

OMS 2024 Annual Survey

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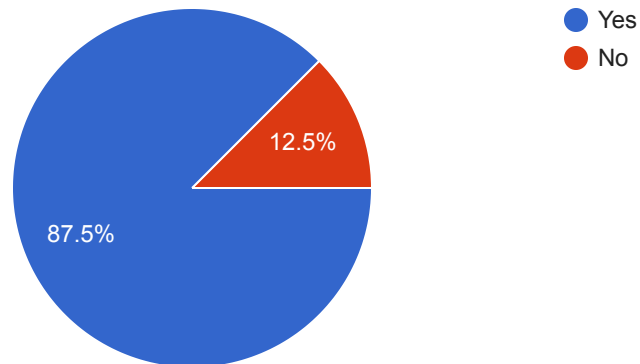


General Information

Are you a current paid (or Lifetime) member of The Omaha Magical Society?

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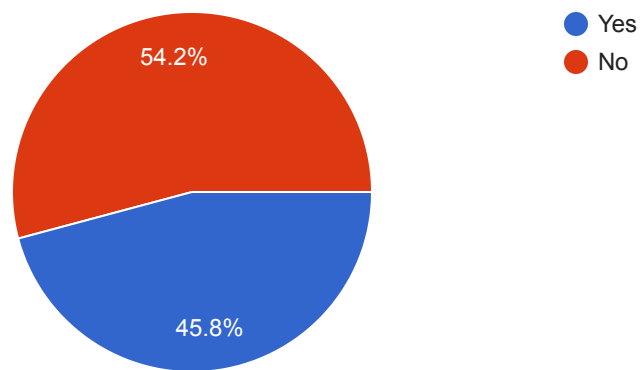
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Are you a current paid member of The Society Of American Magicians?

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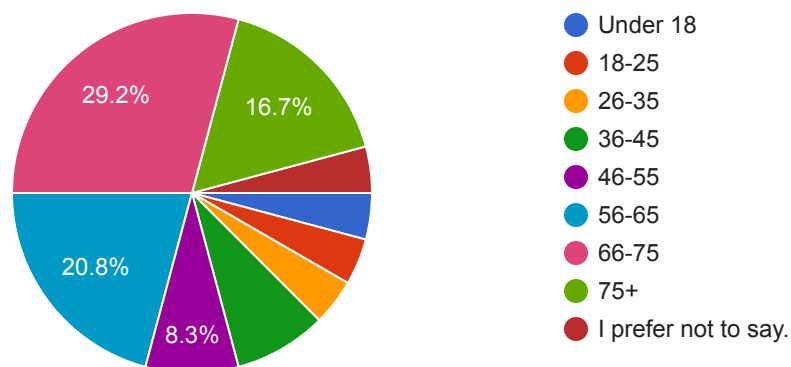
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What's your age?

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What are some of the OMS programs of which you're aware?

20 responses

Boystown event. David Abbott award, Youth Magicians, Hospital videos, Nursing Home visits, regular meetings including Zoom option.

Cares Monday night magic jam sessions on Saturday

Youth magician program, Childrens Hospital magic, Boys Town and retirement home shows

Boystown; Long-term Care; Kids

Junior Magicians program

Magic in the hospitals, CARE

Monday broadcast

Childrens hospitals & Elderly Homes

Numerous

The nursing home program, the magic jams

CARE Team for hospitals and assisted living magic/magic classes/monthly events at training center

Meetings, Annual Picnic at Boys Town. Guest speakers. Performances at senior living facilities.

Monthly meetings. Periodic lectures,

M9nthly meetings, youth, CARE, Children's Hospital,

CARE program at retirement communities. Boy's Town show. Classes for youth. Monthly meeting

CARE, Magic in the Hospitals, Boys Town Picnic.

