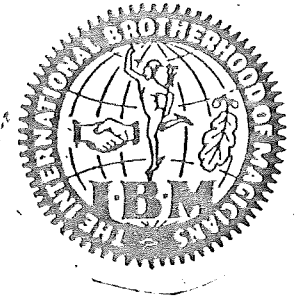


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Notice is hereby given that the next stated meeting of the Delaware Valley Conjurers Club will be held on Monday, November 8, 1993, at 7:30 post meridiem. I hope you've all been diligently practicing, because it's the long-awaited **Night of the Contests**. Yes, once again, the talented members of the DVCC will be vying for the coveted trophies that go with winning the Stage and/or Close-up Contests. The rules are simple: perform and be judged. Time limits for each portion are around 8 minutes, but you won't be penalized for going over unless you do your 45 minute gala stage show. As I go to press, Prez Kelly has rounded up two lay judges with a background in theater and drama, with a third capable judge still possible. If you plan to compete, please call Dave (215.259.5737) and let him know, just so he can attempt to schedule everything. Two more favors - (1) if you can, come early to help set up, and (2) bring some friends - you all know how difficult it is to perform in front of just magicians, and it would be nice to have non-magicians available as "volunteers" (as if they'll have a say in the matter).

Well, I finally sat down for half an hour and figured out how to use the merge feature on my word processor. What does that mean to you, and why should you care? It means that I've finally produced a brand new member directory, which is yours free with a paid up membership. One catch - I ain't mailing these out, so in order to be the first on your block to have one, you'll have to come to a meeting.

This Sunday, November 7, is Bob Little's Super Sunday (Fiesta Motor Inn, Willow Grove, \$17, 10 a.m. to 10 p.m.). Along with Bob's standard WWII music (Bob - move forward a bit - how about some music from the Korean Conflict?), the featured special guest will be Simon Lovell. Also, Joe Donaher, former DVCC member and juggler-without-peer, will be performing in the evening show. AND, there is an unconfirmed rumor that Greg Frewin, one-half of the now defunct Double Vision team and winner of a slew of awards at the summer conventions, might show up (he's in Atlantic City right now at the Showboat in their "Basin Street Follies," and if his schedule permits and he can find the Fiesta, who knows?).

Speaking of Greg Frewin (don't you love the way these newsletters just flow?), the back cover of the October issue of M A G I C is an ad placed by Mr. Frewin extolling his exploits and so forth. This is fine, as I'm sure he's very talented and can afford the full page color ad. But, the publicity photo he's used has him posing with a cane, and it is painfully obvious that the cane is a Fantasio - you can see the lines and everything. If you're going to lay out the big bucks for that kind of publicity, use a real cane, for heaven's sake.

Next Month: December - Family Night Show.