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Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Our next regular meeting will be held on Tuesday, December 13th, at 11:30 A.M. It will be held at Houligan's Sports Grill, located at 1643 U.S. Highway #1, Ormond Beach, Fl., 32174. All members and their spouses are invited, as usual.

Our theatre excursion to the Limelight Theatre went off very well. We had an excellent dinner at the Raintree Restaurant, and then caught "Oklahoma" at the theatre, which is right around the corner. We are planning another theatre trip to the Limelight on Saturday, April 22nd to see the show " I Ought to be in Pictures". It's the same plan, dinner at 5 PM, and the show at 7:30. The price is the same as last time, \$26.00/person for the show.

Please welcome our new member, Ralph Pasquarello, who signed on at our last meeting.

The presidential election has just ended, and it's a worst case scenario. Donald Trump is our next president; this is like Ronald Reagan without the dementia. He will be giving tax breaks to the one-percenters and gutting our social programs. Paul "the weasel" Ryan can't wait to get his hands on Medicare and replace it with a voucher system. Supply-side economics, giving tax breaks to the very wealthy and hoping it trickles down to the rest of us, is a scam. Its just regressive taxation by another name. The government can't run on air, it needs revenue and it looks like the working poor are about to be squeezed again.

Joe Golan will be collecting for his Christmas Come True bicycle fund at the next meeting. Please be generous, as this is a worthy project.

Yours truly,
Harvey Lydecker