



# MAGIC WORD

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A bean supper will be held on Wed. evening. Music will follow.

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## OCT 19TH—WEIRD HALLOWEEN MAGIC AND COSTUME CONTEST.

If you are into weird magic and/or mentalism, this is one meeting you won't want to miss. Open to everyone to attend. Invite your friends and family for a fun filled night of magic. Members performance night! This is always a fun filled night of laughter and fun magic. Please bring your favorite Halloween trick to perform for us. This is a great opportunity to get that needed experience in front of an audience. If you have a new trick or an old favorite one, this is a good time to perform it. Hopefully the members that haven't yet performed for the club will help make this night a success along with the old reliables. It's meeting like this that give our members a chance to show off their stuff, so please take part in the fun.

**Costume Contest** will be held at this meeting. Come dress up and win a prize. Join in the fun!

### FLOYD BALDWIN STAGE CONTEST NOW IS THE TIME TO SIGN-UP

If you are planning on performing in the **Floyd Baldwin Stage Contest**, now is the time to let **Forrest Miller** know! On November 16th, we will be holding the 18th annual **Floyd Baldwin Stage Contest**. This has been the club's most prestigious competition. It is intended to give ALL members of our club a chance to gain valuable experience performing on stage in front of a live audience. Whether you are a beginner or experienced magician, this is for you. The show will be free for the public to attend.

The contest also awards \$100. for 1st place, \$50. for 2nd place and \$25. for 3rd. The winner also get his name put on the perpetual trophy.

Contact **Forrest Miller** at 714-842-5942 A.S.A.P.

## ELECTIONS

We are in need of volunteers to help run the club. Please consider doing your part and volunteer to run for just 1 of many positions. Computer skills are not necessary for most positions. We are looking for candidates for all positions including, President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Sgt. At Arms, Members at Large.

If you are willing to help our club remain the best magic club in the world, or you have questions about any office, please ask **Ken Klein** 562-423-3877, [kenklein@hotmail.com](mailto:kenklein@hotmail.com)

## WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT

What makes a club a success? It's not only the volunteers that do some of the management duties, but it's the members that partake in the events. It's one thing to make the arrangements for any event to take place but what makes it a success is the fact that the members actually participate in the events. Everyone has a part to play and hopefully it's more than just sitting in the audience watching others partake. It would be nice to see more member participating in some of our events. Let's take for example this month's "Halloween, Weird Magic and Costume Show". Wouldn't it be wonderful if everyone was going to partake in the show in one way or another. Anything that you do to help this a successful night would be appreciated by everyone. You can do a trick, tell a joke and/or come in a costume. It's your participation that we need in all the events through out the year. It really is a members obligation to partake in something. Whether it's running for an official office, performing in one or more of our shows or participating behind the scenes.

Let me take this opportunity to remind everyone that we are looking for members to partake in the Floyd Baldwin Stage Contest next month.

## OCMC'S UPCOMING EVENTS

October 19th	Halloween Magic
November 16th	Floyd Baldwin Stage Contest
December 21st	Holiday Party

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**OCMC'S MAGIC DEALERS**

We do of course have members that sell magic items. For great prices and a large variety of magic tricks, books, DVD's and misc gag items, you may wish to contact **Bill Pearce** 714-962-7087 , **John Fedko** 714-538-6044 or **Suds** 909-359-5797.

**HOUSE OF HUMOR**

Owned and operated by club members, **Sherron** and **Rich Newberg**. This is a good place to buy all your magic, costumes, gags and masks. Located at 1215 W. Baker Unit "C", in Costa Mesa 92626. They can be reached at 714-540-3455 or www. Houseofhumor.net. You can also rent other entertainment here. Mimes, Magicians, Jugglers etc.

**THANKS TO ALL MEMBERS THAT  
WEAR THEIR BADGES**

Just a friendly reminder, that there are several good reasons for wearing your club badge to all the meetings. Please do your part and wear your badge, it makes remembering your name so much easier. It also helps new members to get acquainted with our names and faces. Show everyone that you are proud to be a member of the best magic club in the world.

**RAFFLE PRIZE WINNERS**

Many thanks to those who support our raffles. Both the donors of raffle prizes and the purchasers of the tickets.

Many thanks to **Bill Pearce** for running a great raffle with lots of interesting magic items that are always well received.

