



# Newsletter

## January 2017

### JANUARY'S MEETING: Show & Tell

Thanks to those who performed. They all did a FANTASTIC job!



#### **Mel Bennett**

Mel performed 3 tricks. He showed us how to tread a needle, the mystery of the pyramid and the magic of color blocks.

Thanks Mel

#### **Joyce Basch**

Joyce performed 3 tricks. She showed us her routine with sponge balls, a card trick...(wait what? How did that happen?), and a baseball card trick.

Thanks Joyce



#### **Larry Campbell**

Larry (the King of money magic) performed money magic. He showed us the color of money and a few others. This man can put on a show with just money!

Thanks Larry



#### **Note**

There are a limited number of copies of the instructions to Bill's paper trick that will be at the next meeting.

#### **Bill Pearce**

Bill performed an amazing paper magic routine. He followed that up with napkin magic and a trick using the clock on the wall. Wow!

Thanks Bill





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## January's Business Meeting:

Thanks to all that gave feedback at the business meeting. Your input was very much appreciated by the OCMC President.

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## Our Next Club Meeting:

Our next Club meeting will be:

**Date:** February 15, 2017 (The third Wednesday of each month)

**Time:** 7:30pm

**Location:** Garden Grove Women's Club, 9501 Chapman Av., Garden Grove, CA.

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## February's Theme:

LOVE is in the air.

Our February theme is based around Valentine's Day.

If you would like to perform a magic trick based around this theme please email Phil at:

Yes card tricks are ok.

It's first come, first serve. Space and time is limited. Each trick cannot be more than 10 minutes long.

You can perform more than one trick but it will be a round robin setup. You perform one trick, another performs one trick, and so on. Then it comes back around to you. We will do this until time runs out.





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## DUES Reminder:

Dues are due. \$40 (single; 18 years +)  
\$60 (couples)



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## January Birthdays:

Happy Birthday to the following Members:

- Larry Campbell
- Kobge Egbok



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## Neighboring Clubs:

### Ring 96 Seal Beach

Every 3rd Saturday of the month at 7pm.  
Seal Beach North Community Center  
3333 Saint Cloud Dr., Seal Beach CA.

### Ring 313 Irvine

Every last Tuesday of the month at 7pm  
Community Room at the Irvine Water District  
15500 Sand Canyon Avenue, Irvine, CA.



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## Lunch Bunch (Every Friday at Noon) :

Our World Famous Lunch Bunch is at: **David. L. Baker Golf Course**  
Located at: **10410 Edinger Ave, Fountain Valley, CA 92708**

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## Officer Positions:

There are still officer positions in the club that need to be filled. If you are interested please contact Phil at: [calkid49@yahoo.com](mailto:calkid49@yahoo.com)



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## This year's Officers:

### OCMC President: Phillip Ureno

Phillip was fascinated with magic at the age of nine. His first magic trick was bought at the Disneyland Magic Store.

Two and a half years ago, Phil found the OCMC after moving to the area. He has been a member of the club ever since.

He is currently working on a new character. His character is based in the Steam Punk theme and is an Airship Engineer. Mr. U, as he is called, travels through time as a time traveler and also travels throughout the galaxy. His tricks are based on the stories of his travels.



### OCMC Treasurer: Steven Nakauchi

Steven Nakauchi started in magic 1964, after watching Terry Roses (classmate), escape from a strait jacket and placed in a wooden box.

He then went to the school library to see how it was done. It was during this time the magic bug "bit".

He heard about the OCMC back in the 60's with Suds, Mel, Aldini, Steve Schriener, through his classmate Terry Roses.

Steven started doing escapes, then stage magic, which enjoyed the most.

From 1968 to 1973 he served in the Marines and still performed magic for the Marines, even while he was stationed in Vietnam.

Steve has been a Magic Castle member for approximately 40 years. Although he lost touch with the club after his service was up, he always knew they were there and knew someday he would rejoin the club!!! Steve says the club played a huge part in keeping his interest in magic and has learned a lot.

Welcome back Steven and thanks for your Service.







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To all who celebrate:

