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A PERSONAL NOTE: If anyone wants information in HA, please email me the exact wording if you can. I can then paste it right in the newsletter. Of course I will accept information in regular mail from everyone else.

<u>SECOND REVISED ULTIMATE HISTORY</u>: Just a reminder that this book was originally written in 1992 and is the first and original book listing Network radio programming and the shows that are in circulation.

The Second Supplement to the 2nd Revised Ultimate History is now available for \$6.50 including P&H. Both supplements are \$11.50 including P&H

The 2001 "2nd Revised Ultimate History" with the first and second supplement is \$55 plus \$4. Please send information for the third supplement when you can, the earlier the better. I will need the information by October 1, 2004.

I did not write a Supplement 6 for my Necrology. Most of the information is in HA anyway and there is much info on the internet, especially by Ron Sayles. His web site is http://mywebpage.netscape.com/bogusotr/instant/taz.html

CONVENTION 2004: Dates are Oct 21 – 24, 2004 at the Holiday Inn, Newark, NJ. Our web site will keep you up to date. Note new web site name at end of HA. Flyer is attached

CONVENTION 2003: 2003 Convention booklets are available for \$3.00 including P&H. There are many guests bios and pictures. Our handouts were letter openers this year. Send me a SASE for one. 2002 pens are available for \$1.00 including P&H. 2001 pens are available for \$1.00 each including P&H. Special 25th Anniversary small desk clocks are available for \$5 including P&H. Past Convention Booklets are \$2.50 each including P&H.

All of the sessions were video recorded by Satellite Media Production. You may order them as a complete set or by individual sessions. Please contact Fred Berney at Satellite Media Production, P.O. Box 638, Walkersville, MD 21793-0638. Phone 800-747-0856. Email: berney@fred.net

Friends of Old-Time Radio Script Contest

The 11th annual script writing contest is now open. This year your half-hour script must be based on any recognizable classic radio program - comedy or drama, with original characters and new ones added if you wish.

But please, no spoofs with Jack Benny, Abbott and Costello, others. That hasn't worked in the past. The script must be ready to produce - typed double spaced, large enough for actors to read, all sound cues included. Usual format includes short opening, middle and closing commercials, whether for a product that existed then, or one of your own. Try to set the story in its original time period, unless science fiction. Try to keep cast to ten or less, although some actors can double in smaller parts.

First prize in the contest is \$200, and the script will be performed live at our 2005 convention. Second prize winner, which will not be performed, is \$100.

Scripts must be submitted by August 31, 2004 to Dave Zwengler, 319 Plymouth Road, North Brunswick NJ 08902 (732 - 0940 - 7639). Three experienced judges will pick the winning scripts and detailed suggestions for improvements will be sent to non-winners. If you want a primer on preferred page format, send SASE to Mr. Zwengler.

This year's winner, "You Are There" by Edgar Russell, III will be performed at our October

convention.

<u>CLUB NEWS</u>: A new club forming is "Polk Olde Type Radio Club." President is Hugh Anderson, 304 Meadowlark Dr., Tryon, NC 28782. As seen, the club is in North Carolina.

PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED: A complete list of publications mentioned with addresses, contact people, etc. is one of the introductory pages in my current Ultimate History. It is also part of a small package mailed with your first Hello Again. If you don't have one, email me for it and I will email it to you. If you don't have email, please send me a SASE for it...Radiogram, May; articles about Jan Merlin; Harry Babbitt; Tom Mix; Bob Bailey; Gunsmoke Repeats...June; articles about OTR at the movies; Bob Burns; July; articles about Dutch Reagan on Radio; Producing FM&M...Chattanooga Airwaves, May - Jun; article about Mercedes McCambridge...Aircheck, May; articles about Harry Bartell; Cavalcade of America; Bob Hope...Illustrated Press, June; article about Roy Rogers...Return with us Now, June; article about Gang Busters...July; article about NBC chimes...Nostalgia Digest; Summer; articles about Al Jolson; Bergen Evans; Jack Coombe; Ralph Byrd; Tom Mix; Radio Premiums; Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers; Dating Radio shows; Radio Recall, June; articles about This is Broadway; Eddy King and Dragnet; Buck Rogers; RLL on the Air, June; article about Gang Busters... The Jot 'em Down Journal, June; 1933 revisited with Lum and Abner...Old-time Radio Digest, Summer; articles about Judy Garland; The Shadow; This is Your FBI...RCA Newsletter, June; article about Jack French

