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HASTINGS · 1974

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**From the President**  
**ALFRED GABREL, Esq.**



It gives me the greatest possible pleasure to welcome you all to our 38th Annual Convention with an **extra special welcome** to our Overseas Visitors, and we are truly grateful that you have all taken the trouble to be with us.

I am particularly delighted that the culminating event of my wonderful year of office should be here at Hastings, as we have always had previous delightful conventions at this enchanting seaside resort, the success of which has been partly due to the generous hospitality, help and kind co-operation that we have had from the Corporation and its executives.

Your Convention Committee have arranged a packed programme of events for your enjoyment, which I know full well, will be to the satisfaction of you all.

Your Committee, my wife and myself wish you all, dear friends, a most wonderful magical convention and I trust that you will . . .

*Forget your troubles, be they light or tragic,  
And really enjoy five days of magic.*



**From International President  
CHARLES LANTZ**



On behalf of myself, the other officers and the Executive Committee of the International Brotherhood of Magicians, I extend greetings and best wishes to all who are attending the British Ring Convention.

We recognise and appreciate the contributions that the British members have made and are making to the International organisation and to the progress of the art of magic. It is through the efforts of our many individual members that magic and the International Brotherhood of Magicians continue to flourish.

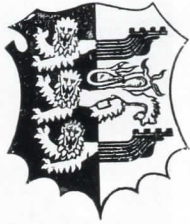
Please accept my sincere wishes for your continued success.

Sincerely,

**CHARLES LANTZ**

International President,  
International Brotherhood of Magicians.





PRIMUS INTER PARES

**From the Mayor  
of Hastings  
H. FUNNELL, Esq.**



Mayor's Parlour,  
Town Hall,  
Hastings.

The International Brotherhood of Magicians' Conference has established a close link with Hastings over the years, and it is with great pleasure that I welcome the Conference and its delegates back for their 38th Annual Convention this year.

We in Hastings, like to think that we are most hospitable and I am sure you will find that this is the case during your stay in the town. I know your agenda, as on previous occasions, is a full one, but I, nevertheless, hope each of you will have an opportunity to explore both the town and the surrounding area, for it surely must be one of the most delightful parts of Sussex.

I look forward to meeting many of you personally during your stay.

H. FUNNELL,  
Mayor.

# CONVENTION COMMITTEE



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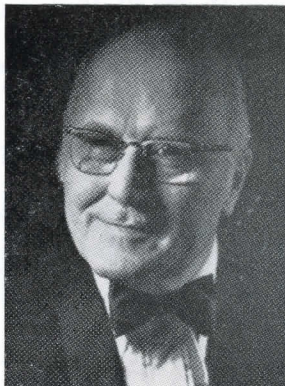
PETER WARLOCK



# We welcome our overseas visitors

*with a special greeting  
for* **LEN VINTUS**

from Canada. Founder  
with a number 1 card and  
first President of the  
I.B.M.



## **AUSTRALIA**

Alfred Hayes  
Kevin Robinson

## **BELGIUM**

Klingsor  
Jackie Lorenzo  
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## **CANADA**

Bruce Posgate  
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## **CZECHOSLOVAKIA**

Pavel

## **DENMARK**

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Rev. J. M. Dunn  
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## **SWEDEN**

Marc Wogau

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## **NIGERIA**

R. Hill  
Professor Peller

## **SINGAPORE**

Tan Choon Tee

### **IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR OVERSEAS VISITORS**

The Mayor and Mayoress of Hastings invite you all to attend a Cocktail Party at the Council Chambers, Town Hall, on the morning of Saturday, September the 28th, at 11 a.m.

Wednesday 25th September

In the Ballroom, Queens Hotel

# SECOND MAGIC COLLECTORS' SEMINAR

at 4.30 pm

*Chairman:* Dr. EDDIE DAWES

Chairman's Introduction

JOHN PALFREYMAN	on "Conradi and Collins"
ALEXANDER ADRION	on "Prints and Engravings of Magical Interest"
STANLEY THOMAS	on "Recollections of Signor Gambliano"
JOHN YOUNG	on "Illusions of the Maskelynes"

Wednesday 25th September

On the Beach

about 11.30 a.m.

## THE HUMAN BONFIRE

HANDCUFFED AND CHAINED AND THEN INCARCERATED INSIDE A PADLOCKED AND NAILED PACKING CASE, **ERIC WARD** WILL ATTEMPT TO ESCAPE AFTER A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE WORLD PRESS HAS SET THE CASE ALIGHT.

