## January 6, 2016

It was the first meeting of the New Year. Al Holmes was at his table checking everyone in. Sheriff Mike Marxer was collecting donations, and 1st VP Linda Michalak was running the meeting, since El Presidente' Killian was in Florida collecting sea shells.

Richard Nettlow lead the chorus in "God Bless America", and did a great job with his baton movements (minus the baton). Patty Richardson gave the evening's blessing. Ray Scorboria was the night's "Mystery Man."

Al Holmes gave some Happy bucks for the "Republicans vacating table #1", and then someone tried to fine the sheriff.

Adrienne showed up with a guest, some "Big Cheese" from Boar's Head, and many of the "Republicans" returned to table #1 to sit with her and her guest for dinner.

Jerry Assenmacher was at my table, wearing a Jerry Garcia "Liquid fusion tie", and Norm Record said he had never heard of Mr. Garcia. Guess Norm missed the '60's.

The speaker for the evening was Larry Jackson, who gave a very interesting & informative presentation on the "Battle of Gettysburg". Larry talked about the tragic loss of American lives on both sides, along with the stragedy that was used during the fighting. And he even slid in Elvis at the end of the talk. If you weren't able to attend, you missed a wonderful talk.

Then it was time for Committee meetings and a Board meeting. I didn't attend to Board meeting, so I cannot provide you with any information about what transpired.

Hope we see you @ next week's meeting.

Keep on Truckin', Phil Lesh