

The **PERFORMER**



Little Rock Magic Ring 29 *Newsletter*

July 2022

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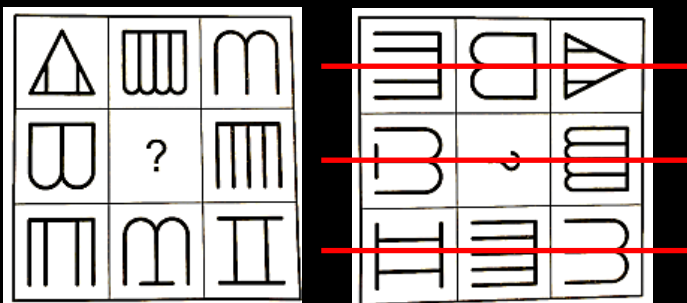
It's all about the Magic...



June Puzzle **NOT SOLVED**

Difficulty Level ★★☆☆

Inspired by Martin Gardner's similar puzzle with digits. Each of the ancient symbols is composed of a letter rotated 90 degrees clockwise and its mirror image placed symmetrically to it. Since all but one were formed from among the first letters of the English alphabet, the remaining one is the letter I, and the ninth symbol shown in the middle. Take another look...



The Ghost Card

A Burling Hull Invention

Presented by Samuel Patrick Smith

Show a spectator six different jumbo cards. Ask him to think of one. Then count the cards into his open hand one by one. The card he was merely thinking of has vanished!

For an impressive finish, ask the spectator which card he was thinking of. Then reach into your pocket and pull out his mentally selected card!

A clean and completely baffling effect.

The spectator apparently sees front and back of each card as you deliberately count them into his open hand.

Ghost Card does not use the rough-and-smooth principle. It does not use a pocket card or a flap.

You do not have to cover the cards.

The trick may be repeated as many times as you wish.

Ghost Card is easy to perform. It's so ingenious, you can perform it right under their noses. The jumbo-size cards also make this a winner on stage. Simple, incredibly clever, and baffling!

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JULY PUZZLE

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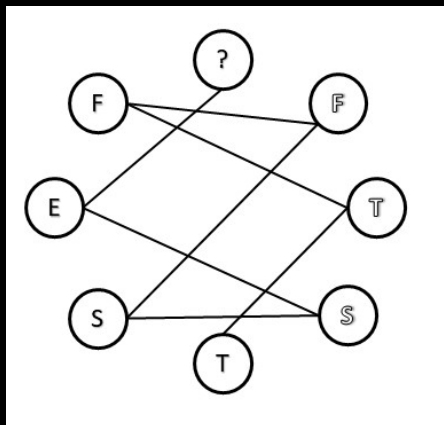
Which Letter should be placed in the circle with the question mark? Note: The solution is not E

DOUBLE PRIZE FOR DIFFICULTY

Send your responses to: mjhaughn@gmail.com

Good luck!

You may only win one puzzle prize per year, but can still submit your possible solutions.



Meetings

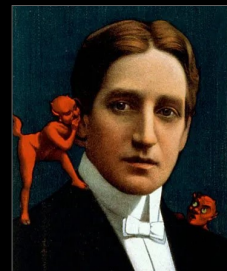
August 4, 2022 @ 6:45
Dane Dover Workplace
10201 W. Markham
Little Rock

Upcoming Events

August - Round-Robin Workshop
September - Lecture by Suzanne
November Picnic - TBD
December Christmas Party - TBD
January Show 2023 - TBD

"You can fool the eyes and minds of the audience, but you cannot fool their hearts."

- Howard Thurston-



Current/Past Events

AUGUST MEETING INFO

The August meeting will be held at Dane Dover's workplace conference rooms. He is planning to have a round-robin teach in. The address is 10201 W. Markham. Plan to attend as this should be interesting and educational.

Newsletter Archives

The newsletter archives has been a long and arduous process and is continually being added to. Recently, the years 1993 through 2004 have been included. We are still missing an issue here and there but hope to find a copy somewhere.

Who's Performing?

On July 2, 2022 Paul Carlon, Blayk Puckett, Jimmy Rhodes, Richard Knoll and Joey Williams performed an outdoor stage show for everyone at Treasure Lake.



