

The Reminder



December, 2022

Senior Men's Club, Birmingham, Michigan

President's Year End Report



Swarn G. Rajpal
President

As our Senior Men's Club of Birmingham's 65th year comes to an end, I will pass on the gavel to the next President, Paul Kovceses, in January.

This gavel is the tool to ring the club's meeting bell. It is like a baton in a relay event, passing responsibilities for SMCB leadership, traditions, and assets to each new President. Our historians tell us our gavel and bell have existed for over 50 years, but there is no available documentation of its origins.

Our club has emerged from the Community House and COVID pandemic eras in good shape. We began this year with restructured organizational governance, a new home at the Baldwin

Library for our business and committee meetings, and the Iroquois Club as the banquet facility for our marquee Friday programs.

SMCB is financially strong with growing membership and thriving with vibrant activities.

Rooted in our strategic plan adopted early in the year, we have established the SMCB as a premier brand in the community for senior men. The Friday meeting experience of camaraderie, tradition, great speakers, and fine food distinguishes our brand from other senior groups. Our dictum is to live by volunteer service to our colleagues and to the community at large. It brings us gratification and purpose in our retired lifestyles. We achieve excellence by responding to member feedback, a hallmark of continuous improvement.

I want to thank the members of our club who support our leaders and committee chairs. We treat each other with dignity and respect, and we believe in inclusion, diversity, and equity. Our leaders take the initiative and, working hard with positive energy, dedicate themselves to making outstanding contributions. The life and activities of the SMCB depend on the efforts of these leaders and the support of all members.

Many are not aware of the complexity of running this organization of over 540 members. Some of the leadership contributions during the current year are recognized below. We thank all of them on behalf of SMCB.

Swarn Rajpal– Governance, Service, Inspiration, Persuasion, Consistency, Do the right thing, (Satyagraha - Truth Force)
Tony Parrottino - History. / Paul Kovceses – Strategic plan, Awards, Life member induction
Larry Imerman – Friday meeting management with speaker recruitment, speaker evaluation and gift, lunch menu and ambience. / Jim Zyla – Friday meeting Welcome group
Robert Sparks – Friday meeting Electronic Registration

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December Speakers

Paul Kovceses – Speaker Chair

December 2nd **Joe Benvenuto - Chief Operating Officer, LIFTbuild**
"Moving On Up: Building from the Top, Down in Detroit"

December 9th..... **Bloomfield Hills High School Jazz Band**
"Performing Holiday Favorites"

Fellowship • Shared Interest • Community Service



2022 HOLIDAY PARTY NOTICE



This is the final notice for our annual Senior Men's Club of Birmingham Holiday Dinner Dance on Tuesday, December 13, at the San Marino Club in Troy, located on the north side of Big Beaver Road between Rochester and John R. Roads. As usual, our evening will begin with a social reception at 5:30 PM featuring an antipasto table of chips, cheese, and crackers with veggies, dip and punch. We will be seated at 6:45 PM for announcements and introductions, followed by dinner at 7 PM and dancing thereafter until 10:15 PM. Free valet parking service will be provided.

Tickets for this event are \$65 per person and will be on sale at our Friday meetings through December 9. Tickets are also available directly from Tony DiMarco at 248-643-7368. Reserved tables are available upon request, or we will be happy to arrange seating for couples and/or singles as well. Tables will accommodate a maximum of 8 persons for COVID distancing reasons. Table reservation forms are available at the Special Events table at Friday morning meetings.

We have invited the members of NEXT and the Women's Club to join us. Please consider inviting friends and relatives to join you! We ask that groups reserving tables please designate ONE person to collect the ticket fees for the group and make one payment for the table. Note any special dietary requests on the reservation form.

Dinner will be served family style (all you can eat), with entrées passed around at each table. The menu will include Farfalle Alfredo and a mixed green salad with all entrées. Dinner entrées will include Tenderloin of Beef with mushrooms, Chicken Piccata with capers and artichoke hearts, or baked Orange Roughy with lemon garnish; along with side dishes of peas with mushrooms and buttered redskin potatoes. Dinner will conclude with a raspberry sundae dessert. Gluten-free and vegetarian alternative entrées are available upon prior request on your signup sheet.



A cash bar will be available throughout the evening, with cocktails at \$8, wine at \$6, beer at \$4, and free soft drinks/coffee/tea. The San Marino Club will be festively decorated in a Christmas motif with flowers and candles at each table. Dave Tatrow's four-piece stringed instruments group The Waifs (with a vocalist) will entertain us through the evening, opening with a salute to the Armed Forces, followed by a sing-along and seasonal favorites for our listening and dancing pleasure, and the SMCB Chorus will serenade us with songs of the season. Again this year, the US Marines will be collecting unwrapped unused Toys for Tots at the party.

