

### The SPIRIT | Official Newsletter of I.B.M. Ring 1

September 2019

Aug 30 - Sep 1

Midwest Magic Jubilee

http://www.mmjubilee.com/

# **Sep 11 (Not Sep 4)**

Ring 1 Meeting

6:30 PM Magic 101 with Henry Schaeper

7:15 PM Ring 1 Meeting

7:30 PM Jimmy Molinari Lecture

**Dielmann Recreation Center** 

11400 Olde Cabin Road

Creve Coeur, MO 63141

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# President's Message

Our August meeting started off our new year off in a grand way. It was great to see lots of members we have not seen in a while and I was glad many Ring 1 members brought their family, too. Best of all, we had a few new members that joined the Ring 1 family. There was not an empty seat in the audience. I want to thank Alan Zibits, Steve Finkelstein, Gary Chan, and Steve Busking for providing some great entertainment. Of course, what would a Ring 1 "Ice Cream Social" be without Ted Drews Frozen Custard? Everyone really enjoyed the custard. Maybe we should rename this annual event to the "Ring 1 Frozen Custard Social." I also want to thank all those who brought items to sell at the Flea Market. I especially want to thank Gene Schaefer and Martin Jones for all the magic that they donated to Ring 1 that filled 4 banquet tables!

We have the Midwest Magic Jubilee coming up on August 30th. If you haven't registered yet, and want to be apart of this year's Jubilee, you still have time. Just let me know. I want to give a special thanks to DJ Lenz who helped me last Saturday loading up all the staging, curtains, and support equipment for the Jubilee. Even though it was almost 90 degrees, it didn't stop him from coming to help load the trailer. During the loading, DJ almost collapsed. I thought I might have to perform CPR on him but after he rested for 3 minutes, instead of quitting, he jumped up and said "Let's get this stuff loaded. We haven't got all day." Just kidding. He really didn't collapse but we had a fun time getting everything loaded. Thanks again DJ.

Don't forget our September meeting has been moved to September 11th from the normal September 4th, since it would only be a few days after the Jubilee. You definitely won't want to miss the September Ring 1 meeting. We will be hosting the one and only Jimmy Molinari. Jimmy will be presenting his much sought-after lecture. Jimmy was a student of Ed Marlo and has a wealth of knowledge to share with Ring 1 members. As always, we will start off with Magic 101 at 6:30pm and then start our meeting at 7:15pm and Jim will begin around 7:30pm. If you have ever seen Jim perform, I'm sure, like most people, you had to walk away thinking it was amazing! Well it probably was. But did you wish you could perform like that, well you can. Jim is going teach something for

everyone. No matter whether you are a beginner or an expert at the card table, you will learn and take something away from this lecture that you can use.

The next 30 days is going to be full of fantastic magic. I hope to see you at the Midwest Magic Jubilee and at the September Ring 1 meeting!

Terry Richison

# Monthly Recap

The August meeting was well-attended. Members were encouraged to bring their friends and family members. In fact, several of the members stood since there were not enough seats in the room. It was exciting for the members to see magicians who have not attended a meeting in years!

Terry Richison, the President, made a few announcements. reminded the members that the 64th Midwest Magic Jubilee will be held August 30th through September 1st. It will be held at The following magicians are Renaissance St. Louis Airport Hotel. scheduled to perform: Monti Witt, Shoot Ogawa, Howard Hamburg, Cody Fisher, John Bannon, Samuel P. Smith, John Gardenier, Harrison Greenbaum, and Robert Baxt. There is additional information regarding the Jubilee on its website ( http://www.mmjubilee.com/ ). Also, the President's Banquet will be held on October 18th at Orlando's Banquet Center location Maryland Heights. Dan Harlan will be the featured entertainer. The annual Veterans and First Responders Magical Holiday Show is scheduled for December 8th. It takes place at the Kirkwood Community Center Theater. Also, Terry shared that Bill Wisch will present a lecture to the Ring in the near future. The date still needs to be confirmed.