There will be a short write up detailing the shows before, during and after by Paul Carlon. See the following pages for his report. Thanks Paul!

GOT NEWS?

Doing a show? Been to a good show? Met any well known magicians? Write about it and send to: mjhaughn@gmail.com to be published here.

Magic Auctions

On July 10 Ring 75 held an auction both in person and via Zoom taking care of the magic estate of Chuck Larson. If you missed it you missed out on some pretty decent deals on some great magic and books.

Ring 75 will also be hosting their annual Ring Auction on August 14th in person and via Zoom. If you are interested contact Ron Ingram at ron.ingram@sbcglobal.net he will be happy to get you details.

Monthly Puzzle

I assume the puzzle for June was challenging as there were no correct answers provided. You can find the solution on the front page. July is a little more of a challenge but I am giving away two prizes for the correct solution.

Cavalcade of Magic 2023

Am I too early in mentioning next year's Cavalcade of Magic? I might be but now is a great time to start looking at your calendars and get to planning. Normally, the Cavalcade is held during the last weekend of March, beginning on Thursday night and ending Saturday night.

In the coming months I know Ring 75 will be having meetings to plan the annual event. Emails will be sent out detailing the event. Prior to that email though will be a request for magicians to perform, be it close up or stage. Look for info in this newsletter and our website when details become available. You don't want to miss it!

COVID 19

For the past few months the numbers have been rising some and there have been numerous folks close to us who have been dealing with this menace.

Please place an extra prayer in your day for those fighting the good fight.

Stay safe and healthy so that we may continue our quest for magic gatherings and socializing.

Arkansas Masters of Illusion

by Paul Carlon

The "Before" Show

The world of magic can provide some pretty great adventures for a performer. One of my favorite is a yearly performance in Branson, Missouri. Perhaps I should say "Our" favorite. As in myself, Paul Carlon, along with



(in alphabetical order) Richard Knoll, Blayk Puckett, Jimmy Rhodes, and Joey Williams. Together we perform as the Arkansas Masters of Illusion. And I would be seriously remiss not to include Bill Fulton, even if only in spirit.

This is one of our favorite because it gives us a weekend away to not only perform in Branson but also to simply just hang out together. This summer was our sixth year and 9th performance for Treasure Lake Resort right in the middle of Branson. While there, we each have the unique distinction of being a Branson Performer. That means we are able to take in many shows and attractions at a discount and/or for free. So when you consider Treasure Lake pays us, they put us up in cabins on the property, give us a well-publicized professional billing and then combine that with hanging out with your magic buddies in Branson then you can understand why it is a favorite. With this group of guys, you also have the recipe for trouble... Wait! What I meant to say was recipe for one of those great adventures.

This Summer 2022 we were billed as a headliner on the big outdoor stage for their annual Independence Day celebration on Saturday, July 2nd. The weekend actually got started a few days earlier when Richard arrived at the park with his RV, which we all



like to refer to as our "Tour Bus". Joey met up with Richard on Thursday evening to rehearse some show changes. Then Friday morning Blayk and I packed up his Mini Cooper and headed out of Little Rock to meet Jimmy at Fergusons Restaurant near the Buffalo River for an early "Home Cooked" meal. Our goal was to meet in Branson in time to go the Reza show at 3:00. Jimmy always knows the best places. Fergusons is definitely one of those places. If you go, save room for one of their giant cinnamon rolls!

Reza has a good show. I would call it a traditional illusion show with the standard stage props accompanied with dancers and constant flowing modern pop music. It really appeals to a young crowd. It seemed to be the first time most of these young adults and kids had seen these illusions. It's great to know that the Sub-Trunk still kills. Richard decided that since it was my birthday he would get a message to Reza to attempt a meeting with him. Reza responded with one better. After the show, he brought us all back stage just to hang out for a while. He even had someone shooting lots of video for his TikTok followers. Still haven't seen that video so if you follow him and see it, shoot one of us the link.



