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Movie Star, Comedian, Singer, Dancer, and Vegas Entertainment Legend Nelson Sardelli To Greet Attendees at Annual Casino Collectibles Show

With starring roles with Jayne Mansfield, Mae West and Judy Garland, Sardelli brings his hilarious stories to the *world's* largest casino memorabilia show



LAS VEGAS (April 24, 2023) — Brazilian-born of Italian descent, Nelson Sardelli brought his rakish good looks, golden voice, and humorous charms in the 1960's and 70's to his opening act in the showrooms and as a headliner in the lounges of famous Las Vegas Strip hotels including the Sahara, Riviera, Thunderbird, Tropicana, and Flamingo. Sardelli will be on hand to share his casino and movie star experiences when the [Casino Collectibles Association](#) hosts their 30th annual casino chip and collectibles show. Billed as world's largest show of casino collector's items, the annual extravaganza is open to the public at the South Point Hotel and Casino June 15 -17 in Las Vegas.

Sardelli's many talents landed him romantic leading roles in films including Myra Breckinridge, The Professionals and Fake Out, along with friendships with leading ladies like Jayne Mansfield, Judy Garland, Mae West and Pia Zadora. "Not everyone becomes a major star, but the people at my level are the backbone of show business because we are the ones who are everywhere," Sardelli is fond of saying.

A famed humanitarian, his fund-raiser event for mentally disabled children, "Starshine", gathers fellow performers and community leaders to shine shoes for a great cause throughout the U.S. and some of the countries where Sardelli has performed. A veteran himself, Sardelli regularly donates his time and talents to many veteran's events. He lives by his mantra, "Nobody is taller than when they lean down to help somebody else".





Sardelli has performed from Carnegie Hall to the Sydney (Australia) Opera House and was awarded the Golden Pillow Award from the International Entertainer School of Las Vegas and inducted into the Las Vegas Casino Legends Hall of Fame. He recently received the Koep Dean's Medal from the College of Fine Arts Hall of Fame at UNLV.

In many ways, Nelson Sardelli is one of a kind. He doesn't J-walk, spit on the sidewalk and has an advanced degree in military profanity.

Nelson Sardelli will greet those attending the World's Largest Casino Chip and Collectibles Show on day two from 10 AM to Noon on Friday, June 16, at the South Point Hotel and Casino in Las Vegas. The show runs three day, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, June 15 -17, 2023.

The World's Largest Casino Chip and Collectibles Show is open to the public and offers the greatest collection of casino memorabilia, souvenirs and keepsakes ever assembled in a single location. Attendees will be able to browse souvenirs of nearly everything casino related, including gaming table chips, slot machines, slot cards, tokens and glass, dice, playing cards, matchbooks, menus, dinnerware, swizzle sticks, post cards, photos and more. Over 50 worldwide dealers will be on hand to offer attendees the unique opportunity to examine, buy, sell, or trade casino collectibles.

The Casino Collectibles Association is a club with over 1,000 members who passionately share the hobby of collecting and preserving the past. Show registration and admission is open to the public June 15, 10 AM – 5 PM (admission \$10), June 16, 9 AM – 4 PM (admission \$5) and June 17, 9 AM – 4 PM (admission is free).

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Download high resolution photos of Nelson Sardelli at

http://www.ccgcc.com/publicity/cca_nelsonsardelli.html



Event location is Exhibit Hall C at the South Point Hotel Casino, 9777 Las Vegas Blvd. South, Las Vegas, Nevada. Download high resolution photos of the world's largest casino chip and collectables show at http://www.ccgcc.com/publicity/cca_show_2022.html

ABOUT THE CASINO COLLECTIBLES ASSOCIATION

The [Casino Collectibles Association](http://www.ccgcc.com), (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. The club publishes an award-winning quarterly magazine on the subject. 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](http://www.mogh.org) (MoGH) comprises an expanding series of fascinating casino memorabilia kiosk exhibits in Las Vegas located within The El Cortez and Plaza casinos, and the Nevada State, 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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