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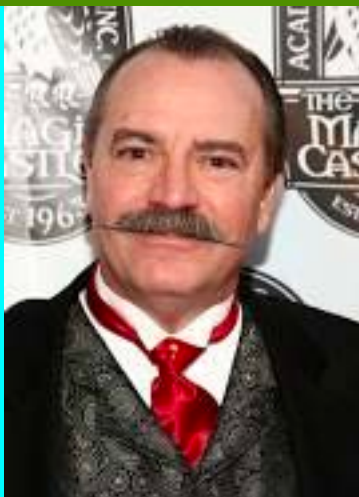
Thursdays' of each month at

7 pm, when not in person click:

[RING 21 ZOOM Meetings](#)



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LECTURE NIGHT

WITH SPECIAL GUEST

POP HAYDN

on

The Magical Character

Thursday, November 2nd 7 p.m. at

Providence St.

Elizabeth Care Center

[10425 Magnolia Blvd, North Hollywood 91601](#)

(Click above for directions from your location using Google Maps)

Remember protocol will include stay home if ill, use facemask upon entering (off in the room is allowed), sign in and temp check.

Winner of seven performing awards from the Academy of Magical Arts and nominated for "Magician of the Year" in Close-Up, Parlor and Stage, Bar and Lecturer more than thirty times, he's also the co-founder (with Chef Anton) of the "School for Scoundrels". **FREE 4 ALL!**

Lots more inside like links to pay ones annual dues as they are soon past due.

See updated info about our December Holiday Party.

Also photos from the banquet.

Upcoming Scheduled* Events

November-Lecture by Pop Haydn with lecture notes and more

Magic Convention by Pacific Coast Association of Magicians

[PCAM 2023, Nov. 9-12, 2023 Carlsbad, CA](#)

December-Holiday Party Catered/Potluck Dinner Free to Perform
Toy donations (\$10 value+) during dinner for the Spark Of Love Charity

January-Performance Night, your favorite effect of 2023

July- [I.B.M. Convention July 10-13, 2024 Tacoma, WA](#)

www.ibnring21.org



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These steps are listed on our Membership Charter,
representing our Goals and Accomplishments.

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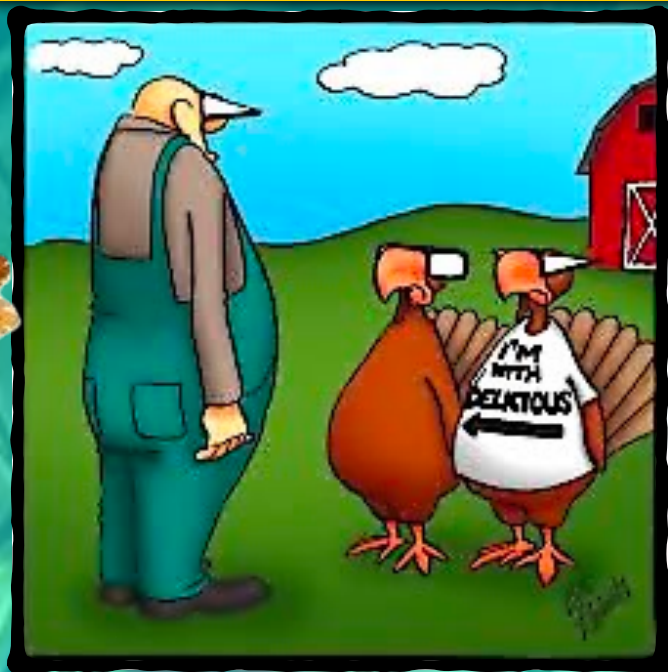
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Gentle Reminder:

Dues DUE

Renewing members or new member dues still only **\$35** per year!

The easiest way to pay is PayPal using the link below.

In the notes/what's this payment for? section of PayPal include the name(s) and if attending the banquet. If you want to mail a check please [click here](#) to email Treasurer

Robert Thomas for address or any questions.

We also accept Venmo, under the name Robert Thomas.