The following members performed for the members and their guests—Al Zibits, Terry Richison, Steve Finkelstein, Gary Chan, John Davit, and Steve Busking. The audience really enjoyed their performances. Al shared that the magic he performed was something he had bought at last year's flea market.

After the performance, the audience members were encouraged to enjoy Ted Drewes Frozen Custard while they browsed through the tables at the flea market. Several members brought magic effects, books, DVD's, etc. to sell. It seems that there were more sellers than ever before! Also, Martin Jones and Gene Schaefer donated their magic collections for the Ring to sell. It was unbelievable how much magic was available! One doesn't realize how much magic they have accumulated over the years until they decide it is time to find a new home for their magic. All proceeds from their collections were donated to Ring 1. The

Ring really appreciates their generosity.

The Ring also appreciates Gary Chan for volunteering to publish the Ring's monthly newsletter, The Spirit. It is very informative and interesting to read. He even researches and includes links to current magic websites.

The Ring always welcomes visitors to its meetings and activities.

Sandy Weis





# Midwest Magic Jubilee

Join the fun at the The Midwest Magic Jubilee Aug 30 - Sept 1 at the St. Louis Renaissance Hotel. Register at <a href="http://www.mmjubilee.com/">http://www.mmjubilee.com/</a>, and book your hotel.

If you pre-registered with a partial deposit for the 2019 MM Jubilee while at the 2018 MM Jubilee, you should have received an e-mail from Dan Todd (magic@thegreattodd.com or 2dantodd@gmail.com) with instructions on how to send payment for the remaining amount. If you pre-registered and cannot find the e-mail, please contact Dan at magic@thegreattodd.com or (314) 409-7066.

Invite at least 5 friends to attend the Jubilee, whether it's the entire event or just the evening events. For your convenience, copy the text on the next page to send to them.

#### Gary Chan

The Jubilee is sponsored by I.B.M. Ring 1 and SAM Assy 8. We are putting out a call for people to help load equipment, set up, and tear down. Please help make the Jubilee a success by volunteering.

#### Help needed:

Wednesday August 28, 5:00 PM - unload at the Renaissance hotel.

Thursday, August 29, 10:00 AM – begin setup of staging and registration room.

Monday September 2, 9:00 AM – tear down and load up.

Contact Terry Richison at (314)-791-9108 to volunteer and help make this event a success.

If you are able to pick and/or drop-off any Jubilee performers to/from the STL airport/train station Aug 29 - Sep 2, please contact Johnny Harper at johnnyharpermagic@gmail.com or 505-977-8768. The travel schedules of the performers who need rides are below (table rotated to fit the page):

Jill Schridt 7:20am Southwest 2261 1210 6:00AM American 7.45am Frontier 5.20PM American 912119 912119 912119 912119 8/30/19/10:56am American 1211 THOWard Hamburg 8/29/29 17:458m. 8/29/29 7.21 PM Train 8129129 A:32PM American 8129129 5:25pm Smith COGY Sammy Robert

John Bannon's train will be arriving at/departing from St. Louis Gateway Station. All others are flights that arrive to/depart from STL airport.

#### Send the Below to Your Friends!



"The World's Best Magic" Comes to St Louis Aug 30 thru Sept 1, 2019 - 7:30PM at the Blackstone Theatre in the Renaissance St Louis Airport Hotel, 9801 Natural Bridge Rd, St. Louis, MO 63134.

On Friday, August 30<sup>th</sup>, The Midwest Magic Jubilee will host a Special Veterans Tribute Performance of "The Best of The Midwest" at 7:30PM. General Public tickets will be available but to salute our Veterans, each Veteran and their family members will receive free admission to this show. Reservations are required for Veterans and their family. Tickets can be purchased by the General Public at <a href="http://www.mmjubilee.com/Tickets.htm">http://www.mmjubilee.com/Tickets.htm</a>. Veteran and 1<sup>st</sup> Responders may call 636-669-6650 to receive the promo code needed for their free general admission tickets.

On Saturday, August 31st at 7:30PM, the Midwest Magic Jubilee will host the "World's Best Magicians," featuring performers from all over the world. Some of the Best Magicians and Illusionists from all over the world will be wowing audiences with their prestidigitation and amazing feats of magic and illusion with their mind-blowing talents. Go to <a href="http://www.mmjubilee.com/Tickets.htm">http://www.mmjubilee.com/Tickets.htm</a> for tickets.