Sometimes it can be a challenge finding a place to eat we all can agree on. We have to decide, is this meal an event or simply about just getting something to eat. Problem solved when we were invited to eat BBQ. We all agreed that we have had much better BBQ. It was a TUMS evening. What we all really were looking forward to was spending time together in the "Tour Bus". We spent the evening relaxing as well as reviewing the show.

On Saturday Morning the day starts with coffee and focus on the show. We were working on a large stage with a professional sound and lighting crew so our first goal was get there to plan with them our prop placement and do sound checks. Then out of the way so the first band could set up. We closed the morning performance lineup with our magic show at 12:00 noon. This was the kickoff to a day full of July 4th activities. Basically a huge outdoor festival, Treasure Lake's biggest event of the year. Complete with a firework show at the end of the day.

The "Show"

Every performer knows you can have a great show yet the crowd not so great. Or the other way around. Treasure Lake crowds are always great. We have families that always make a point to be at our show each year and that helps. As for the magic? It was one of those great days. But you just can't help not to have a good show when you know everyone is enjoying themselves. The crowd enjoys the bands but our magic gives them some variety and it's a big draw for the kids who love the participation.

Our shows generally always follow the same format. I open with Anderson tear and restore using a kid participant who actually tears the newspaper. Followed by the comedy magic of Jimmy and his colorful parasol. Then magic juggling with knives and an apple, which is

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Blayk's unique version of card to apple. Joey's Miser's Dream... the endless production of coins from everywhere even from his assistant's nose. Richard has a beautiful version of Losander's floating table. At Treasure Lake, we always end with a Branson tradition; a

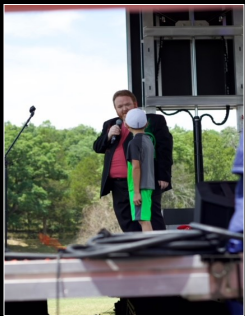
tribute to our veterans. Richard performs an American flag production while the crowd joins in singing "God Bless America".

We all use audience members throughout the show. That means there is always a chance for a few surprises. The pressure was on me because it was my job wandering the crowd and having an assistant ready in the wings. Thankfully no surprises this time. I certainly didn't want to let one of my buddies down.

Watching and interacting with the crowd during the show gives a great perspective of how well things are going. The show lasted an hour and 15 minutes. Sounds like a long time in the heat of the day, but the crowd stuck with us. Then one of the fun parts is meet-



ing kids and taking pictures after the show. One young man who has spent a lot time trying to learn magic from YouTube, approached me wanting our contact information. It feels good to be able to follow up with a future performer and steer him toward the right books and internet resources.



You just never know how you will influence a young life. It's one of the great honors of being a performer. It happens often for us and we are hoping for that day when an American idol winner or someone who fools Penn and Teller will tell his/her story about the time those guys at Treasure Lake inspired them. Hey, we can dream can't we? (If this were a text, I'd include an LOL!)

The "After Show"

We can't have an AMOI weekend without Tex-Mex. Saturday afternoon we found just that at Cantina Laredo Branson Landing. We had a guest who drove in from Oklahoma to see our show, join us to eat. His comment afterward was, "I haven't had that much fun at a meal in a long, long time". Can you tell? This meal was an event! We have fun I guess because that is when we as a group are the most relaxed. When we are enjoying a meal together. I'm surprised that the wait staff doesn't end up tipping us for all the magic we perform for them. Laughter, Coins, cards and pushing salt shakers through the table; it's a wonder they don't ask us to leave! It usually does get us a couple more Instagram and/or Facebook followers.



The rest of the afternoon? It's hard to remember. I only have a vague memory of snoring sounds. But I do remember the evening. We all spent it at the "Tour Bus". We grilled burgers and waited for the fireworks. Burgers were great and the evening definitely ended big with several Big Booms! Unfortunately, the booms came from a really big thunderstorm which rained out the fireworks. They were rescheduled for Sunday night. That was okay because overall the evening was perfect just hanging out with some of my closest friends. Truly another great adventure.



Reactions are PRICELESS!

President's Corner

Dane Dover

Me, A Magic Collector?

