



S.A.M. Assembly 24

The Jay Gorham Assembly

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Assembly 24 Information

Where:
SW Pitts Hose Co.
226 Old Loudon Road
Latham, NY 12110

When:
The second Tuesday of
the month at 7:30 pm

Why: Well it's FUN!

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www.magicsam.com

Next Meeting: 9/11
Dan Garrett Lecture

September Meeting

This month our meeting will be held one day later than the regular meeting night. This month we welcome Dan Garrett and his lecture at Dave's church in Troy. Forward Into the Past is a brand-new lecture experience filled with magic from Dan Garrett's working repertoire of both past and present. The contents include mainly close-up magic and mentalism with coins, knives, paddles and cards. It has been rumored that there is even a grand illusion in this lecture. (?)

Serious magic and comedy magic: there is truly something for everyone. Emphasis is placed on improving your performances and tapping in to the emotions and intellect of your audiences. Snacks will be service, see you at 7:30pm on WEDNESDAY at the Christ Church at 35 State Street in Troy, 12180.

Magic News

As you know Vinny Grosso is writing a book called *Exposed and Fearless*. It just recently launched a kickstarter project and has received a good response. It needs to keep the momentum going with early backers so he becomes featured on the Kickstarter website. Vinny is hoping his magic friends can help. You can help in a few ways, first by visiting the project website:

<http://www.kickstarter.com/projects/352681870/exposed-and-fearless>. Watching the video, sharing the link on Facebook or twitter and emailing it to folks you know and asking them to do the same all helps! Of course buying the book really helps but only if you think it's a worth while project. (Oh, it's worth it!!!)

IBM Ring 186 is moving. The Bought Corners Firehouse is going through construction so we welcome our friends to our firehouse on the fourth Tuesday of the month. A notice was sent out by Rowdy, and I thought I would just help get the word out!

Upcoming Meetings 2013

January:
Elections & New Magic

February:
Rope Magic

March:
Ed Ellis Lecture
Special Date 3/29

April:
TBA

May:
Cards

June:
Open Mic Night

July:
Other Half

August:
TBA

September: (9/11)
Dan Garrett Lecture

October: (10/8 & 10/22)
Jay Scott Berry Lecture

November:
Book Magic (Tarbell, ...)

December:
Holiday Party – Planning
in Process

This is a tentative schedule that is subject to change. Please check for updates each month.

Please be current on your dues. That is what helps pay for the programs we have. You can send your dues to Bob Connors, Box 245, Round Lake, 12151. Make them payable to SAM 24 for \$20.

Deputy of Assembly 24

As your Deputy I want to make it a point to keep you informed about the SAM. If you have a question please feel free to contact me at joe@magicmelvin.com.

Dues are Past DUE *****

Dues are still only \$20.00 for the year, and what a bargain! You must be a current member of the national SAM to be a local member. This is not a rule that I have made, we choose to be members of a national organization and therefore we have rules to follow. Guests are always welcome, but they still must pay for the lecturers that cost the club money. Your dues help make a lot possible. Please mail them directly to Bob Connors, Box 245, Round Lake, 12151 or bring them to the next meeting.

The Kinnicutt

I am currently planning a banquet in their honor of Jean and Clem as a token of appreciation for all everyone they have faithfully served over the years. Taking place this Fall!

Assembly 24 is on Facebook

Assembly 24 is on facebook. Simply search for SAM Assembly 24 and "like" it. Dave and I update it monthly. Plus there are photos and scans from the founding documents of our assembly.

The Web Site – Pictures of the last meeting

Want to see pictures of the last meeting, visit

www.sam24.org. Please take a moment if you have not and fill-in or [update your member information](#).

Compeer Dave MacDonald has worked long hours and produced a fantastic website. Check it out!

August Meeting – Joe Goode

Hummmm....

Joe Goode

President, S.A.M. Assembly24