



# The Magic Circular

## MARCH MEETING

### 3rd Monday of the Month

Next meeting 20<sup>TH</sup> April at **THE MAGIC ZONE.**

25 Michellan Court, Bayswater. Melway Map 64 A4.

#### Presidents Report:

What a great meeting last month with the Close Up competition showing the skills of 7 of our members. I am sure everyone was impressed with the effort they went to as they all looked great and had obviously rehearsed their acts to engage the audience. Congratulations to Daniel Wood on winning on the night but it was a very close competition with all performers impressing the judges on specific parts of their act.

This month we have Cath Jamison as our guest lecturer who will focus on how to improve your presentation and performance which of course ensures the audience is entertained as well as being amazed.

In the coming months John Cairns will run the **Librarian Competition:** John will give details at April meeting regarding the rules and date.

Work commitments won't allow me to come to next 2-3 meetings so Cassandra will host this April meeting. I am sure everyone will give her lots of support and help with the raffle and dishes. ☺ Have fun!!

Roger Watson  
President

# Ron Kreyts Close Up Competition 2015



President Roger Watson hosted the close up competition.



There were 7 Competitors in the competition (top left to right) Richard Wibberley, Felix Lee, Benjamin Hermans, (bottom left to right) John Cairns, George Kechichian, Joseph Semerjian and Daniel Wood.



President Roger Watson with 1st place winner Daniel Wood.



2nd was Felix Lee.



This page of the newsletter has been compiled by Graeme McKenzie.



Graham Etherington had magic for sale at the last month meeting. Check out his website [www.mrtricks.com.au](http://www.mrtricks.com.au) there might be something to suit you.

All Photos by Graeme McKenzie.

## Member Profile this month is on Dave Kaffey

### What got you interested in magic and how long have you been performing?

I first got interested in magic at school as I had a teacher who was a good magician. He would never reveal his secrets. That led me on the fatal road to magic I had to know how it was done!! In no time I was hooked.

### 2. How would you describe your style of magic and how often do you perform?

I like to describe myself as a comedy magician. I use Magic as a bait for comedy, trying to find laughs in what I do. I perform on average about twice to three times a week.

### 3. Who has been your greatest influence?

My greatest influence in magic has been Professor Hoffman. I found his books inspirational.

### 4. Any advice for other magicians?

My only advice that I can offer is to practice. Although all the practice in the world won't confirm how good or bad a trick it is. You won't know until it has been performed in front of an audience.

### 5. Do you have any other hobbies or interests?

Yes! I do love the footy. GO DEES!

### 6. What is your day time job?

I work in sales part time.

## Our monthly Raffle

If you have any new items you wish to donate for our monthly raffle please bring them along.

## Magic on the net

Each month Dave & Craig from the "Wizard Product review" discuss and rate new magic products from all over the globe. This is a fantastic site for the new & upcoming magicians. Not only will it give you ideas but it will assist you with your direction in magic. Go to youtube and search wizard product review. Displayed will also be all their previous months.

## Magic on TV

If you know of a series or show coming up please let us know so we can include it here.

## Free Public shows

If you have a show coming up that you would like to advertise here, please let the editor know.

## Something on your mind?

The MCV newsletter is always interested in getting new stories and articles to publish. If anyone wants anything put in the newsletter, please feel free to email it to the editor and we will find a special spot, just for you.

This newsletter has been compiled by Gary Johnson. Photos by Graeme McKenzie.

## 2014 - 2015 Committee.

<i>President:</i>	Roger Watson	0498-890-000
<i>Vice President:</i>	Brenton Foale	0457-447-333
<i>Treasurer:</i>	Cassandra Hermans	0402-121-381
<i>Secretary:</i>	George Kechichian	0421-370-523
<i>(Inner Guard):</i>	Graeme McKenzie	0438-222-155
<i>Librarian:</i>	John Cairns	0423-155-102

## Committee:

Alan Slogget, Craig Charkisky, Dave Kaffey, Felix Lee, Gary Cohen.

Website Master: Felix Lee

Mailing Address: Cassandra Hermans 25 Rankin Road Boronia Victoria 3155

Editor: Gary Johnson News Ideas Welcomed

[mcvnews@hotmail.com](mailto:mcvnews@hotmail.com)



**Members, please support Richard Wibberley at The Magic Zone**  
The Magic Zone  
25 Michellan Crt Bayswater Vic 3153 Phone 9729 8918.  
[www.themagiczone.com.au](http://www.themagiczone.com.au) for the calendar of future events.