CAN **ERIC WARD** GET FREE FROM ALL RESTRAINT BEFORE HE IS EITHER ASPHYXIATED OR BURNT ALIVE?



Wednesday 25th September at 2.30 p.m. in the White Rock Pavilion

## OFFICIAL OPENING

INTERNATIONAL BROTHERHOOD OF MAGICIANS  
(British Ring No. 25)

# 38th ANNUAL CONVENTION

by our President ALFRED GABRIEL, Esq.

followed at 2.45 by

# MAGIC INTERNATIONAL

with . . .



AD KLEIN

DERESKI (Ireland)

ROY KISELL (U.S.A.)

JACKIE LORENZO (Belgium)

AD KLEIN (Holland)

ARMANDI (Holland)

The Card Expert

PETER PRESTI (Holland)

The Magic Organ Grinder



ROY KISELL

Your compere will be ALI BONGO  
TV's "ALASTAIR" of the "DAVID NIXON SHOW"

*Music by:* KEITH HURFORD and BERNARD McGOVERN

*Stage Direction:* PAUL GRAHAM

Wednesday 25th September — 8 p.m. to 12.30 p.m. in the White Rock

# *Civic Reception* *Ball and Cabaret*

by

The Right Worshipful The Mayor of Hastings  
Councillor Horace Funnell  
and The Mayoress

With kind permission of the Mayor and Mayoress  
our Overseas Visitors will be introduced.

DANCING TO THE MUSIC OF  
**GORDON RIDER AND HIS ORCHESTRA**

## *Cabaret*

Compered by **JOHN WADE**  
The International Compere

**ROY VAN DYKE**

**GORDON AND EVE**  
(Germany)

“MAGIC JEWELS”

“THE GAYTIMERS”



JOHN WADE

EVENING DRESS



## **TOMBOLA STAND** **HELENE STRACHAN & LILIAN LEES**

Look forward to meeting you all at the Tombola Stand. Please come along and give us your support. All the proceeds are for our BENEVOLENT FUND.

We would like to take this opportunity of thanking all the Members who have given Gifts and help in any way, and it is so encouraging to be able to count on so many generous friends.

Yours sincerely,

HELENE and LILIAN



# DEALERS MAGICAL TRADE FAIR

Organised by  
**EDDIE DEXTER**

Assisted by  
**JOHNNY NEPTUNE**

**LOWER GROUND FLOOR OF THE WHITE ROCK PAVILION  
AND THE REFRESHMENT ROOM, PIER**

In Alphabetical Order

Anverdi	Ken Brooke
Davenport	Roy Baker
David Hemingway	Hamilton Kaye
Jack Hughes	Kovari
Micky Hades	Magitrix
International Magic Co.	Oscar Oswald
Luna Magic	Playtime Balloons
Murray	Repro 71
Practical Magic	Roy Roth
Pavel	Terry and Norma
Supreme Magic Co.	
Miss Terry Magic Studio	
Alan Warner	

**SEE THE GREATEST — WITH THE LATEST**

Times of opening and closing of the Exhibition —

<b>Wednesday</b>	.....	.....	<b>9.30 am - 7.30 pm</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	.....	.....	<b>12.00 pm - 6.30 pm</b>
<b>Friday</b>	.....	.....	<b>11.30 pm - 6.30 pm</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	.....	.....	<b>9.30 pm - 6.30 pm</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	.....	.....	<b>9.00 am - 12 noon</b>

**THE CRAIG TROPHY** (Present Holders — LUNA MAGIC CO.). This will be awarded to the dealer presenting the most attractive display at the exhibition. The adjudication will take place on Wednesday at 5.00 p.m.

*Adjudicator:* Mr. BULL, DISPLAY MANAGER,  
DEBENHAMS LTD., HASTINGS.

The organiser would like to thank all dealers for appearing at this **BRITISH RING CONVENTION**. It is hoped that conventioners will do their utmost to support the dealers in their efforts.

