



The Magic Circular

AUGUST MEETING

3rd Monday of the Month

Next meeting 21ST September at **THE MAGIC ZONE.**
25 Michellan Court, Bayswater. Melway Map 64 A4.

President's Report:

What another great meeting it was in August with our Guest Lecturer Cath Jamison giving us lots of laughs and great advice from a professional magician who has done it all. Cath was assisted beautifully by Craig Charkisky who played the straight man with great skill.

September 21st: I will do a session on “Selling your Show” and discussing how you set yourself apart from other “entertainment” options your clients have. I will take you through a sales process I wrote 15 years ago that hopefully will give you some ideas to help add value to your business. The process works for any type of business so let me know on the night if you would like me to use your business as an example on the night. I suggested last meeting that Harmony would be great if everyone could present their “opening effect”. This is the effect you use to let the audience know the magic is about to happen. Let us know why you use the effect and what reactions you get from the audience.

October 19th: Barry Govan will be our guest lecturer and is a very experienced close up magician who most of you already know. Bring your cash as Barry has just released another book with tricks that don't require too much sleight of hand.

The committee will be meeting prior to the start of the meeting so I will share our ideas for the coming months and be looking for ideas from all members to keep fun in our nights.

I hope to see you at the September meeting.

Roger Watson
President
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Last month Laurie Kelly was made a Honorary member, here is Laurie accepting his award from President Roger Watson.



President Roger Watson with new member Joe Kerlin.

HARMONY



Don Jones was the host for last month's Harmony.



Harmony had 7 competitors last month, (From Left to Right) Joe Kerlin, Richard Wibberley, Scott Smith, Roger Watson, John Cairns, George Kechichian and Felix Lee.



1st place winner Joe Kerlin.



2nd Roger Watson.



3rd Felix Lee.



Special Guest Lecturer last month was Cath Jamison.



Cath Jamison with President Roger Watson after her great show and lecture. If you were not there you missed a great night.





Librarian Report

At the last meeting I asked for suggestions of what books or DVDs you wanted the club to buy. I am repeating that here for the benefit of those who weren't at the meeting. We have bought a cupboard to house some of the library downstairs so I need to know which books you want easily available. The list of what is in the library is on the website. We have some great old, and in some cases, valuable books with a huge number of tricks. The DVD collection list is available by requesting it.

email me: johncairns99@yahoo.com

Speaking of DVDs I see there are still a few out for at least 2 months. Please return them in September (or at least give me a call if you can't make it)

For those who want to check out what magic tricks or DVDs are available and to get reviews I recommend that you check out

['mylovelyassistant.com'](http://mylovelyassistant.com)

I will see you all in September.

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.

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