

Believing is Seeing: Creating the Possible From the Impossible

I. Layout of the show:

- A. Jason will perform a 25 - 30 minute show including...
 1. Amazing magic effects that the kids will enjoy
 2. Some interesting facts about magic
 3. Jason also touches on Self-esteem, persistence, the value of creativity and perception vs. reality
- B. Jason will then take a few minutes to share his story/ background.
 1. How he grew up in foster care.
 2. How and why he got into magic.
 3. How he learned a lot of the magic he does.
- C. We will then open it up to questions from the audience.
 1. Jason will NOT answer any questions at all about how a magic trick is accomplished or performed.
 2. It would be a great help to have both students and teachers ask questions.
 3. Please advise students that there will be a Q&A so they can think about questions ahead of time
 4. It may also be helpful to brainstorm questions in class - that way teachers can help guide the students to asking great questions and point out students during the Q&A that had great questions

II. Some facts about Illusionist, Jason Bishop and his show:

- A. Jason Bishop
 1. Jason was in foster care from the age of 7 until he turned 18
 2. He has several siblings. Some biological and others foster.
 3. He spent a lot of time reading books about magic - and still does today.
- B. The Show
 1. We tour all year long.
 2. Magic has taken us to well over 20 countries as well as most of the United States
 3. We have performed on cruise ships
 4. Jason's first paid performance was for the foster care agency he was a part of
 5. Jason is an internationally-recognized, award-winning illusionist

III. Some good topics to have questions about:

- A. Magic (but not how specific tricks are done)
- B. Foster Care
- C. Travel
- D. How to achieve a dream that other people don't believe in

*To learn more about The Jason Bishop Show visit his website
www.TheJasonBishopShow.com.*