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## UPCOMING EVENTS

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MONDAY, JUNE 10<sup>TH</sup>

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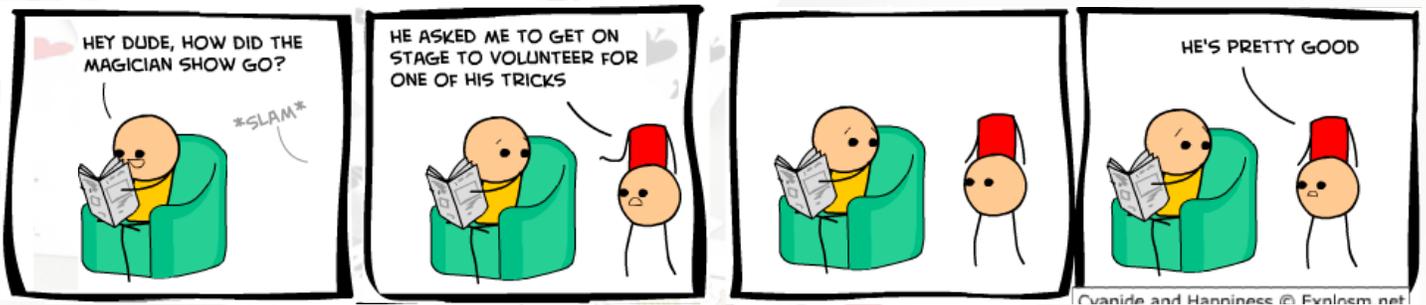
## WISDOM FROM THE INTERNET

### HOW TO READ A MAGIC BOOK

“You may have purchased a magic book in order to learn a certain effect or sleight, so you decide to dive right in and learn that particular thing right away. Try to avoid this when you can, so you can really get the most you can out of a book. Oftentimes, the best stuff is in the Introduction and other parts of the book, aside from the tricks and moves, since they will often provide perspective into where the tricks come from or what the creator’s thought process was. In turn, this information will allow you to better understand the reason certain effects were chosen and what makes them stand out. For example, the introduction may inform you that the book is a collection of clever ideas for the torn and restored card, but that the only one the author thinks is really worthwhile, outside of an academic perspective, is the third method, which works great for lay performances. If you had missed the introduction, you may find yourself having a rough time with the first version and neglecting the rest of the book”. -artofmagic.com

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**LMC MEMBERS AND GUESTS MEET INFORMALLY FOR DINNER  
AROUND 5:30 P.M. ON MEETING NIGHTS.**

## CHALLENGE OF THE MONTH

*START READING A BOOK ABOUT MAGIC.*

Videos are a great resource for learning magic, but sitting down and reading a book can be even more helpful. Not only do books have tricks in them, they are loaded with knowledge on how to perform for people and not just in front of a mirror. Ask other club members if they have a book they would recommend. Between all our members, I’m sure we have a lot of years of magical books!



## OUT OF MY HAT

MICHAEL RAYMER,  
PRESIDENT

April brought us both joy and sadness. We are all sad to lose our founding Louisville Magic Club member and Dean, Sherrell Nunnelley. Sherrell was a good friend and I enjoyed our times reminiscing about the “good old days.” He always amazed me when I visited him and he would pull out a trick that he hadn’t done in 20 years – only to remember exactly how to do it, what to say, and flawlessly perform it. He would often remind me of that first time I performed for the club, “you hid behind your suitcase and we couldn’t see a thing” he would say. I remember one time when I performed in the It’s Magic Show and Sherrell told me “You’ve really come a long way, I’m really proud of you.” That really meant a lot to me. He was always so proud of our club and so supportive of young magicians. He hated it when his health prevented him from coming. Although he couldn’t see and had trouble hearing he said just being in the room of magicians was what made it so enjoyable. We will miss our dear friend.

I had the privilege of spending a lot of time with our lecturer, Bernardo Sedlacek. First on Saturday with Cody Clark, where we sat for over 3 hours performing card magic at O’Charley’s then on Sunday with Bret Sohl, Cody, Michele and Kim McCastle where we spent another almost 4 hours and shut down Chili’s. Each time Bernardo was charming and amazing. I thought his lecture was excellent and while it may not have been for some, the guy is just so charming and has such great technique you can’t help but like him. I met him for lunch again on Tuesday after he had checked out of his hotel and before I went to Sherrell’s broken wand ceremony. He fooled me 4 times with the same trick – using different methods. It was a pleasure to get to know him and spend the time jamming with such a talented magician.

We have a variety of lecturers coming up and there will be something for everyone in the next few months. We are also planning on a field trip to see the magic collection of Rodger Lovins in Somerset, KY. This will be on a Saturday in May and we will carpool down.

If you’d like to put an ad in the It’s Magic show program please contact Dennis Alm for details – this year’s show will be amazing!

## FROM THE EDITOR

MATTHEW SOHL,  
EDITOR



Although I did not get the privilege to ever sit down and talk with Sherrell, I am a witness to the wonderful community that he created so many years ago. Take some time this month and spread some magic in his memory. Perform a trick for someone who needs a smile in their life.

Last month, we hosted Bernardo Sedlacek and as Michael said above, he was fantastic. He fooled me with multiple tricks (although, not hard to do) even before the meeting started. I hope to meet him again in the future. Hopefully, we will see you at the next meeting! Until then, keep practicing, and don’t lose the magic! Was your card the King of Hearts?

## LAST MEETING



PHOTOS TAKEN BY BRET SOHL

## 2019 MEMBERSHIP DUES

ANNUAL DUES ARE DUE BY EACH JANUARY 1ST.

MAGICIANS .....	\$45.00
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JUNIORS (17 YEARS & UNDER) .....	\$20.00

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