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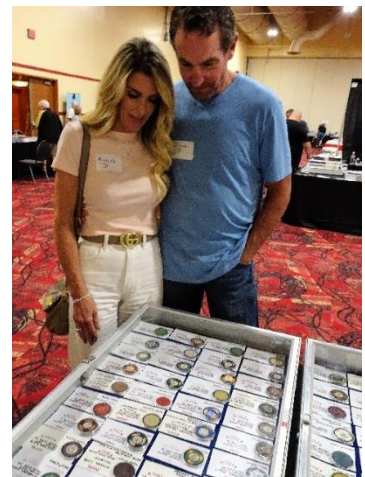
## World's Largest Casino Chip and Collectibles Show is This Week

30<sup>th</sup> Casino Collectibles Association Show Runs June 15-17 in Las Vegas.



**LAS VEGAS (June 12, 2023)** — The world's largest casino chip and collectibles show runs June 15 - 17 at the South Point Hotel and Casino in Las Vegas. For anyone who finds casinos – and specifically casino history – a fascinating topic, this show, hosted by the [Casino Collectibles Association](#), is a must-see event. Visitors can see, touch and feel the greatest collection of casino memorabilia from all over the world. And for the low price of admission, \$10 max (not to mention free parking and no traffic hassles),

it's an entertainment value. The event is open to the public and includes a multitude of fascinating displays and activities.





**Greatest collection of casino memorabilia assembled in one place.**

Classic casino mementos from all over the world will be displayed by over 50 expert dealers.

Gaming chips fans will find displays dedicated to a multitude of gaming chip categories such as rare chips, roulette chips, counterfeit chips, illegal casino chips, odd denomination chips and collections dedicated to subjects such as sports

and aliens. Additional collections on display will include gaming tokens, dice, slot cards and glass, playing cards, matchbooks, menus, dinnerware, gaming table felt, casino photos, advertising and promotional gimmicks, post cards – just about anything with a casino brand.



**Celebrity Meet & Greet Gaming Education Series.**

The *Celebrity Meet & Greet Gaming Education Series* is the personification of the Casino Collectibles Association’s objective to foster the preservation and education of gaming history. Each gaming celebrity has volunteered their time to greet, meet and mingle with show attendees, answer their questions and satisfy their curiosity about the personality’s unique role in the shaping of the gaming industry we know today. New this year is the personification of the Casino Collectibles Association’s objective to foster the preservation and education of gaming history.



Tom McEvoy



Eric Endy



Nelson Sardelli



Troy Stern

*Tom McEvoy*. He won the 1983 World Series of Poker Main Event and was inducted into the Poker Hall of Fame in 2013. 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. on Friday, June 16.





*Eric Endy.* Eric Endy. His father Paul Endy founded the iconic casino chip and dice manufacturer Paul-Son Gaming Supplies. Eric has written a book on the company and will greet show attendees from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. on Thursday June 15.

*Nelson Sardelli.* The movie star, comedian, singer, dancer, and Vegas entertainment legend will share his hilarious stories with visitors from 10 a.m. to Noon on Friday June 16.

*Troy Stern.* Representing her craft, veteran Showgirl Troy Stern will be sharing her stories of the highly choreographed casino entertainment of a bygone era from Noon to 2 p.m. Friday June 16.

#### **Four free gaming memorabilia-related seminars**

Registered show attendees can also take in these four free educational seminars that run concurrently with the show. These seminars are located across the hall from the show in the Joshua Room of the South Point Hotel and Casino:

*History of the most daring casino cheating techniques.* Richard Marcus will present the origins of some amazing and classic cheating devices, how they were used, and how the casinos combated them. From the roulette tables to chip manipulation, Marcus has cheating experience on both sides of the tables, and plenty of entertaining and colorful stories to share. Free Seminar: Thursday, June 15 at 8 a.m.



*The Visionaries of the Classic Las Vegas Strip.* Lynn M. Zook will cover such pioneers of the Las Vegas Strip as Tommy Hull, Billy Wilkerson and Benjamin Siegel, Wilbur Clark, Milton Prell, and Jake Freedman and Jack Entratter.

Following the presentation, Ms. Zook will sign copies of her book. Free Seminar: Friday, June 16 at 3 p.m.

*A Striking Bit of History: All You Need to Know About Collecting Matchbooks.*

Denise McKinney, president of the Rathcamp Matchcover Society will delve deep into the history of matchbooks and matchcover collecting and answer frequently asked questions. Free Seminar: Thursday, June 15 at 3 p.m.

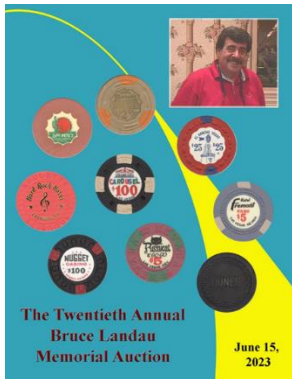




*History and evolution of casino playing cards.* Rick Perazzo will explore the history and evolution of casino playing cards, and how to take advantage of asymmetries in the designs of many cards even found today. Seminar: Friday, June 16 at 8 a.m.



### **Huge auction of casino gaming chips and mementos**



Registered attendees on Thursday, June 15th can review and bid on 200 auction lots of casino chips and other casino memorabilia. A live auction will be conducted that evening at 7 p.m. in Exhibit Hall D at South Point. The auction is open to the public. Admission to the show floor on Thursday is \$10. The auction catalog can be viewed at <http://www.ccgccc.com/2023ClubAuction.pdf>.

### **Show hours and admission fees**

The Casino Chips and Collectibles Show registration and admission is open to the public:

June 15, 10 a.m. – 5 p.m. (admission \$10)

June 16, 9 a.m. – 4 p.m. (admission \$5)

June 17, 9 a.m. – 4 p.m. (admission is free).

Location is Exhibit Hall C at the South Point Hotel Casino, 9777 Las Vegas Blvd. South, Las Vegas, Nevada.



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Download high resolution photos of the world's largest casino chip and collectables show at

[http://www.ccgccc.com/publicity/cca\\_show\\_2023.html](http://www.ccgccc.com/publicity/cca_show_2023.html)

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#### **ABOUT THE CASINO COLLECTIBLES ASSOCIATION**

The [Casino Collectables Association](#), (CCA) is a non-profit 501 (c)(3) club devoted to the fast-growing hobby of collecting casino memorabilia. The club is a resource for information and history of gaming artifacts, including one of the largest archives of gaming manufacturer records and casino gaming chips. Become a member and take advantage of the experts who volunteer their expertise in this fascinating hobby.

An educational project of the CCA, the [Museum of Gaming History](#) (MoGH) comprises an expanding series of fascinating casino memorabilia kiosk exhibits in Las Vegas located within The El Cortez and Plaza casinos, and the Mob and National Atomic Testing museums and Spinettis Gaming Supplies. A single permanent location is the ultimate goal.

*Editor's note: The Casino Collectibles Association is the dba of the Casino Chip & Gaming Token Collectors Club.*

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