I never really thought of myself as a magic collector. You know someone who has posters, handbills, etc. of magicians of the past. However, if I'm honest I have a little bit of that magic hoarding mentality. I still have pictures, newspaper clippings, props, etc. that are about my teacher, Col. F.M. Seymour. I have on my desk a picture of him, and I that was taken at one of the annual events held in his back yard for the Little Rock Magic Circle. I was much thinner and younger then. Of course, I have several of his booklets, props, etc. Alas, I sold the tables he made for me because I wanted something glitzier and more modern.

I was fortunate enough to attend the IBM Annual Convention held in Little Rock (I think 1975) and still have signatures I collected while attending that event. As well as other memorabilia. I have the original Wunderbar that was being sold by Steve Dusheck at that convention.

I have memorabilia from the IBM/SAM combined convention in 2008 including the original magic kit they were giving away as part of your registration. It was a trip my son and I took together and I have a lot of memories we sat beside Bev Bergeron and Mac King was sitting a few seats away when he was there. I knew if my son Michael was going to catch the magic bug that would be when (but he didn't).

I have programs from the Cavalcade of Magic held in Eureka Springs including pictures with those who have gone on.

I have a Chris Angel display that was at the local Walgreens in Greenwood Arkansas for Christmas items that were being sold.

I have props that I never intend on using but can't seem to get rid of because of sentimental reasons. My Tarbell set will only leave my side when I am dead and gone as it was gathered over several years as gifts from my grandmother, parents, etc.

I have Fox lake cards, Deland decks, more packet tricks than I would like to admit. Tenyo products, Fakini balls, Abbot's products, etc. And I can't pass up Supreme magic books and products. I have several books Karrell Fox wrote (I saw him in person once).

I have old props that are damaged or have missing parts that I am going to "repair" one day.

And in addition to all of that I have around 50 collectible decks of cards.

I still love the thrill of a magic auction even though I don't need ANYTHING.

Yes, it is a sickness. I'm just glad that I'm not a collector.

Dane

Special Report

by VP Joel Nicholson

Hello Ring 29ers, this has been an interesting month for me. For three weeks in a row on Thursday, I had the fun task of introducing a popular and talented performer at our library in my hometown in Brinkley. They came to entertain and train the youngsters in reading literacy and safety with this year's theme "Oceans of Possibilities."

The first week we had Ring29er Aaron Acosta who performed his entertaining "Magic for Kids" show. He fell in love with magic when he was 8 years old with a magic book he found at the library. Aaron Acosta, will get your young readers excited about books! He can help bring smiles, laughter, & astonishment! His always "on theme" magic show will be a hit at your library, birthday party, preschools, daycares, schools, family events, fairs & festivals, wedding, company event, comedy magic show, employee appreciation day, seniors adults day, senior homes & assisted living centers. Magic is his passion and obsession and he is thrilled that his job allows him to share this joy with folks of all ages, leaving them with laughter and enjoyment at every show with a stand-up interactive comedy magic show, or his walk around magic event that will leave your guests delighted with astonishment!

On Thursday of our second week: Woodruff Electric brought a demonstration for the identification of safety from electricity dangers. Then the fun began as I got to introduce our special guest Craig O'Neil who came with his entertaining antics and many voices and read to the kids.

Here's his "KID'S INTRO": Your speaker today shares his "LOVE of Reading" with children at SCHOOLS and LIBRARIES all over Arkansas. His goal today is to bring inspiration, enjoyment, and development of young minds through "The Enjoyment of Reading." He is full of laughable pranks, zany antics, and weird facial expressions as he poses for photos with folks. Entertaining others comes naturally for this master of the "Art of Motivational Speaking." His dynamic personality and imaginative presentation keeps the kids spellbound and the adults envious. He has the most famous set of lips in Arkansas. They are as memorable as Angelina Jolie's; but for a different reason: he is a "gifted entertainment expert" with exceptional wit that'll leave you saying "Man, that guy needs therapy!" In his early years as a B98.5 Radio Disc Jockey he was a talented, hilarious inventor of many famous prank phone calls like (the imaginary) "Walton Heights Goats Lawn Care Service!" You're missing fun if you don't see him on Channel 11 THV. He keeps his co-workers on their toes with his fun filled antics as he reports "The News."

