NEWS and ACTIVITIES

Website Redesign - This Project remains ongoing.

Convention Planning - See inside this issue for more details and also at the CCA's website:<http://www.ccgccc.com/index.html>

CCA NEWS and ACTIVITIES (continued)

CCA Membership - Your membership is solicited. You may visit this [link](#) to join, or contact our newly appointed Membership Officer, Jay Sands at: Membership@CCGTCC.com. Meanwhile, Club Member Doug Balduini is currently offering a \$5 discount towards a new member sign-ups, which also awards this special chip. Doug may be contacted at: northeastchipper@gmail.com



At right is the hardcopy version of the CCA's Membership Application, which can be downloaded as a .pdf by just clicking the image.

Alternatively, you can visit the CCA's online "Membership Page" (click [here](#)) to apply on-line or download this form there.

CCA Membership Application

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____ Country _____

Email _____

Phone _____

My collecting interests are:

☐ Chips ☐ Tokens ☐ U.S. ☐ Foreign

I would like you to publish my:

☐ Name and address ☐ Phone ☐ Email
☐ Do not publish my name, address or email

I have enclosed my annual dues for:

☐ One year \$35 U.S. ☐ Two years \$66 U.S.
☐ Three years \$96 U.S. ☐ Five years \$150 U.S.

☐ Associate \$5 U.S. ☐ 5 year associate \$20 U.S.

☐ Foreign \$48 (postal money order or U.S. Funds)
☐ Foreign (no magazine) \$35 (postal money order or U.S. Funds)
☐ U.S. First Class Mail \$14 additional annually

Foreign membership fee includes First Class rate. All non-First Class mailings are via 3rd 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:

CC>CC Membership Officer (Acting)
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PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGE - Life Member Brenda Reimer has submitted a proposed Constitutional change, as shown below, to President Spragg, and will be presented, officially, to the membership via the CCA's Casino Collectible News.

Proposed Constitutional Change

Brenda Riemer (Life member)

As the election cycle approaches for our club, I have been thinking about ways in which interested members could gain experience so that they would be viable candidates for the positions of president, vice president, treasurer, secretary, and the membership officer. We currently have wonderful people volunteering their time, but all of us know that at some point in time, people get tired and wish to step back from officer duties. With this in mind, I am proposing a change to the constitution which would add two, Members at Large to the Board.

The two new positions are non-voting positions, but the individuals in the positions would gain a lot of experience about how our Board operates. Please note that all of us will have the opportunity to vote on the Constitutional change. The Board of Directors is the body that will modify the By-Laws. The suggested changes are on the next page, in red.

The Board of Directors of the CCA have approved of the presenting of this Constitutional change for voting by the Membership.

ARTICLE FOUR - OFFICERS, DIRECTORS & ELECTIONS

Section 1

The Club shall be governed by a President, Vice President, Treasurer, Secretary, a Membership Officer, and two non-voting Members at Large.

Section 2

A Board of Directors will be comprised of the ~~five (5)~~ seven (7) Club officers.

Section 3

A)

- (i) The President, ~~and~~ Secretary and one Member at Large position will be elected for a two year term in each year ending in an odd number,
- (ii) The Vice President, Treasurer, ~~and~~ Membership Officer and one Member at Large position will be elected for a two year term in each year ending in an even number; except that:

- (a) In the election to be held in 2009, the Vice President, Treasurer and Membership Officer will be elected for a one year term, and thereafter as provided above.

- (b) In the first election for Member at Large positions, one (1) individual will be elected for a one year term and one (1) individual will be elected for a two year term.

By-Laws:

F. Member at Large (2)

1. Represent membership on the Board
2. Chair initiatives as requested by the President
3. Assist one of the committee chairs, such as the Membership chair and the Convention chair.

JOIN US FOR OUR 30TH ANNUAL CONVENTION AND SHOW!

Jim Steffner, 2023 Convention Chairman sez:

Stand proud and congratulate yourselves as 2023 is the year for our 30th Annual Convention – June 14th to June 17 - and this could be the best one yet. We've lined up some great speakers for the Early Bird Banquet , Educational Seminars, and Celebrity Meet & Greets. The South Point is offering the same room rates as last year, no inflation increase! Dealer Contract are coming in and it looks like we'll have some new faces behind the tables as well as our many returning Dealers.

EARLY BIRD BANQUET - We've lined up a very interesting speaker for the Early Bird Banquet on Wednesday evening. Enjoy a great meal, relax with fellow CCA members, and listen to Eric Endy talk about his father, Paul Endy, and his fabulous gaming career. The Banquet is also the time to honor those Club members who have gone over and above in support of our Club.