BOOKS: (Most books can also be purchased at <www.lofcom.com/nostalgia/books/>, <Amazon.com> or <Barnesandnoble.com>. Greenwood Publishing Group (Box 5007, Westport, CT 06881) has published many bio-bibliographies in the performing arts. James Robert Parish is the series editor. Over 80 have been published. For a list or to order call 1-800-225-5800 or 1-203-226-3571...I just received the "39 Forever" Vol 1 (Jack Benny from May 1932 - May 1942) from Laura Leff. The cost is \$40 (go to <www.Jackbenny.org>) for details or write to Box 11288, Piedmont, CA 94611. It has 532 pages and has complete descriptions of every program during these 10 years. It has just about every index you can imagine including Cast; city; guest Star; Music - vocalist; skits; songs; notable happenings and firsts. As one of the first to put out a Jack Benny log years ago, I heartily recommend this. Laura has done a monumental job...Storytelling in the Pulps, Comics and Radio by Tim Deforest, 2004, McFarland (1-800-253-2187 or 1-336-246-4460); \$35.00; How Technology Changed Popular Fiction in America...Mr. Keen, Tracer of Lost Persons by Jim Cox; McFarland; 2004; \$65.00; A Complete History and episode Log of Radio's Most Durable Detective...Deems Taylor by James Pegolotti; Northeastern Univ. Press; 2003; 410 pages; Hardcover; illustrations; Cost is \$40; (1-617-373-5480) <www.nupress.neu.edu>. A biography of this critic, author, composer and radio personality;

CONVENTIONS:

29th Old-time Country Music Contest and Festival, Aug 30 – Sep 5, 2004 at Harrison County Fairgrounds in Missouri Valley, Iowa. For information contact Bob Everhart at Box 492, Walnut, IA 51577 (712) 762-4363 sobeverhart@yahoo.com.

29th Friends of Old-time Radio Convention, Oct 21 - 24, 2004 at the Holiday Inn, Newark, NJ; For information contact Jay Hickerson, Box 4321, Hamden, CT 06514 (203) 248-

2887 < JayHick@aol.com> or check our web site: http://www.fotr.net)

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SPERDVAC Convention, November 12 – 14 at the Hacienda Hotel at LAX. Bobb Lynes will be the convention chair. (1-877-251-5771) or www.sperdvac.org

THE INTERNET: Many of my subscribers are on the Internet. If you want to to get on the mailing list for the Old Time Radio Digest (Round table) on the Internet, e-mail to this address: <old.time.radio-request@oldradio.net>...

WEB SITES: Various OTR Web sites will be posted. Most begin with <www.> Let me know what yours is: Lou Genco (many collectors have their sites here including Vintage Broadcasts; Ted Davenport; Ed Carr; Fred Berney; Pat McCoy) <old-time.com>...Jim Widner <otr.com> (Radio Days)...Chuck Schaden <nostalgiadigest.com>... BRC (Bob Burnham)

< <otrsite.com/radiolog/index.html>.. ...Australian Film and Sound <Screensound.gov.au>...Owens Pomeroy (Golden Radio Buffs) (not www) <members.aol.com/grbmd>.. OTR Digest <www.lofcom.com/nostalgia/books/>...Jack Benny Fan Club < Jackbenny.org>...Radio Broadcast Chronicles < gna.net/tia>...Tom Heathwood <HeritageRadio.com>... First Generation Archives <radioarchives.org> (Free subscription) http://www.radioarchives.org/newsletter.asp...Radio Enthusiasts of Puget Sound <repsonline.org>...Terry Salomonson <audio-classic.com> <digitalotr.com>...The OTR Club now has a web page at http://www2.pcom.net/robmcd/otrbuffalo/> ...Doug Kosmonek ...new email is <dougkosmonek@shaw.ca>...Radio Spirits < radiospirits.com > ... The MWOTRC web site is now operational and can be accessed either by www.mwotrc.com or www.readiorecall.com...Radio Memories (NEW) www.radiomemories.com...Ivan G. Shreve, Jr. (Thrilling Days of Yesteryear) ...Bear Manor Media">http://blogs.salon.com/0003139/>...Bear Manor Media, a publishing company (run by Ben Ohmart. Send for their catalog...They have published many OTR books in the last few years. ...RHAC web site is www.rhac.org

