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Meeting Location

We meet at Divine Magic and Novelties the 2nd Weds. of each month, 5409 Lakeside Avenue, Richmond, VA 23228, @ 7:00.

April Theme

The theme for the month of April is "Fire Magic". No explanation is really needed for this particular theme! Just keep it safe!

Upcoming Lectures

On May 5, 2011 Tim Sonfelt, "The Amazing Humorist", will be lecturing for us. More information coming soon!

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Mark your calendar for June 18th, this is the date for the "Colombini Farewell Tour". As the title of the lecture indicates, this will be their final tour, they will no longer be lecturing. Don't miss the opportunity to see them perform, it won't happen again and this is said to be a very exciting lecture worth seeing by all types of magicians! There will be something for everyone, no matter what your level of magic, from beginner to professional.

What You Missed In March

Thank you Watt Hyer, Joe and Amy Duck, Donovan Phillips, Harry Gallant and Bill Baber for performing at Art 6 for First Friday on March 4th. The evening was full of laughter and enjoyment as the performers wowed the crowds once again.





Harry Gallant



Joe Duck, Watt Hyer, Bill Baber and his guest



Amy Duck and Watt Hyer



Donovan Phillips and Amy Duck



Donovan Phillips



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From the Barry Mitchell Lecture: Michael Douglas, Barry Mitchell, Mike Dupree, Watt Hyer Larry Rohr, Steve Fuller and Randy Earley



Watt Hyer shares a torn and restored bill effect



Ron Occhiuto taught how to decapitate a match and have it still light up



Linda Barrett did a mentalism effect where she was able to determine how many cards were moved by a spectator

Club Meeting on “Impromptu Magic”



Larry Rohr, with Randy Earley as his assistant, performs a card trick using a "key card"



Donovan Phillips, with the help of Watt Hyer, performed a finger ring manipulation



Bill Baber performs "Confusing George" by Stevens Magic Emporium

(Not pictured) Elmer Deffenbaugh showed how to make a dime vanish and re-appear. Eric Jones shared Dean Dill's bare handed matrix using four small borrowed objects. He also shared three vanishes that are detailed in J.B. BoBo's Modern Coin Magic. Hun Woo performed an effect where a spectator's selected card is dropped between the pages of a magazine where it magically transforms into a butterfly. March "Impromptu" photos by Donna Woo, notes by Michael Douglas.