EDUCATIONAL SEMINARS - Ted Whiting, CCA Educational Director, has lined up four great speakers for your enjoyment at the Thursday and Friday Educational Seminars. Enjoy Denise McKinney, Rathkamp Matchcover Society - Lynn Zook, Visionaries of Las Vegas Strip - Richard Marcus, American Roulette - and John Chamberlain. Watch for further details.

CELEBRITY MEET 'n GREETES - Brad Smith, CCA and MoGH Publicity Director has secured at least 6 gaming industry VIP's for the popular Celebrity Meet-'n-Greets, first established last year and now a regular feature of our annual Conventions. At press time, we have Joan Destino, "River Card" author - Eric Endy, author of Paul Endy book - Rene Nezhoda, Storage Wars TV star and past CCA Member, Show organizer and "ChipStar" author - Nelson Sardelli, actor, singer, comedian and Las Vegas entertainer - and Michael Niotta, Los Angeles Mob/Crime historian. Watch for further details in the next CCA Newsletter and at the Clubs Website.

TRADE SESSIONS - Of course we have the ever popular Trade Sessions, just as we do each and every year. With over 22 hours, over the four days of activities. Trade Sessions are a great opportunity to meet with fellow collectors and TRADE chips, tokens, playing cards, and other casino memorabilia. Trade sessions will be held as follows, and as always, it is not OK to buy or sell at the Trade Sessions.

Wednesday, 14 June - 9:30am - 4pm / Thursday, 15 June - 7pm - 11pm / Friday, 16 June - 6pm - 11pm / Saturday, 17 June "Last Dance" 7pm - 11pm.

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BRUCE LANDAU MEMORIAL AUCTION - Check out the Bruce Landau Memorial Auction which starts with pre-bidding when the show floor opens on Thursday and concludes with the live bidding event Thursday evening. The auction is another large fund raising event due to the many donated lots.

Gene Trimble Memorial Poker Tournament - We are working with the South Point to again host the Gene Trimble Memorial Poker Challenge on Friday evening.

PRE-REGISTRATION - Be sure to Pre-Register for the Convention! Go to the CCA Home Page (www.ccgccc.com). At the lower left, select the Pre-Registration option. Pre-Registration allows you to skip the long lines at registration on Thursday, allows you to attend the Trade Session on Wednesday and gets you in one hour before regular opening time on Thursday. Pre-Registration is a requirement for Early Bird Banquet attendees, as it allows them to both register for the banquet and obtain their banquet tickets on Wednesday between 9am and 4pm. Plus you never know what goodies might be included in the Pre-Registration envelopes!

EDUCATIONAL EXHIBITS - Have a specialty area of your collection – why not plan on entering an Educational Exhibit. Always entertaining, these exhibits are put together by members who have a collecting specialty. Display cases are provided at no cost. Contact Jim Follis at jim@gamingore.com for details.

CLUB RAFFLE - Support the Club Raffle. Contact James Hogg, Raffle Coordinator at butlerjameshogg@gmail.com for tickets and to send in donations. Here is a chance to find new homes for all those extra casino collectible items that have accumulated such as chips, tokens, dice, playing cards, swizzle sticks and more. Some of the past raffle bags have been worth quite a bit. Get your tickets early for special pricing. This popular event raises money for your Club.

VOLUNTEERS - Convention volunteers are needed to help staff setup and tear-down, Promotions, Membership, Raffle, MoGH, Trade Sessions, and other locations. Our dedicated staff of volunteers is what makes the Convention possible. If your plans have you at the annual Convention, and have an hour or two to volunteer your time, please email Volunteer Coordinator Scot Parriott at hkp4@icloud.com and let him know you would like to VOLUNTEER! It is a rewarding moment to know you helped make the show great. In doing so, you will also receive a special invitation to the Saturday, Volunteer Reception.

DEALER TABLES - There may still be a few Dealer table spaces available. Here is your chance to sell some of your extra collectibles. Contact me at:

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convention@ccgtcc.com for details. This is a great way to interact with other collectors and make a few bucks. Looking to be a full show floor but always room for one more.

SOUTH POINT ROOM RESERVATIONS - Convention hotel room reservations are available at a discounted Club rate of \$75.00 Sunday-Thursday and \$120.00 for Friday & Saturday. The hotel amenity fee has also been discounted to \$17.00 per night. You can book directly through the CCA web site at: www.ccggtcc.com. See lower left corner of the Home Page. If you book on your own be sure to mention the special code to avail yourself of the special room rates. Our room booking code for 2023 is: CAS0611. Be sure to specify the code when you book.

See you at the Show – Have fun collecting!