On Sunday, September 1<sup>st</sup> at 7:30PM, "The Stars of Magic" with take the stage to entertain and astound you. Prepare yourself to witness illusions that defy explanation and stretch the limits of your mind while being entertained with their wit, comedy and magic. Go to <a href="http://www.mmjubilee.com/Tickets.htm">http://www.mmjubilee.com/Tickets.htm</a> for tickets.

Each night will be a completely different show! All the shows are fantastic entertainment for the entire family. The entire family will embark on an unforgettable journey of comedy, magic and entertainment. Curtain time for each of the performances is 7:30 p.m., at the Blackstone Theatre in the Renaissance St Louis Airport Hotel, 9801 Natural Bridge Rd, St. Louis, MO 63134.

VIP Reserved SeatingTickets (reserved seating in the first four rows) - \$20.00. Gen. Admission for Adults is \$15.00. Children, 12 and under - \$8.00.

For tickets & reservations go to: http://www.mmjubilee.com/Tickets.htm



# Ring 1 Member Special An Evening with Jon Dorenbos Comedy, Magic, and Inspiration on September 6 at 8:00 PM.

Dorenbos' performance is truly one-of-a-kind. As he weaves his inspirational story with world-class magic, his energy is contagious and his passion for life is infectious.

Jon, previously an NFL long snapper, placed 3rd on NBC's hit TV show America's Got Talent and is a regular on The Ellen Degeneres Show. He was honored to compete on America's Got Talent: The Champions Edition, and his finish in the finals established him as one of the top 10 acts in the world. His book, Life Is Magic, is scheduled to be released in 2019 by Simon & Schuster, and Academy Awardnominated producer Mike Tollin is in the process of making a major motion picture based on Jon's life.

This is an evening of magic, comedy, and inspiration that you do not want to miss!

Tickets are on sale now at LUBoxOffice.com and over the phone at 636-949-4433. Mention "Ring 1" and you can buy two for the price of one!

Regular Prices: \$49.50 & \$59.50

# Walk to Fight Suicide



St. Louis Walk September 29, 2019 Creve Coeur Park - Tremayne Shelter

Register at afsp.org/stlouis





# Walk to Fight Suicide

Fellow Ring One Magicians,

We have a great opportunity to make a difference in our community and people's lives. The Eastern Missouri Chapter of the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention is having their annual Out of the Darkness WALK Fundraiser on September 29th at Creve Coeur Park. We need 4-6 magicians for walk-around and close-up magic during the day between 9:30 and 2:30. Please sign up for 2 hour slots or more. We need some overlap. They expect 5000 people. Please let me know ASAP when you would be available.

#### Time Slots:

- 9:30 to 11:30
- 10:30 to 12:30
- 11:30 to 1:30
- 12:30 to 2:30

From the organization: A little about us, we are the Eastern Missouri Chapter of the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention – afsp.org. Our chapter's biggest fundraiser is the St. Louis Out of the Darkness Walk. Our walk is on September 29th at Creve Coeur Lake Park – Tremayne Pavilion. Here is the link to our walk registration page – https://afsp.org/stlouis. We will be having children's activities and we think the addition of a magician would be fun for the kids. Check in/registration begins at 9 AM and the ceremonies begin at 11:30 with the walk commencing at Noon. The event usually winds down around 3 pm but officially ends at 4 pm.

Thank you for your support for this great cause.

Steve Finkelstein 314 409 6869 steve.finkelstein@experience-on-demand.com

# OLIVIA Leigh

#### #webeLIVinmiracles

# Wooboda Fest IV

Honoring the memory, the courage, the faith, and the fight of our beloved Tricia Svabada Woods, whose compassion and kindness to those in need inspires us to do the same, by "Poying it Forward"...

We invite you again to be a part of this celebration of Tricia's legacy, as we reach out this year to the Leigh family in support of their beautiful, sweet, 9-year-old Olivia, who is courageously battling Anaplastic Ependymoma — cancer of the brain and central nervous system.