[PayPal](#) and [Venmo](#)



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Members of RING 21 are also members of PCAM which celebrates their 90th anniversary this year at their convention in Carlsbad (40 mins.north of San Diego) September newsletter has full line-up with dates and times [PCAM 2023, Nov. 9-12, 2023](#)



A man called up his adult daughter and told her the bad news: He and his wife were getting a divorce. "But why, dad? What happened?" the daughter asked. "I've been miserable for years and I just can't take it anymore. I've packed my bags and I'm leaving tonight!" the father replied. "Wait, dad! Don't do anything drastic. I'm coming over to talk to you guys. Can you at least wait until tomorrow?" asked the daughter. "OK, why don't you bring John and the kids, too. I'm sure your mom will want to see them," the dad said. "OK," said the daughter. "See you then." The man hung up the phone, then said, "Honey! The kids are coming over for Thanksgiving!"

SEPTEMBER LINKING RING REPORT

BY GERRY SCHILLER

Although lots of Ring 21's traditions took a beating over the last year—for some obvious reasons—one did remain in place: our October Installation Banquet.

And even though we decided to choose a different restaurant, and our originally chosen performer was changed at the last minute, we did maintain many of the yearly traditions,

We were fortunate to have International Vice-President Steven Levine on hand to welcome the group (Steven had been a Ring 21 member just a few years ago) and he read a proclamation from IBM Headquarters recognizing our founding all the way back in the 1930s. Our new local president Wendy Sobel had the charter and there were the names of the founding members—including Hollywood actor Chester Morris and William Larsen (Senior) father of Bill Larsen (Junior) who would become one of the founders of The Magic Castle.

We then proceeded to the installation which was conducted by longtime IBM member John England with our officers Wendy Sobel (President) Bob Weiss (Vice-President, Gerry Schiller (Secretary), Robert Thomas (Treasurer), Louis Lave (Sgt.-at-Arms) and Members at Large: David Martinez, Krikor Guzelian, and John Kowalczyk.

Then it was food time and Miceli's Famous Hollywood cuisine provided us all with some delicious Italian delicacies.

Our performer for the evening was popular Magic Castle magician, Alfonso, who thrilled the crowd with both classic effects like his skillful Linking Ring routine, some elegant silk magic, and a delightful ring and rope routine.

Of course there was a raffle with some special tricks (for the special occasion) .

It was definitely a very special evening so it looks like Ring 21 is back in the groove and the year ahead may promise to be one to definitely remember.

HAPPY
Thanksgiving

MAGIC RESOURCES AND MORE LINKS

OTHER LOCAL RINGS

RING 280 SANTA CLARITA
www.ibmring280.com

RING 313 ORANGE COUNTY
ring313.org

RING 96 LONG BEACH
<https://www.ring96.com/>

OTHER LOCAL MAGIC MEETINGS

SAM 291 WEST LA
www.westsidewizards.org

SAM ASSEMBLY 22. DUARTE
<https://sites.google.com/view/magicsam22/home>

Orange County Magic Club
theocmc.com

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Studio City, CA 91604
Also order online:
www.themagicapple.com

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Magic instruction by Steve Valentine
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MAGIC MONDAY
Santa Monica Playhouse
www.santamonicaplayhouse.com
1211 4th Street Santa Monica

Ivan Imodei's Intimate Illusions
Four Seasons Beverly Wilshire
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Beverly Hills, CA 90212
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(866) 811-4111

The Magic Castle
7001 Franklin Avenue
Hollywood, CA 90028
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(323) 851-3313

PERFORMANCES ONLINE

Lex The Illusionist performs an excellent Anniversary Waltz: <https://youtu.be/PuAwD2PukIE>

Bob Thomas: FUNNY book test with Lex participating:
<https://youtu.be/FQ-w0bOXSS4>

Michael Larkin: Ninja ring Daryl coin routine
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bShYQju5Zqk>
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wyUg-UGhGlw>

Karl Johnson and daughter give a fun performance:
https://youtu.be/mkKwufGLB_Q

Don Kinney: Short hilarious interview at Kingsley Manor.
<https://fpkingsleymanor.oneday.com/Video/E3B7436B42>