

January 13, 2016

It might have been the weather, but only 13 members showed up for the meeting. 1st V.P. Linda Michalak was in control as she appointed me Sheriff. She brought up "the artist formerly known as Mark V.", to lead us in "God Bless America". Then she brought up de-frocked pastor Mike Marxer, to perform the evening's blessing.

Good news was in the air, as prospective new member, Abdullah Hammoud was in attendance. He gave "Happy Dollars", along with Al for the President's State of the Union speech. Leon Bergeron gave "Happy Bucks" in honor of "The Donald". Larry Jackson surrendered "Happy Dollars" for the cool R.E. Lee coffee cup his pal Al Holmes gave him.

After dinner, Ray Scorboria recited his poem "Poetivity" to the audience. Al Holmes said that Rick Baker, who is Florida, has agreed to be the "Big Goober" this year.

Our program for the evening, was on the women's International organization "Zonta". First V.P. Linda, who is an very active member in the group, gave us the history of the association. They have been around since the early 1900s, and are working with the United Nations, in combating diseases throughout the world. It was a very educational talk.

There were plenty of birthdays celebrated with off-key singing. "Happy Birthday" to Leon, Ray, John Curran, and Norm.

The Linda asked Past President Tom Gillespie to lead us in the "Kiwanis Song", which he did, in the Joe Stewart version.

Al said that the date "Peanut Sale Dinner" will be announced soon. So if you were on the winning team, be sure you show up for your steak.

Nevermore,
E.A. Poe

January 20th-K of C-Program with Carter Bundy from State of Michigan, Attorney General's office

February 10th-HEMLOCK CABIN-Annual Winter Cook-out