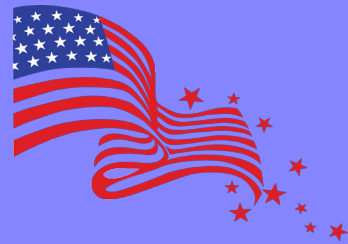


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IBM-SAM COMBINED CONVENTION



After the great success of the 2008 Combined Convention, they are coming back to the beautiful city of Louisville, KY.

The historic Galt House Hotel will be the home for the four day event as well as the Kentucky Center for the Performing Arts as the stage for the night time gala shows.

CALENDAR

JULY

12-15

Galt House Hotel
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SEPTEMBER

September 8
7:00 PM

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**LMC members and guests meet informally for dinner
around 5:30 p.m. on meeting nights.**

**W.W. Cousins when meeting at St Mathews Baptist Church
and Panera Bread when meeting at the Kosair Charities Centre**

My Monthly Musings



Jim Harris, President

We had a great turn out for Stephen Bargatze's lecture. Stephen was unbelievable! What a great talent. If you missed his lecture, you missed one of the better ones this year.

The Combined Convention is next week, and I hope to see some of you there. Our club is in a unique position, as we are sanctioned by both the IBM and SAM. Most clubs are under the umbrella of one or the other. I understand these conventions are expensive, and seem to get more expensive every year. But if there's any way you can participate, come on down. Tickets can be purchased for just the evening shows (Ky Center for the Arts).

We're trying something a little different for It's Magic this year - selling playbill ads. They are \$50 for a 1/8 page ad (includes 2 show tickets) and \$125 for the 1/4 page ad (includes 4 tickets). If you are a performer, please consider purchasing your own personal ad. Also, ask owners and managers of places you go if they would be willing to support the Louisville Magic Club fundraiser. You'll be surprised at how many say yes.

If I don't see you at the convention, I'll see you at the picnic next month.

Jim

LMC WEBSITE

www.lmcmagic.com

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Check out the LMC website for informative links to performers and lecturers.

From the Editor:

I LAUGHED SO HARD I NEARLY



We had a great lecture by Stephen Bargatze. Stephen has always been a friend to the Louisville magic community. Stephen was a performer on our 2005 *It's Magic!* show with Lance Burton and our 2007 *It's Magic!* show with Mac King and the audience loved his humor-

ous magic. It was no different at his lecture. He entertained us with his comedy and skill, told us stories about filling in for Mac King in Vegas, his meeting Bob Escher and shared other moments of his life. We all had a great time and



some attendees laughed so hard, well I was worried they may break something.

This month is the IBM/SAM Combined Convention. I attended my first S.A.M. Convention when it was here in 1986. The convention is a great time to meet your idols in magic as well as be hospitable to all our visitors from out of town and out of country. I'm looking forward to meeting some friends whom I've only talked to or interviewed by telephone and are friends on Facebook with for the first time face-to-face.

Our annual LMC Family Picnic will be in August, followed by our annual fund raiser *It's Magic!* in September. This show helps fund our club. It enables us to keep your dues low and bring in the great lecturers we host each month.

We're doing a program this year and a poster, so help us spread the word. Ad rate sheet is on the back page.

Hopefully I'll see YOU at the convention.

--Michael



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It's Magic! is the annual magic show presented by the Louisville Magic Club. It is a fundraiser that supports club functions throughout the year allowing members to further their craft and provide entertainment for other non-profit organizations in Louisville and the surrounding areas.

This years show is September 8 at the Ursuline Arts Center on Lexington Road. Once again we are printing a program to be distributed at the show, along with posters to be displayed at area businesses.

We are looking for advertisers for the program, corporate sponsors and benefactors.

ADVERTISING RATES:

1/8 Page Ad	\$50.00 (Includes 2 tickets to the show)
1/4 Page Ad	\$125.00 (Includes 4 Tickets to the show)
1/2 Page Ad	\$250. 00 (Includes 6 tickets to the show)
Full Page Ad	\$500.00 (Includes 10 tickets to the show)

To place your ad, or for more information contact Michael Raymer, *It's Magic!* advertising manager by phone or email at: 502-644-7829 or funmagic@iglou.com

Artwork deadline is August 15th