Young Magicians, Children's hospital videos, Care program, Monday Night Magic, Associate magicians, club video library, Monthly Flash Paper

Magic in the Hospitals, Annual OMS Picnic at Boystown



15x15 cares

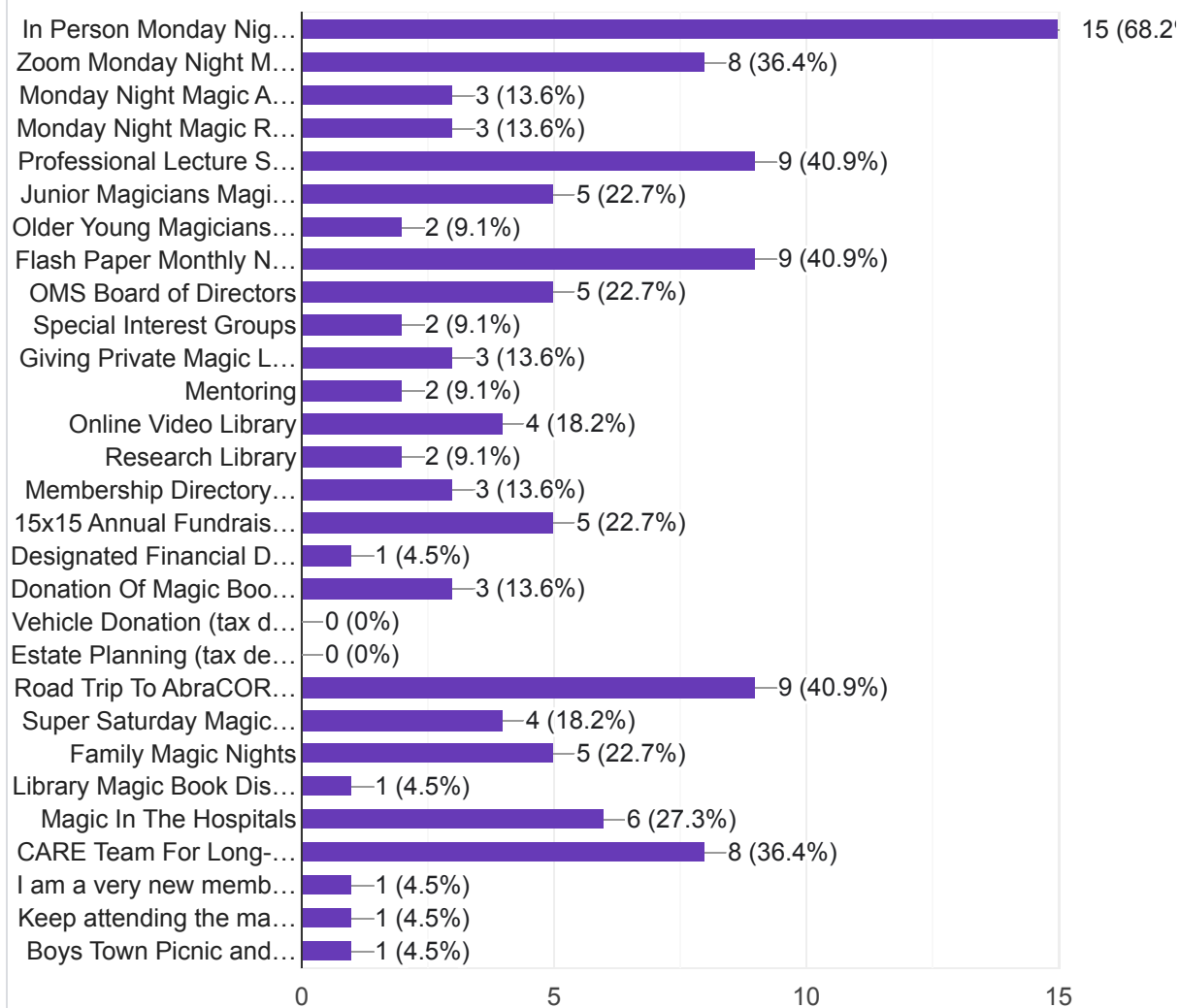
Disc. Magic, associate magicians, Super Saturdays, magic that matures, hospital program, care team, special interest groups, and 15x15

Your Interests

In which of the following OMS programs do you currently participate or would you consider doing so in 2025? Select all that apply. Visit <https://theomahamagicalsociety.org> to read more about any of the following that might interest you.