CATALOGS AND NEW SHOWS (All addresses first): McCov's Recording (Pat McCoy), Box 1069, Richland, WA 99352...Jerry Haendiges, 13808 Sunset Dr., Whittier, CA 90602 < JHaendiges@aol.com > ... Roger Hill's "Nothing's New" 711 San Mateo Ave., San Bruno, CA 94066 (650) 871-6063...Vintage Broadcasts (Andy Blatt), Box 3257, Milford, CT 06460 (203-783-1923); also 1-866-783-1923; <andy@vintagebroadcasts.com>...Radio Memories (Ted Davenport), 1600 Wewoka St., North Little Rock, AR 72116 (501) 835-0465 <Tedotr@aol.com> (WEB) www.radiomemories.com....Great American Radio (GAR) (Garry Kramer), Box 504, Genesee, MI 48437...Bequaert Old Books, Box 775, Fitzwilliam, NH 03447 (603) 585-3448 <www.beqbooks.com>; send 2 34-cents stamps for a catalog of books and magazines on OTR...AVPRO (Don Aston), Box 1392, Lake Elsinore, CA 92531 (1-888-3328776)...Radio Spirits, Box 3107, Wallingford, CT 06492 (1-800-833-4248)...Redmond Nostalgia Co. (David Kiner), Box 82, Redmond, WA 98073...SPERDVAC Library (Box 7177, Van Nuys, CA 91409)...John Barber, Box 72273., New Orleans, LA 70112 (504) 586-1931 <jbarber@gno.lib.la.us>... Vintage Audio (Tom Martin), 461 Maple Ave., Saratoga Springs, NY 12866 (518) 584-1112 < Thomasmartin 245@aol.com > Satellite Video Production (Fred Berney) Box 638, Walkersville, MD 21793 (1-800-747-0856) <Berney@fred.net>...BRC Productions (Bob Burnham), Box 158, Dearborn, MI 48127 <platecap@brcradio.com> <www.brcradio.com>...Hello Again Radio (Bob Burchett), 10280 Gunpowder Rd., Florence, KY 41042...Audio Classics Archive (Terry Salomonson), Box 347, Howell, MI 48844; 1-877-653-8963 (for orders only) <audio-classic.com>...Lodestone (Richard Fish), 611 Empire Mill Rd., Bloomington, IN 47401; 1-800-411-6463 < lodestone-media.com > (Deals in New Audio Theater...Ed Carr, 216 Shaner St., Boyertown, PA 19512 <edcarr@enter.net>...Dan Riedstra, 2830 North Rockwell St., Chicago, IL 60618 < daniel.riedstra@wcom.com>... Max Schmid, Box 3449, Astoria, NY 11103 <mschmid@rcn.com> <www.oldtimeradio.com>...Henry Hinkel, 254

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Florida Avenue, Amsterdam, NY 12010 < www.crabapplesound.com> All listings below list sampling of shows. Vintage Broadcasts; Jack Parr; People are Funny; Hour of Charm

OLD FRIENDS: OTR collector, writer, Durell Roth is also an amateur radio operator and would like to hear from other operators who would be interested in meeting on the air to discuss OTR. Roth can be contacted by email at theroths@onr.com or by telephone at 512-329-3242...Bill Anthony, 1684 Beryl Dr., Pittsburgh, PA 15227 is still looking for any Lux Radio Theater between 10/14/34 - 6/30/35 except "Dulcy." His email is <ajeftyarnez@wmconnect.com>

