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Newsletter of the Civil War Round Table of the Ozarks

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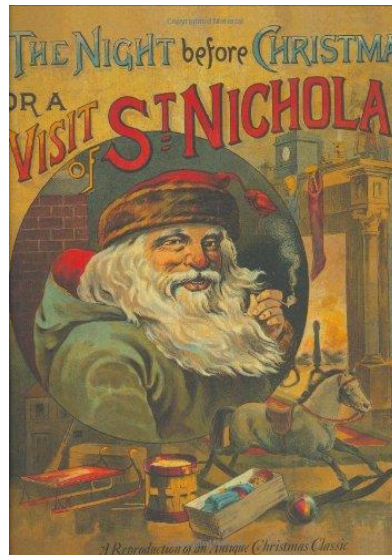
December Dinner Meeting

Wednesday, December 14

The Library Center

5:30 p.m.

Set-up begins at 4



Keep reading for more information and a special

President's Message written by

Janey Kinsley!

TWAS THE WEEK BEFORE CHRISTMAS AND IN THE LIBRARY
 NOT A CREATURE WAS STIRRING, EXCEPT FOR THE PERRYS.
 NO STOCKINGS WERE HUNG, NO CHIMNEY IN SIGHT;
 NO FAT LITTLE ROUND MAN HAD SHOWN UP TONIGHT.
 ALL DECKED OUT IN HOLIDAY KERCHIEFS AND CAPS
 STUFFING OURSELVES BEFORE LONG WINTER NAPS.
 THE MEMBERS AND GUESTS ALL MADE SUCH A CLATTER
 AS THEY ENTERED ALL LOADED WITH FOOD ON THEIR PLATTERS.
 JACKIE AND KAREN, RELIEVED OF THEIR SNACKS,
 MARVELED OBSERVING THE MOUNTAINOUS STACKS.
 AS SNOW BEGAN FALLING I RAN TO SEE OUT
 WITH VISIONS OF REINDEER AND GIVING A SHOUT.
 MY CHILDHOOD REFLECTIONS HEARD CLEARLY 8 NAMES;
 THE ROOF OF THE RAY HOUSE BECAME REINDEER GAMES.
 WHILE OUT ON THE WIRE ROAD THERE WAS SUCH A CLATTER,
 I PEEKED OUT TO SEE JUST WHAT WAS THE MATTER.
 THE LITTLE ROUND FAT MAN HAD FINALLY APPEARED
 FROM ROOFTOPS TO CHIMNEY AND SNOW IN HIS BEARD.
 SMOKE CURLED AROUND FROM THE STUMP OF A PIPE
 ENCIRCLED HIS HEAD LIKE AN LED LIGHT.
 NOW THE PARTY WAS READY ALL, ESSENTIALS ON BOARD;
 A NEW RETRO SLEIGH PROGRAMMED AND RESTORED.
 ALL PISTONS WERE FIRING NO TIME TO RETREAT
 AS JOHN WISHED HAPPY CHRISTMAS TO ALL
 AND SHOUTED OUT, "LET'S EAT!"
CHRISTMAS WISHES / HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL! JD AND JANEY

Food Donations so far:

Paper goods / cutlery – Round Table
 Ham – Round Table
 Turkey – Walt Hamer
 1 gallon sweet / 1gallon unsweetened tea / rolls – Sarah Cunningham

Vegetables // Side Dishes

Mashed potatoes – Janet and Bill Perry
 Deviled eggs – Janey Kinsley
 Frozen fruit salad – Jacquie Faenger
 Side Dish – Dan Cunningham

Desserts

Sheet cake – Janey Kinsley
 Blackberry cobbler – Janet Perry
 Pie – Jim Gallion
 Pumpkin pie – Jim and Dori Scaminaci
 Brownies – Bill and Nancy Piston

Please email Janet Perry and let her know what you would like to bring!

The Civil War Round Table of the Ozarks

November 9,2022

President John Kinsley called meeting to order at 6:30 pm, followed by the Pledge and a Prayer.

Minutes from last meeting approved.

Treasurer's report was given by Tim Noonan.

Walt Hamer gave membership report of 54 members, noting no change since last meeting.

Jan Perry gave a report on our Christmas meeting. The Round Table will provide ham, plates, napkins, etc. The room will open at 4:00 and the dinner starts at 5:30.

Sarah Cunningham gave a report on The Battlefield. She noted the Luminary Tour which occurred on the previous weekend and invited members to the Star Party on Nov. 11.

A nomination of officers as follows:

Bill Piston, President

Jim Gallion, Vice-president

Connie Langum, Program chair

Tim Noonan, Treasurer

Bill Perry, Secretary

Walt Hamer, Membership chair

Dan Cunningham, at-large

Book Raffle, Jan Perry

Attention brought to Veterans Day observance; “Taps” will be performed by ROTC at the Visitors’ Center, Friday, November 11, at 11:00.

Books for raffle described by Bill Piston.

Break at 6:47; return to business at 7:00.

Jan Perry introduced Tim Noonan who gave a program on Samuel R Watkins and how he navigated the Civil War through so many battles that he miraculously survived and wrote a memoir, *Co. Aytch*.

After the book drawing the meeting was adjourned.

Special December Silent Auction and Sale of Books and Other Donated Items.

As on previous occasions, we will have a silent auction, but we will also have items for sale, beginning at 5 p.m. Get there early for the best selection.

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