



ATLANTIC CITY CASINO COLLECTIBLES CLUB

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February 2025 Newsletter

Hello Atlantic City Chippers,

The next Meeting of the Atlantic City Casino Collectibles Club will be on February 23rd, followed by our Spring meeting on May 18th. Meetings are currently being held at The Cove Restaurant. GPS - The Cove, 3700 Brigantine Blvd, Brigantine, NJ 08203. The start time is 10:30-11:00am...or whenever Joe opens the doors for us.

Our last meeting was held on November 10th, 2024. We had 30 members in attendance, with 3 guests. We celebrated our club's 30th anniversary with pizza, soda-pop, coffee, tea, and even an anniversary cake. Jerry Birl sent up a table with original memorabilia from that 1st meeting 30 years ago. 30th anniversary chips were for sale.

Rumor Control Atlantic City

- * New Jersey internet gambling market continues to smash records in Nov. and Dec. 2024.
- * It's Official, Mohegan Sun cuts ties with Resorts Casino Hotel.
- * Is The Showboat inching closer to a Casino Comeback????
- * Atlantic City casinos earnings fell nearly 14% in the 3rd quarter of 2024.
- * AC Airshow WILL NOT happen in 2025 for the second year in a row. Officials have hopes for 2026.
- * Only the Atlantic City Slot machines showed positive numbers for the casinos in Nov. and Dec. 2024.

Rumor Control for Las Vegas and The Rest of the World

- * Pahrump is the number #1 major destination for retirees to relocate in 2024.
- * Whiskey Pete's Hotel and Casino in Primm, NV closed on Tuesday December 17th, 2024.
- * Operators of Bally's Chicago, Inc..are willing to sell up to 25% of stock to only female or minority individuals.
- * MGM considers charging for window seats in some of their Las Vegas restaurants.
- * Luxury Lifestyle Magazine ranked The Wynn as "The Most prestigious Casino/Hotel" in Las Vegas.
- * The Sahara is now charging for parking.
- * Wynn Resorts acquires The London Crown, in the United Kingdom.
- * Attendance was down for Las Vegas's November's Formula One LV Grand Prix.
- * Durango LV starts their \$116 million expansion.
- * Virgin Hotel LV to take over all casino operations from Mohegan Sun.
- * Treasure Island LV announces a new casino loyalty program.
- * The Delano LV is now officially the "W" of Las Vegas.
- * The Rampart casino LV celebrates their 25th Anniversary.
- * The El Cortez LV completes their \$20 million expansion.
- * The Pascua Yaqui Tribe breaks ground on new casino "Del Sol" located In Tucson, AZ.

The 2025 Annual CCA Convention (CC>CC) will be at the South Point Hotel Casino & Spa, June 12-15th. If you have any questions, please contact Tina and Steve Miller. Volunteers for this convention are ALWAYS needed.

Trivia Question: What was the original definition of the word "Casino"?

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| A. Italian small villa, summerhouse, or pavilion | B. Greek word for basement or bottom level |
| C. Church basement | D. Games of sin |
| E. Fast money | |

See you on the Boardwalk! Happy Chipping Everybody,

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