NEW ADDRESSES: Raymond Wood, Box 242, Syracuse, NY 13214...Wallace Kubec, 350 Port Richmond Ave. #201, Staten Island, NY 10302

IN FOND MEMORY: Ronald Reagan, June 5, 93; Did a lot of anthology shows on radio...Irene Manning; May 28; 87; Singer, actress; (Anthology shows)...Jim McClain; May 5; 91 (Dr. IQ)...Barbara Whiting; June 9, 73; Actress (Junior Miss; Meet Corliss Archer)...Gary Stevens; May 17; 88; broadcast executive; produced 20 Questions, Luncheon at Sardi's...Bernard Grant, Jun 30, 83; Actor (Roger Kilgore; Big Story); Marlon Brando, July 1, 80; Was in one short series in radio (As Easy as ABC).

Hello Again is \$15 a year and is published 6 times a year. The first issue appeared in April of 1970.

Write if you get work; and hang by your thumbs

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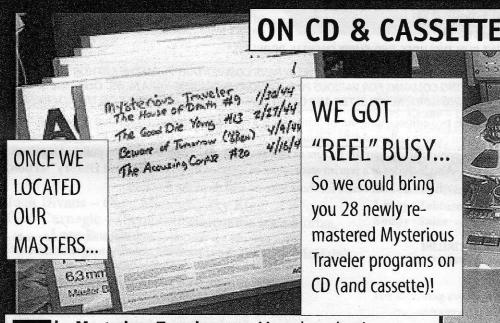
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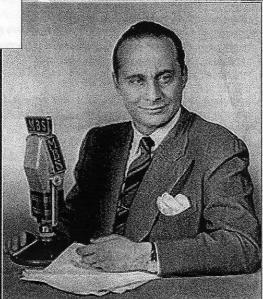
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7498 A #09 The House of Death 1/30/1944 B #13 The Good Die Young 2/27/1944 7499 A Beware of Tomorrow (no opening) 4/9/1944 B #20 The Accusing Corpse 4/16/1944 7500 A #31 Queen of the Cats 7/2/1944 B #55 They Who Sleep 1/6/1945

7501 A Case of Charles Foster 3/10/1945 B Death is the Visitor 8/25/1946 7502 A Symphony of Death 9/8/1946

B Death is the Judge 6/15/1947

7503 A The Locomotive Ghost 7/16/1947 B Death is My Caller 10/21/1947

7504 A The Woman in Black 3/9/1947 B Dark Destiny 4/13/1947

7505 A The Man Who Died Twice 2/24/1948 B They Struck It Rich 3/16/1948

7506 A Death Writes a Letter 5/18/1948 B Murder is My Business 6/8/1948 7507 A The Visiting Corpse 8/10/1948

B Death Has a Thousand Faces 9/211948

7508 A Zero Hour 6/27/1948

B The Man Who Vanished 7/6/1948

7509 A The Last Survivor 10/11/1949

B Survival of the Fittest 1/10/1950

7510 A I Died Last Night 4/25/1950 B The Man Who Tried to Save Lincoln

7511 A S.O.S. 5/2/1950

B Killer at Large 6/6/1950

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FIRST PRINT RUN INCLUDES TWO SUPPLEMENTAL BOOKLETS*

THE CONTENT OF THIS PUBLICATION FEATURES IN PART, COMMENTARY FROM THE AUTHOR'S PAST 20 YEARS OF WRITING COLUMNS FOR VARIOUS PUBLICATIONS INCLUDING NARA NEWS, OLD-TIME RADIO DIGEST, LISTENING GUIDE NEWSLETTER AND OFTEN CONTROVERSIAL COMMENTS ON THE INTERNET.

With the previous two editions long out of print, this is a completely updated collection of columns and information about how to collect old-time radio shows, getting the best sound and results from available equipment, how computers fit into the picture as well as commentarty on the various political issues of collecting shows. Also included is a reprint assortment of recycled material ("Ancient History" section) from the previous edition and elsewhere for those who missed them the first time.