# DEALERS' DEMONSTRATION

ARRANGED BY JOHNNY NEPTUNE

Thursday 26th September — 9.30 a.m. in the White Rock Pavilion

## Time and Order of Appearance

1. 9.30 MICKY HADES
2. 9.39 PRACTICAL MAGIC
3. 9.48 MAGIC HANDS
4. 9.57 REPRO 71
5. 10.06 LUNA MAGIC
6. 10.15 JACK HUGHES
7. 10.24 HAMILTON KAYE
8. 10.33 MAGICTRIX
9. 10.42 ANVERDI
10. 10.51 SUPREME MAGIC CO
11. 11.00 MINI MAGIC
12. 11.09 L DAVENPORT AND CO
13. 11.18 MURRAY'S MAGIC MART
14. 11.27 INTERNATIONAL MAGIC STUDIO
15. 11.36 ROY BAKER
16. 11.45 DAVID HEMINGWAY
17. 11.54 KEN BROOKE
18. 12.03 PLAYTIME BALLOONS
19. 12.12 KOVARI MAGIC PRODUCTIONS LTD
20. 12.21 R. A. R. MAGIC
21. 12.30 TERRY AND NORMA
22. 12.39 PAVEL'S TOP MAGIC

TIME-KEEPER: JACK POTTER

STAGE STAFF: DOC. YETMAN, DOUG. JONES, ALAN HOLMES,  
JOHN OAKLEY

DEALER

LIAISON: DOUG. MURFETT, BRIAN ROE, DAVID BECKLEY

Your Convention Committee take this opportunity of extending thanks to our Member Dealers who are giving up this morning in order to present for our enjoyment their latest magic.

Owing to the number of Demonstrations and in the interest of all a warning **Orange Light and a Buzzer will be used to indicate 7 minutes. A Red Light will be shown at 8 minutes.** The Curtains will be drawn whether the demonstrator is finished or otherwise. We very much regret having to enforce this Rule, and do so only in the interests of the Performers.

This is a Mammoth Demonstration and in fairness to the first Artiste **please be seated in good time.** The Curtain will rise at 9.30 a.m. **promptly.**

Thursday 26th September at 2.30 p.m. in the Ballroom, Queen's Hotel

THE LADIES' AFTERNOON

*Showtime with the Magigals*

*to complete the occasion there will be  
afternoon tea*

RAFFLE FOR THE WELFARE FUND ★ BINGO

STEWARDS —



JACK GRIGGS  
Chief Steward

Arthur ALDRIDGE  
Ken BAMBOROUGH  
Harry BENSON  
Cyril CAPON  
Tom DAVISON  
Sissie ENTWISTLE  
George HATTON  
Douglas R. JONES  
Barry A. LAYMOND  
Dr. McKEE  
Derek E. TAPSELL  
Les WOODCOCK



Lecture Sessions — Chairman: Peter Warlock

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Thursday 26th September at 2.30 p.m. in the White Rock Pavilion

Once again we shall  
welcome

**ALI BONGO**

with a great  
lecture demonstration

**Bongo Strikes Again**



ALI BONGO

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Saturday 28th September at 2.30 p.m. in the Pier Ballroom



PAVEL

Another welcome return  
visit of that brilliant  
magician

**PAVEL**

with new ideas in his

**Pavel's Top Magic**

# HOSPITAL / HOMES SHOWS

Thursday 26th September — 4.30 p.m.

Allocation of shows are as follows. Please make own arrangements re transportation to venues. I.B.M. Clowns will congregate at steps of HQ at 4 p.m. for their departure under direction of "Smokey". I will have maps available at the Dealers Dem and given out after on the Thursday Morning.—*Wilfred Tyler.*

**National Childrens Home  
Malmesbury House, 125 West Hill  
St. Leonards.**

Colin Sansom  
Granville and June  
Paul Ducaine  
Len Jennings  
Clarence Thorne  
Will Ayling  
Compere, Jack Delvin  
Stage Manager, Bob Hayden  
Pianist, Ernie Tongue

**Elphinstone Mount Childrens Home  
211 Elphinstone Road  
St. Leonards.**

Trevor Lewis  
Ray Silver  
John Rhodes  
Hedley Wilcox  
Sly Smith  
Guy Higgins  
Compere, Dennis Lucas  
Stage Manager, .....

**London Transport (Central Road Service)  
Employees Friendly Society Conv. Home  
2 Albany Road, St. Leonards.**

(Close Up Team)  
Michael Seacome  
Donald Crombie  
Rovi  
Arthur Settingington  
Chris Pratt  
David Beckley  
HOST, Dr. Eddie Dawes  
Stage Manager, Tom O'Beirne.

**Old Roar Childrens Home  
Old Roar Road  
St. Leonards.**

Percy Best  
David Tomkins  
Cynthia Neptune  
Ken Savage  
Stanley Thomas  
Michael Rogers  
Compere, Ted Beal  
Stage Manager, Johnny Neptune  
Pianist, Dennis Derby.