He's truly gifted, He leaves us lifted,

Clap your hands, For a funny man,

Craig O'Neal!

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by VP Joel Nicholson

Now for the "ADULT INTRO":

After hearing this you might want to rearrange your priorities. Craig O'Neill is a TV sportscaster and lead news anchor for THV11 in Little Rock, Arkansas. He has 50 years in broadcasting. He's probably the funniest man you'll ever be around. God has blessed him with the winningest smile. He specializes, currently, in children's literacy with 'Craig's Reading Road Trip.' He graduated from Little Rock's Central High School in 1968 and from Arkansas State University in Jonesboro in 1972. His career as a deejay began in 1969, and for 3 decades he served as a disc jockey for several Arkansas stations including KLAZ, KARN, and KKYK. He was young, funny, radio broadcaster who shook up the broadcasting business. A self-confessed sports nut, he became the host of ESPN2 Outdoors in 1995. In 1997, Craig became the stadium announcer for all home football games for the Arkansas Razorbacks. Craig said "In August of 1999, I began to park at THV's front door and demanding to be put on TV," ; they relented in December. In 2000 He started his TV sports and news anchor career at THV11. On Craig's first day of work he was sent to Dallas to cover the Cotton Bowl game between the Arkansas Razorbacks and the Texas Longhorns. In June of 2008, he went into news with Dawn Scott and Liz Massey. Craig holds the distinction of being the only disc jockey to ever host a dance at the White House. On TV this year (2022) I saw him interview Dolly Parton. Lately, The Central Arkansas System hosted "An Evening with the Legends of Radio" and Craig O'Neill has been selected as one of those legends. I can't wait to read the novel he wrote during the Corona virus epidemic.

The most amazing thing about Craig is the amount of time he spends giving back to people. Craig has given his time and talents to help many organizations including The American Cancer Society, Big Brothers/Big Sisters, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Arkansas Children's Theatre, Arkansas Arts Center, Arkansas Children's Hospital, Muscular Dystrophy Association, Cystic Fibrosis Foundation, Ballet of Arkansas, Florence Crittenden Home, Easter Seals, American Heart Association, Hope Lodge, VIPS, and Multiple Sclerosis Society. He has raised over 40 million dollars for Arkansas charities and In 1 night alone he raised 1.2 million!

Craig is married to his college sweetheart, Jane. They have two grown children, Abby and Thomas, two grandchildren, Bella and Amelia. You can email Craig at cmoneill@thv11.com or follow him on social media Facebook, or Twitter.

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Special Report

by VP Joel Nicholson

And now on to our third week: Tommy Terrific. Tommy Terrific was right on target and on the kid's level as he brought us the Tommy Terrific Magic Show.

Tommy Terrific Bio: Tommy Diaz grew up in North Little Rock, AR. He graduated from Northwestern University in Evanston & Chicago, IL. Northwestern is a private research university with 12 schools and more than 21,000 students across three campuses. After graduation, he moved to New York City to pursue an acting career. In New York, Tommy began dating the girl of his dreams. Her dad who became Tommy's father-in-law was performing an entertaining style of magic in Canada as Weldon the Wacky Wizard. Weldon thought Tommy could do some Wacky Magic, too. So, he got Tommy set up with a magic box, a folding table, and a Magician's Handbook. While in New York Tommy created Tommy Terrific's Wacky Magic show. Tommy loved doing magic shows so much that he has now been doing the show full-time for the last 15 years. Tommy returned home to Arkansas in 2007. Tommy and his wife have 3 kids. They have restored a historic house in Little Rock, and have a lot of pets, including: 2 cats, a dog, and chickens.

In the evening after Tommy's show, I hit I-40W and made it to the Henson house #2 to make our monthly Ring 29 meeting. It was lots of fun; many folks attended. The performer's presentations were especially good. Our new President Dane Dover conducted the business meeting professionally and introduced every performer. There were drawings for gifts and winners of tickets for lots of magic giveaways from "Mr. Magic" Jim Henson. Our next meeting is going to be a little different and the newsletter will have the details so check it closely and regularly. The theme may be modified from "Raiders of the Lost Magic Drawer" (Open that magic drawer and dig in deep to find that trick you haven't used in a long time!).