- 1. DEDICATION
- 2. A FEW PRELIMINARY WORDS
- 3. THIS THING CALLED RADIO A quick history lesson
- 4. MARCHING THROUGH THE RECORDING TECHNOLOGY TIMELINE
- 5. A PARTIAL LIST OF CONTEMPORARY EQUIPMENT & PUBLICATIONS
- 6. A LOOK AT CD DUPLICATING EQUIPMENT
- 7. OTR & DIRT SIMPLY DON'T MIX
- 8. THE FUTURE OF OLD-TIME RADIO
- 9. REMOTE BROADCASTS OF YESTERDAY & TODAY
- 10. RECORDING OTR IN THE DIGITAL DOMAIN
- 11. THE HOBBY STUCK IN TIME
- 12. DIGITAL THIS 'N' THAT
- 13. BEST MEDIA FOR OTR? (cassettes, reels, DAT, CD or MD?)
- 14. A FRESH LOOK AT CD RECORDERS AND CASSETTE DECKS
- 15. OLD-TIME RADIO "Y2K" HOBBYISTS IN "WAIT AND SEE" MODE
- 16. OUT WITH THE OLD (IN WITH WHATEVER)
- 17. OLD TIME RADIO AND THE INTERNET REVISITED FOR 2002
- 18. "ANCIENT HISTORY" includes:
- a.) 1986 FORWARD BY JERRY CHAPMAN
- b.) THE HISTORY OF COLLECTING & TRADING OLD-TIME RADIO REVISITED
- c.) RECOMMENDATONS FOR BEGINNING COLLECTORS
- d.) OLD-TIME RADIO PUBLICATIONS OF THE PAST (updated for 2002)

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210288 Burns & Allen Show, The IV. All shows complete with original commercials and haven't been seen in over 50 years! George & Gracie had a long 8-year run on TV. 1. "Rhumba Lessons" 12/28/50 2. "Too Much of the Mortons" 07/05/51. 3. "Gracie's Ring" 03/13/52. 4. "Jack Benny Steals George's Joke" 4/24/52. Gracie tries to get George and guest star Jack Benny to be friends again after they return from a benefit where Jack tells the audience a joke. George unknowingly follows Jack on stage afterward & tells the same joke. Approx. 120 min. Classic TV Comedy VHS: \$15.95 DVD: \$17.95 + \$5 shipping/handling

210285 Jack Benny VI. 1.12/08/1953: Guests are Irene Dunne and Vincent Price. 2.02/07/1954: Mary Livingstone and Jack's daughter, Joan appear in this

FEATURED NEW SECTIONS:

"In part, this section is for those who are discovering for the first time the wealth of old shows that are 'floating around.' This is an attempt to provide a GENERAL guide to a small sampling of the good and bad shows that are out there, somewhat in the spirit of what was attempted in Tech Guide II....the bottom line is simply 'which shows are good to listen to?'"

- Introduction Revisited
- The end of the Squealing Reel Problem
- A Brief History of FM
- · A History of WLAK, Lakeland, Florida
- OTR shows... which ones are the good, the bad & the ugly?
- A Look Back at the CBS Radio Mystery Theater
- Epilogue
- Poor SAPS and the DVD-A Format
- · Comments on rating the shows
- · Grading the shows
- Show listing text
- Some parting words

SUPPLEMENT #3:

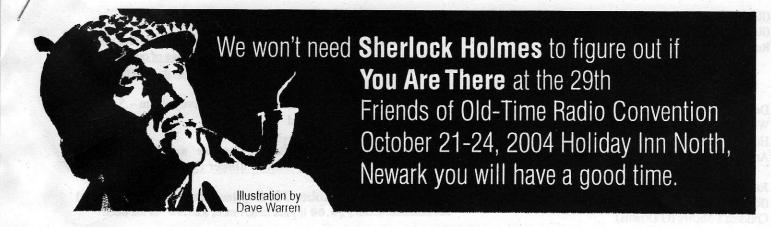
- Introductions and ramblings
- · History of OTR; end of an era, start of a new one
- 2003: The year (and past 30) in review
- · Forget the statistics... just LISTEN to Suspense!
- OTR and computers DO mix
- Recommended list of stuff updated September 2003

"Get the book if you don't have it already."