This is one of the most popular and successful annual SMCB events, so please make your reservations now!

2023 LUNCH REGISTRATION CHANGES

Lunch reservations are an important part of the success of Friday meetings. To encourage all members wishing to eat lunch to make reservations by the Wednesday prior to a Friday meeting, the Club Board of Directors has voted to charge an extra \$5 fee for those walking into the meeting without a reservation and wanting lunch. The charge for lunch starting on January 3, 2023, and thereafter is as follows:.

- With a reservation: \$20
- Without a reservation: \$25

Once a lunch reservation is received, a reply email is sent confirming the reservation. It is strongly recommended that the confirmation email be retained and shown if an issue arises.

Also, all members are strongly encouraged to notify the Club if they plan to attend the meeting, even if not eating lunch. An accurate meeting count allows the Iroquois Club to ensure there are enough chairs available.

Larry Imerman



Life Member Article

As first Vice President of the Senior Men's Club, I was recently honored to induct Gordon Allardyce (September 30th) and A. Robert (Bob) Stevenson (October 7th) and James E. Labes as new Life Members.

An active member who has attained eighty-five years of age and has been a member for 10 consecutive years is eligible for this status. Also, a Life Member is no longer required to pay dues; however, many continue to do so. Gordon was born September 24, 1937 in Saginaw, MI, to James and Donelda Allardyce. He had two older brothers, Jim and Don.

Gordon graduated from Saginaw High School in 1955, then attended the University of Michigan where he received a Bachelor of Science in Materials Engineering in 1960. Gordon began his career at Chrysler Corporation where he attended the Chrysler Institute and received a Master of Science in Automotive Engineering in 1962.

He continued his education in night school, first at Wayne State University where he received another MS degree, this time in Metallurgical Engineering, in 1967, then at U of M for a Master of Business Administration degree in 1970.

To even further his education, Gordon continued in night school at the Detroit College of Law and received his Juris Doctor Degree in 1975.

During Gordon's 41-year career with Chrysler Corporation he held many positions in research, engineering and environmental activities. He was Director of Vehicle Certification Programs prior to his retirement in 2001.

After retirement, Gordon worked part-time for several years as an environmental engineering consultant as well as an attorney with a local law firm.

Gordon lives in Orchard Lake and served two terms on the Orchard Lake city council. He and his wife Carol have been married 57 years and are members at Kirk in the Hills where he has served on many committees. Gordon and Carol have enjoyed their travels across the United States and overseas. They spend several months each year at their second home on Lake Huron as well as their condo in Naples, Florida.

Over the years as a SMC member, Gordon has been active in the Investment Study and Reading Groups.

Bob was born October 22, 1937 in Chicago, IL.

His parents moved their family to the Birmingham area in 1947. Bob graduated from Seaholm High in 1955. He graduated from Kenyon College in Gambier, OH in 1959, earning a Bachelor of Arts degree in Economics.

Soon after graduation he joined the US Air Force and became a lieutenant stationed at Fairchild Air Force base in Spokane, WA serving from 1959 to 1962.

Bobs' post graduate education garnered several degrees: a Bachelor of Laws (LLB) from University of Detroit in 1964, a Master of Law (LLM) in Labor from Wayne State and Advanced Management Program (AMP) from Harvard.

He joined Fischer, Sprague, Franklin and Ford in 1964 and was an associate. Bob then moved to Kmart Corporation and enjoyed a 30-year career as a Corporate Attorney (Labor), Assistant General Counsel and VP Public Affairs before retirement in 1995.

His post retirement "career" is just as impressive. Bob has served as an Attorney for Bloomfield Village, as an Arbitrator for the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority (stock brokers), the Center for Dispute Settlement (automotive lemon law) and Michigan Employment Relations Commission (teachers, police and fire) and Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (Discrimination). He has been a mediator for the US Postal Service and Oakland Mediation Center (District and Circuit cases).

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While at Kmart, Bob was on the Detroit Symphony Board, Treasurer of the Music Hall, served on the Executive Committee of Detroit Regional Chamber of Commerce, Chair of Government and Legal Affairs Committee of the National Retail Merchants Association and Chair of the Business Round Table Education Reform for Michigan. Subsequent to retirement he has been President of the Bloomfield Lions Club, a volunteer at Saint Dominic's Soup Kitchen, President of Loaves and Fishes of Southwest Detroit, President of the Executive Club of Naples, FL and a volunteer driver for Meals on Wheels.

