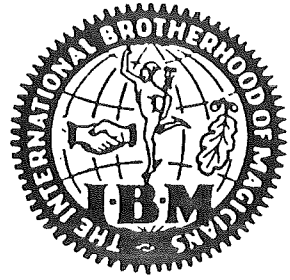


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Notice is hereby given that the next stated meeting of the Delaware Valley Conjurers Club will be held on Monday, November 10, 1986 at 7:30 post meridiem. Following a very brief business meeting, we will be entertained by the lecture of two British fellows from the Magic Circle, J. J. Johnstone and Chris Power. Their lecture is known as a "Laid Back Lecture," and features cards and coins. Some of you may have gotten a taste of their magic at Bob Little's convention this past Sunday, and I'm assured that they will do a lot more at our lecture. It should run about an hour and a half, cost being \$8.00 for non-members, regular monthly dues price to members.

Before the lecture, there will be a few orders of business to take care of: officer nominations, award presentations, and a discussion of changing our regular meeting place. At last month's meeting, those present voted to meet at the Church of the Brethren at Garret & Edmonds in Drexel Hill. Not too many of you were there, and we don't want to railroad this decision down your throats. The advantages of this place is that it is cheaper and available. The Fireside charges us \$25 a night plus \$1.25 per person (for refreshments) and cannot always guarantee us a room. The church wants \$25 a night also, but we'd be on our own for goodies. We have access to a kitchen, so we could provide for ourselves. There is plenty of room there, and one room has a stage. If you have an opinion, come out Monday night and voice it (but not for too long - we have a lecture).

Magic News'n'Notes (courtesy of Stan Allen's INSIDE MAGIC) - Harry Blackstone will be performing at the Tropicana in N.C. November 19th thru December 31st, with Bev Bergeron playing the part of Santa Claus...Siegfried & Roy will be on an episode of "Webster" sometime in November...Circus of the Stars on channel 10 December 9th...David Copperfield at Caesar's December 26th thru the 31st.

News Flash for you bargain hunters: David Roth's Expert Coin Magic, originally sold for \$70, is on sale for \$35 (plus \$3 shipping and handling) from writer/publisher Richard Kaufman. Send your check or money order for \$38 to Richard Kaufman, 409 E. 82nd St., NYC, NY 10028.

Marty and Larry of Philadelphia Magic remind you that the holidays are coming up and to start making a list. Recommended are gift certificates and some new stuff from Steve Duschek.

Here's one for you - Topper Martyn performed 55 tricks in 4 minutes this past August. He's trying to get into the Guinness Book of World Records with that feat. Wonder what he did? And who counted? Does a double-lift count as one trick or two? Sounds like a good theme for one of next year's meetings.

Next Month: December. And with it elections, our annual holiday gift swap, and anything else that might come up.