

Words from the Secretary

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The newsletter needs you. I need articles and news events written by you. You do not have to be a member of the club to send articles to be publish. Send me emails(accolombel@zipcon.com) on what you would like to see in the newsletter and what you like or don't about the newsletter. Visit our Facebook page and post. Come to the meetings and lectures.

ALERT

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Ring of Smoke Report

The Ring of Smoke meets the first Sunday of the Month at Shawn O'Donnell's in Everett.

May's Meeting Report

May's theme was "Chaos" - Perform or discuss something where things seem to go wrong but turn out right.

At the business part of the meeting we were informed that the money situation was still good. Informed that David Parr was coming for a show in Seattle. There was info on the Penn & Tellar Masterclass series and the cost for them. (\$90/class or \$180 for the series). We watch a short video of a Del Ray performance, we saw the "Singing Bird Routine".

Ralph Huntzinger showed us 4 coins across routine. He then proceeded to a teach-in where he taught how to perform the routine.

Evan Shuster had a show and tell where he showed us a deck of cards with the backs look like the composition notebook. It had different fanning patterns, which made it a one-way deck.

Ralph Huntzinger demo the latest iteration of BECCA and took suggestions from the club.

Joy Knight-Richards showed us a rope routine with knots appearing and vanishing. She also showed up her version of his block off rope routine.

Craig Colombel showed part of a routine he is working on and got some suggestions and help with the routine.

Come to a meeting a talk, see magic and show off your magic.

Remember, to visit the club's website, <u>http://www.nwringoffire.com</u> and also visit the clubs Facebook page: <u>https://www.facebook.com/pages/Northwest-Ring-of-Fire/4296167377105973</u>

President's Message

Evan Shuster June, 2019

I think back to a year ago, today. I was already deep into the planning and coordination of the 3 of Clubs convention. Costs were mounting, and I was in serious fear that I would end up bankrupting this club of ours.

Flash forward to October, and I think that we can proudly state that it was one of the very best of any of the 3 of Clubs, ever. It all went off without any major missteps, and left us with a little extra cash in the bank to help support the continuation of the lecture series.

With that said, we are already about to enjoy the third lecture of the season (time flies). I hope that you will join us at 2:00 pm, on Saturday, June 22nd, as The Can-Am Conjuring Lecture Series welcomes Marcus Eddie to Shawn O'Donnell's.

We will then take a lecture break for the summer, and return in September with Jonathan Levit. We close the current season in November with Mark Strivings. Still plenty of great talent coming our way!

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June's club meeting will be at the Shoreline Library 345 NE 175th St, Shoreline, WA 98155 June 13th at 7:00pm.

July and August meetings will be back at the Kenmore Library.

IMPORTANT!!!

I am still hoping to hear from some of our members who are interested in taking a larger role in the club. Candidates should be identified by the time of our July meeting, 60+ days prior to the date of the annual election, at the first regular meeting in September.

It would be nice to have you all thinking about what you would like your role in the club to be over the next year or two. If you have good attendance and think you might like to become an officer (President, perhaps?) now is a great time to let me know. I want to do it by the book, so the more info I collect now, the more successful that pledge will be.

HOLD THE DATE ...

August 6th is the National Night Out Against Crime in Richmond Beach. Once again, we are looking for volunteers to perform walk-around, or simply set up a table and draw yourself a crowd. Ralph will be leading the event for the club, which begins at 6:00 pm. Interested in volunteering? Please let me know, or reach out directly to Ralph. I will be attending Magic LIVE at that time, but for those of you who will be available I encourage you to support the event.

Well... that's about it for this month. I hope to see many of you at the June meeting.

Best regards, Evan <u>http://nwringoffire.com/</u> Haec aut bene aut male cedent "This may, or may not work."

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Magic Shops in the Area

Below is a list of the Magic shops in the Area. None have paid for this listing and if anybody knows of others let me know and I will list them.

Seattle's Market Magic Shop Pikes Place Market 1501 Pike Place #427 Seattle, WA 98101 <u>www.marketmagicshop.com</u> (A store that many know about. In existence for 30 years)

Lakewood Costumes 5932 Lake Grove ST SW Lakewood, WA 98499 http://www.clownshop.com (Mainly Costumes and Clown items, they have a counter where they sell magic)

Dave's Killer Magic Shop

Is Closed

Brian Cook's

WWW.MAGICCRAFTER.COM

FunkyFun Magic Shop- Is Now Twisted Monkey-Magic Shop 1101 Outlet collection Way #1261 Auburn WA 98001 206-859-8363

Magical happenings

Magic Monday! Magic Monday is an hour of magic, conjuring, & prestidigitation which stars magicians from the Northwest region on the second Monday of each month. Location: Ravenna Third Place Books in the Ravenna neighborhood of Seattle. 6504 20th Ave. NE, Seattle, WA. Time: 7-8pm Magic Monday is not only a great place to see local magicians doing what they do best; it is also a great place for YOU to perform. It happens the second Monday of each month. If you are a local magician in the Puget Sound area and would like to perform at the venue, please contact Jim Earnshaw at jim@earnshawmagic.com. You can reserve a spot to perform months in advance and he would be happy to hear from you.

"That's Impossible Presents" (Seattle's Best Magicians)

That's Impossible Presents a Night of Magic, Mystery, and Comedy, with your host: Tim Flynn Magic.

2nd Saturday of Every Month. Hosted at Delancey's on 3rd in Renton. Doors open at 7:45, Stage Show begins at 9pm. Food & Drinks are available. Table-side magic before the show from real magicians!

MARCUS EDDIE LECTURE June 22, 2019 @ 2:00 PM



Growing up overseas as part of an Air Force family, Marcus did not have access to magic shops or clubs. Using a magic set he received as a gift from his parents and the few magic books he could find in the school library, Marcus began teaching himself the craft when he was just 12 years old. Building his illusions from toy boxes, tape and everyday items, Marcus took his childhood passion and turned it into his career.

Today, he is an 8-time, award-winning magician, including his win on the Syfy Channel's magic competition, "Wizard Wars."

He has appeared on "Penn & Teller Fool Us," and is the creator of a large catalog of acclaimed, commercially released creations. Marcus also works as a consultant for magicians worldwide, including David Blaine on his television special, "Beyond Magic."

Marcus Eddie's original magic will leave you stunned, and his lecture will leave you inspired.

Shawn O'Donnell's (lower level) 122 128th St. SE Everett, WA 98208 NWRF Members: \$25 General Admission: \$30