Come and take part in the festivities, the food, and the families that come together every year to affer hope and encouragement. And know that 100% of your donations will go to support the Leigh family.

#### Saturday, September 14, 2019 2 pm - 10 pm

Jefferson Pointe Pavilion Picnic Grounds Lake Saint Louis, MO 63367

- Barbecue
- 50/50
- Music
- Bounce House
- Roffle items
- Games

Bring your own coolers and lawn chairs. We supply the food and bottled water.

Donations Payable to: Tricia Woods Pay It Forward Fund

You can mail donations to: US Bank #1 Harvester Square St. Charles, MO 63303



Olivis Leigh (age St. daughter of John and Nicholle Leigh, is the youngest of four, a bright-eyed bundle of energy and curiosity with a joy-filled enthusiasm and fascination with the many wonders of life (and a smile that won't quit!)

On May 20, following a battery of tests to determine the cause of an April seizure on her way home from golf practice, Olivia's family was informed by the Department of Neurology at Children's Hospital in St. Louis, that she had a "lesion in her brain that would need to be surgically removed." And just like that, overything changed. The old routine for the Leigh family of comfortable and "safe" would be replaced by a new routine of "uncertainty" and "lear".

Bolstered by a strong family and a strong faith, surgery would be 10 days fator, on May 30, and though scary, it would be a successful procedure, except that the terminology suddenly changed, with the "lesion" now referred to as a "tumor". Olivia bounced back with flying colors, while the family anxiously awaited the pathology report on the tumor. Mom Nicholie, describes how her "heart sank" when the neurology fixam set up for them an appointment with "socology" another unwanted addition to the Leigh family vocabulary. An agonizing fourteen days later, on lune 13, the report came back with a diagnosis of Anaplastic Ependymoma — cancer of the brain and central nervous system, grade 3.

A followup MRI and spinal tap on July 5 brought some much-needed good news in this one-step-at-a-time, roller coaster ride of a journey. Olivia's spinal cord was clear of malignancy, which would allow for Olivia (Liv) to begin a 6-wook regimen of radiation therapy (every day except weekends and holidays).

And so the battle continues, but not without hope, not without confidence. Says her mon, "She's my hero and strongest little bird I know. She hundles her journey with grace and determination, taking every step in stride. One loot in frost of the other!"

# Olivia Leigh Fundraiser

The Ring has been asked by a friend of Jenny Jones, who is hosting a fundraiser, on Sept 14th, for a child with brain cancer. They wanted to know if we had anyone who would volunteer to do some balloon twisting or magic or both. The event is from 2pm -10pm. Balloon twisting could be done anytime during the event for as little or long as you wanted. The magic could be walk around or a stand up show. If you were to do walk around, it could be anytime during the event. If you wanted to do a stand up show, you would just need to let them know when you could do your show. They expect to have a lot of kids due to the age of the child with cancer. You don't have to do balloons and magic, so it could be a couple of people doing different types of entertainment.

If you are interested, please call Terry Richison at 314-791-9108, and he will get you in touch with the organizer to work out the details.

#### Member News

On June 7, 2019, Henry Schaper performed a Card Magic Show for the the Gateway Hemophilia Association, campers Notaclotamoungus. It was held at Camp Wyman, which is located in Eureka, Missouri. The campers were given the opportunity to learn how to take care of themselves in a safe environment and also have a great time, enjoying the outdoors and meeting new friends. The goal is to have the campers return yearly until they are at the age they can become a counselor. The theme this year was the "Wild West." Henry began by showing the campers different types of card shuffling. He then did several tricks using cards. The children and the counselors in attendance really enjoyed his presentation. The trick that was everyone's favorite was the following: He had a volunteer deal three stacks of three cards each. The volunteer was shown one of the cards on the bottom. The stacks were then placed on top of each other. Henry then laid the cards down while he counted. Then he dealt out the cards again into three stacks. The two end stacks were removed. The cards in the middle stack were dealt out into three stacks. The two end stacks were removed. The middle card was the card the volunteer was told to remember at the beginning of the effect. He also performed "Any Card at Any Number" which was featured in the February 2016 issue of the "Linking Ring."

