



ATLANTIC CITY CASINO COLLECTIBLES CLUB

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May 2025 Newsletter

Hello Atlantic City Chippers,

Spring is here, finally. The last Meeting was held on February 23rd, 2025. The next meeting will be held on May 18, 2025. Meetings are currently being held at the Cove Restaurant, 3700 Brigantine Blvd, Brigantine NJ 08203. Doors will open at 11:00am, guests are welcome. ***** **Don't Forget, we still have ACCCC 35th Anniversary Chips for SALE!!!**

The upcoming CC>CC or CCA Convention will be held June 12-14, 2025, at the fabulous South Point Hotel, Casino & Spa. Volunteers are always needed and appreciated. Please contact Tina and Steve Miller if interested.

Rumor Control for Atlantic City

- AC reports revenues so far, (2025), for Atlantic City Casinos' down 9.2% from same time last year.
- Tilman Fertitta, CEO of Golden Nugget, has resigned.
- Internet betting revenues surpasses "In-Person" bettors in February.
- Ocean Resort Casino's famous sign comes down. New LED signage is coming soon.
- Free Parking is available at the Golden Nugget.
- Atlantic City casino's controversy with increased fees, tightened slots, and worse table game odds.
- It's been reported that Atlantic City crime has seen a decrease of 11% in 2025.
- AC's mayor announced another tax rate decrease, continuing a trend of property tax cuts.
- AC's Aquarium has been renovated and is set to reopen this coming spring.
- Keith Hawkins gets denied from a NJ court for reimbursement. Hawkins paid \$59,500 for 389 AC Playboy chips, which he bought on an online auction.

Rumor Control for Las Vegas & the World

- David Siegel, owner of famed Westgate Resort, Las Vegas, dies at 89.
- Las Vegas Sands wants a casino in Irving Tx. A bill has passed in Texas that might make this process easier for LVS.
- The construction of the Hard Rock's guitar tower is well under way.
- After 10 years, Centerfolds of Las Vegas, closes on April 8th, 2025.
- Boyd Gaming begins construction of the "Cadence Crossing Casino" in Henderson, NV.
- Caesars announces The Cromwell will be transformed into the Vanderpump Hotel & Casino.
- The Downtown Plaza Hotel will have fireworks every Friday Night from May to August.
- Clarity Game completes the acquisition of Stockman's Casino. Renovations will begin soon.
- MGM raises (AGAIN) multiple Las Vegas Strip Casino fees.
- South Point Hotel Casino & Spa starts high incentives for 50+ seniors, like \$4.00 movies and \$5.00 Buffets. Individuals MUST have a valid Players Card.
- Station Casinos' begins the daily Sports Book operations of Treasure Island's and 2 Mesquite casinos in May.
- The Downtown Grand Hotel and Casino, Las Vegas, became the first casino (in the world), to offer IGT's Wheel of Fortune Video Poker Game.
- PMC (Penske Media Corporation), owner of the Iconic Rolling Stone Muti-Platform content brand, is reportedly in advanced talks to purchase the Downtown Grand.
- Thailand approves landmark legislation with strict limits on local gamblers.
- Brazil edges closer on legislation to allow for the construction of Hotel Casinos.
- Swedish Parliament votes to close their LAST land-based Casino.

Trivia Question: Who is widely credited with being the first entertainer to establish a residency in Las Vegas?

1. Liberace
2. Jimmy Durante
3. Red Skelton
4. Tony Bennett
5. Gene Autry

See you on the Boardwalk! Happy Chipping Everybody,

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