**Pine Hill and Mount Denis Old Peoples  
Homes, 185/7 The Ridge  
Hastings.**

Keno (K. G. Thomas)  
Roy Darnley  
Tudor Brock  
Tom Goodband  
Robert Rae  
Peter Westlake and Angela  
Compere, Terry Spencer  
Pianist, Michael Dillon  
Stage Manager, Tom Angus.

**New Moreton Old Peoples Home  
Boscobel Road, St. Leonards.**

Sol. (H. C. Soloman)  
Barry Miller  
Peter Jones  
Hassan (M. H. Noor)  
Mel Collings  
Harry Rugg  
Dave Shaw and Gerry Luff  
Compere, John Palfreyman  
Stage Manager, George Hatton  
Pianist, Norman Thomas.

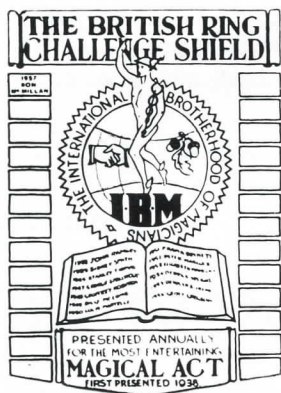
**Osborne House, Mentally Retarded Young Folks Home, 245 The Ridge, Hastings**

San Yen & Co. Alastair. Tony Crabbe. Dee Jay. Jack Stephenson. Clem Bailey  
Compere, Joe Scoble. Stage Manager, Tony Barnard Pianist, Alec Garner.

*The I.B.M. Clowns will visit each home except London Transport Home.*

Anyone wishing to visit any of these shows will be welcome but must be responsible for getting there themselves. CHOOSE YOUR SHOW . . . MAKE YOUR WAY THERE . . . AND ENJOY WHAT HAS BEEN PROVIDED . . . more are attending these each year, if only to see how many of the performers approach the different conditions for presentations.

Thursday 26th September, 1974 — White Rock Pavilion at 7.30 p.m.



## ALASTAIR

has organised and will introduce  
the competitors in the Competition for the

## NEW SILVER BRITISH RING SHIELD

*Judges:* Geoffrey Buckingham (Chairman), Fred  
Castle, Robert Swadling, Tony Shelley,  
Bruce Posgate, Reg Swinton.

*Stage Manager:* Paul Graham

*Musical Director:* Alfred Gabriel

*Timekeeper:* Jack Potter

Rules relating to the Competition the awards of which are

1. **THE NEW SILVER BRITISH RING SHIELD and Cash Prize £25.00.**  
This will be awarded for the most entertaining magical act and is held for one year.
  2. **THE CONVENTIONEERS TROPHY**  
The greatest originality shown in effect, method or presentation and is held for one year
  3. **THE CRAIG TROPHY**  
For the best performance by a lady magician and is held for one year.
- THEO. SPEAKER CUP and Cash Prize of £15.00 for runner-up**  
To be held for one year
- THIRD PRIZE £10.00 and Silver Wand presented by ALASTAIR**
- TOM HARRIS CUP (Comedy) (donated by Tom Harris) Together with cash Prize of £5.00**
- DITTIA SHIELD (Manipulation)**

The results will be announced after the close of the Competition

Rules governing the Competition will be found on page 27

Whilst the Judges are deliberating the audience will be entertained by

## SID DICULOUS

direct from his successful summer season on a North Sea oil rig

Thursday 26th September, 1974

Our members from the Zodiac present their

## MINI CONVENTION

MIDNIGHT IN THE BALLROOM OF THE QUEENS HOTEL

*Introduced by*

**FRANCIS HAXTON**



Friday 27th September at 10 a.m. in the  
White Rock Pavilion

# ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING AND ELECTION OF OFFICERS

MEMBERS ONLY ADMITTED

*Chairman*

**ALFRED GABRIEL, Esq**

NOTE—Printed Agenda will be handed to each Member.

Voting Papers must be left at the Reception Desk  
not later than 4 p.m., THURSDAY, 26th SEPTEMBER.

