



I.B.M. MAGRUM-KIEFER RING No. 11

QUAD CITIES MAGIC CLUB

NOVEMBER 2011 NEWSLETTER

### **NOVEMBER MEETING**

November 3, 2011  
7:00 PM  
Riverside Garden Room  
34th Street and 5th Avenue  
Moline, IL

### **ASSIGNMENTS**

**MC:** Eric Dany

**Theme:** Stage/Illusions

**Drinks:** Toto Johnson

**Snacks:** Bradley Wheeler

**Teach-A-Trick:** Jerry Phillips

**Media Rpt:** Chuck Hanson

### **DECEMBER MEETING**

**Theme:** Birthday & Children

### **NOVEMBER MEETING**

Nominations for 2012 Club Officers is on tap for our November meeting. The theme for the evening is stage and illusions. Buy hey, if you really want to do a CLOSE-UP CARD TRICK, by all means please bring it!

We will also be taking reservations for the Christmas Party, which will be held on Monday December 5th at the recently remodeled Windmill Restaurant. We expect it to be re-opening the week before Thanksgiving and ready for us in December!

Tom Burgoon will be entertaining and on Tuesday night after the party, Tom is going to present a lecture for us at the Garden Center.

We're holding costs down by going to the Windmill and we know the food is excellent. It will be a fun evening. Cocktails start at 6 PM and dinner at 7 PM. The cost will be \$15.00 per person and magic bucks are welcome!

### **NATHAN KRANZO—LECTURE**

Nathan Kranzo's lecture is November 10th at the Garden Room. We'll be starting at 7PM.

The lecture fee is \$10.00 for members and \$15.00 for-non members. As always, there is no charge for parents, spouses or other family members.

This from Kranzo — Need I say any more...

NATHAN KRANZO IS BACK with an ALL NEW STUFF LECTURE!

Look at all the material in the lecture—Please see pages 3 & 4.

## OCTOBER MEETING

Mid-month we were entertained, amused and taught a number of very usable effects by Aldo and Rachel Colombini. Judging by the laughter alone it was a great evening, but when you add in the number of solid, practical effects they taught, it has to be one of best club lectures we have had in a long time. Cin-cin! Salute! Aldo and Rachel.

In October we had a spooky meeting. Michael Dyer was elected Historian and will be taking over the responsibilities from Ty Bernier. Many thanks to Ty for all the work and effort he put into maintaining the club archives. Eric Dany presented our President, Todd Herbst, with his 10-year Wizard Award from the IBM. We also welcomed back Toto, who spend almost a month entertaining in India. Ken Cooper shared with the club the magic he received from the Creative Magic Company.

Todd gave a video report on the Dark Side Deck, which is filled with lots of creative ideas. He also taught the 33-card trick. A great and easy to do effect. Todd was the MC for evening and first up was Sir Richard who presented Vernon's dealing the aces.

Next up Chuck Hanson introduced a Spanish guy, Bob Dalquist, wearing a sombrero and a couple of kitchen rugs. His name was "C", his brother was "Cy" and his sister was "So." Jack Benny would have been proud of this duo especially with the revelation of the chosen card, the "Seiks of Spades". Luke VanCleve had a haunted deck of cards and with his helper Henry, he found the spectator's freely selected card.

Ken Cooper amused us with a witch, ghost and we ended up being stung, or rather struck out. Justin Galbraith showed an interesting book test using Joe's TV antenna, which is a coat hanger and tin foil. Joe Dobson loves the girls and he performed a snazzy card routine with Charley's Angels: Sabrina, Kelly and Jill. Joe followed with my first kiss using red and black licorice.

Chuck Hanson came back with his little friend, "Buddy" who is one smart monkey. Buddy used his x-ray vision to correctly divine the spectator's selected card inside the card case. Bradley Wheeler made sure we knew it was breast cancer awareness month by using the jokers from his attractive pink Bicycle deck to sandwich the spectator's chosen card.

Steven Delaney correctly predicted the freely chosen number card. Our newest junior member, Nevazh, presented the color cube. Eric Dany talked about fake mediums and mind readers as he had three word cards selected. The audience had a good laugh as he stumbled with the prediction but eventually got it correct. Todd Herbst closed the show as felt the force and started running from a couple of rather scary rats. He eventually found the spectator's card in a card fountain using a rat trap.

If you are in the area, please join us for our weekly Saturday brunch--11AM at Denny's

located at the SE corner outside of the Southpark Mall.

## **FUTURE MEETINGS**

December—Birthday & Children's

Snacks and Drinks—Need Volunteers

### **Kranzo's Lecture Includes:**

#### **NO SMOKING ZONE**

This is Kranzo's newest release and has created quite a buzz around the world. JUST when they yell at you to not light your cigarette....it turns into a lollipop, or a stick of gum!!!

Watch it here: <http://kranzomagic.myshopify.com/collections/frontpage/products/no-smoking-zone>

#### **PSYCHOMATIC DECK**

Another brand new release from Kranzo. Kranzo will teach you how to use this old gem. A person cuts to a card and peeks at it while you are across the room and you then read their mind and tell the the card with NO pumping. Watch Kranzo perform it here: <http://vimeo.com/29878462>

#### **THE MEAN COIN ROUTINE**

This is a routine that Kranzo uses as an opener for small groups. It combines visual magic with comedy and Kranzo uses to talk about the psychology of social dynamics. Kranzo teaches this routine as well as other choice selection from his Stand Up Coin Magic DVD.

<http://kranzomagic.myshopify.com/products/stand-up-coin-magic-dvd>

#### **WHOOGLE Book Test**

Using Google and something "topical" as a basis for a comedy mindreading presentation a word is revealed that a volunteer has merely thought of!!! Fits in your pocket and plays BIG.

<http://kranzomagic.myshopify.com/products/diction-by-nathan-kranzo>

#### **Comedy Thought Of Card Revelation**

A card called out by an audience member is predicted with no palming. Self working and NO index in your pants LOL! This always brings down the house. Kranzo also teaches versions with your pocket, and even an envelope.

#### **Mene Tekel Miracles**

Nathan will share with you some of his favorite effects with the Mene Tekel Deck from his new DVD Mene Tekel Miracles. <http://kranzomagic.myshopify.com/products/mene-tek-el-miracles-dvd>

The Gift

I'll share with you my handling of a Steve Mayhew idea that I've used for over 10 years to approach people and groups that always works.

TEARify

Kranzo reveals reveals his work on the classic newspaper test. This is very strong real world mentalism that has been one of the highlights of the new lecture! Stand Up Mentalism you can do ANYTIME anywhere. <http://kranzomagic.myshopify.com/products/tearify-newspaper-tear-by-nathan-kranzo-mentalism>

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