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## **THE ILLUSIONISTS – MAGIC OF THE HOLIDAYS IS SET FOR 7 P.M. DEC. 4 AT MYSTIC LAKE**

***Tickets on sale now***

PRIOR LAKE, Minn. – Oct. 14, 2022 – The Illusionists - Magic of the Holidays performance originally scheduled for 8 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 4 will now take place at 7 p.m. that night.

The Illusionists previously wowed audiences around the world including engagements on Broadway, London’s West End and on tour around the United States and Canada. This year’s family-friendly show promises even more illusions, close-up magic, mentalism and technological spectacle performed by master entertainers who’ve captivated audiences worldwide.

This all-new installment of the world-famous magic spectacular “The Illusionists” based off the hit Broadway production comes from producers Simon Painter, Cirque du Soleil and MagicSpace Entertainment.

“Our record-breaking Broadway run for The Illusionists – Magic of the Holidays was an incredible hit and we are so excited to bring the show to more audiences around the country,” says Painter. “The show is a perfect way for families and friends to celebrate the holidays together and see amazing illusionists perform on stage.” For more information, visit [theillusionistslive.com](http://theillusionistslive.com).

### **TICKET INFORMATION**

Tickets to see The Illusionists – Magic of the Holidays at 7 p.m. on Sunday, Dec. 4, in the Mystic Showroom are now available starting at \$25. Guests under 18 must be accompanied by an adult and enter through the hotel entrance. Contact the Mystic Box Office at 952-496-6563 or visit [mysticlake.com](http://mysticlake.com) for more details.

**Event:** The Illusionists – Magic of the Holidays  
**Date & Time:** 7 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 4, 2022  
**Place:** Mystic Showroom®  
**Tickets:** Starting at \$25  
**On sale:** 10 a.m. Friday, Sept. 23, 2022

### **ABOUT SIMON PAINTER, CREATIVE PRODUCER**

Simon Painter is a visionary creative producer and entrepreneur based in Los Angeles. Originally from London, Simon began his career as a classical violinist, but soon transitioned to producing and creating commercial theater. Over the past 10 years, Simon has been at the forefront of the live entertainment industry, having launched and managed major performance venues and conceived, created and produced acclaimed productions such as “Adrenaline” and “Le Noir.”

His first show, “Le Grand Cirque,” smashed box office records at the Sydney Opera House, selling over 40,000 tickets in 10 days. In 2012, in collaboration with Tim Lawson, Painter

founded The Works Entertainment and created “The Illusionists,” which became the biggest-selling magic show in Broadway history. The franchise expanded with the stunning sequels “The Illusionists 2.0,” “The Illusionists 1903 - The Golden Age of Magic” and the Lionsgate collaboration “Now You See Me Live.” In 2019, Painter sold The Works Entertainment to global circus powerhouse Cirque du Soleil, where he continues to produce and develop breathtaking spectacles for audiences around the world. He recently co-created Cirque du Soleil’s latest resident production “Mad Apple,” which has been lauded as the new gold standard for Vegas shows.

#### **ABOUT MAGICSPACE ENTERTAINMENT**

MagicSpace Entertainment is a boutique producing and presenting firm focused on first-class properties and productions. Based in Park City, Utah, the company has produced and presented national tours, Broadway shows, concerts, museum exhibits and sporting events worldwide for over 40 years with a powerhouse producing team focused on providing creative, marketing and general management expertise. For more information, visit [magicspace.net](http://magicspace.net).

#### **ABOUT MYSTIC LAKE CASINO HOTEL**

Owned and operated by the Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community, Mystic Lake Casino Hotel is the premier gaming facility in the Midwest. Mystic Lake® creates original and exciting entertainment experiences for its guests with gaming, distinctive bars and restaurants, indoor and outdoor concert venues, unique special events, and luxurious accommodations, all just 25 minutes southwest of Minneapolis/Saint Paul. In 2018, Mystic Lake opened Mystic Lake Center®, a new event space and hotel tower. Offering state-of-the-art technology, this 70,000-square-foot venue hosts groups of all sizes for conferences, expos, weddings and other events. With 766 new and renovated modern hotel rooms, Mystic Lake is one of the largest hotels in the Twin Cities area.

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