

Help!

President Steve told us at last week's meeting that we were being evicted from our present office and that we must be out by the last day of March. We knew this was coming - my desk is about where the produce department of Publix will be in the new First Street Village development. Unfortunately we have not made a deal on a new office location, yet - although we've looked at a number of places. Still have a couple that are possible, but we can't wait.

So, we talked it over and made the following decision. Because we will all be busy during the month of March parking cars for the Red Sox - first game on the 3rd, last on the 30th - we will move out in February! But where?

Here's the deal. Our member, Skip Rollins, who runs the local operation for Ray The Mover (owned by John Smarge a member of the Rotary Club of Naples, Past District Governor and good friend) will pick up and move to their storage facility all of our stuff and then redeliver it to new location, when we have one - ALL GRATIS! Now all we've got to do is get it ready for them! This is a busy time of year for Skip so we had to set a date that he could schedule a truck and crew to move us - the date is WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 22, two weeks from tomorrow.

Now here's where YOU come in - we need help, and lots of it. When we moved to present location from across the parking lot we could only get about four other members to help, and we did a lot of the moving ourselves. Since then I've run over a bumpy road and ain't what I used to be and am damn near useless as far as any physical work goes and Cherry has had serious back surgery which has slowed her down a bit, but we'll be here for our work day this SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11th, from 8 AM till . . . ? No need to sign up - just show up. If we get it all done on the 11th, fine - but we may ask for more help on the following Saturday.

Everything will be going into storage except what we need to keep things going. We'll take the computer, printer, scanner, copy machine, etc. to our house and set up there for the duration. We've checked with Sprint and find that our phone lines can be moved to the house, so there'll be no change there. After thinking about it we'll have to do that this week so that the desk, etc. will be clear for disassembling.

It's going to be a lot of fun - don't miss it!

O CANADA

O Canada!

Our home and native land!

True patriot love in all thy sons command.

With glowing hearts we see thee rise,

The True North strong and free!

From far and wide,

O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.

God keep our land glorious and free!

O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.

O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.

THE STAR SPANGLED BANNER

Oh, say can you see, by the dawn's early light,

What so proudly we hailed at the twilight's last gleaming?

Whose broad stripes and bright stars, through the perilous fight,

O'er the ramparts we watched, were so gallantly streaming?

And the rockets' red glare, the bombs bursting in air,

Gave proof through the night that our flag was still there.

O say, does that star-spangled banner yet wave

O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?

February Board of Directors Meeting

When: Tuesday February 14, 2006 - 7 AM.

Where: The Club Office.

Who: Officers and Directors - Members Welcome.

Birthdays ~ Charlotte Rafferty 8 / John McGowan 11. \$121.00

Make-ups ~ Mesa, Az. - Will Prather. Key West, Sunset - Robert Garland. Lehigh Acres - Bill Opp. Fort Myers South - Darlene Grossman, Len Darsey, Bob Himschoot, Dave Springer. eClub One - Tom Reese.