Jim Steffner

2023 Convention Chairman



Below is the artwork for the 30th Annual Commemorative Chip that will be available for purchase at the Promotions Table.



Above is the artwork for the \$2.50 off chips that are inserted into the Pre-Registration Packets. Only those who pre-Register get this chip! Please NOTE however that these chips will be in an octagonal shape, NOT circular.

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ADS WANTED FOR THE CONVENTION PAMPHLET - Steve Miller is working to create the Convention Pamphlet and we are asking for ads. Dealers and members alike are asked to consider taking out an ad for this annual publication by contacting the CCA's Advertising Manager, Nate Pincus.



Tribute and 'Welcome to the Convention' ads are welcome!

Advertise in the Official 30th Annual CCA Convention Program!

Programs are given to every attendee of the Convention. The Program is great for table holders to promote their items For Sale, special deals and their table location on the Convention floor.

Also, all members can participate!

Promote your collection interests, trading interests, publish wants and buying lists. It is a great way to reach out to other Club members and support the CCA!

Ads for as low as \$25. Affordable for everyone! Contact Nate Pincus at:

advertising@ccgtcc.com or call:
(610) 507-1115 for information and rates.

Download and share our Convention Flyer on Social Media, elsewhere, and every where! Just CLICK [here](#).

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2023 CONVENTION SCHEDULE DRAFT. - Jim Steffner, Convention Chair is finalizing the Convention Schedule and what follows is an early release, DRAFT version. It is subject to change, but the reader gets a general idea of the events planned and their tentative times.

CLICK [here](#) to view an optimized version of this DRAFT schedule.

WEDNESDAY – JUNE 14th, 2023

9:00 AM to 4 PM	PRE-REGISTRATION and BANQUET TICKET PICK-UP Members and dealers only
9:00 AM to 4 PM	DEALER SET-UP BEGINS – EXHIBITION HALL, “C” DEALER CREDENTIALS REQUIRED FOR ENTRY
9:30 AM to 4 PM	MEMBER TRADE SESSION – CYPRESS ROOM – NO SALES Convention badge required for entry
3:30 PM to 4:30 PM	MEDIA EVENT – Show Floor, Q&A, Photo op
4:00 PM	DEALER SET-UP CLOSES
6:00 PM	COCKTAIL HOUR – BRUNSWICK ROOM Admission by ticket only
7:00 PM to 8:45 PM	EARLY BIRD BANQUET – Brunswick Room Guest Speaker – ERIC P. ENDY, son of Paul Endy of Paulson fame
8:00 PM to 11:00 PM	MEMBER TRADE SESSION – CYPRESS ROOM – NO SALES Convention badge required for entry

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THURSDAY – JUNE 15th, 2023

- 7:00 AM DEALER SET-UP CONTINUES – Exhibition Hall “C”
to 9:00 AM Dealer credentials required for entry
- 8:00 AM EDUCATIONAL SEMINAR – JOSHUA ROOM
Richard Marcus - “Casino Cheating Techniques”
- 8:30 AM REGISTRATION DESK OPENS, ID REQUIRED
- 9:00 AM RIBBON CUTTING CEREMONY
Ribbon cutting by Board of Directors members
- 9:00 AM EARLY SHOW ADMISSION for pre-registered members
to 10:00 AM Exhibition Hall “C”
- 9:00 AM CCA SILENT AUCTION begins at the auction tables
to 4:00 PM
- 9:00 AM PRE-BIDDING begins for the 7:00 PM BRUCE LANDAU MEMORIAL AUCTION
- 10:00 AM 2023 SHOW FLOOR OPENS for General Admission attendees
to 5:00 PM Exhibition Hall “C”
- 10:00 AM MEET & GREET – Celebrity Gaming Education Series – SHOW FLOOR
to 12:00 PM Joan Destino, Poker pro and author
- 12:00 PM MEET & GREET – Celebrity Gaming Education Series – SHOW FLOOR
to 2:00 PM **TBA**
- 2:00 PM MEET & GREET – Celebrity Gaming Education Series – SHOW FLOOR
to 4:00 PM Eric P. Endy, Son of Paulsons’ Paul Endy
- 3:00 PM EDUCATIONAL SEMINAR – JOSHUA ROOM
Denise McKinney – “Collecting Matchbooks”
- 4:45 PM REGISTRATION CLOSES
- 5:00 PM SHOW IN RECESS UNTIL 9:00 AM FRIDAY
- 6:00 PM SHOW FLOOR SECURED
- 7:00 PM MEMBER TRADE SESSION – CYPRESS ROOM – NO SALES
to 11 PM Convention badge required for entry
- 7:00 PM BRUCE LANDAU MEMORIAL AUCTION – JOSHUA ROOM

