



MAGIC WORD

Volume 11 Issue 11 Did you hear about the X-Rated Turkey. It's served with very little dressing. **NOVEMBER 2005**

NOVEMBER 16TH, 2005 18 ANNUAL FLOYD BALDWIN STAGE CONTEST

Open to the Public

Bring your friends and family to this meeting. Everyone is sure to have a great time. The entertainment will be the **Floyd Baldwin Stage Contest**.

Please invite your friends and family to this wonderful evening of Magic. There is NO charge for guests to attend. Everyone is invited.

The winner of the contest will receive \$100. plus his or her name on the perpetual trophy. Second Place winner receives a \$50. cash prize and 3rd place receives \$25. The entire audience will vote for the winner.

We have 9 contestants competing in the event. They are listed in order of performance. **Otis Martin, Steve Ankenbauer, Bob Foutz, Sunita Bosu, Kobge Egbok, Andy Wiesmann, Cece Lane, Mel Bennett and John Bailey**

The entire audience will get to cast a vote for the best magical performance. It is suggested that when voting, you should consider overall presentation, magical effect, skill, entertainment value, originality and appearance.

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.

If you have any questions, please contact **Forrest Miller** at **714-842-5942**

The show and maybe the audience will be video taped by **Leland Van Deventer**, so if you are thinking of sitting next to someone you shouldn't be, don't say you haven't been warned. Ha ha . Being taped is a big plus to the contestants who can eventually view themselves on video and see all the positive & negative things about their performance. What a great learning tool the video camera can be. Anyone who wants a copy of this show should contact **Leland** at 714-526-5634. Thank You

SPECIAL HOLIDAY PARTY DECEMBER 11TH, 2005 POT LUCK, MAGIC SHOW & PARTY

You won't want to miss this event. **Prentice Taylor** is again hosting a party at his home at 942 Emerald Bay, Laguna Beach for magicians from OCMC, Ring 96 and Ring 313. This will be a potluck event, so bring your favorite dish to share with others. It will start at Noon until about 5 p.m. on Sunday 12/11/05. Please carpool if possible because parking can be a problem. He is a collector of magic and you will be very impressed with his collection. His home contains a fascinating magic collection, séance room, parlor stage, and more. The event will feature **Prentice** giving tours of his collection and having a small show performed on the Parlor stage. Potluck snacks and appetizers should be brought to share. If you wish to attend, make a reservation and bring along an appetizer or snack for all to share. Please let us know if you also wish to perform in the show. Contact **Todd Reis** at 714-530-8207 (email tr3d@hotmail.com)

HOLIDAY PARTY DECEMBER 21ST. 2005

OCMC will hold a **Holiday Pot Luck Party with Gift Exchange and Members Performances Night**. This is always a great evening of friends, food and magic. Everyone is invited. Bring you friends and family to this event. Mark your calendars for this one.

OCMC'S UPCOMING EVENTS

November 16th	Floyd Baldwin Stage Contest
December 21st	Holiday Party-Pot Luck-Member Performance Night
January 18th	Members Performance—Money Magic
February 15th	Workshop (on basics)
March 15th	Ralph Macintosh Lecture

SUPPORT YOUR LOCAL MAGIC SHOPS

BEST MAGIC MAGIC, GAGS & COSTUMES

Support your local magic shop.

**625-A South Magnolia Ave
Anaheim, Ca.
714-827-6442**

MAGIC GALORE AND MORE KEN SANDS MAGIC SHOP

Support your local magic shop.

Incredible selection of magic tricks for beginners to experts. Teaching DVD's, Books and Videos.

Magic Galore and More
6471 Westminster Ave.
Westminster, Ca 92683

(714) 891-6488 (Located inside the Bowling Alley)

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](http://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.

The major prize winner this month was **Paul Miles**. He chose a video tape called Standing Room Only, by **Aldo Colombini**.

Other raffle winners were: **Steve Young, Tom Constable, Frank Banman, Alie Hughes, Vaughn Ries** and **Cliff Gertsman**.

Members who donated prizes for this months raffle were: **David Gray, Todd Skiles, Suds, Leland Van Deventer** and **Dave Sims**.

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 December 7th, 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

- Ken Klein** 562-423-3877 kenklein@hotmail.com
- Valerie Slater** 714-891-7602 mobitz88@verizon.net
- CeCe Lane** 714-256-2715 cecelmagic@aol.com
- Scott Boeger** 562-431-9933 scottboeger@msn.com
- Leland Van Deventer** 714-526-5634
- Todd Reis** 714-530-7605 trmagic3d@earthlink.net
- Bob Foutz** 714-373-0077 rhfoutz@verizon.net
- Brian Dow** 562-598-0837
- OCMC's Web Site** www.ocmagicclub.org
- Don Hill** Web Master donhill@gmail.com
- Otis Martin** 562-799-1901 **The Magic Words for Nov.**
- Sherry Newberg** 714-979-4898 **are: "Scott Sent Me"**

BIRTHDAY WISHES

Please, let's all help this member celebrate his November birthday. Would you believe **Leland Van Deventer** is the only one I have listed with a November birthday. I knew he was unique but this is a little bit of a stretch, wouldn't you say?

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.

November 19 Rachel Wild & Tom Jones
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.

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.

**SHOOT OGAWA LECTURE
NOVEMBER 13TH, 2005
AT MAGIC GALORE**

6471 Westminster Ave,
Westminster, Ca.
Inside the Bowling Alley

Call **Ken Sands** for more information at 714-891-6488

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. Thank You.

--	--



1232 Golden Rain #71-J
Seal Beach, Ca. 90740