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Member Performance Night

Do a Trick!

Come ready to perform,

Show us your talent!



Holiday Inn Hurstbourne

Hurstbourne Lane and I-64

Tuesday July 13, 2010

7:00 PM

CALENDAR

Several LMC members gather in the hotel dining room for dinner together before each meeting.

Upcoming Events

JULY

Tuesday July 13

Do a Trick Night

HOLIDAY INN 7 PM

**Hurstbourne Lane
& I-64**

AUGUST

Thursday, August 19

Meeting Place:

**St. Matthews Baptist
Church**

SEPTEMBER

September 11

Picnic

September 17

It's Magic



Join the S.A.M. and the I.B.M.

Ask a club officer for a membership application today!

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**Out Of My Hat**

David Garrard, President

Stephanie and I have just returned from Las Vegas where we got to see Lance's Monte Carlo show one more time before it shuts down on September 4. He looked good and the show was terrific. Lance had a rehearsal immediately following, plus I was with a group, so we didn't have any hang out time. No word on what is next for Lance, but my guess is he takes some time off before moving on to the next thing. It will be interesting to see how it all unfolds.

Several weeks ago, I had the opportunity to perform with Ken Abbott. He was simply marvelous! Witty, funny, great with spectators and, as always, performing some fantastic magic. I am looking forward to Ken's turn on our September show.

Our July meeting will be held at the Holiday Inn Hurstbourne. You can see the hotel from I-64. If you are coming from town (going east on 64), take the Hurstbourne Lane exit and go north (the exit loops around). The Holiday Inn will be on your right, just past the gas station. It is Do A Trick Night, so please plan on performing. Guests and non-members may join us, so please, no exposure! The meeting room will be small, so be prepared. I will be in New Mexico, but Jim Harris will run the meeting.

Our August meeting will be held Thursday, August 19 at my church B St. Matthews Baptist Church. We have been there before for the John Calvert and David Ginn lectures. It appears very likely that the church will become our permanent home. We can meet there for no more than \$100. We will have access to a stage and/or a platform. Sound is built

in, including a nice wireless mike. We will also have easy access to video should we need it. This arrangement will require a host to transport lecturers to and from the meeting, but that should not be a problem.

I kept asking myself why we were meeting at a hotel where space is priced at a premium and everything you ask for is extra. I realized that it was simply to make it easy for our guests. I believe we will have a much better setup at the church for a lot less money, and I don't think we will have any trouble getting our lecturers to the meetings. We'll try it and see how it goes. As always, I will be interested in what you think.

As I write this column, we are still waiting a decision regarding the possibility of an afternoon show on September 17 at the Ursuline Arts Center. This show would be for students at Sacred Heart, and tickets would be reduced. A nice house in the afternoon would pretty much take care of our overhead for the theater! The evening show will begin at 7 p.m. Tickets will be \$10 for adults and \$5 for children (12 and under). The line up will feature Ken Abbot, Lion, Cody Clark, Mike Woodward and yours truly. We hope to have publicity materials ready soon. Mike Blanckaert is working on a ticket plan.

PLEASE help us sell this show! If we want to continue to enjoy fine lectures that characterize our club, we are going to have to build up our treasury a bit. This show is our opportunity. I hope you will promote the show and support the show by buying tickets for yourself and making them available to others.

Have fun at Do A Trick Night and I will see you in August!

David