Returning Officer: Rex Reader Esq

## ORGANISERS

THE GALA SHOW	.....	William (Bill) G. Stickland
REGISTRATION	.....	Jeffery Atkins
BANQUET AND CLOSE-UP	.....	Francis Haxton
COLLECTORS' SEMINAR	.....	Professor E. A. Dawes
DEALERS' EXHIBITION	.....	Eddie Dexter
DEALERS' DEMONSTRATION	.....	Johnny Neptune
OUTSIDE ATTRACTION	.....	Paul Graham
THE LECTURES, SOUVENIR PROGRAMME AND "TALES OF HOFFMANN"	.....	Peter Warlock
AFTER BANQUET SHOW	.....	Geoffrey Robinson
LADIES' AFTERNOON	.....	The Ladies' Committee
SHIELD COMPETITION	.....	Alastair Oliphant
CHILDREN'S PLAYTIME AND HOSPITAL SHOWS	.....	Wilfred Tyler
CLOSE-UP COMPETITION	.....	Don Lees
COCKTAIL PARTY	.....	Eddie and Mollie Dexter
STAGE DIRECTION	.....	Paul Graham

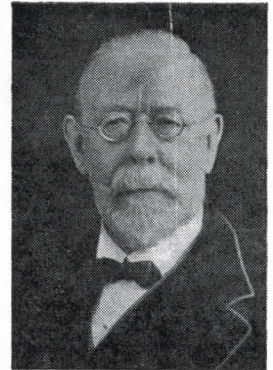
Friday 27th September, 1974 — White Rock Pavilion at 2.45 p.m.



PETER WARLOCK

*presents*

“TALES OF HOFFMANN”



ANGELO LEWIS, M.A.  
(Professor Hoffmann)



The purpose of this programme is to pay a tribute to the work of Angelo Lewis (Professor Hoffmann). He was the man who gave to all who love their magic, what can assuredly be called the “English Bible of Magic,” to wit, “Modern Magic.” Just one hundred and one years ago this great work started its life in serial form in a boys’ magazine. Three years later it was to be seen in book form with more than five hundred pages. Of more than passing interest is the fact that Lewis spent his declining years in the Borough of Hastings.

Those magical friends of mine taking part in this afternoon’s presentation include:

JOHN YOUNG in the guise of Professor Hoffmann

JOHN HART

TERRY HERBERT

PERCY PRESS

CLAUDE PERRY

TERRY SEABROOKE

ARTHUR SETTERINGTON

PETER SCARLETT and

MATHIESON TAYLOR

The music by Offenbach, Keith Hurford and Bernard McGovern

*Stage direction:* Paul Graham

Friday 27th September — 6.30 for 7 p.m. at the Queen's Hotel

## CONVENTION BANQUET

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### MENU

Hors d'Oeuvres

Cream of Mushroom Soup

Roast Sirloin of Beef

Horseradish Cream

Petits Pois

Croquette Potatoes

Baked Alaska

Coffee

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### TOAST LIST

THE BOROUGH OF HASTINGS

Proposed by Frank Boynett

Response by The Right Worshipful

The Mayor of Hastings

Councillor Horace Funnell

THE BRITISH RING, No. 25

Proposed by Len Vintus Esq.,

Founder Member No. 1.

First President I.B.M.

Response by the President,

Alfred Gabriel Esq.

who will also propose

THE LADIES AND VISITORS

Response by

Karrell Fox Esq. (U.S.A.)

*Toast Master* **SID SMITH**



# After Banquet Show

**White Rock Pavilion**

**Friday September 27**

**10.30 pm**

*Artistes —*

Frank Boynett  
Terry Herbert  
Edward Love  
Don Robertson

Eddie Dawes & Amy  
Elinor Heslop  
John Palfreyman

Peter Greenwood  
Ron Langhorn  
Claude Perry  
Peter Scarlett

PRODUCED BY GEOFFREY ROBINSON  
in association with John Palfreyman

Music by Keith Hurford and Bernard McGovern

Stage management—Paul Graham

FOR THOSE NOT ATTENDING THE BANQUET  
THE FILM "HOUDINI" WILL BE SHOWN  
IN THE WHITE ROCK PAVILION  
at 8 pm

# CLOSE-UP SHOWCASE

Organised by:

**Don Lees**

*Saturday 28th September. 10.00 a.m.*

**BALLROOM — QUEEN'S HOTEL**

## **Close-Up Contest for the Zina Bennett Cup**

This competition shall be open to all paid up members of Ring 25 (The British Ring) International Brotherhood of magicians. There shall be three awards as follows:

1. The Zina Bennett Trophy (to be held for 12 months), a replica which shall be awarded to the performer with the highest marks, and £15, cash award
2. A cash award of £10, to be presented to the runner-up
3. A cash award of £5

No restrictions on the effects or properties to be used, except that they be primarily intended for close up performance. The magical judges shall be the sole arbitrators on this point and be empowered to deduct marks as they consider appropriate to the particular instance.

