

ORANGE COUNTY MAGIC CLUB

Meets on the third Wednesday of each month.

At the Garden Grove Women's Club

9501 Chapman Ave.

The corner of Chapman and Gilbert

The next meeting online

Web Meeting in June

Wednesday 17-June-2020 @ 7:00 pm



Officers:

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OCMC's 1st Online Meeting was a Success

OCMC had its first online meeting last Wednesday and it was a lot of fun. It had been a while since we'd met and the ZOOM meeting event with about 15 of us was fun and lively.

Brad took the helm starting us off making sure everyone was good to go with proper video and audio capability. His great instructions helped many of us take advantage of this new platform in the virtual world.

Next month will feature Mental Mysteries with Pasteboards Lecture by Harrison

Please join us this Wednesday 17-June-2020 online via ZOOM with the following link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83030872493>

Please see the flyer below for more details on this month's lecture.



Presents...

MENTAL MYSTERIES WITH PLAYING CARDS **∞ A VIRTUAL LECTURE BY HARRISON KAPLAN ∞**



OCMC invites you to join us for a free online Zoom lecture featuring Harrison Kaplan on Wednesday, June 17, at 7:30 pm. The Zoom meeting will begin at 7:00 pm, so please join in early to work out video and audio issues and to greet other magicians so we can begin the lecture promptly at 7:30 pm. To join us on Zoom, click on the following link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83030872493>. Or, to join us by audio only, you can dial (669) 900-9128 and enter the Meeting ID # 830 3087 2493 on your telephone keypad when prompted, followed by the pound key. When asked for your Participant ID, just press the pound key again. If you have any questions, do feel free to contact me by text at 626-327-3343 or by email at Brad@MagicByBrad.com! See you at the lecture!

Brad Erickson
OCMC Vice President

A note from Bill Pearce:

As desired by his estate i have over 2,300 magazines from the collection of "Suds". I plan to give many of these away at our future meetings and place them in raffles. There are 833 Linking Rings, 481 MUMS, 531 Genii, 200 Sphinx, 151 TOPS, 60 New Tops and others.

If any of our members are serious collectors, I will check to see if I have any issues they desire.

Email me at pearcemagic@aol.com with a list of the magazines that they are looking for. (Do not call).

I will check to see if any are available and get back to them.

In the meantime, because of space, I will not be able to accept donations of magazines.

Raffle coordinator

Bill Pearce

May Lecture

Harrison's reached deep into his vast library of magic to bring us the magic of Al Leech. Plucked from his book, "All of Leech", Harrison taught us Mr. Leech's Easy Aces Reversed. A great not too difficult which could be described as a blend of Vernon's Triumph and Al's wonderful simple humor.

As always, Harrison taught us some extra sleights along with the trick. This session, we learned a really nice false-swing cut from Martin Gardner.

SPOTLIGHT

In May, the club spotlighted OCMC President Julian Devero who has been performing magic for many years, currently working in the Knott's Berry Farm magic shop. Split Card Fans are a favorite and staple of his performances.

Performances

Larry Campbell performed 2 coins in a bag. Larry showed us how a spectator could select one of the coins and Larry would remove it from the bag; by the way, he does this without opening the bag!

Todd Reis showed us a Jumbo Card trick with 4 red backed aces and the Queen of Hearts; suddenly, there are 4 blue backed Queens.

Ed Smith performed what is known as the Princess Card Trick.

Nick Kokaraleis infused some humor into tonight's magic with some 7" sponge bananas, which are much, much funnier than 5" bananas, if we are being honest.

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Please note the following adjustments to the 2020 OCMC schedule:

June: Online: Mental Mysteries with Pasteboards Lecture by Harrison

July: Lecture TBA

August: Close-up Contest

September: Lecture Steve Taylor

October: Swap meet

November: Stage Contest

December: Christmas Party

Coming soon...

TBD Due –to COVID-19, Harrison Lecture on Ted Annemann's Mentalism will be postponed.

Fundraiser

OCMC is offering its first Tupperware Fundraiser with donations to go towards our website.

Please see the fundraiser brochure and order form sheet. There are about 20 items in this fundraiser brochure with some exclusive items not available in the current Tupperware catalog.

Directions: Mark Quantity of items wanted, Total costs of items, Subtotal and add your Sales Tax. There is NO shipping/handling costs, this fee will be paid by our memberJoy.

You can call in your orders or you can mail the completed order form sheet with your check to Joy. Items ordered will be processed and delivered to our next Garden Grove scheduled meeting or earlier delivery can be pre-arranged for our members only.

This current fundraiser brochure will expire July 10th, please place any order prior to Wednesday July 8th. Processed orders normally take 7-9 working days. Currently with COVID-19, orders are taking longer to receive.

If you have any questions or need the address, please contact L. Joy Nishijima-Fujita at 714-393-1707 or ljn224@gmail.com.

Please share this brochure with your friends.

OCMC is still accepting donations for the website. You can email Phil Ureno at calkid49@yahoo.com for more information.

"Card magic is a complete show in a single pocket."

Arturo de Ascanio