Bob and his wife Sue were married in 1966 and reside in Birmingham and attend Holy Name Church. They spend the winter months in Naples Florida. They have 3 sons and 5 grandchildren.

Bob joined SMCB in 2005 and has been an involved member of the Special Events Committee and has chaired the annual picnic (bringing ice cream) for many years. He also enjoys the Monday Reading group discussions. Also, a 46-year member of the Birmingham Athletic Club, he enjoys tennis, squash, sailing, golf and biking.

Jim was born July 30, 1932.

He graduated from Hyde Park High School in Chicago, then attended the University of Michigan earning a Bachelor degree. He received his Medical Degree from the University of Illinois.

Jim served his Country by joining the US Army and was stationed at Fort Eustis in Newport News, VA. He served from 1963 to 1965.

Jim was an accomplished OB-GYN doctor, starting with the Feld, Weinberg practice which evolved into the Labes, Babaoff & Banooni practice. He was also a VERY Busy doctor, having delivered over 4,000 babies during his career.

Jim married his sweetheart Ellen in 1956. They have 3 children and 6 grandchildren.

Jim and Ellen reside in Bloomfield Township and attend Congregation Shaarey Zedek.

Jim joined the Club in 2012, and has enjoyed the Club's Investment, Reading and Golf activities over the years.

Jim would like to publicly extend his heartfelt appreciation to Jon Haber for introducing him to the Club.

Please welcome our newest Life Members – Gordon Allardyce, Bob Stevenson and Jim Labes

Submitted by: Paul A. Kovceses



Gordon Allardyce



Bob Stevenson

* No photo of Jim Labes available

SMC FOUNDATION NEWS

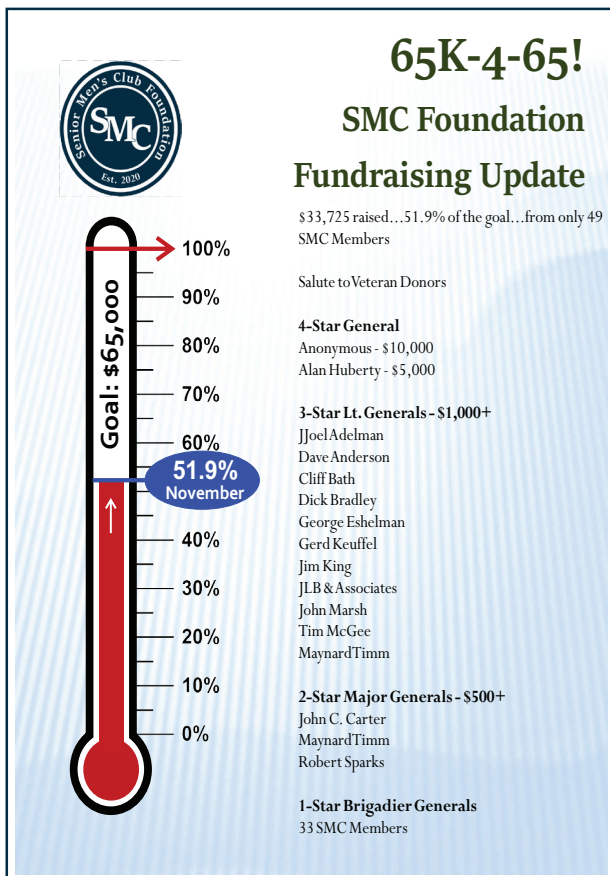
Three years ago a small group of SMC members met to discuss the merits of establishing a SMC Foundation recognized by the IRS as a 501c3 non-profit organization as a result of the lack of accountability for our past donations to TCH. After exhaustive investigation of the requirements, composing a mission statement and the necessary bylaws, they submitted their application to the appropriate federal and state agencies. In May 2020 they received affirmation of the Foundation as a recognized non-profit organization.

For the past 65 years, the Club has successfully provided fellowship and shared interests for its members. With the creation of the Foundation, we have strengthened our commitment to community service on our terms. The Foundation serves to promote senior men activities and issues affecting the physical health concerns through charitable and educational participation.

In the past 26 months, we have received over \$72,000 from our members and friends of the Club. We have set aside and invested a quarter of these funds as an endowment and the balance is designated for future grants to worthy organizations that meet the Foundation's mission. Last year we awarded our first grant to the Oakland County Alzheimer's and this year we are pleased to announce two \$10,000 grants to the Michigan Veterans Home in Chesterfield Township and the Michigan World War II Legacy Memorial.