episode. Also complete with original commercials. 3. 10/23/1955: w/ Art Linkletter, Peggy King. Art interviews his latest quartet of kids which includes Donny Wilson, Rochester Van Jones, Peggy King, and

little Jackie Benny! Also, Mel Blanc plays a disruptive audience member. 4. 11/18/1956: Jack finds out during the show that his Maxwell has been stolen and gets involved with the Police. Approx. 120 minutes. VHS: \$15.95 DVD: \$17.95 + \$5 shipping/handling

210531 **Dragnet** IX, The Original. Jack Webb, Barney Phillips. Four more new cases from the original series, mostly with original commercials. 1. "The Big Cast" 1952. Lee Marvin (in his first TV role) "The Big Phone Call" 1952. 3. "The Big Frank" 1953. Frank Smith (Ben Alexander) is critically shot. 4. "The Big Suicide" 1956. Approx. 105 min. Classic TV Crime Drama VHS: \$15.95 DVD: \$17.95 + \$5 shipping/handling



Guests

Special Convention Guests who have given definite or **tentative** acceptance of our invitations:

West Coast Guests

Jack Bivans – Capt. Midnight; Sky King
Paul Carnegie – (Sound effects, actor) Green Hornet,
Lone Ranger
Bob Hastings – Archie Andrews; (Television) McHale's

Navy

Jane Kean – Singer; TV - Honeymooners
Jimmy Lydon – Let's Pretend; Young Love
Paul Petersen – (TV) Donna Reed Show; Singer
Hal Stone – Jughead in Archie Andrews
Dick Van Patten – Aldrich Family; Duffy's Tavern
Elena Verdugo – Meet Millie; Marcus Welby, MD

New East Coast Guests

Mortimer Frank - Author and authority on Arturo Toscanini

Bobby Ramsen - Comedian

Ruth and Ted Reinhart – Entertainers and radio hosts Jean Rouverol – One Man's Family

Robert Lewis Shayon – Producer and director of "You Are There"

Pat Timberg – Daughter of Sammy Timberg, composer, especially for cartoons

John (Buck) Wilkin – Singer (Ronnie and the Daytonas)

Returnees

Arthur Anderson – Let's Pretend, Mercury Theater George Ansbro – (Announcer) ABC Don Buka – Let's Pretend Cliff Carpenter – County Seat, Terry and the Pirates Fred Foy – (Announcer) The Lone Ranger Pat Hosley – A Brighter Day Will Hutchins – (TV) Blondie; Sugarfoot Elaine Hyman – The Lone Ranger
Teri Keane – Life Can Be Beautiful
Ron Lackmann – Let's Pretend
Corinne Orr – Theater Five; (TV) Voices for Speed Racer
Ruth Last – Let's Pretend; Quiet Please
Bill Owen – (Announcer for ABC)
Rosemary Rice – Archie Andrews; Let's Pretend
Larry Robinson – Let's Pretend
Soupy Sales – TV personality

Events

The following events are **tentatively** scheduled. Time will be announced at convention.

Thursday

Dealers Rooms: 9 am - 5:30 pm

Digital OTR, The Mini Disc Solution (J Galaghler and F Berney)

A Reading (Tom Powers)

Cocktails and Dinner: 5:30 - 8:00

The winning original drama of 2003 (You Are There) written

by Edgar Russell III- Dir. by A. Anderson

Meet Robert Lewis Shavon

Those Were the Days Radio Players from Chicago present Duffy's Tavern "Who Done it In Dorset" with Jack Bivans

Friday (Daytime)

Dealers Rooms: 9 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
What's My Name quiz (Dave Zwengler)
The Greatest Radio Actor (J Galagher)
Cartoons Influenced by Radio (M Hayde)
One on One with Arthur Anderson (D Zwengler)
Bob and Ray (H Stone and B Hastings)
Comedy Panel: (Derek Tague, M L Wallace) with Soupy Sales,
Elena Verdugo, Bobby Ramsen, Jane Kean, Dick Van
Patten. Will Hutchins, Ted Reid
(Re-creation) original presentation by The Gotham Radio Players
"The Battle of the Warsaw Ghetto" by Morton Wishengrad

Friday Night

Cocktails and dinner: 5:30 - 7:45 p.m.