The performance shall not be less than 6 minutes and not more than 9 minutes.

There shall be four magical and one lay judge. The magical judges will mark each contestant under three headings: (a) Technique and skill; (b) Strength of magical effect on an audience; (c) Originality in method and/or presentation.

The lay judge shall mark on entertainment only; i.e. how much he or she was entertained by the contestant.

A minimum number of 5 contestants is required for this contest to take place.

The event organiser shall have the authority to invite other performers (non-entrants) to perform in this event, when necessary, to ensure the smooth running of the contest.

A warning will be given when 8 minutes have elapsed and should a performer exceed the maximum time of 9 minutes the judge shall not award any marks for that performance.

### **ENTRANTS TO BE ANNOUNCED**

*Judges:* Bob Read, Kevin Fox, Fred Robinson, Bobby Bernard,  
Dorothy Savage

*Chairman of the Judges:* John Palfreyman

*Time Keeper:* Douglas Jones

*Table Stewards:* Helen Strachan, Ron Langhorn, Ron Shinnell, Don  
Trowell, Norman Jones



*Welcome to Sussex . . .*

TO MAGICIANS FROM ALL OVER THE WORLD  
THE SUSSEX MAGIC CIRCLE WISH YOU A  
VERY ENJOYABLE AND SUCCESSFUL  
CONVENTION IN HASTINGS

*Join us in our next popular feature*

# Meet the Magicians

on

**SUNDAY 20th OCTOBER**

**3.30 until 8 p.m.**

at

**Clair Hall, Perrymount Road, Hayward's Heath, Sussex**

(opposite Bus Station and Railway Station)

**CLOSE-UP MAGIC ★ AFTERNOON TEA ★ EVENING SHOW**

Tickets—Whole programme 50p; Children 25p

Evening show only 6.0 pm 30p; Children 20p

For information about this event and the Sussex Magic Circle

contact

Bill Hall, Hon. Sec., Sussex Magic Circle, 64 Highdown Road, Lewes, Sussex BN7 1QF

Telephone Lewes 2674



THE INTERNATIONAL BROTHERHOOD OF MAGICIANS  
BRITISH RING

GRAND INTERNATIONAL



# GALA OF MAGIC

WHITE ROCK PAVILION, HASTINGS  
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28th, 1974  
at 5 p.m. and 8.30 p.m.

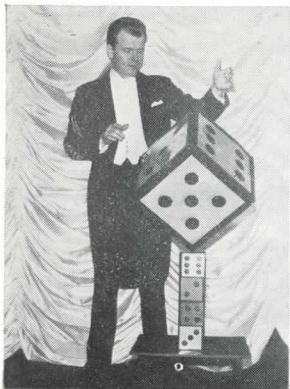


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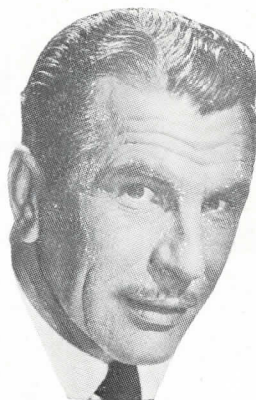


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Robert Sinclair and Gretta  
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TONY FLETCHER'S PUPPETS

## PROG

1. Overture—KEITH HURFORD at the organ  
BERNARD McGOVERN on the drums
2. VICKI LANE and the YOUNG SET
3. Introducing our Compere, the  
inimitable KARRELL FOX—U.S.A.
4. Winner of the British Ring Shield 1973  
WALDO AND PARTNER
5. PAVEL (Czechoslovakia) "Knotty Magic"
6. TONY FLETCHER'S PUPPETS (S. Africa)
7. Prize-winning German Magician JAN TORELL  
with his "Magic Pyramid of Dice"
8. The Illusions of the Masters  
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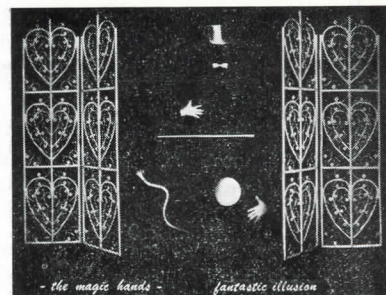
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# AMME

9. Selection—KEITH HURFORD and BERNARD McGOVERN
10. VICKI LANE and the YOUNG SET
11. From Germany The amazing MAGIC HANDS  
Light-Colour-Music
12. ROBERT SINCLAIR and GRETTA  
The Television Tricksters
13. LES WILSON the well-known comedian from  
the "Golden Shot"
14. The Novel French Magician ANDRE ARVIX  
"Scintillating Sunshades"
15. The world famous JOHN CALVERT  
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MAGIC HANDS

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# CHILDREN'S PLAYTIME

devised and presented by Wilfred Tyler

**SATURDAY 28th SEPTEMBER**

at

**THE PIER BALLROOM**

at 10.30 a.m.

