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## Happy Birthday, Dear Stan!

Join us at the next meeting of the Way Out West Tent to celebrate the 136<sup>th</sup> birthday of Stan Laurel with a very special program. The date is Tuesday, June 16<sup>th</sup> and our film program features Stan as Rhubarb Vaselino in 'Mud & Sand' and the L&H classics 'Scram!' and 'Be Big.' We will also screen chapter three of 'Drums of Fu Manchu' and my favorite Popeye cartoon as well as a VERY rare clip of Stan and Ollie greeting the MGM Sales Convention in 1930!

The doors open at 6:00 PM with the program beginning at 6:45 PM. As always, we meet at the Mayflower Club at 11110 Victory Blvd in North Hollywood, California. We will celebrate with some special Patty Cakes cupcakes with a Laurel-twist! Yes, I'm talking mustachio flavored!

We will also have a FINAL San Diego convention update from Dave Griem, as the convention is the following week.

**TUESDAY, JUNE 16<sup>TH</sup>**





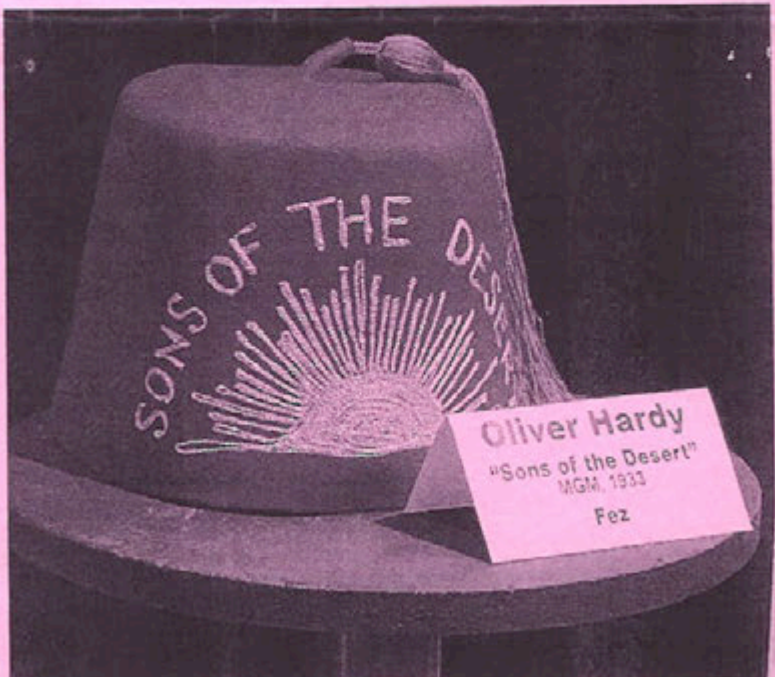
The ACTUAL screen worn badges from The Midnight Patrol are on display!



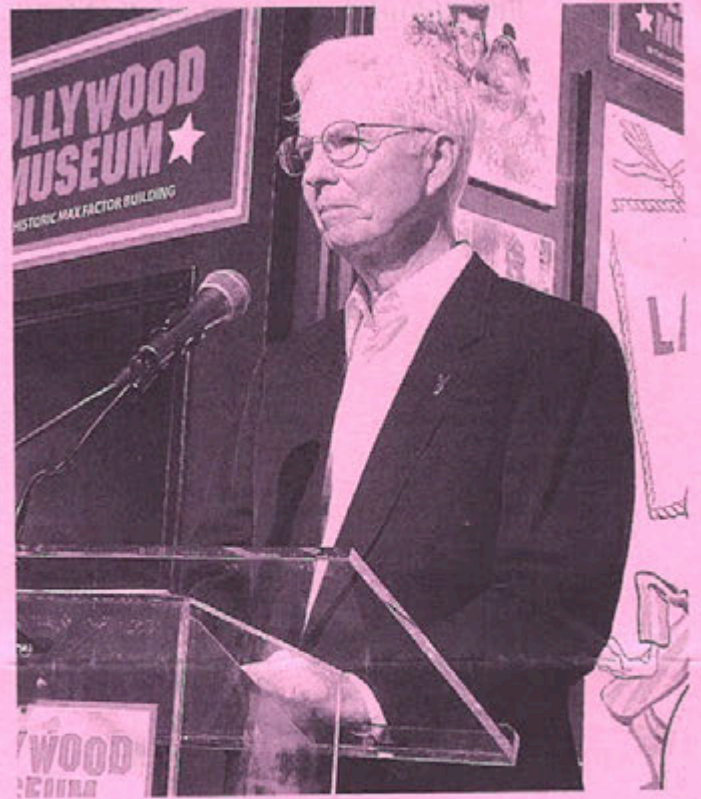
This is Oliver Hardy's ACTUAL fez he wore in Sons of the Desert! Stan's is here too!! Just to be in the presence of these fezzes is an honor!

These are the costumes the Boys wore in The Bullfighters with Rick's one-sheet for the film behind them!

Here are a few of my favorite parts of the 100 Years of Comedy: Laurel & Hardy exhibit at the Hollywood Museum at Hollywood and Vine. DO NOT MISS this incredible exhibit! Our own Bob Satterfield has curated some jaw dropping memorabilia honoring our Boys.



Oliver Hardy  
"Sons of the Desert!"  
MGM, 1933  
Fez



Some of our more prominent Way Out West Tent members spoke at the PREMIERE of the new 100 Years of Comedy: Laurel & Hardy exhibit at the Hollywood Museum: Cassidy Cook, Richard W. Bann, Rick Greene and Bob Satterfield.

