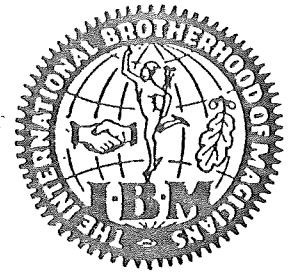


Delaware Valley Conjurers Club

Newsletter



MAY 1991

Notice is hereby given that the next stated meeting of the Delaware Valley Conjurers Club will be held on Monday, May 13, 1991 at 8:00 post meridiem (note new time and see below). This Monday night will be one of our more popular features, that ever-popular TBA night. Those of you new to the club may not know what TBA night is, but come to the meeting and find out how much fun it can be.

It was suggested that we move the meeting time up to 8:00, for several reasons. For one thing, the meetings never start at 7:30 anyway, so why maintain the charade? Also, for those of us with day jobs and families, 7:30 is just a wee bit early to make it on time. Now, this 8:00 start time is just that - 8:00. This does not give you the excuse to come at, say, 8:20 and expect that the meeting has yet to start. Let's try this for a few months, and see how it works out.

Magic News'n'Notes (courtesy of Stan Allen's INSIDE MAGIC) - Magicians Doug & Linda Malloy are appearing in the "Razzle Dazzle" show at the Valley Forge Sheraton through June...Ward Thomas & Co. at Trump's Castle...Levent set to appear at the Tropicana May 27 to June 2.

I know that it's almost the middle of 1991, but I can finally announce the winners of our 1990 competitions. The envelope, please...

1st Place, Close-up.....	James Bodine
2nd Place, Close-up.....	Marc DeSouza
1st Place, Stage.....	Howard Polykoff
2nd Place, Stage.....	Marc DeSouza

The winners are expected to attend Monday's meeting to accept their trophies. Note: There will be a strict enforcement of the 45 second acceptance speech. Penalty for going over - death by card stab.

All right, I suppose if you've read this far it's only fair to you that I explain what TBA night is. TBA stands for To Be Announced, as in Prez Bruley is on vacation, I can't get in touch with him, and I have no idea what the program is for Monday night. What say we all bring a deck of cards, some coins, some rubber bands, and do some magic, or something.

Since it's May, it must be time for one of magic's cherished rites of spring, bashing the latest David Copperfield special. Maybe we can incorporate this into Monday night's meeting, sharing what we liked and disliked about his latest special.

Looking for a different kind of tie for Father's Day? The Geoffrey Beene outlet in Lancaster has a neat tie with playing cards on it for \$30. I know, that's a lot for a tie, but at least there's a chance of your wearing it, as opposed to the paisley pink and green one you got last year.