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NEXT NMA MEETING

August 11, 2011

The NMA's next meeting will be on:

THURSDAY, August 11, 2011

at the Germania Schwaben Club, 416 Horace Street
Bridgeport, CT, at 7:30 pm. Try to bring a new guest to
our club so that we can increase our membership. Come
learn and share the magic!

**Please do not forget to sign in at the Schwaben Hall's
book downstairs!**

NMA DUES For 2011

Send checks payable to NMA to:

**Andy Charney
126 Harrison Drive
Hamden, CT 06514**

Check out the NMA WEBSITE

Visit: www.newmagiciansassociation.com

For the next meeting!

Bring an effect to perform....

Bring a friend to the meeting....

Share something you are working on

Learn something new from another member

Exchange an idea for a trick ...

The possibilities are endless ...

**PLEASE DON'T FORGET TO BRING BACK THE
DVD'S THAT YOU BORROWED FROM THE NMA'S
VIDEO LIBRARY.**

President's Corner

Greetings NMA members.

The NMA just had the annual picnic this past weekend and it seemed everyone who attended enjoyed it. Thank you to Nelson and his wife Carole, who hosted the picnic and thank you to everyone who helped out with the preparation. An additional thank you to those who performed and entertained the crowd. We also lucked out on some nice weather!

Some of you may remember the snow storm on January 7 of this year. For those who may not remember, it was the night we had Tony Clark booked to lecture. The lecture never took place, but we are confirming plans for his return lecture in October. Details to come at the meeting.

And a Happy 100 year Birthday to magician John Calvert on August 5, 2011! Calvert, known not only as a magician, broke into films making \$600 a day as a hand-double for Clark Gable in "Honky Tonk" (1941). Scenes required Gable's hands to do some clever, tricky maneuvering, which Gable couldn't pull off.

On a sad note, one of our members, William E. Andrews, affectionately known to us as "Bill," passed away on Sunday, July 17, 2011. Not only was he a member of the NMA, but a Past National President of the Society of American Magicians and a driving force behind the creation of the Society of Young Magicians. He will be greatly missed.

Tony Spero,
NMA President

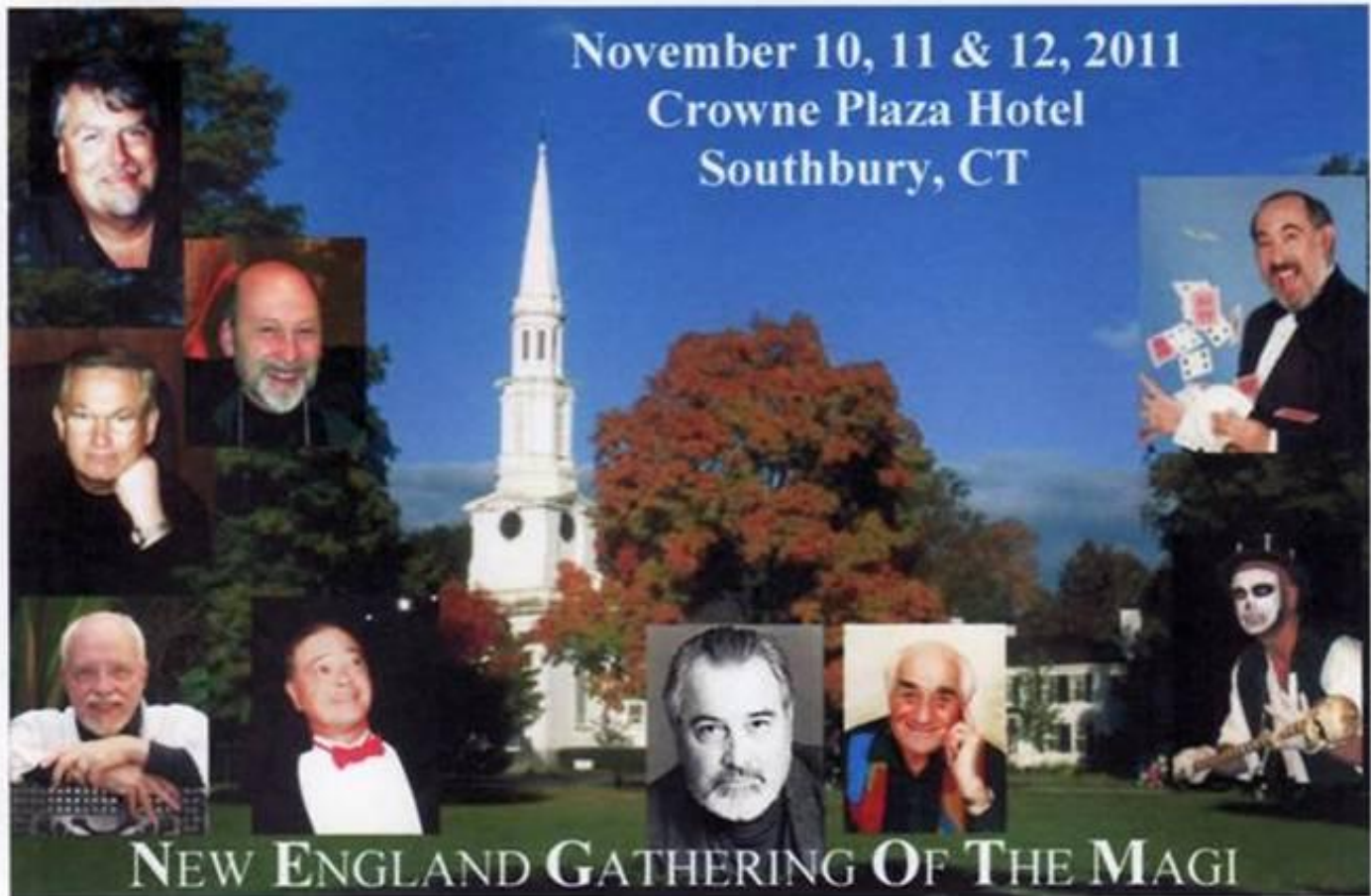
Joe Cabral Presents...