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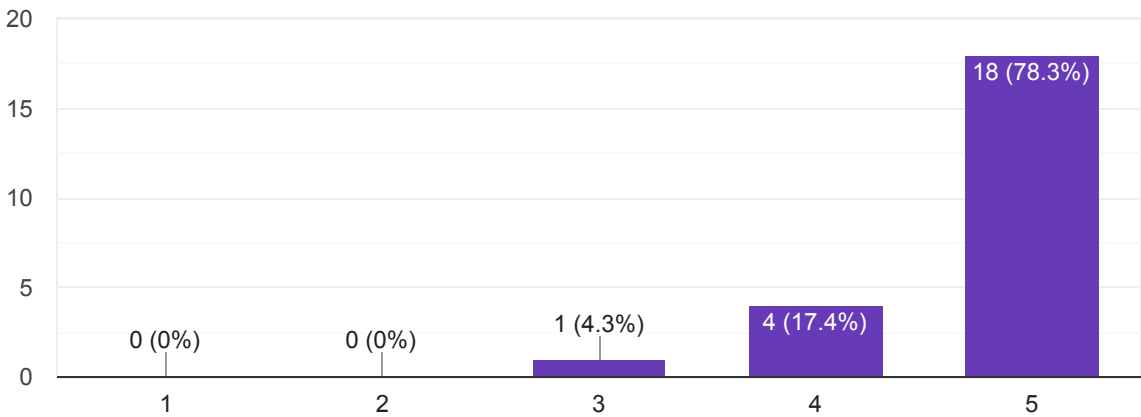
Your Opinion Please



How satisfied are you with the programming provided by The Omaha Magical Society?

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23 responses



Please explain your rating.

16 responses

Great variety of events and support from members has been fantastic.

I am always with the meetings. Speakers are great! Events to promote fellowship are always awesome. I wish I had more time, sometimes, but don't we all!

We feel welcomed and well-cared for

Entertaining and instructive meetings

It's always interesting and fun.

Compared to other groups, engaging, interested, and zoom-friendly.

Group brings happiness to children in hospitals and the elderly in homes

All good

Every year has high quality events and volunteer activities. The Flash newsletter is excellent.

We need to have more magic. Less activities that are not truly magic.

I love OMS, i feel honored to be a member

There is much more going on than I'd have expected!

There are more than enough activities to keep me as busy as I want to be.

Involvement of may keeps members engaged.

We have a nice array of programs

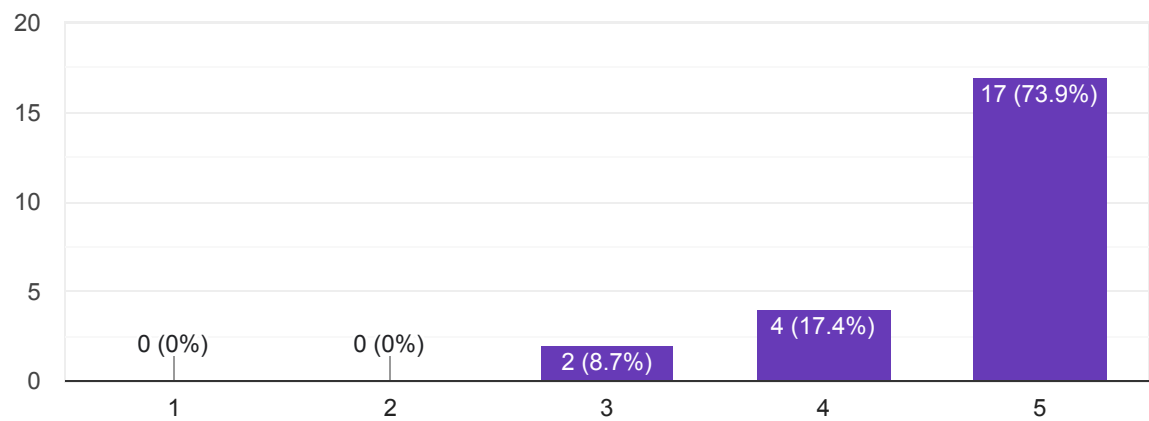
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How satisfied are you with the facilities provided by The Omaha Magical Society?

