



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

QUAD CITIES MAGIC CLUB

JUNE 2013 NEWSLETTER

NEXT CLUB MEETING

June 7, 2013
7:00 PM
Riverside Garden Room
34th Street and 5th Avenue
Moline, IL

ASSIGNMENTS

MC: N/A

Theme: Contests

Drinks: Ken Cooper

Snacks: Bradley Wheeler

Teach-A-Trick:

Easy—N/A

Difficult—N/A

Media Rpt: N/A

JULY MEETING

Theme: Picnic—Bring a trick to perform!

JUNE MEETING

This month it is time for our annual stage and close-up contest.

Here's a brief recap of the contest rules.

- 1) You must be a member of QCMC - Ring 11 to enter.
- 2) The close-up presentation can be no longer than 7 minutes.
- 3) The stage presentation can be no longer than 10 minutes.

4) Winners are selected by peoples' choice...Everyone in attendance votes based on entertainment value.

A lot of members of varying skills have entered and placed over the years, so don't be afraid to enter. After all, it's all in good fun. So, please come, show us your stuff, and bring your friends for a most entertaining and fun evening.

OSCAR MUNOZ LECTURE

Save the date — June 19th, Wednesday evening at 7 PM is the Oscar Munoz lecture at the Garden Center. \$10 for members, \$15 for non-members.

Oscar is a great performer and always has good material in his lectures. I'm sure this one will not be any different!

Hope you can make it!!!

MAY MEETING

The meeting was opened at 7:00 by President Eric Dany. It was moved and passed that QCMC's website renewal be paid. It was also reported our club's magic show at La Porte, IA went very well. Sir Richard reported that he and others are still hoping and looking into the possibility of our club doing a show some day in Macomb, IL, once they find the right venue.

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Voting is currently done by secret ballot by anyone present purely on the basis of entertainment value.

Also, for that evening:

Snacks – Brad Wheeler

Beverages – Ken Cooper

Other upcoming events:

July 1 – Le Claire, IA public library show

July 11 – QCMC picnic

August 24 – Cedar Rapids, IA public library show

Sept. 8 – Independence, IA public library show

Oct. 19 – Spooktacular in Moline, IL

Upcoming lectures:

Fall – Steve Beam

Brand new or newly featured at the Fun Co:

First of all, what is most new at the Fun Co. is the fact that they are moving to a larger location during the month of June to 2201 5th Ave. in Moline, IL 61265 and due to open there on June 26 (or soon thereafter). More room for more magic and space to hang out and talk about magic – yeah! Everybody wins, so come on down.

Cereal Killer – 3 hilarious predictions (performed by Jerry Philips at our club)

Scotch and Soda – a standard and excellent coin trick, should be in everyone's repertoire

Color Changing CD's – updated version of old standard with silks

Crummy Cookie Trick – several effects possible with an Oreo cookie

Find the Queen – stage Monte trick with giant cards

No Tear Newspaper Torn & Restored (DVD and newspaper) – reverse paper tear

Torn 2 Pieces (Sean Farquhar) – DVD

Please Do Not Disturb (Sean Farquhar) - DVD

Easy teach-a-trick: Sir Richard demonstrated and explained the card trick "Get Thee Behind Me, Satan"

For the media reports: 1. Todd Herbst highly recommended the book *The Practical Encyclopedia of Magic* by Nicholas Einhorn. 2. Chuck Hanson offered *More Power to You* by David Acer

Performances:

Sir Richard demonstrated Scotch and Soda and performed other coin maneuvers.

Todd Herbst did some mental magic involving a deck of cards with a different symbol on each card. After a card was chosen, Todd was able to immediately draw that symbol on his separate pad of paper.

Chuck Hanson did a card trick done with a “blind” person. The volunteer thought of a card and then placed a certain number of cards on the table, representing the suit and another number for the denomination and covered with the rest of the deck. Chuck then revealed the card, but also revealed that the entire trick was done with a deck of all blank cards. Next, Chuck did a coin trick involving rubbing a coin held by a volunteer and changing it from silver to copper and back again. When he showed that two coins were used and demonstrated the mechanics of the trick, the coins mysteriously changed into Chinese coins in the volunteer’s hand.

Few but great performances. We hope to see many at next month’s contest.

Don’t forget our Magician’s Brunch — Saturdays 11 AM at the Windmill Family Restaurant located 1190 Ave of the Cities East Moline IL.

2013 Meetings

Month	Theme	Drinks	Snacks
January	My new trick(s)	Bradley Wheeler	Bradley Wheeler
February	Silks	Dave Curley	Dave Curley
March	Mentalism	Ken Cooper	Steve Delaney
April	Cards, coins	Luke VanCleve	Chuck Hanson
May	Comedy	Todd Herbst	Todd Herbst
June	Stage, close-up contests	Ken Cooper	Bradley Wheeler
July	Picnic—stage	Bring your own and a	desert to share!
August	Close-up	Eric Dany	Eric Dany
September	Auction	Michael Dyer	Michael Dyer
October	Walk-around, Spooky	Rene Angel	Chuck Hanson
November	Teach-in	Bob Dalquist	
December	Holiday		