



# MAGIC MESSENGER

The Official Newsletter of the Ann Arbor Magic Club / S.A.M 88 / I.B.M. 210

**May 2012**

## **President's Corner**

Hello All,

I'm looking forward to seeing all of our members at our meeting/lecture on June 13th. This dual lecture by Ben Train and Chris Mayhew should be great and filled with something for everyone. It is entitled "Playing with Your Pack" but don't be fooled as it involves more than just cards. Let's all encourage our members to attend and maybe reach out to those that we haven't seen in a while. This will be our last official meeting until September and we have just a few items of business to discuss. We want to keep the meeting short so that we have plenty of time for the lecture.

Check your calendars to see if you are available for the 4th of July parade in Ann Arbor. We have an interest and need to confirm who is going. The parade is on Wednesday, July 4th starting at 10a.m. in downtown Ann Arbor. It sounds like we will have a lot of fun.

That's all for now; I'll see you all on the 13th at 7p.m. at the church.

Magically Yours,

[Dan Jones](#)

## **Secretaries Report 5/9/2012**

In our May meeting the members performed Impromptu Magic!

Marvin Mathena brought in a box of "everyday" items that we could look through, like pencils, dice, strings, ropes, etc. Plus some of the members brought their own everyday items or what they normally carry around with them, to perform with.

See everyone at the next meeting, June 13<sup>th</sup>, for the lecture by Ben and Chris, it should be

hilarious, from what I've seen on their website!

## **If You forgot it's Past time for Dues**

Membership dues are due by Banquet day (March 25, 2012).

You can't pay online any more.

You can pay at the meeting or call Marvin Mathena, Treasurer, at 734-482-9523

(Marvin has membership cards for those of you that are paying late).

## **New Business**

1. June 13<sup>th</sup>- Lecture, Ben Train and Chris Mayhew
2. July 4<sup>th</sup>- Ann Arbor Parade- Sign up at the June 13<sup>th</sup> meeting!
3. July 21<sup>st</sup>- Anti-Business Meeting, hamburgers, hotdogs and whatever dishes, (we bring to pass). At Jim Placido's house this year, 1:00pm
4. August 12<sup>th</sup>- Corn Roast, at the Faith Lutheran Church, 1:00pm

Bill Brang motioned to close, Jack Hartley second it, and it was passed by the membership.  
Meeting closed 7:30 pm.

[Randy A. Smith](#)

## **Board Members**

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## **Newsletter**

We need your contributions. Please do me a favor and send me what ever you can that relates to magic so we can share with all the members. Send all items to [randy.remarkable@gmail.com](mailto: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 [jjswalters@wowway.com](mailto:jjswalters@wowway.com)

### **Magic in Comics:**

