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**PRESS RELEASE**

**Night of Wonder Magic Show Oct. 26**  
*Wylie Hosts Family-Friendly Event, Weeklong Celebration*

**Wylie, TX, Sept. 20, 2017** – The City of Wylie proudly presents the third annual Night of Wonder, a family-fun magic show featuring award-winning act, Becker Magic. The event will be Thursday, Oct. 26, from 7 to 8 pm, at FBC Wylie Event Center, 200 N. Ballard Ave., in historic downtown Wylie, hosted by “Magic Mayor” Eric Hogue. Night of Wonder is held in conjunction with Boo on Ballard, the annual trick-or-treat event, and is the culmination of the weeklong Magic Festival, the Magic of Wylie, Oct. 23 – 26.

Becker Magic stars Fred and Bobbie Becker, an award-winning husband-and-wife team of illusionists slated to appear on CW33’s “Penn & Teller: Fool Us” 8 pm Monday, Sept. 25. The episode will be rebroadcast Oct. 6. The Beckers’ clean magic and comedy show has been described as a “feel-good, fun-entertainment, tour-de-force,” that will leave audience members grinning and saying, “How did they do that?” Fred Becker has performed at the famed Magic Castle in Hollywood and for President Ronald and Nancy Reagan.

“Magic Mayor” Eric Hogue, also an accomplished magician and a member of the Society of American Magicians, the International Brotherhood of Magicians and the Dallas Magic Club, will act as master of ceremonies.

Tickets for Night of Wonder are \$10 and can be purchased online. Visit [WylieTexas.gov/Magic](http://WylieTexas.gov/Magic) for more information. Proceeds benefit Wylie Fire Rescue.

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During the week of Oct. 23, magicians will perform in restaurants on Ballard Avenue and on the street during Boo on Ballard, from 6 to 8 pm Oct. 26. Boo on Ballard is presented by the City of Wylie and the Wylie Downtown Merchants Association. Visit [DiscoverWylie.com](http://DiscoverWylie.com) for more information.

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