**Todd Reis** won his choice of the major prizes. He chose a book called "A Choice of Miracles by **Eric Lewis**. Other winners were: **Bernie Schumaker, Ashley Kane, Dick Shafer, Todd Skiles, Barney Skinner, Leland Vandeventer** and also a second prizes for lucky **Todd Reis**

I would also like to thank all who donated prizes to this month's raffle. They were **David Gray, Leland Van Deventer, Suds, Dave Sims, Kobge Egbok, and Bill Pearce**.

**RULES FOR A FREE RAFFLE TICKET**

If you find the magic word or words that are concealed somewhere in this newsletter and mention it to **Bill Pearce** while purchasing tickets you will be entitled to receive a free ticket. You must be a **current member in good standings** and **purchase 3 or more raffle tickets** to qualify for the free ticket. *Thank you for your support.* Please realize that the free ticket is meant to reward members that support the raffle. *Thank You, The Board.*

**Special Note**

If anyone has any items they wish to donate to the club for the monthly raffle, it would be greatly appreciated and be of great help to the club. Surely we all have something in our closet that we know we'll never use. Why not donate it to the club? Simply, bring it to the meeting, contact raffle coordinator **Bill Pearce** at the meeting if you have anything. *Thank You.*

Meetings are **Every Third Wednesday** at the **Garden Grove Women's Club, 9501 Chapman in Garden Grove**. Consult the map on the back page of this newsletter.

**Doors Open - 7:00 p.m.**  
**Meetings Start at 7:30 p.m..**

**NEXT BOARD MEETING**

The next **OCMC BOARD MEETING** will be on November 2nd, 7:30 p.m. at **Ken Klein's** house, in Lakewood. If you have any questions or need directions, please call **Ken** 562-423-3877 All members are welcome and your participation will be greatly appreciated. Please feel free to join in the fun. *Thank You*

## Friday "Lunch Bunch"

If you have never attended OCMC's weekly lunch get-together, you don't know what you're missing! Besides having a good sandwich, you can session, share ideas, and perhaps perform a few tricks with the group. 10- 20 magi get together every Friday afternoon at 12:00 at the **Lee's Donuts & Coffee** 19061 Bushard St. Huntington Beach. (Garfield and Bushard). Check with **Scott Boeger** at **562-431-9933** for details!

### OCMC's OFFICERS

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### BIRTHDAY WISHES

Please, let's all help these members celebrate their October birthdays: **Todd Reis, Vicki Murrell, Tom Constable, Joe Delaney, Bill Pearce, Gerald Kirchner, Kurt Freitag** and **Michael Angulo**. It's your birthday, POOF! We all hope it's Magical.

### Member Business Cards Wanted!!

If you haven't already checked it out, please visit the Performing Member page of this website devoted to our professional performing members by displaying their business cards. If you're a member in good standing with an interesting business card that displays something about you as a performer, just contact **Ken Klein** at the next meeting and give him a fresh new card. We think this is a great way to help promote our members' skills and show who some of our members are!

### IBM Ring 96 Upcoming Meetings

Held at the *Farmers & Merchants Bank* on Seal Beach Blvd in Los Alamitos at 7pm on the Third Saturday of each month.

October 15	The Annual Weird / Mentalism Halloween
November 19	Lecture to be announced
December 17	Member's Pot Luck Dessert & Performance Night

**Members of OCMC may attend all of Ring 96's events at no charge.**

### IBM Ring 313 Upcoming Meetings

Meetings are held at the Irvine Ranch Water District on Sand Canyon Road in Irvine at 7pm on the last Tuesday of each month.

October 25th	Bizarre Magic and Mentalism
November 29th	Stage and Close-up Contests
December 13th	Holiday Potluck

## OCMC LIBRARY

If you have something to contribute to the club, please contact our Video Librarian **Leland Van Deventer** at **714/526-5634**

Any club member may borrow video tapes from the club library FREE for 30 days. If for some reason you are unable to return them at the end of 30 days and **you call Leland**, it can be renewed for another 30 days. Otherwise there will be an overtime charge of \$1.00 per tape.



The Magic Word for October is "POOF"

### Newsletter

If you know of any articles, club news or events you would like to see the OCMC's monthly newsletter, please notify **Scott Boeger** at 562-431-9933 or e-mail me at [scottboeger@msn.com](mailto:scottboeger@msn.com). Thank You.



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