The Michigan Veterans Home in Chesterfield Township is the newest home opening last year and joins the other homes in Grand Rapids and Marquette. The home provides a home-like environment that celebrates camaraderie, provides peace of mind and offers extraordinary skilled-nursing care. For veterans past, present and future, they specialize in long-term and short-term care, rehab and therapy, dementia and memory care and palliative care. The grant will be used for their *Life Enrichment Programs*.

The Michigan World War II Legacy Memorial, located in Royal Oak's Memorial Park on Woodward Avenue at 13 Mile Road, is currently under construction of Phase 1. This phase includes a full-size bronze statue of a WWII soldier, over 1400 paver bricks that have been donated in honor of loved ones, and flags of the military branches. The memorial will serve as a place to gather, remember, and inspire. It is a memorial designed with the desire to engage the community and educate future generations on the vision, values, and heroic efforts of the Greatest Generation. The grant will sponsor one of the flagpoles.

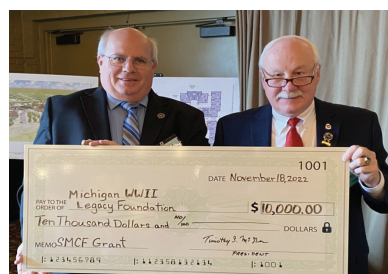


These grants were possible through donations for our members and friends of the SMC. Future grants are dependent on you. This year, we initiated our fund raising goal of \$65,000 to commemorate the Club's 65th Anniversary. So far we have received \$34,000 representing donations from only 49 of our members... less than 10% of the membership. In the spirit of Ralph Waldo Emerson's words:

"The purpose of life is not to be happy. It is to be useful, to be honorable, to be compassionate, to have it make some difference that you have lived and lived well."

It is time for us to make a difference...please donate today!

Timothy S. McGee, SMC Foundation President





Golf Update



We will be swinging the clubs again at the Evolution Sportsplex at 141 S Opdyke Rd, Auburn Hills, MI (aka: The Dome) for fifteen weeks starting Thursday, January 5th. We have reserved nine (9) spots from 9:00-11:00am. The price has increased like everything else;

- Advance registration of \$200 endorsed to SMC Golf for the 15 week term or
- A daily pass at \$20.00 per.

For those of us enduring the snow and cold of Michigan from January-April, the prepay of \$200 is a great deal. Please endorse checks to SMC Golf and remit to me at 3871 Woodman Drive, Troy, MI 48084.

After we have hit 2 hours of unlimited golf balls, we will again meet for lunch and camaraderie at Duffy's on Auburn Road. Irene is eagerly looking forward to seeing us again!



Senior Men's Club of Birmingham ~ 2023 Member Dues Notice ~

Dues season is here! 2023 dues remain at \$70 and are payable by February 1, 2023. A \$10 late fee is required after February 1, 2023. Life members are not required to pay dues, but many send it as a donation. Please consider including a donation in your check or credit card payment. Many members "rounded up" to \$100 last year.

Please make your \$70 check payable to the Senior Men's Club of Birmingham or SMCB and mail to:

**Senior Men's Club of Birmingham/Dues
PO Box 1149
Birmingham MI 48012**



*Or, to pay by credit card (Wix is the service provider),
go to the SMCB website and click on "Pay Dues by Credit Card".*



DECEMBER LUNCHES AT THE IROQUOIS CLUB:



Following are the lunch offerings to consider when making your reservations to attend the December in person meetings at The Iroquois Club.

DECEMBER 2nd 2022

Rolls & Butter

Harvest Salad

Pot Roast consists of Carrots and Redskin Potatoes

DESSERT: Brownies

Veggie option upon request

DECEMBER 9th 2022

Rolls & Butter

Iroquois Club Salad

Rosemary Chicken

Mashed Potatoes & Mixed Vegetables

DESSERT: Mini dessert platters per table

Veggie option upon request

NO CHARGE LUNCH PROGRAM FOR GUESTS NOW EXTENDED

As you know, our club was offering No -charge Lunch for all guests for a three month trial period of March, April and May of 2022. This was conditional upon review of the results after this period. At the Executive Board meeting of June 14, 2022 the results were presented and reviewed by the Board. We had 18 guests and 16 of them have already become members. The Board has agreed to continue this incentive for the rest of the year to support and encourage our efforts of building up a substantial number of new members.

This would not have been possible without your enthusiastic support and soliciting potential members. Please, take full advantage of this incentive and continue inviting qualified individuals to our Friday meetings.

On behalf of the entire membership committee I extend my sincere thanks to you all.