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23 responses



Please explain your rating.

13 responses

Plenty of seating and good location, lighting in the lot could be improved.

Good location, easy access, plenty of safe parking

The facility is lovely

Clean easy to get to location, with plenty of parking.

No "not applicable" - I am out of state

All good

The room for JMS could be cleaner and have better tables and furniture

The use of large round tables puts people very far from the presenter. When the presenter is doing close up, the second row of tables and further back cannot see very well. One of the lecturers told me that he sold almost nothing. I think that was because his magic was hard to see.

Everything is great

The facility meets our needs.

Nice clean setting

This new venue is well suited for our club meetings. Better than the previous location for sure. Easier to set up and take down.

For the cost our meeting place is excellent



What would you enjoy seeing the club **START** doing in 2025?

16 responses

Include a quick improvement/subtlety to a standard or popular move at the top of a meeting. Nothing more than 5 minutes.

more mentoring

Workshops ie. Coin magic, etc

Maybe a show and tell of a trick you've been working on or are ready to show others.

make club easier (at least as easy as connuring arts reseach) to find online when looking for recipients to donate in-kind.

More teaching of tricks

A program for the homeless children in the Omaha area

Going back to the old meeting format back when meetings were held on Center street.- where basically every meeting was first announcements and then, "bring a trick and show it", everyone took turns going in front of the group and doing a trick. I do miss this format. This is the format that I think most magic groups follow.

better snacks, introduce new members with a bit of a bio, maybe once or twice a year have a very topline, general state of the club report

Use a traditional audience format for those who attend the meeting. They should not be in the back of the hall to accommodate the members who are attending online. This would also allow the presenter to cover more material rather than 10 minutes per table

I cant think of anything.

I'd like to have more hands-on, learning effects opportunities. I enjoy the demos at the monthly meetings. We could also do some build-a-prop activities.

It would be fun to have a group go out and do street magic.

Abbot House

Perhaps a most improved magician award or plaque or certificate.

Family oriented meetings or events (involving spouses, kids, other family members



What would you enjoy seeing the club **CONTINUE** doing in 2025?

18 responses

Boystown event, zoom meetings, hospital videos...actually, everything the club is doing now is good!

I enjoy the competitions and variety of group activities.

everything!

Garage sale

Monday remote sessions.

Close up magic

providing monthly meetings, teaching tricks, talent shows, zoom option

Keep on doing what you are doing

More lectures, all good.

inviting Lecturers, continue Monday Magic activities

Bringing in good lecturers. These have been well received.

Everything is great

CARE program

Boys Town picnic, CARE, Magic in the Hospitals, Monday Night Magic. Also the monthly meeting at AkSarBen although it's difficult to make it there.

All

Magic in the Hospitals

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Events like Wizzards banquet, and Boystown picnic



What would you enjoy seeing the club **STOP** doing in 2025?

11 responses

N/A

I can't really offer a suggestion here. I feel like OMS offers a great variety of opportunities.

That's tough to say... maybe buy small purchase and do a magic routine with it. I see the value, but not my favorite thing by any stretch.

none.

Can't think of anything

Can't think of anything.

nothing

Sitting art round tables during the lectures.

Nothing

Nothing.

I like the current format

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