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FRIDAY – JUNE 16th, 2023

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| 7:00 AM | DEALERS WITH CREDENTIALS MAY ENTER SHOW FLOOR |
| 7:30 AM | PAST CCA PRESIDENTS' BREAKFAST – CORONADO CAFE |
| 8:00 AM | EDUCATIONAL SEMINAR - JOSHUA ROOM
Rick Perazzo, "History of casino playing cards". |
| 9:00 AM | REGISTRATION DESK OPENS, ID required |
| 9:00 AM | SHOW FLOOR OPENS – Exhibit Hall "C" |
| 10:00 AM | HALL of FAME COMMITTEE MEETING – CYPRESS ROOM |
| 10:00 AM
to NOON | MEET & GREET – Celebrity Gaming Education Series – SHOW FLOOR
Nelson Sardelli, Veteran Las Vegas singer, comic entertainer & movie star |
| NOON | LADIES LUNCHEON – RESERVED AREA AT SOUTH POINT BUFFET
Coordinated by Marion Engel – Sign up at Registration Desk |
| NOON
to 2:00 PM | MEET & GREET – Celebrity Gaming Education Series – SHOW FLOOR
TBA |
| 2:00 PM to
to 4:00 PM | MEET & GREET – Celebrity Gaming Education Series – SHOW FLOOR
Tom McVoy, Winner of 1983 World Series of Poker Main Event |
| 3:00 PM | EDUCATIONAL SEMINAR – JOSHUA ROOM
Lynn Zook, "Visionaires of the Las Vegas Strip" |
| 3:45 PM | REGISTRATION CLOSES |
| 4:00 PM | SHOW FLOOR IN RECESS UNTIL 9:00 AM SATURDAY |
| 5:00 PM | SHOW FLOOR SECURED |
| 5:30 PM
to 6:30 | Brian Cashman Memorial Splashy Awards
Alley Cat Bar |
| 6:00 PM
to 11:00 PM | MEMBER TRADE SESSION – CYPRESS ROOM – NO SALES
Convention badge required for entry. |
| 8:00 PM | GENE TRIMBLE MEMORIAL POKER CHALLENGE
South Point poker room. Walk-ins welcome starting at 7:00 PM
Tournament begins promptly at 8:00 PM, Limited Space available |

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SATURDAY – JUNE 17th, 2023

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| 7:00 AM | DEALERS WITH CREDENTIALS MAY ENTER SHOW FLOOR |
| 8:00 AM | ANNUAL CCA BUSINESS MEETING – JOSHUA ROOM |
| 9:00 AM | REGISTRATION DESK OPENS, ID Required |
| 9:00 AM | SHOW FLOOR OPENS – Exhibition Hall “C” |
| 10:00 AM
to Noon | MEET & GREET – Celebrity Gaming Education Series – SHOW FLOOR
TBA |
| 2:00 PM | OTY AWARD WINNERS ANNOUNCED – Exhibition Hall “C” |
| 3:00 PM | EDUCATIONAL EXHIBITS AWARDS and PEOPLE'S CHOICE
AWARDS – Exhibition Hall “C” |
| | PERSONAL CHIP AWARD of the YEAR – MoGH Table |
| 3:45 PM | REGISTRATION CLOSES |
| 4:00 PM | 2023 SHOW CLOSES – See you next year!! |
| 5:00 PM | ALL DEALERS MUST VACATE SHOW FLOOR |
| 7:00 PM | VOLUNTEERS RECEPTION – Sonoma Room “A” (By Invitation Only)
Guest Speaker - |
| 7:00 PM
to 11:00 PM | “LAST DANCE” MEMBER TRADE SESSION – CYPRESS ROOM
NO SALES – Convention badge required for entry. |

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2023 Convention Raffle

Hello and greetings from James Hogg, your new CCA Convention Raffle Chairman.

I look forward to this fundraising event and hope that the participation is equal to or better than the excellent results achieved by my predecessor, Doug Smith.

Other than a new address to mail donations and submit ticket payments, nearly all of the previous Raffle details will stay in effect. As a reminder, ticket donations are \$10 per ticket, or 3 tickets for \$25.

We are once again offering the Super Pre-Convention Specials of:

- 34 tickets for a donation of \$200!
- 15 tickets for \$100.
- 34 tickets for \$200.

Pre-Convention Specials are only available by mail.

Raffle DONATIONS and Ticket Donations may be mailed to:

**James Hogg - CCA Raffle Chair
802 Fetter Court
Henderson, NV 89052**

CCA NEWS and ACTIVITIES (continued)

A small sampling of donated Raffle items for 2023!



