

Our July meeting, while traditionally short on attendance, was certainly not short on fun. This month was our second annual team competition. Three teams were formed containing 3 members each and were provided a paper bag filled with the following props: a string, 2 washers, 2 pebbles, 1 plastic cup, 2 playing cards, 2 napkins, and 2 small poppers. Each team was given 30 minutes to compile a 10 minute act using all of the props and incorporating all of the team member's talent.

It was a fun competition to watch, as each team took a different direction on how they used the bizarre props. The guys dug deep to come up with variations of shell games, chop cups, mental card forces, ring (washer) on string. While it was not the greatest magic show you have ever seen, it was certainly a great laugh for all to see what everyone came up with under pressure.

In the end, our esteemed judges selected the team consisting of Magic Al Garber, Mike Goldman, and Ziggy the Magic Guy as our winners! This was a fun night and we recommend that if other rings want a light hearted laugh, they should give this theme a try!