

To Whom It May Concern;

Please allow me to introduce myself. My name is Dr. Mitch Goodkin and I'm a Shriner and a Noble member of Kismet Shriners located in Hicksville, NY. I am also one of the Shrine clowns of Kismet Clown Unit and the founder of our newly regrouped Kismet Clown Club.

I am NOT asking for a donation; I'm asking you to share the attached flyer with anyone who you think might be interested in an event we're planning.

On **May 4th 2019**, we are presenting **CLOWNING 101** –

- This will be the first event of its kind on Long Island.
- The event will be covered as a human interest story by Channel 12 news.
- This is a full day clown class that will teach participants such skills as: Clowning, Magic tricks, Balloon Twisting, Make-up and Costuming.
- The class has been organized by me; Dr. Mitch Goodkin.
 - an educator with almost 20 years of experience in teaching
 - a semi-professional magician for over 40 years
 - Shriner clown

Why would someone want to take this class? There are many reasons to learn the skills taught in this class.

- It always beneficial for people, both young and old, to learn to learn new skills.
- **It is wonderful to have these skills if your club or organization has parties or events where children are invited and need to be entertained for a while.**
- It is fantastic, as a parent or grandparent who has children or grandchildren, to be able to make magical memories that the young ones will carry with them for a lifetime.
- For an innovative ice-breaker when meeting someone new or in a crowd of people, a simple little magic trick can get people (or clients) talking and have them remember you.

The Details - This is a full day program and lunch will be included.

- The class will be held on Saturday May 4th from 9:00-5:00 at the Kismet Shriners Center Building located at 18 W. Nicholai St., Hicksville, NY 11801 (a short walk from the Long Island Railroad station)
- Each participant will receive a CLOWNING 101 starter's package which has a value of \$49.99 and includes: Balloons and a Hand Held Balloon Pump; Beginners Make-up Kit, Selection of Magic Tricks; and a Certificate of Completion.
- The Donation for enrollment is only \$100 for Adults and \$50 for Children.
 - Children must be accompanied by an adult.
 - (**special discounts for Shriners and Masons)
- The reason we are able to offer this full day class at such a reasonable rate is that it has been sponsored, in part, by generous contributions from our friends at **Forum Novelties, Inc.**

Registration Information - **Seating is limited, so it is recommended to reserve your seat early.**

- To register please send an email to: KismetClowns@gmail.com
- Or you may call me, Dr. Mitch Goodkin at 631-316-1007.
- Your donation fee may be made via check made payable to "Kismet Clowns" or by cash on the day of the class.

All profits from this program get donated through "The Sneaker Fund" to Shriner's Hospitals for Children for pediatric orthopedic and burn care.

More about the Shriner Clowns- As you may, or may not, know, Shrine clowns work as volunteers who perform magic, twist balloons and spread good cheer in an effort to raise awareness and collect donations that go through "The Sneaker Fund" to Shriner's Hospitals for Children for treatment research and patient care. Recognized as leaders in pediatric orthopedic and burn care, Shriners Hospitals for Children is a network of 22 hospitals dedicated to providing specialized pediatric care, innovative research and outstanding teaching programs. The Shriners Hospitals treat children from all over the world, **regardless of the patients' ability to pay.** (www.shrinershospitalsforchildren.org).

I hope you will spread the news of our event either via emails, social media or word of mouth.
(see below for the official flyer)

My Sincerest thanks for the time you've spent in reading this email,

Dr. Mitch Goodkin aka **Dr. Mitch Magic** aka **HOKEY POCUS**

KISMET CLOWN CLUB

Saturday May 4th

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Luncheon Provided

Presents...

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