Have you Pre-Registered for the CONVENTION?



There is one only one way to win one and that's to Pre-Register for the convention !!!!

As in the past we will be drawing names for 8 of these fantastic plaques at this years convention.

Only 48 will be given out and 24 have already been awarded over the past 3 years.

Those that pre register will find a brightly colored card in their package with a raffle ticket attached.

Write your name on the back of the ticket and place it in the drum at the raffle table.



Treasurer's Report for The Casino Collectibles Association

Bud Wisinski, Treasurer

The information contained in this report reflects income and expenses for the period 1/01/2022 thru 12/31/2022

The balances in the club accounts were as follows:

Cash Balances	<u>Jan. 1, 2022</u>	<u>Dec. 31, 2022</u>	<u>Change</u>
..3473 CCA Checking	\$ 16,698.80	\$ 9,108.42	\$ (7,590.38)
..3486 MOGH Checking	\$ 61,435.23	\$54,870.90	\$ (6,564.33)
..3457 Life Membership Fund	\$ 52,494.76	\$50,756.04	\$ (1,738.72)
..3460 Money Market	<u>\$ 89,635.29</u>	<u>\$84,672.71</u>	<u>\$ (4,962.58)</u>
Total in all 4 accounts	\$220,264.08	\$199,408.07	\$(20,856.01)

Annual Revenue

Membership Dues	\$ 21,451
Life Membership Dues	\$ 2,003
Membership Upgrades MOGH	\$ 1,117
Fundraising MOGH	\$ 705
Magazine Ads	\$ 1,487
Interest Income	\$ 234
2022 CCA Convention	\$ 47,713
2023 CCA Convention	<u>\$ 0</u>
Total Revenue	\$ 74,710

Annual Expenses

	<u>CCA</u>	<u>MOGH</u>
Magazine	\$ 26,174	
Advertising	\$ 50	
Promotions	\$ 3,634	
Storage	\$ 3,650	\$ 4,865
BOD Audit/meeting	\$	
Postage	\$ 1,822	\$ 323
Bank Service Charges	\$ 116	
Websites	\$ 1,436	\$ 1,063

Errata.

In the most recent issue of the Casino Collectibles News, an incorrect version of the Club's "Statement of Financial Position" was inadvertently printed.

Above is the correct version.

Musings from the MoGH



Total Items on ChipGuide is 311,659 as of publication date.

You can help the MoGH achieve greater success in our efforts to add more content to ChipGuide. Do you have casino memorabilia and related collectibles that are not in ChipGuide? If so, we encourage you, and anyone (Club member or not) to submit images and descriptions of such items to ChipGuide via this [Submission](#) link.

The Mob Museum is in search of Frank Sinatra time-frame Cal-Neva memorabilia for a new display at the Mob Museum. If you have any such material and would like to consider making an arrangement directly with the MoB Museum, you are encouraged to contact Charles Kaplan or Jim Follis to be placed in direct contact with the Mob Museum's representative.

CALL FOR EDUCATIONAL EXHIBITS - COMPETITIVE and NON-COMPETITIVE

With the Convention just around the corner, we are in need of more Exhibits.

If you are planning on going to the Convention in June, please think about doing an Educational Exhibit.

Basically, to participate, just sign-up (send me an email), bring your "stuff" and the Club will provide display cases and table space. Exhibit set-up is Wednesday only, 9 am to 1 pm. Please contact me by email at: Exhibits@CCGTCC.com. I can also be contacted at: 520.971.7909 (phone/text).

The Club provided display cases measure about 22" x 32" and are about 1" inch in depth. A slightly deeper case (3") is available for display of items with a little bit more height. I will need this information:

1. Exhibit content or theme
2. Number of cases needed, (maximum of 5)
3. Your name
4. Your member number, and
5. Title of the Exhibit

Exhibits must be casino related in some way, in keeping with the nature of our Club.

The deadline for submissions will be **April 30th**, however, I can accept late submissions but they will not meet the deadline for inclusion in the Convention Program, but will be eligible for the People's Choice Award and/or one of the 3 Judged Awards.

Thank you,

Jim Follis
MoGH Exhibit Chairman

Be awarded 1 or 2 of these!



News From Around the Hobby...

Atlantic City - CONGRATULATIONS to the Atlantic City Casino Collectibles Club for having their long overdue Meeting the 16th of this month at the Cove Restaurant and Grill, Brigantine, NJ.

The ACCCC plans to have a meeting in September. Details will be included in the September Newsletter. All photos here are courtesy of Doug Balduini.



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