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LITTLE  
MAGIC TO  
HILO ELKS  
LODGE**



Approximately 250 children and adults took a little time off from the hustle and bustle of the holiday season shopping on Saturday November 24th to enjoy the annual WORLD OF MAGIC Show in Hilo, HI. sponsored by Hilo Elks Lodge No. 759.

The children loved Greg Gabaylo, the amazing juggler from Oahu who preceded the comedic magician, the Great Barusky. Both of these men had children coming on stage to help them with their tricks of the trade, which made the event even more fun!

Genie Ruddle, speech-language pathologist who provides services on the Big Island, spoke briefly in between entertainers about the Major Project that has been a great support to the children of Hawaii since 1965.

Last but not least, Santa made his appearance and handed out hand-sewn goodie bags filled with little toys to all the keiki children. This annual event is a wonderful event that is always looked forward to by Big Island residents. Some children from Genie's caseload attended and traveled over one and half hours just to attend, so you know it was a "Magical" event filled with aloha as always! Mahalo nui, Hilo Elks!

