

# **PLAYBOY** *at the* **HOME** **VIDEO**



by Gene Trimble

I thought, you might like to see the progression of a work in progress. The Playboy chips were in the works for some time but we had reached the point of no return and had given up on them.

On 8/12 the OK came from Playboy. We made a call to France

but Bourgogne et Grasset was going to be closed until late August for a company holiday. Bud Jones agreed to do the art and push Bourgogne et Grasset to produce the chips and deliver on time.

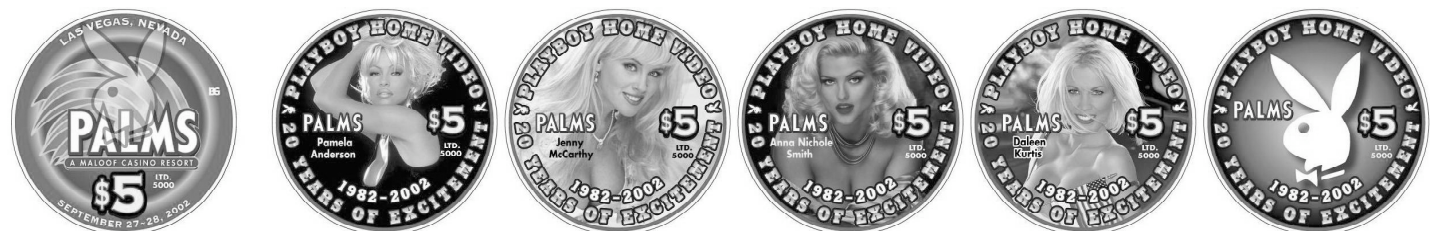
On 8/13 Bourgogne et Grasset guaranteed delivery. It would be a job

to get it done. Art, approval by The Palms and Playboy, art approval by gaming which normally takes 7-10 days! Then production of notched chips, shipping from France and normal 7-10 days in gaming. Final production and shipping from France all this with Bourgogne et Grasset not opening again until the end of August.



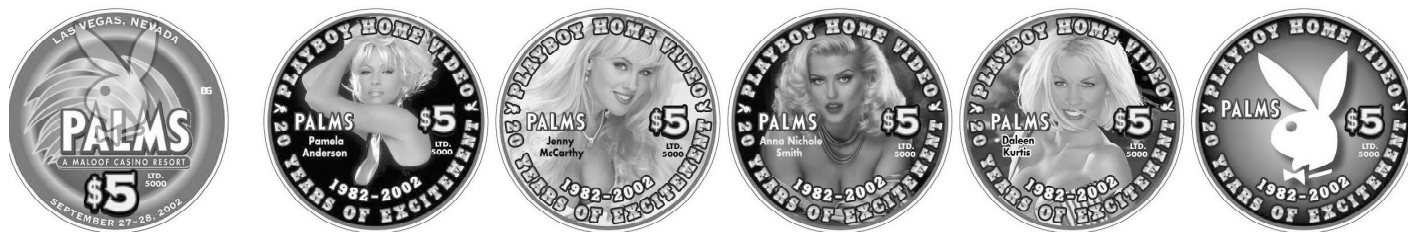
1st art delivered on 8/13.

Nicole and Dalene spelled wrong. Neither the Palms or Playboy noticed this. Playboy felt Dalenes picture was bigger than the others and could cause spats between the ladies.



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Dalene smaller. OOPS, too small!!!!



8/15 No 1

Dalenes picture OK. OOPS, her name is spelled wrong!

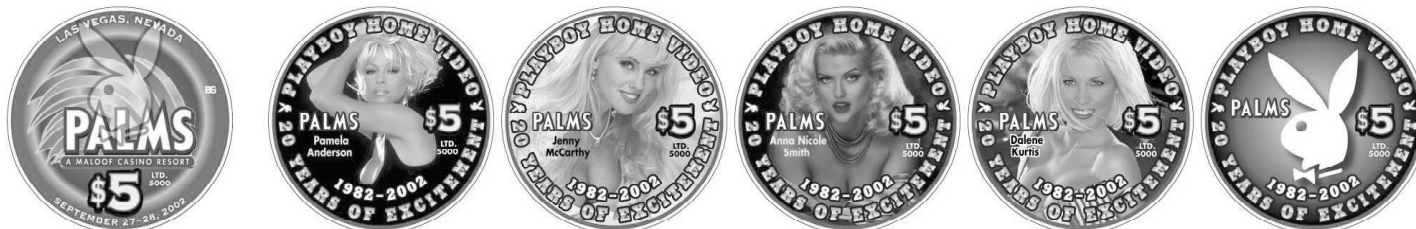
8/15 No 2

OOPS, Nicole is spelled wrong.



8/15 No 3

OOPS, A Playboy lawyer in Chicago voiced his concern that we did not have the right to use the names even though we did have the rights to the picture.

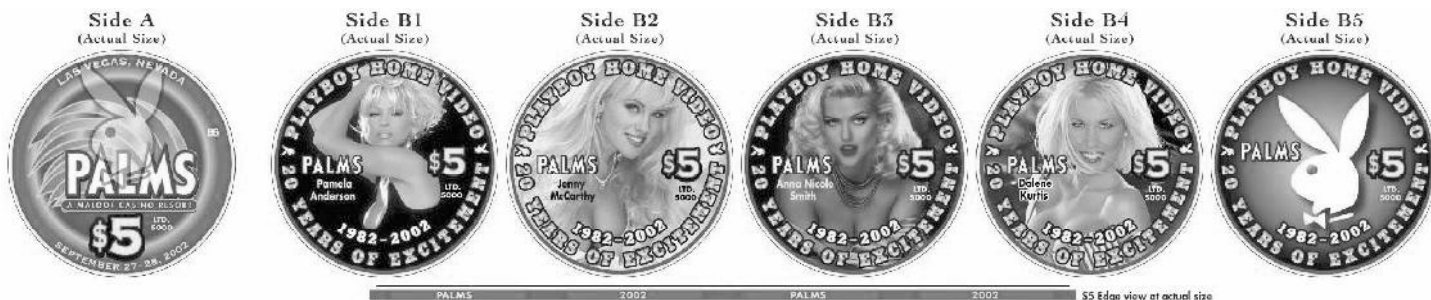


8/15 No 4.

1/2 of the order arrived in Las Vegas yesterday. The rest expected by this Friday.

Thank you to Playboy, Bud Jones Company, Bourgogne et Grasset, and Nevada Gaming.

Special thanks to Bud Jones artwork specialist Pearson for putting everything on hold for this job. Thanks to all on The Chipboard who have responded in a positive manner on this issue and all Palms issues. We will continue to promote in house promotions with our chips. We have some good ones in the works.



Final Chips