



THE SPIRIT TRUMPET

IBM Ring 96' Newsletter



October 2019

September Meeting Round-up

The September meeting was our annual Ring 96 Stage Competition. Six of our talented Magicians performed for the possibility of winning a trophy.

Marty Gorman opened the show by performing a set that was all his own original patter and some of his own original material. He started with his version of Dan Harlan's awakening. Next was his own unique Linking Ring routine, and a 3-card "Marty" routine that could be played on the street. Lots of positive feedback for Marty and his originality.

Second was John Piercy. John performed his set he called "The magic of Life Music Color and Art." This included a dream bag, flower wallet, and colored rings set to music. He did a three cup mote with a rainbow streamer, and finished with a card revelation "Become the Best You Can Be."

The third performer was Brad Erickson who performed a fun comedy magic routine. Brad started with a couple false mind-reading gags. The audience roared as he turned a yellow towel into a chicken. He made 3 balloon animals in less than five seconds (using a latex glove!), predicted someone's card and revealing it by erasing letters from the

phrase "WHAT THE NAME OF YOUR CARD IS" until all that remained were the letters to form the phrase "TEN OF HEARTS." Brad finished his set with a peanut butter and jelly routine. This included a kicker ending where he produced a can of apple juice and a small glass and poured the juice into the glass, took a sip and said goodnight to the crowd.

The fourth performer was Cliff Gerstman. Our resident Escape Artist somehow made a hole in a brick wall and watched two parts of his necktie race down his chest to a draw. Getting serious he escaped from chains on his wrists by picking a lock with a dime held in his teeth. After that he escaped a



Next meeting
October 19th

"Weird Magic and Mentalism"
North Community Center
3333 Saint Cloud Drive,
Seal Beach CA, 90740

Coming Soon to Ring 96



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Oct 19th



Awards Night

Nov 16th



Dec 21st

straitjacket to a surprising and shocking ending.

Paul Case was in 5th position and he performed a c multi step silk color change routine. Next came an hysterical cut and restored newspaper sheet (clippo) routine, and he ended with a multi phase rope routine. That featured lost ends, cut and restored as well as creating a circular rope.

Joyce Basch ended the show with her "Retired Household Executive" theme. She started out with a washing machine story that ended with her taking clothes pins off a rope and doing a cut and restored routine.

Next she taught her children how to do math while using a floating spot domino card. She prepared a bean soup which was her variation on the Rice Bowl effect, and finished it up with her own effect which is a humorous story of a housewife at a baseball game. This effect uses a seaming endless supply of baseball cards.

After the votes were counted, John Piercy was in third place, Joyce Basch was in Second place and Paul Case came out on top scoring the most votes to earn the first place trophy.

Paul also earned the people's choice award which was voted by our 80 some odd guests.

Another great night at Ring 96

Raffle Winners

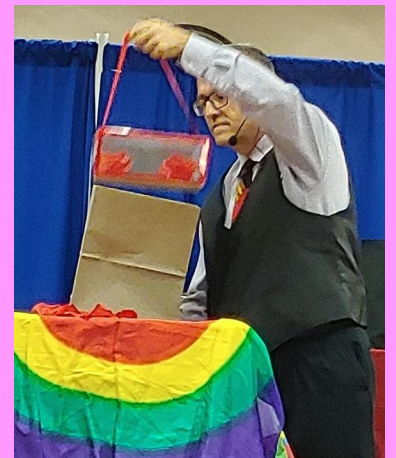
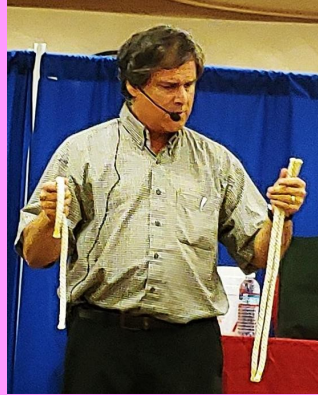
<u>Prize</u>	<u>Donner</u>	<u>Winner</u>
DVD Stand up to magic II	John Piercy	Jeff (Guest)
Linking Ring 1985	Dick Shafer	Richard (Guest)
Pack of Booklets	Bill Pearce	Pierre Hathaway
Bag o tricks I	David Gray Est.	Phil Ureno
Reel Magic & Genii	Marty Egbok and Bill	Julie (Guest)
Taylor Made Bk test	David Gray Est.	Dan Habel
Bag of Tricks II	Bill Pearce	Richard Castro

Magicians are the most honest people in the world; they tell you they're gonna fool you, and then they do it.

