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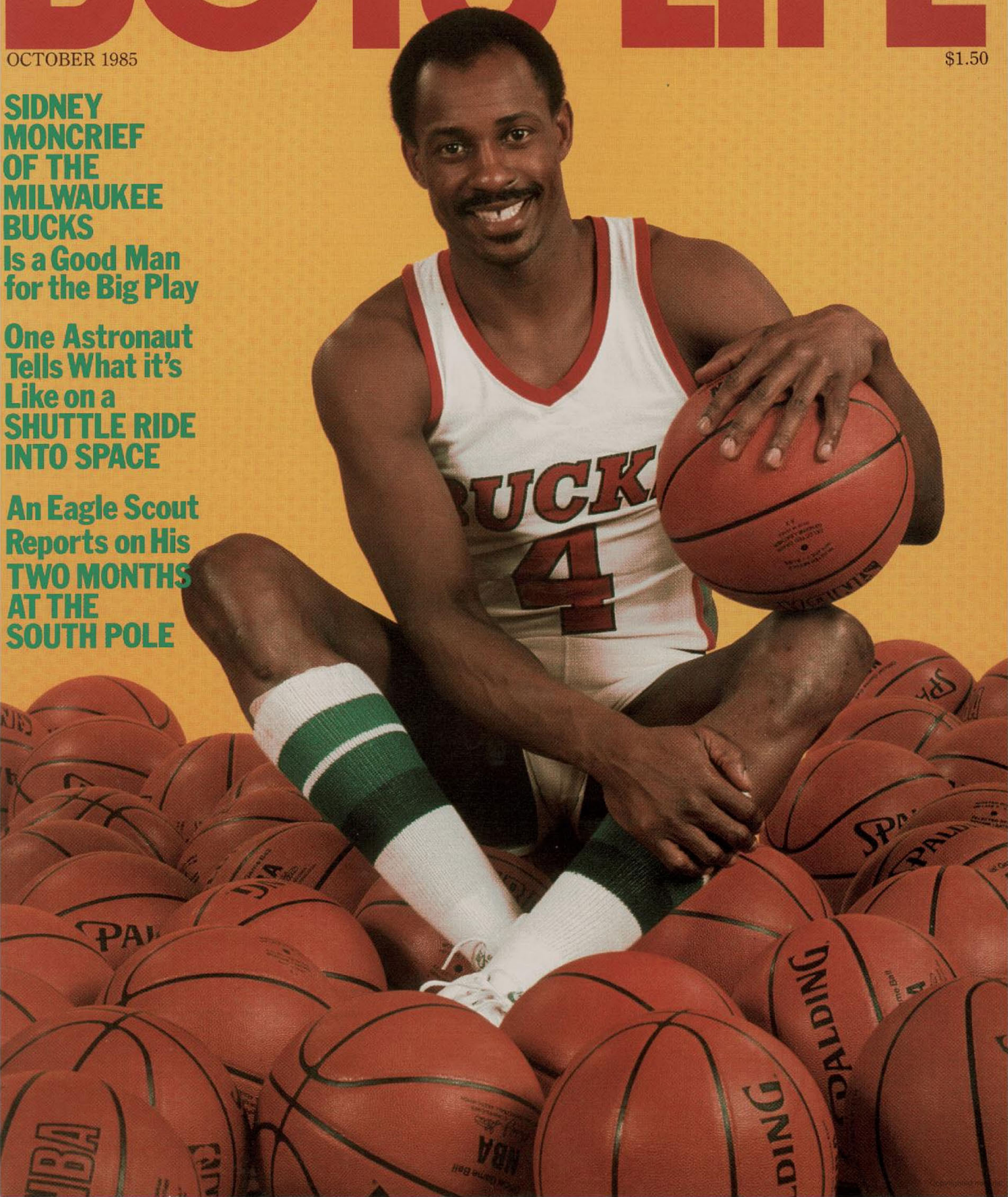
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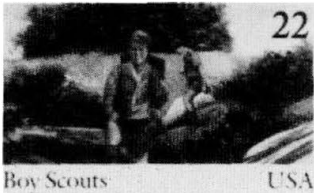


Stamps & Coins



By Scott Stuckey

Stamp collecting, known as the world's most popular hobby, will be spotlighted again this October when the Postal Service kicks off the fifth National Stamp Collecting month. The theme this year is "Treasures Worth Rediscovering—and Sharing." As part of the observance, many local postmasters and stamp organizations will sponsor special activities and stamp shows.



A 22-cent stamp commemorating the 75th anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America will be issued Oct. 7 in Chicago during the International Youth Services Conference. The stamp's design was unveiled July 24 at the National Scout Jamboree at Fort A.P. Hill, Va.

The Boy Scout stamp is part of a block of four stamps issued in conjunction with the United Nations theme "International Youth Year." The other youth groups featured in the block of four are Big Brothers/Big Sisters, Young Men's Christian Association (YMCA), and Campfire. Each stamp shows an outdoor scene with people who represent the particular youth group. —\$5 to Matt Puckett, Broomfield, Colo.

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