

Magic Musings

International Brotherhood of Magicians, Ring 29
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Meets 1st Thursday of nearly every month @ Baptist Medical Center



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January 2005

Annual Christmas Party January 15th

Annual January Christmas is set for January 15th Saturday evening at 6pm. Cost is \$6 for kids 12 and under and \$7 for over 12 years of age. This party will be a great evening and a new experience for us all. It will be a mystery dinner theater. There will be great entertainment, great magic, and great food. The food will be catered by Don Baer's mother and held at his church in Salem (map enclosed). Please RSVP to Mr. Magic by January 12th (501) 455-6242.

Christmas Party events: -Annual Awards will be given
-Ring 29's rabbit "Rabbit E. Lee" will be passed on from Melvin Brown to a new caregiver for the year 2005.
-Ring 29 newsletter has been named "Magic Musings" for so many years we have all lost count. There will be a contest at the party to rename our monthly magic newsletter. Put your thinking caps on and come up with a great name.

News from the Ring

*No regular meeting in January because of our annual Christmas Party.

* Ring 29 Sergeant at Arms Gerry Bailey underwent 5 heart valve bypass surgery on Christmas Day.

* December Ring meeting held at Mr. Magic was a great success. Close to two dozen magicians were in attendance.

* Former Ring 29 members Damon and Elizabeth Reinbold were in town for a couple of days and a reception was held for them on Sunday afternoon December 12. Many friends dropped by to chat.

* Thanks goes to Brenda Henson for food preparations for both the December Ring meeting and the Reinbold reception.

* Former International Past President Bob Escher is in Little Rock for two weeks

* Auction Time is almost here! Pull out your old magic boxes, dust them off and bring them to the February 3rd meeting. Time and place will be specified in the next newsletter.

Convention News:

*International Brotherhood of Magicians Annual Convention will be June 28th- July 2nd in Reno/ Tahoe, Nevada. There will be four evening Gala shows, more than ten lecturers, and many special events. Check I.B.M. website (www.magician.org) for more info and a registration form.

*Jim Henson will be serving as host for the 2005 Reno/Tahoe Convention at the June 28- July 2 I.B.M. Convention.

*Christy Henson will be serving her second year on the I.B.M. Convention Committee. Both will attend the Mid Year Meeting in Reno on January 7-9, 2005. A report will be given in the next newsletter.

Mark Wilson Workshop

*See enclosed flyer.

Wild Magic Lecture Set

Tom Jones and Rachel Wild of Wild Magic are set to lecture here on August 9th, 2005. More info will be forthcoming. The lecture is titled "Kiddies to Korporate".

Our newsletter is only as good as you make it. We need your info!!!

When and where are you performing? Contact James Kinsey

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