#### A Treatise on Card Tricks

Card Tricks, Card Tricks and More Card Tricks !!!!! First, let me say, I have nothing against card tricks. I love card tricks. I do more card tricks than anything else. I own more books on card magic than any other subject. Cards are cheap, easy to carry and you get fifty-two in a box. What a deal. But there are good tricks, great tricks and tricks that just plain suck. Pardon my French. There are more trick decks available than ever before. And there are nothing wrong with trick decks. You can accomplish some real miracles. But using two, three or four trick decks in the same set is WRONG. You have to know when to say when. And unfortunately most of us don't when to quit. Imagine what a spectator thinks when you do three different card tricks with three different decks? Now if you want to do a simple deck switch, that is another story.

With all the You Tube videos available, everybody knows at least a few card tricks. Make sure your magic stands out from the rest!

And if using trick cards, try to incorporate them into your regular deck. The reason Bro. John's magic looked so magical was that he incorporated his gaffs into his deck. Nobody ever thought he was using trick cards.

Again, there are more packet tricks available than ever before. Unless the cards are specialty printed (ie something other than a suited card), stay away from these effects UNLESS you are only doing that particular ONE trick for your set. Never mix two different effects using trick cards. It is a dead give way to your spectators that the cards are not normal.

Card Tricks, Card Tricks and More Card Tricks!!!! Last month we talked about card tricks. I love card tricks BUT there are other close up

miracles to be performed. Ropes, sticks, wands, sponge balls, rings, coins, crystals, cups, strings, silks, lighters, cookies, popcorn, matches, gum, paper, pencils, pens, knives and host of other items that can be used for close up. A few good books to pickup would be any of the Fulves Self Working Series, Anything by Bill Severn, Mark Wilson's Course in Magic, Now You See It/ Now You Don't Volumes ONE and TWO, anything by Ganson and Encyclopedia of Close Up Magic by Gibson....... just to name a few. Try working on something other than cards and when asked to perform at the next meeting, blow everyone away by NOT BEING THE CARD GUY.

Steve Zuehlke

# Jimmy "Cards" Molinari

Coming Soon....Imagine you are at a restaurant with Ed Malkowski. But it's not Ed you are watching, it is his students: Bill Malone, Simon Aronson, Heba Heba Al, Matt Schulien, Johnny Paul, and St. Louis' own Jimmy "Cards" Molinari.

Jimmy Cards can do amazing effects with a single deck of cards, but past the effects he is utterly entertaining. Jimmy has agreed to do a lecture for the club on Wednesday, September 11. Plan your calendar now to be fooled and smile while it happens. Bring a deck with you, too, as this lecture is open to all skill levels.

By the way, Ed Malkowski is known by another name: Ed Marlo.

Steven Buesking



Happy birthday to Harry Monti!

On Saturday, August 17, Harry celebrated his 84th birthday. Trudy invited members of the IBM and SAM to attend a birthday celebration in Harry's honor at the St. Louis Magic Roundtable. About 30 magicians magically appeared to help Harry celebrate his birthday.

However, fate intervened, and Harry unfortunately was not to appear at his own celebration. Harry was in St. Luke's Hospital being treated for a bleeding ulcer and was not released from the hospital until the following day.

Attached is a picture of the birthday cake that featured a picture of Harry getting ready to perform in the close-up room at the Magic Castle, along with several other pictures of people in attendance at the party.

Trudy Monti / Monteith

# Random Magical Things

I've been playing with Rubik's cubes magic recently, so I was looking for different cubes. I stumbled upon some cubes that seem visually perfect for magicians at Dollar Tree (below). You can find them in the toy section of the Dollar Tree in Creve Coeur (and probably other locations, too). The quality is poor, but you could use them in conjunction with cards or make them giveaways to kids.



https://www.dollartree.com/3d-puzzle-cube-games-25-in/273689

What follows are links to free magic tricks. I didn't read all of these myself; I only confirmed that each link works, the material isn't copyright infringement (to my knowledge), and readers of the SPIRIT might enjoy them. Where possible, I tried to shrink the addresses so that they each take up exactly one line. One of the links takes up more than one line, so just be sure that you are copying the entire address into your browser if you are getting an error.