James Randi

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Free Magic Show



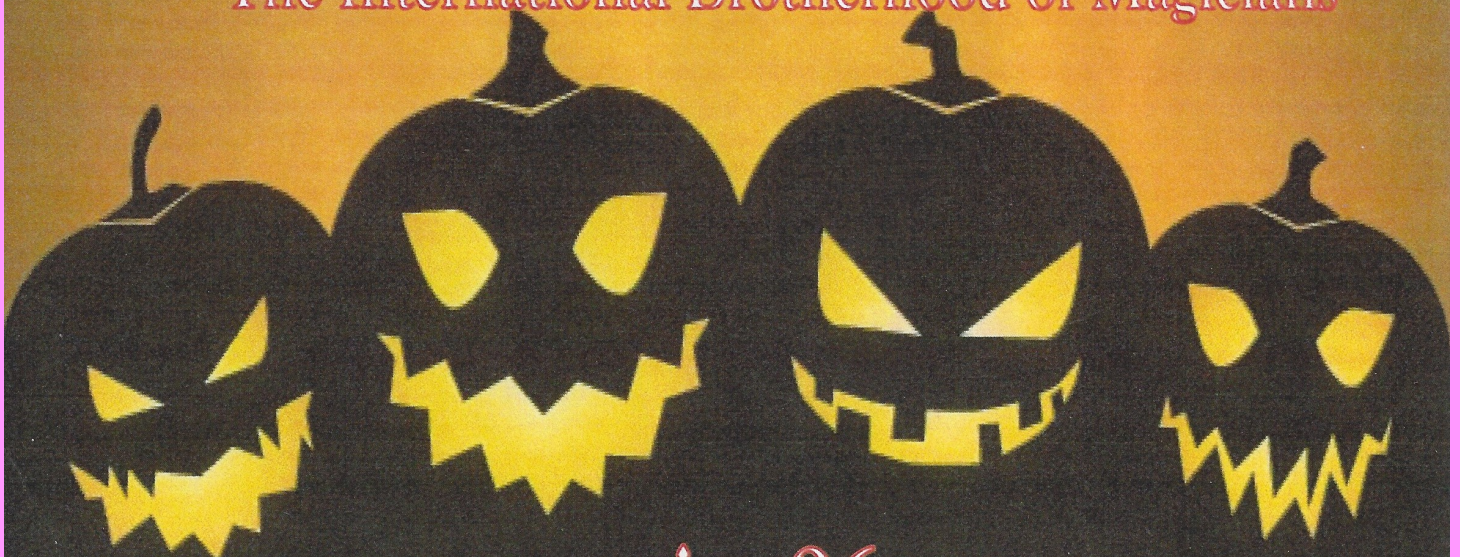
"A Night of Weird Magic & Mentalism"

Saturday, October 19th
7:00 PM

North Senior Center
3333 Saint Cloud Drive
Seal Beach

This all-ages magic
show will be fun
and appropriate
for all!

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The International Brotherhood of Magicians



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Awards:
Best Magician
Most Improved
Best Attendance
Best Patter
and more!

Special Awards:
Best Civilain Donations
Best Support of Magic
and more!



Exciting Magic
Performances too!



This is a free event - suitable for all ages! All are welcome!

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November 16th 7 PM

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Seal Beach California**



Ring 96 - The Seal Beach Magic Club
presents...



A Magical Christmas

A free all-ages magic show

Dessert Potluck!
Magic Grab Bag!
Magical Performances!

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