# "ARCHIE'S" A.C. NEWSLETTER

ATLANTIC CITY e-NEWSLETTER

for collectors of roulette chips, slot cards & room keys ...

### **PRICELESS!**

# DECEMBER, 2006



PROUD TO BE HONORARY LIFE MEMBER #001

#### RETIREMENT ANNOUNCEMENT

*'Adios Amigos'!* As all of you should know by know ... I sent out an email announcement earlier this month, on December 6<sup>th</sup>, regarding the termination of my New Issues Service effective with the issuance of the "Season's Greetings" chips to be released at Trump Plaza later this month.

I've made arrangements with Ricky Pushkin to carry on my New Issues Service under his trade name of "All-Chips, Inc." There should be a seamless, uninterrupted, transition from my former service under "Mr. Chips, Inc." to Ricky's new service under "All-Chips, Inc."

I plan to continue to send out casino collectibles to my former new issues subscribers, but I will not be selling casino <u>new issue chips</u> ...; with the exception of roulettes, slot cards, and casino hotel room keys. My enewsletter will continue to be e-mailed periodically to collectors of slot cards, room keys and roulette chips only. Thanks again for your past business and for your wonderful support. It was a great ride!



#### LUCKY \$500 WINNER!!



Gold Coast Casino Las Vegas, Nevada

*"RETIRED? YES..., BUT NOT RETARDED"* Still outspoken on matters concerning the hobby and supportive of our outstanding club!

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Brenda and I attended the Palms Casino Collectibles Show in Las Vegas early in November and stayed at the Gold Coast Casino Hotel directly across the street, where daily drawings were held to celebrate their 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. Lo and behold, one of our entry tickets was drawn for a \$500 prize winner!

#### LATEST ROULETTE CHIPS

Tropicana has recently put into play a new series of roulette chips design that I describe as; "Goldfish". 7 colors.

#### **BORGATA LIPS CHIP**



This pink NCV chip was issued in December to mark the Lips Women's Poker Tour and was given to each tournament participant. Sorry, no extras!



#### **NEW CEASARS ROOM KEY?**

I've heard about this one... but I've not seen one yet. Supposedly, it features a design of the new retail Caesars Shops at The Pier. I hope the person who reported this 'key' does not have it confused with a gift card.

Hopefully, I'll be able to acquire a few by January's e-newsletter.

#### ANYBODY COLLECT CASINO PHONE CARDS?



This one is available from a dispensing machine at Caesars for \$5. Nice to have in case of an emergency, plus after the minutes are used up, you have a nice casino collectible! Kind of like still having your cake and eating it too!



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#### I NEGLECTED TO INSERT THIS "A.C. CARD" IN NOVEMBER'S MAILING



It will be included in my December mailing to those who were signed up for new A.C. slot cards under the old Mr. Chips, Inc. banner.

I picked up a few of these slot cards during my trip to the Palms Show in early November. This card was issued at the new "Aquarius Hotel & Casino" in Laughlin (used to be Flamingo Hilton). If you will note the  $2^{nd}$  line of test on the reverse of the card, it states; .... "This A.C.E. Rewards Club Card allows you to earn and redeem reward points and/or comp dollars at each participating caino in Nevada and New Jersey." Below the text section is the Atlantic City Sands logo ... which is now closed. All of the casino logos pictured on the reverse of the card are Carl Icon properties, which makes this card an Atlantic City issue as well. The card was only out for a few weeks before Sands closed its doors forever. This card has since been replaced in Laughlin and the Sands logo, nor the reference to New Jersey, does not appear on the similar-looking new card.

ARE <u>YOU</u> A CC&GTCC MEMBER?? If not, I would be pleased to sponsor you as a new club member. Please email me for a membership application.

### IF YOU ENJOY YOUR FREEDOM THANK A VET

#### A.C. COLLECTIBLES CLUB 2007 MEETING DATES (subject to change)

Sunday January 28, 2007 Sunday March 25, 2007 Sunday May 20, 2007 Sunday July 20, 2007 Sunday September 9, 2007 Sunday November 4, 2007

Meetings start at 11 a.m. at Trump Marina Visitors are always welcome!

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"YES; I'M RETIRED (AGAIN) AND NO; I'M NOT RUNNING FOR ANYTHING!"