Jolly Almanac of Card Knavery compiled by the Burnaby Kid. This is a compendium of card techniques:

https://theburnabykid.com/nwmb/JACK.pdf

#### The Life and Mysteries of Dr. Q by C. Alexander

https://www.march.es/bibliotecas/ilusionismo/visor.aspx?p0=magia:80&l=1

West End Card Session (1989) - Justin Higham

http://www.angelfire.com/blog/card-magic/wecs.html

Card Tricks That Anyone Can Do by Maxwell:

https://www.march.es/bibliotecas/ilusionismo/visor.aspx?p0=magia:10&l=1

I am told that the following site has many magic book PDFs. Unfortunately, I don't speak or read Italian....

http://www.marianotomatis.it/index.php?page=biblioteca

Nor do I speak or read Spanish....

Sim Sala Bim

https://www.march.es/bibliotecas/ilusionismo/biblioteca-digital-de-ilusionismo.aspx?l=1

Lior Suchard (mentalist) hosted an airline safety video using magic. One of the few airline safety videos that I might not mind watching again: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=\_6akiuRlEF8">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=\_6akiuRlEF8</a>

Penn and Teller on their Tim's Vermeer project:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=En-KcUTMoZ8

Coin Magic book:

https://digital.march.es/fedora/repository/magia:14/PDF/PDF

Criss Angel offers a free download of his "101 Mind Freaks with Cards." https://crissangel.com/media/101-card-mindfreaks.pdf

Card sleights:

https://www.goodtricks.net/card-sleights.html

False shuffles:

http://www.falseshuffle.com/card-sleights

Ontology of Card Sleights by Aaron Sterling, Iowa State University: <a href="https://arxiv.org/pdf/1903.08523.pdf">https://arxiv.org/pdf/1903.08523.pdf</a>

This was the only trick performed by a blind magician, Benjamin Lewis, who lived around the turn of the last century.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZOhIRebbrwk

A pdf version of Card Manipulations #1 by Jean Hugard: <a href="http://umclidet.com/pdf/JeanHuguard/Jean.Huguard.-.Card.Manipulations.1.pdf">http://umclidet.com/pdf/JeanHuguard/Jean.Huguard.-.Card.Manipulations.1.pdf</a>

An Autobiography of Hands: on Training in Sleight of Hand Magic by Augusto Corrieri

http://www.augustocorrieri.com/An%20autobiography%20of%20hands%20-%20on%20training%20in%20sleight%20of%20hand%20magic.pdf

The Encyclopedia of Playing Card Flourishes: http://docshare02.docshare.tips/files/22166/221668708.pdf

Explaining Magic: Pictorial Instructions and Disinformation Design from NYU:

 $\underline{http://www.nyu.edu/classes/bkg/methods/Tufte\_magic.pdf}$ 

The Sleight of Reason from SUNY Press: <a href="https://www.sunypress.edu/pdf/62123.pdf">https://www.sunypress.edu/pdf/62123.pdf</a>

Gary Chan

# Upcoming Ring 1 Meetings

#### Oct:

Because you asked for it, ok, maybe not you specifically, the October meeting will be about self-working card tricks. You are invited to perform, then teach the trick (if you wish to). An email asking you to reach out to Alan Zibits to schedule the performers/teachers will be coming.

#### Nov:

And then: Ted Schnarre is organizing "your favorite go to" trick. When someone asks you to show them something, there is usually one "go to" trick that you perform. It can be cards, coins, mentalism, rope, etc. We'd like to see it too. Ted's email will be coming; please join us that night.

Steven Buesking

# Pay Calendar Year 2019 Dues

To pay online: Go to <a href="http://www.ibmring1.com/">http://www.ibmring1.com/</a>. Click "Buy Now" in the bottom-left. Either log into PayPal or click "Pay with Debit or Credit Card". Fill out the form and pay.

