



NOVEMBER 2013

President's Corner

Hello AAMC Members & Friends,

Our December meeting is coming up fast. It will be on Wednesday, Dec. 11th, at the Denny's Restaurant in Plymouth. The theme for the evening will be Christmas Magic / Gospel Magic. Denny's is located at 39550 Ann Arbor Rd. in Plymouth. It is just East off of I-275 at the Ann Arbor Road exit. Plan to arrive as early as 6 pm and our brief meeting will begin at 7 pm.

Our meeting last month was held at a different Denny's and was a fun meeting with card forces and card reveals as our topic. Several methods were shown and shared by those in attendance. On behalf of the Ann Arbor Magic Club, I would like to thank the Denny's in Ann Arbor for hosting our meeting.

The nominations for our club officers was presented by the board at the November meeting. As per our By Laws, the names of the candidates will be published in the Magic Messenger until our elections in February. We have a few new names of members who have stepped up and expressed an interest in serving our club in 2014. Only one member, Bill Brang, approached me after the October meeting and asked to be considered for the office of President. And apparently Marvin Mathena asked to be placed on the ballot as well for the same office. It should prove to be an interesting election.

The nominations for club officers are.....

President - Bill Brang - Marvin Mathena
Vice Pres - Scott Kindshey
Treasurer - Bob Goodwin
Secretary - Jim Folkl
Sgt of Arms - Bob waite

The officers will be sworn in at our club banquet in February. We are looking at the date of Feb. 22nd, 2014. That date is a Saturday. Please check your calendars to see if there are any conflicts.

[Dan Jones](#)



Secretaries Report 11/13/2013

I hope everyone had a nice Thanksgiving and a good meeting in November, (I didn't make it to this one).

I'll be at the December meeting, we'll be doing Christmas/Gospel Magic at the Denny's in Plymouth, I'm sure it will be great!

New Business

1. Dec 11th - Christmas Magic / Gospel Magic - Denny's in Plymouth
2. Jan. 8th - Teach a trick / Trick recovery / Member feedback
3. Feb. 12th - Rope Magic
4. Mar. 12th - "M" is for Mentalism
5. Apr. 9th - Silk Magic

[Randy A. Smith](#)

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Newsletter

We need your contributions. Please do me a favor and send me whatever you can that relates to magic so we can share with all the members. Send all items to randy.remarkable@gmail.com

The Website

Our website address is <http://www.aamagic.org/>

(e-mail Randy or Jeff if you need the password, no user name needed now).

We still need your material to share with the club. Stories, tricks, reviews of tricks; books etc. The sky is the limit so long as it is not copyrighted material. So get your stuff into me and let's make this the best site of any club out there. Send all items to jswalters@wowway.com

Comic Magic:

Mac King's Magic in a Minute

ROPE-A-PLENTY

HERE'S A GREAT LITTLE ROPE TRICK THAT NEVER FAILS TO STRING AN AUDIENCE ALONG. FIRST, HOLD UP A FOOT-LONG PIECE OF ROPE AND SAY THE FOLLOWING SUPER-MAGICAL WORD: **AB-ROPE-CADAB-ROPE!**

THEN PULL ON THE TOP OF THE ROPE. AMAZINGLY, THE ROPE STRETCHES TO TWICE ITS LENGTH RIGHT BEFORE YOUR AUDIENCE'S EYES. WOW, THAT'S ONE POWERFUL MAGIC WORD! BUT WAIT, THERE'S MORE!

HAND THE TOP END OF THE ROPE TO AN AUDIENCE MEMBER AND TELL HIM TO PULL ON IT. UNBELIEVABLY, THE ROPE KEEPS COMING AND COMING. NOW IT'S 6 FEET LONG! EVEN IF YOU HAD A LITTLE EXTRA ROPE HIDDEN IN YOUR HAND, YOU COULDN'T HAVE HAD THAT MUCH! NOPE, IT MUST BE THE SUPER-MAGICAL WORD!

EGADS!

Howdy Doit?

WHILE A MAGICAL WORD LIKE "AB-ROPE-CADAB-ROPE" IS FUN TO SAY, IT WON'T ACTUALLY MAKE ROPE GROW. BEFORE YOU PERFORM THIS TRICK, YOU'LL HAVE TO MAKE SURE THAT YOU ARE WEARING A LONG-SLEEVE SHIRT OR JACKET. THEN, RUN THE ROPE ENDS THROUGH YOUR SLEEVE AND OUT TO YOUR HAND PUT THE EXTRA ROPE IN YOUR SHIRT POCKET. WITH YOUR HAND CLOSED IT WILL APPEAR THAT YOU HAVE ONLY A FOOT-LONG PIECE OF ROPE.

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