It's a hoot to humbly participate in an honorable project with such a hard-working genius staff that know what they are doing (except for me). I failed my IQ test again! My advice for the month: Love your kids and especially love your grandkids!

Your buddy,

Joel Nicholson (V.P.)

Secretary Report

Marty Haughn

The Little Rock Magic Ring assembled for the July 7, 2022 meeting presided by President Dane Dover. Dane began the meeting with a few announcements starting with upcoming lectures. Originally slated for August, Tom Burgoon had to postpone to a later date in October, a specific day has yet to be determined. A second lecture to be presented will be by magician Suzanne. Suzanne is scheduled to lecture in September, again, the date is to be announced soon as will the location.

A get well card was passed around to be signed by everyone for Bill Pitts of Ring 75 who remains under the care of the Arkansas State Veterans Home of Fayetteville, Arkansas.

An announcement by Larry Bean informed us that the magic estate of Ring 75's Chuck Larson will be auctioned off on Sunday, July 10, at the Ft. Smith main library. There will also be a Zoom link available for those not able to travel to Ft Smith.

Former President Marty Haughn had some loose ends to tie up by awarding Jim Henson the Little Rock Magic Ring 29 President's Certificate of Appreciation for his continued and outstanding support for our Ring. There is still one more award to be given and will be awarded at a later date.

After business was concluded, Dane went around the room to get the magic started and Bob White jumped at the opportunity. Our theme for the evening was "An Evening at the Pops", something we learned from our fathers. Bob freaked everyone out with his twisted arm. It was from an old injury that did not get cared for right away. In Bob White fashion, he had his close up mat and a deck of cards and began his story all the while baffling us all. Being it was "Pops" night, Bob shared a great story about his father.

Bob Bullock took center stage and related a father story as well, which would be the trend, and began talking about ropes, knots and magic. Bob told of the first knot he learned and demonstrated how to tie it. Eventually, he had the knot sliding down to the other end. This was followed by a handful of other rope demonstrations, a line of magic Bob is extremely good at. He finished with a Ring and Rope.

Clyde Hayre of Ft Smith's Ring 75 stopped in for a visit and had an interesting story about his father. Clyde performed a reworked Max Maven effect from the late Chuck Larson's arsenal. Clyde had Mary Ann Campbell select a name from a list, shuffle a deck of cards, then spell the name card by card. The card she finished with matched Clyde's prediction.

Up next was Chris Thompson who has proved to be a talented card magician. He had the assistance of John Wofford for his pasteboard work. The idea was to not have Chris touch the deck of cards but have John do all the work locating his chosen card. Of course, John was able to pull it off...with the help of Chris.

Janie Nicholson came loaded with index cards and as everyone entered for the meeting had them write their name on one. These cards were then placed into a paper bag for later. When the time came Janie enlisted the assistance of Tammy Haughn and a drawing for small prizes was done. Thanks for your generosity Janie.

Famed YouTube juggler Blayk Puckett had an unusual discussion about laundry and hangers. Not quite the way a normal magician begins, but was is the definition of normal in a magician! Blayk had issues with hangers and demonstrated how they get entangled and create headaches. After some discussion and a twist here and there, Blayk showed us all how they are tangled and then not tangled, more like linked! Very nice magic.

Before telling of this next magician a HUGE WELCOME BACK to Little Rock is in order for Al Henagar who recently retired and moved back to Arkansas. Having already joined Ring 29 we were all excited to have him among the crazies. Al hasn't performed anything in several years and stated he was a bit rusty. He borrowed a deck of cards from Jim Henson and commenced a rising card routine with the Queen of Hearts. Of course the Queen appeared as told but it was what happened next which took the Ring by surprise! Al asked if we wanted to see the Queen dance! Are you kidding?! Of course we all wanted to see this.

Secretary Report

Marty Haughn

Al began to focus and concentrate hard on the Queen. As he did you could feel the tension in the room and all was so quiet. Al continued to concentrate, the Queen poking out of a fanned deck. More focus and Al even asked us all to focus. The tension was getting real!