*Stage Manager Tony List. House Manager R. Hamilton Kaye*

The Clowns enter to start the ball rolling and really warm  
you up



**BRUCE POSGATE**

- 1—Overture by Gordon Ryder Trio followed by PAUL DUCAINE, your Host for the morning who introduces himself and Auntie Cynthia (Cynthia Neptune), who will be helping him with the novelties, competitions, etc, and see the prizes are appropriately distributed. He announces
- 2—Trevor Lewis straight from his own Welsh BBC children's programme success with "Rarebits of Welsh Magic."
- 3—One of Paul's novelties or competitions which might even result in Conjurers tricks for the lucky prize winners.
- 4—To bring the international flavour to the show you will now see Bruce Posgate who has come over from Canada specially for this show.

## I N T E R V A L



**SMOKEY**

- 5—Gordon Ryder Trio again play music for you quickly followed by Paul DuCaine in a "Spot" of his own when in any case he will see more gifts are distributed.
- 6—David Tomkins who Hails from Luton will, with his ventriloquial dolls and Magic make his first appearance in a "Children's Playtime."
- 7—Paul DuCaine has something "Up his sleeve" to keep you "happy" whilst preparations are proceeding for the final act . . .
- 8—WILL AYLING and Co.

IBM Clowns this year comprise: Smokey, Randini, Sorbo, Janet Rann, Tommy Talbot, Len Ware, Les Woodcock, Jock Armitage, Reg Allen, "Lightning" David Barnes, "Mikki," "Weedy" Albert Ditch, Roger Cane, led by the famous Auguste . . . Smokey.

Dave Shaw and Gerry Luff who were so successful with the "Children's" Outside Stunt at the front of Harrogate Theatre last year have another novelty stunt for 1974 and will present this from 10 a.m. this morning at the Pier Entrance as a crowd gatherer.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29th, 10.30 a.m., WHITE ROCK PAVILION

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# Installation of New President

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**BRITISH RING SHIELD COMPETITION**  
**RULES**

1. These Competitions shall be open to all members of The British Ring providing (i) that they are fully paid up and accepted member or (ii) that application for membership shall have been received by the Secretary by the last day of May preceding the Competition.
2. The Management Committee of the Society shall appoint five magical Judges, including at the discretion of the Committee prominent visiting Magicians, together with a Chairman, who is also a member of the Society, and they will be responsible for the adjudication of the various awards. In the event of a tie the Chairman shall have a casting vote.
3. If any member of the panel of Judges has been responsible for the production, tuition or guidance by way of advice to any competitor or feels that his personal relationship with any competitor may embarrass him, he must inform the Hon. Secretary and stand down and allow for a replacement to be made.
4. There is no bar upon the number of awards that a competitor can win; it is possible for a male entrant to win the British Ring Shield, the Conventioneers' Trophy, the Dittia Shield and the Tom Harris Cup, whilst a lady entrant could win the British Ring Shield, also the Conventioneers' Trophy, Tom Harris Cup, Dittia Shield and Craig Trophy.
5. The length of a competitor's act should not exceed ten minutes. A yellow warning light and buzzer will indicate nine minutes and a red light ten minutes. At ten and a half minutes the competitor will automatically be disqualified and such disqualification will be announced from the stage before the appearance of the next act.
6. Competitors who wish to be judged for manipulative skill, comedy or originality shall, when completing the necessary entry form, give notice of such intention and will be marked accordingly. Further, such intention shall be shown in the published list of competitors.
7. The Judges shall have power to withhold any award if, in their opinion, the act or acts do not reach the required standard.
8. A previous British Ring Shield winner shall not be allowed to enter and present the same act. There is, however, no bar to the presentation of a different act.
9. Any competitor who has taken part in the Competition for three successive years and failed to qualify for an award shall, unless the Committee of Management deem otherwise, have a waiting period of two years before entering again.
10. The ballot for order of appearance shall take place publicly not less than 24 hours preceding the competition.
11. The presentation of every act should be considered as family entertainment and should be in good taste.
12. Closing date for entries shall be notified in 'The Budget'.
13. Any matter not covered by the foregoing rules shall be decided by the Committee of Management whose decision shall be final.
14. All trophy winners shall hold their award for a period of one year and such award must be returned to the Hon. Secretary in a presentable condition at least 2 days prior to the day scheduled for the competition.