To pay by mail: Write a check payable to "IBM, Ring 1" for \$15. Write "2019 Dues" on the memo line. Mail the check to Sandy Weis, 1755 Elkins Drive, St. Louis, MO 63136.

To pay in person: Bring a check (see details above) or cash to a monthly meeting. Give it to Sandy Weis.



"OF COURSE, BLACK MAGIC IS MORE EXPENSIVE THAN WHITE MAGIC. DO YOU THINK THAT THE PIGMENTS ARE FREE?"

#### Submit Articles for the SPIRIT

I encourage everyone to submit at least one interesting article each year. Your article could be about a cool magic trick, a review of a magic show, or a thoughtful diary entry about how magic has affected your life. It could be a notification of an upcoming magic conference that you'd like others to know about. Or a funny comic strip related to magic. This is your newsletter -- share your joy with others.

Submit the article to gschan2000@outlook.com anytime. I'll respond with any edits, and the final copy will be printed in the next SPIRIT.

#### Gary Chan

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Please whitelist ring1newsletter@finderstellers.com and/or @finderstellers.com in your e-mail account. Gary Chan owns the domain and is using it to send the newsletters out.

Gary Chan

# Volunteer for Project Magic

Volunteer to place a smile on a child's face at the Shriner's hospital on the 3rd Tuesday of each month at 6:00pm and finish by 7:15pm. We are looking for two magicians for each month.

Contact Darryl "D. Jay" at djay1000@yahoo.com to sign-up!

Date	Magician 1	Magician 2
Sep 17	Steve Zuehlke	Steve Buesking
Oct 15	D. Jay	Volunteer!
Nov 19	This could be you!	Volunteer!
Dec 17	D. Jay	Volunteer!

Directions to Shriner's, 4400 Clayton Avenue St. Louis, MO 63110: If coming from downtown or IL, take 64 and exit north on Boyle St. and turn left onto Clayton St. If coming from West County, head east on 64 and go North on Boyle and then left on Clayton St.

To check-in, go to the front desk and show a photo ID. The room we will be going to is on the 3rd floor. Take a left after getting off the elevator, and go towards the area where there is a sitting area with a large flat screen TV. It will be a small room (smaller than our Dielmann Recreation Complex meeting room).

Darryl "D. Jay" djay1000@yahoo.com

# Calendar

Date	Event	
Aug 7	Ice Cream Social; Officers Perform; Flea Market	
Aug 30 - Sep 1	Midwest Magic Jubilee	
Sep 11	Magic 101: Henry Schaeper	
	Jimmy Molinari Lecture	
Oct 2	Magic 101: "No Ropes, No Cards" with Steve Zuehlke	
	Self-Working Card Tricks hosted by Alan Zibits	
Oct 18	President's Banquet with Dan Harlan	
Oct/Nov (TBA)	Bill Wisch (Slydini's Protégé) Lecture	
Nov 6	Magic 101: TBA	
	"My Favorite 'Go To' Trick" hosted by Ted Schnarre	
Dec 4	Holiday Party	
	White Elephant Gift Exchange	
Dec 8	Veterans and First Responder Magical Holiday Show	

Board Meeting Dates: Sep 25, Oct 15, Nov 20, Dec 18

6:30pm IBM 7:30pm Jubilee

Location: TBD (Contact Terry Richison if interested in attending. His contact info is on the last page.)

Contribute and help shape the future of our organization. All members are welcome!



# Other Magic Conferences and Events

#### Magifest 2020

Columbus, OH; January 16 - 18, 2020

https://www.vanishingincmagic.com/magic-conventions/magifest/

#### Magic Roundtable

Schnuck's, 12332 Manchester Rd, Des Peres, MO 63131

The St. Louis Magic Roundtable has been meeting every Saturday for roughly 40 years. It currently meets on the mezzanine at Schnucks in Des Peres at 1:30 every Saturday. There is no cost involved, but any food consumed must be purchased in their store. Bring some magic or a book. Discuss, show others, practice. Or just visit and be social. Questions? Contact Harry Monti at 636-399-5391 or MontiMagic@aol.com.



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