New England Gathering of the Magi

Crowne Plaza Hotel & Resorts
1284 Strongtown Road, Southbury CT

November 10, 11, 12, 2011

Dealers close-up show* Lectures* Works in Progress Session* Evening Dinner Show
And lots of late night weirdness*



Featuring:

**Craig Dickson ~ Henry Holava ~ Dr. Mombo ~ Charles Pecor ~ Charlie Hayden
Walt Anthony ~ Marc DeSouza**

The New England Gathering of the Magi is a place where magicians who care about the art form come together to discuss more than tricks. They talk about the theory, theatricality, and expression of magic in a creative and inspirational environment. Whether someone is a professional or "hobbyist", the NEGM is for everyone who truly loves magic and wants to see it brought to a level beyond "puzzles".

To register visit <http://www.icbmmagick.com/events.php>

For special \$99 hotel rate go to: <http://events.ichotelsgroup.com/DPRD-85RQCV/HVNSB/website/>

In Memory of

BILL ANDREWS
Past National President
Society of American Magicians



September 18, 1919 ~ July 17, 2011

The magic world has lost not just another great member, but also a champion of the youth in magic in the person of William Andrews. He was instrumental in the creation of the S.Y.M. (Society of Young Magicians) and was not just an advocate for the youth in magic, but also their champion. Bill served as mentor to many of those who are household names of magic today. His is a loss that will be felt deeply for many years to come. RIP Bill Andrews, you will live forever in the hearts of those of us who were fortunate enough to know you.

Received from PNP Maria Ibanez. 7/21/11

MAGIC IN THE AREA

MAGIC ON TV - For the latest daily update on Magic on TV, please check this website:

<http://www.tvmagicguide.com/>

Weekly Magic Show in Manhattan -- Manhattan Magic Show -- <http://www.manhattanmagicshow.com/>

STEVE COHEN'S CHAMBER MAGIC is held most Friday and Saturday nights at 7 and 9 PM, Waldorf Astoria, NYC. YEAR ROUND. <http://www.chambermagic.com> The intimate setting in a beautiful, private suite in The Waldorf Towers combined with the cocktail attire in which guests are encouraged to dress makes the performance feel like a trip back in time to old time Manhattan in the early 20th century.

Saturdays at 6:00 PM - Simon Lovell's Strange and Unusual Hobbies - Sleight of Hand expert and con-man Simon Lovell will go through his wild and hilarious hobbies as he reveals his most famous tips and tricks. Huron Club at the Soho Playhouse, 15 Vandam Street, NY (right opposite the E train Vandam exit at Spring Street!) Call (212) 691-1555 for tickets!

Tickets are \$30.00. Must be 21 to enter. 18+ contains graphic language not appropriate for children

Monday Night Magic, New York's longest running magic show happens every Monday Night (hence the name). **80 Saint Marks Place New York, NY 10003 (The theatre is on East 8th Street between 1st and 2nd Avenue) 24 hr. Hotline: (212) 615-6432.** For show information, info on dining discounts or parking info, visit their website at www.mondaynightmagic.com

On The Web

Bryan Lizotte, has a web site which lists Connecticut magicians and balloon artist who perform at area restaurants. Check it out at: www.ctrestaurantentertainers.com

Matias Letelier discusses Magic Theory, Kids Magic, Books he's reading and more on his blog. The link is <http://www.magicianmatias.com/EN/blog.html>

Conventions

October 2, 2011 – Metro Magic – Bob Solari, Bill Wisch and Carl Bajor present lectures and performances by **Lennart Green, Wayne Houchin and Dan Fleshmann**- Quality Inn – 10 Pollito Ave., Lyndhurst, New Jersey

For more information visit: METRO-MAGIC.com Contact Bob Solari: 973-246-5207.

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