From out of nowhere, Al moved quickly and snatched the Queen from the fan, bent over touched the Queen to the floor and begun a high pitched dance melody while bouncing the Queen on the floor! This shocked everyone into laughter! Yes, I do believe Al will fit in quite nicely with this group! Welcome Al!

Marty Haughn was next with a story of a Russian scientist of the Cold War. The plan was for the scientist to smuggle a new special missile out of Russia and into the US. His task was to figure out how to get it through customs. Once successful it had to be launched, and so it was. Marty lit the top of the paper missile and with a short countdown and off it went...and didn't set fire to a retired Fire Chief's house!

Territorial Vice President, Larry Bean stopped in along with Clyde and performed a trick using miniature menus with the assistance of Bob White. Bob selected any food from a list of 100 (10 menus, 10 items per menu). Next the card with the food item was placed on top of the others then with Larry's finesse was able to divine which of the items Bob selected.

Vice President Joel Nicholson was next in line and appeared with a small paper bag in hand. As he was attempting to tell a little story he seemed to have difficulty removing what was in the bag. Of course, this drove the curiosity level up for everyone. Once successful, he removed his little friend, a dancing silk. When his routine was complete Joel provided a current report on COVID in Arkansas.

To close out the gathering of Ring 29, our gracious host presented several tricks, demonstrated and then gave out one to everyone. Jim had drawings for books and DVDs as well. Everyone in attendance walked out with a bag full of magic. As always, thanks for your generosity Jim.

Blast from the Past

Mike Curtis

This month's report is from a mere 11 years ago. It is a remembrance of the July, 2011 meeting of the Ring. The President at that time was Tyler Vodehnal and the Secretary was Aaron Acosta. The Ring met monthly in Shuffled Auditorium at Baptist Medical Center.

On July 23 we had our Annual Installation Banquet at Browns Country Kitchen. We started with fellowship and food. Mike Curtis introduced TVP Larry Bean who was the MC for the evening. Larry introduced the new officers and then went through the ceremony of installing them for this upcoming term: President Tyler Vodehnal, Vice President Jon Bucher, Sergeant at-Arms Bob White, Historian Mike Curtis, Secretary Aaron Acosta, Treasurer Col. James Kinsey, and Webmaster Bob Bullock. After the awesome ceremony each officer performed. Bob Bullock, assisted by Susan Bucher, did his routine of Italian Tomatoes and golden ropes. Aaron Acosta did a Cards Across with signed cards. Col. James Kinsey did a test to see how well a newly-married couple were in tune with each other's choices. Bob White did an excellent job with an Invisible Palm routine. Mike Curtis had a routine that was out of this world. Rocco and Mike's vanishing act kept us on the edge of our seats. Jon Bucher did an awesome routine with the Diminishing Milk. Tyler and Christy Vodehnal told a magical story about a day at the magic shop."

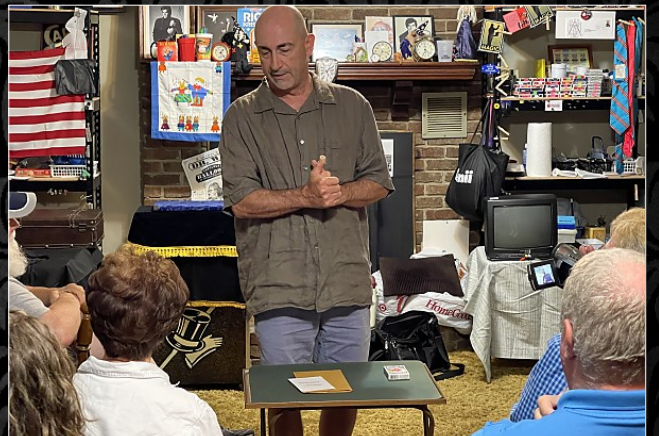
The installation of officer's banquet has always been a great time to get together for fun, food, magic and most of all, fellowship. This night was no exception and great magical routines were presented by all of the new officers. Unfortunately Brown's Country Kitchen has closed but the many fond memories of past Ring banquets there remain with us all.