(Re-creation) Great Scenes From Great Plays - Dir. by A. Anderson (Re-creation) My Favorite Husband - Dir. by G Yoggy Ruth and Ted Reinhart

Saturday (Daytime)

Dealers Rooms: 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Who Wants to Be a Millionaire (M Weisberg)
Husband and Wife Detective Teams (Jack French)

Arturo Toscanini (Mortimer Frank with Walfredo Toscanini, grandson)

Judy Garland (G Yoggy)

(Re-creation) by the Dave Warren Players "Baby Snooks"

Children's Shows (G Downs)

Singers, musicians and Big Bands, 8th annual (hosted by Stu Weiss and Brian Gari); guests include Patricia Timberg; Buck Wilkin; Jane Kean

(Re-creation) Sherlock Holmes "The Lost Special" dir by Bill Nadel

Saturday Night

Cocktails and dinner: 5:30 - 7:45 p.m.

(Re-creation) The Green Hornet with Fred Foy, Paul Canegie (dir A Tollin)

Max Morath Reminisces (Tentative)

(Re-creation) (to Be Decided) (dir by Don Ramlow)

Awards, raffle, donations

Sunday Morning

Breakfast from 7:00 am to 9:30; There will be a panel of guests (to be decided) from 9:30 to 11:00 am

Getting There

By Air: Fly to Newark Airport

Free shuttle bus from Newark Airport.

By Bus: Bus service from Manhattan's Port Authority to Newark

Airport: then take shuttle bus.

By Car: From NJ Turnpike, take Exit 14; take second right marked FRONTAGE ROAD after toll booth. DO NOT TAKE FIRST RIGHT which is Rt. 1 & 9. Take second right directly under bridge marked Frontage Road. You must take one of the right - hand tolls and stay on the right.

From Garden State Parkway south of airport, take Exit 140 to Route 22E to Routes 1 & 9 North, local. Follow the sign marked FRONTAGE ROAD. Follow to

hotel.

From Garden State Parkway North of airport: take Exit 142 to I-78 to Exit 58B (**Frontage Road**)
From Newark Airport, exit airport and follow route 1 & 9

By Train: Check your local train schedule

North to FRONTAGE ROAD.

Cost

Reserve your spot as soon as possible. Prepaid tickets are held at the door. Take advantage of our package specials described on attached sheet.

Thursday, October 21; Daytime only (9 am - 5 pm); \$20; \$15 if paid in advance

Thursday, October 21; Daytime and evening including buffet dinner (9 am - closing) \$43.00.

Friday, October 22: Daytime only (9 am - 5:30 pm) \$20.00 if paid in advance; \$25.00 at the door.

Friday, October 22: Daytime and evening including buffet dinner (9 a.m. - closing) \$55.00. Discount of \$5,00 for those over 62 and under 16.

Saturday, October 23: Daytime only (9 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.) \$20.00 if paid in advance; \$25.00 at the door.

Saturday, October 23: Daytime and evening including buffet dinner (9 a.m. - 10:30 p.m.) \$61.00. Discount of \$5.00 for those over 62 and under 16.

Sunday, October 24: Morning including buffet breakfast and panel, 7:00 to 11:00 am: \$20

Complimentary coffee and muffins early Thursday, Friday and Saturday mornings; complimentary hors d'oeuvres Friday and Saturday evenings. Hors d'oeuvres for dinner guests only.

Dealer's Tables are \$75 and \$95 <u>Details on special sheet.</u>

Hotel: Rooms are \$99.99, no matter how many in a room, no matter how many nights. ALL ROOMS MUST BE RESERVED USING THE HI NORTH NUMBER (1-973-589-1000) or 1-973-854-7817 during normal business hours. Ask for ISABEL. Reservation should be placed by September 25th. Rooms are limited. There are other options described on special sheet.

Ads: Ads may be placed in our program book. See attached

Registration

Advance dinner reservations **must** be made. Reservations are limited (Friday 300; Saturday 400). Make checks out to FOTR or Jay Hickerson

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