The draw for the running order will be made immediately after the opening ceremony on Wednesday afternoon, September 12th.

The names of the competitors will be found on the separate sheet supplied with this programme.

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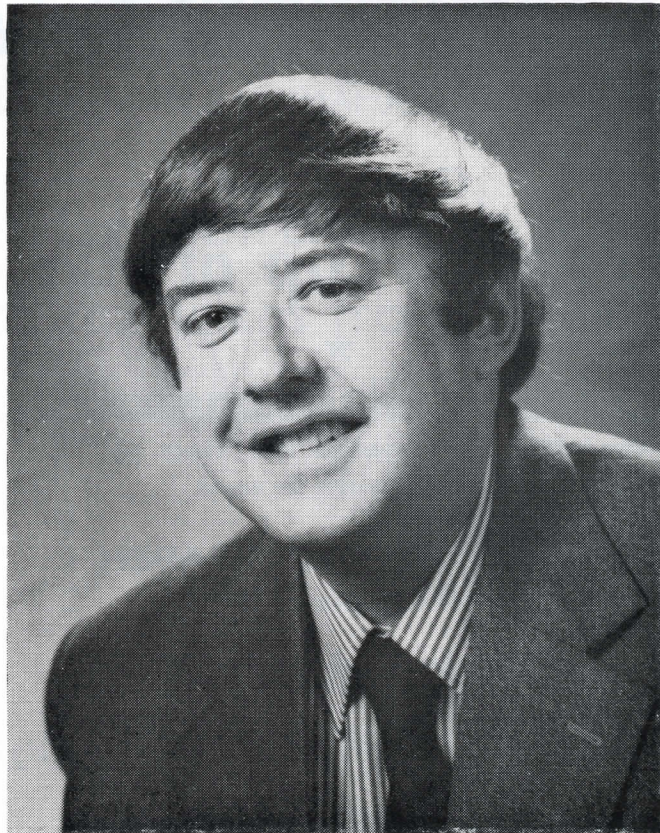
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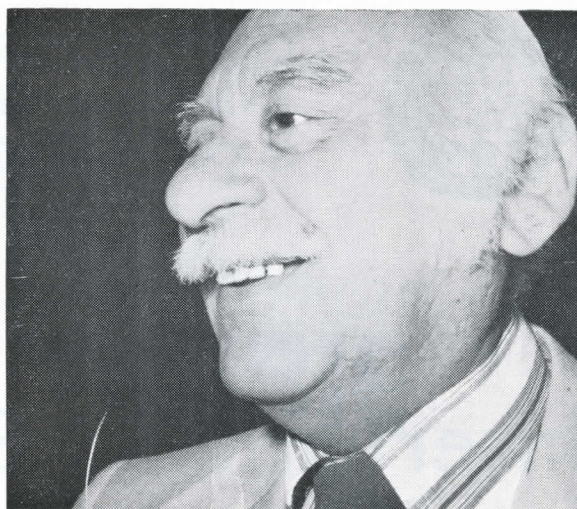
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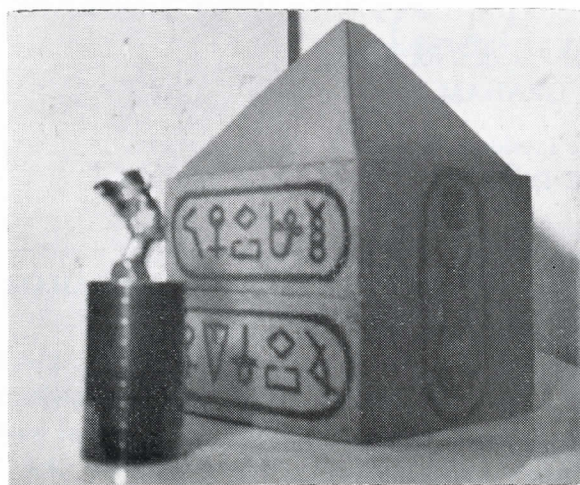
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