OCMC Magic Club

July 15, 2015 Newsletter

JULY 15th is member's performance night. (Bring Family & Friends to this Free Magic Show) Anyone can perform at this meeting. Whether you are practicing something new or want to "wow" us with a polished routine, this is your night to shine. The theme is technically "**Red**, White & Blue Magic" or "Patriotic Magic" but if you want to perform anything else, you are welcome to do so. Bring your family and friends to watch you perform miracles. This is certain to be an entertaining evening with something for everyone. The success of this meeting depends on you performing a fun effect.

JULY 11th PICNIC It is time for you to sign up for the annual **Orange County Magicians Picnic** on Saturday, July 11th at Taft Elementary School. Contact Philip Henderson 949-322-4329 or PhilipHenderson@sbcglobal.net to RSVP so we can have an accurate count of participants. This is a family picnic so we expect you to bring your spouse, children, grandchildren, or your friends. Ring 313 provides the burgers, dogs, and chicken breasts for barbeque, you will bring side dishes.

Bill Pearce is serving as coordinator for the stage performers. If you would like to join the group on the stage please connect with **Bill Pearce** 714-962-7087 before all the spots are filled. Six performance slots have already been taken. Stage performers are encouraged to limit their show to ten minutes. We will be entertaining 20 children and parents from Taft Elementary School in addition to our magicians and family.

Silent Auction Any member can bring one magic item per month to be put in the Silent Auction. You can either donate the item to the club and the club keeps all the money or you can set the minimum starting bid, set the increments for bidding and you keep 80% of the sale price while the club gets 20% of the sale price. This is a win/win for both the club and the members. This is your chance to get rid of that magic trick that is just sitting in your closet collecting dust. Turn that prop/gimmick/book/dvd/vhs into some cold hard cash so you can buy some more magic. This auction is meant for items worth more than \$20. Thank you.

Suds to Lecture at the Magic Castle August 9th

For members who belong to the Magic Castle, please put August 9th on your calendar to support Ted "Suds" Sudbrack our very own inventive guy -- a virtual walking encyclopedia of knowledge and experience garnered through decades of experience in the art of magic. Known by many as a magic dealer, Suds has created many effects that are distributed throughout the magic fraternity to great response and appeal. Suds travels across North America to conventions bringing his magic effects and unique props to countless family entertainers. Suds is a Past President and lifetime member of the Orange County Magic Club, a past president of the PCAM and a lifetime member of Ring 21. Suds recently won the SAM Assembly 22 "Best Magic Act of the Year" award.

Future Meetings

Date	Event	Notes
July 15	4th of July Magic	Member performance bring family and friends for free show
August 19	Stage Show & Tell/workshop	
September 16	Autumn Morning Star Lecture	\$15 charge unless you are a member of Ring 9 or OCMC
October 21	Halloween magic	Member performances
November 18	Floyd Baldwin Stage Contest	Family and friends invite to free magic show
December 16	Christmas Pot luck Party	

LUNCH BUNCH (Every Friday at Noon)

Our **World Famous Lunch Bunch** is at Sunny's Restaurant, 7148 Edinger. It is across the street from the parking lot of Goldenwest College and 3/4 of a block East of Goldenwest. It also shares the parking lot with Toys-R-Us and Hobby Lobby.

Volunteer Needed The club is in need of someone to run a **50/50 raffle**. We have all the necessary equipment for you to use. Please take part in helping us make OCMC a huge success. Thank you. The club can sure use all the extra money that we can scrape together.

The Orange County Magic Club meets on the third Wednesday of each month at the Garden Grove Women's Club, 9501 Chapman Av., Garden Grove, CA. Doors open at 7 pm and the meetings start at 7:30 pm. Feel free to come by and join the fun.