Until next time, remember, viewing the past through rose colored glasses does not necessarily make reality rosier today.

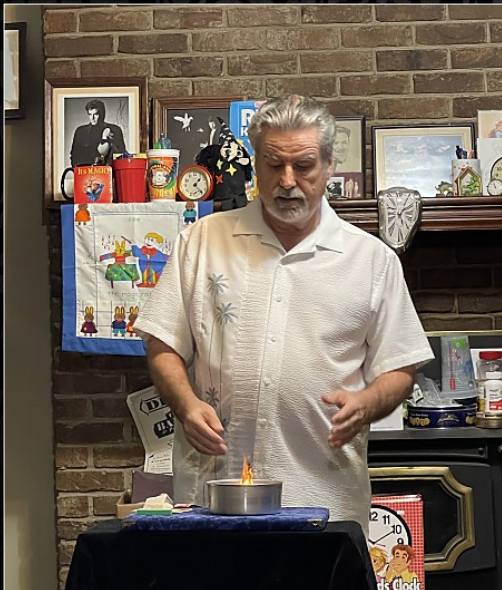
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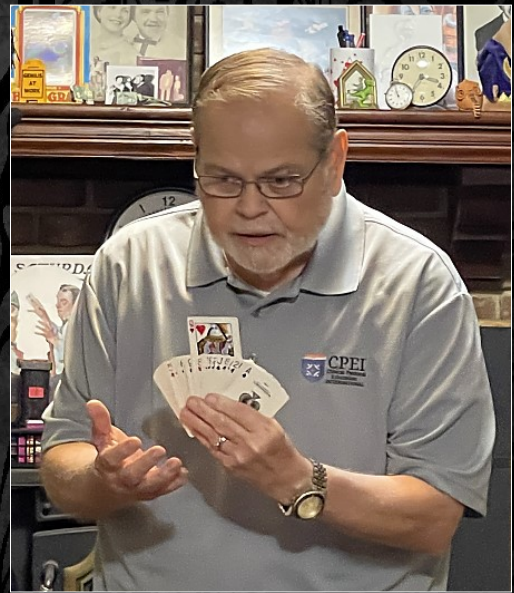


July Performers



New Member

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Schedule of Events

2022

Date	Meeting Location	Theme	Lecturer	Host/Emcee
January	---	---	---	---
February	---	---	---	---
March	Henson Home #2	Comedy Magic	N/A	Dane Dover
April	Jacksonville Community Center	Annual Ring Magic Show	N/A	Dane Dover
May	Henson Home #2	I bought it from Jim "Mr. Magic" Henson!	N/A	Mike Curtis
June	Stagecoach Village Club House	Officer Installation	N/A	Marty Haughn Larry Bean
July	Henson Home #2	Evening at the Pops	N/A	Dane Dover
August	Markham Executive Center Conference Rooms 10201 W. Markham	Round Robin Workshop	N/A	Dane Dover
September	TBD	Lecture	Suzanne	James Kinsey
October	TBD	TBD	TBD	Chris Thompson
November	TBD	Possible Picnic/ Spooky Magic	N/A	Marty Haughn
December	TBD	Christmas Potluck?	N/A	Dane Dover

* The clubhouse address: 100 Stagecoach Village, Little Rock, Arkansas.

These are our normal meeting gatherings. Any additional activity throughout the month will be listed on the website beginning in August.

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Contact Mr. Magic or any Ring 29 Officer for information on joining the IBM or Ring 29.

Mailing Lists

In addition to this newsletter Members can receive last minute email information on meetings, events, and lectures. If you wish to be added to our email list, please contact *Treasurer Col. James Kinsey*.

www.littlerockmagic.net or www.littlerockmagic.org

Our website has been filled with a wealth of information to assist our members and potential members. New features are being added daily. Check out the Ring 29 Highlights video, the Magicians for Hire page, or the Ring 29 Event Calendar.

Using Ring 29 Email Group

To be added to our email group, contact James Kinsey or Marty Haughn

We now use GOOGLE GROUPS for our email service.

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