Rasesh Desai, *Chair Membership Committee*



CLASSIC MOVIE GROUP

On Monday, December 12, at 1:00PM, Waller Harris will present, via Zoom, the outstanding romance/comedy film, "The Shop Around the Corner" (1940) (1 hour/37 minutes).

In 1937, Alfred Kralik (Jimmy Stewart) and Klara Novak (Margaret Sullivan) are employees at Matuschek & Co, a general store in Budapest, Hungary. Klara and Alfred are constantly at odds with each other, butting heads and disagreeing on almost everything. Both are enamored of their respective pen pals, who serve as welcome distractions in their lives. Little do they know that they are each other's pen pal and have unwittingly fallen in love through their letters.

Directed by the legendary Ernst Lubitsch, the film was both a critical and commercial success. It is ranked #28 on AFI's 100 Years/100 Passions and in 1999 was selected for preservation by Library of Congress in the United States National Film Registry.

So, mark your calendars now and plan to join Waller on December 12, to discover how Klara and Alfred come to grips with their love for each other in this outstanding Holiday Classic.

As a reminder, you can watch the trailer of this film by pushing the Movie Preview Button on the SMC Homepage

Also, watch for our access information in the Scheduled Events eBlast for the week of December 11.

Looking forward to seeing you on December 12.

— Fred Hansz / Chairman



INVESTMENT GROUP

The next Investment Group meeting will be held **Thursday December 8th at 2:45 PM at the Baldwin Library**. Thank you all who joined in person and via Zoom!

Our next speaker will be our Club's long time guest, and arguably one the Investment Groups best speakers, **Leon LaBrecque**. Leon's presentation will involve his 40+ years of Investing experience. Leon will share his thoughts on what has occurred in the financial markets in 2022 and what he foresees in 2023. There will be plenty of time to bring your questions and garner Leon's wisdom of various stocks and investing options.

As of the reminder writing, the Stock game that began on October 14th, is lead by John Murray who is up 46%, 2nd place is held by John Skubik who is up 42%, and Jerry Peck is in 3rd place up 39%. The top three stocks are ASML Holdings (ASML) up 57%, Lam Research (LCRX) up 46% and Caesar's Entertainment (CZR) up 42%. These percentages compare to the Dow Jones Industrial Average, which is up 14% and S&P 500, which is up 11% since 10/14/22.

The Stock game has expanded to be used as a stock research tool. Even if you are not involved in the game you can learn about stocks through the Stock Game software. The software can be downloaded for Windows users only at this time. Eventually the system will be accessible through a secure website. Anyone who is interested in the Stock Game results, please feel free to email me at mjk7805@yahoo.com or give me a call to arrange on how we can get you the software / information to you.

Happy Holidays and cheers for a Santa Claus rally!!

Mike Korsak





VISIT TO THE WRIGHT MUSEUM OF AFRICAN AMERICAN HISTORY

The Senior Men's Club will visit the Wright Museum of African American History on Wednesday, January 25, 2023. We shall travel by bus, leaving the Presbyterian Church parking lot at 9:00 AM, having small group guided tours of the Museum, and enjoying lunch on-your-own at the nearby Detroit Institute of Arts. The two-hour tour includes the presentation "We Shall Rise Again" and the Tuskegee Airmen Exhibit. The bus will return to Birmingham about 3:00 PM. Tickets are \$40 and they will go on sale December 2.

For further information call Peter Hollinshead at 248-835-6657 and John Willis at 734-626-5989.

Mike Clement

Visitation and Health Committee Corner

Good Day Friends,

We had a week in November when our Monthly Chair (MC), Paul Lieberman, could not read the already submitted Friday's Visitation and Health Report as a result of Zoom technical issue.

The decision of the Moderator at the time was to skip the reading of the Report by someone else, perhaps because of time constraints. However, this has happened several times in the recent past (appx. once a month). But when I am there in the Iroquois Auditorium, I volunteer and run to the podium to read from the copy of the report that I always carry with me. No time lost or wasted! Unfortunately on this day I was not there for personal reasons.

In seeking a resolution of potential future similar occurrences, I contacted members of the executive committee (EC) and the MC (as in the preceding month with Tom December), who were all equally concerned and responded with several great ideas/ suggestions as they recognized the importance of VAHC's Friday Health Report. My sincere thanks to the EC. Larry Imerman offered to read the report the next week in case of such an occurrence.

Solution: Maybe the Monthly Chairs will consider going to the Friday meetings. Nonetheless, we, the VAHC, should have a back up assigned as alternate #1 and #2 to read the report each week. Both the Monthly Chair(s) and yours truly can organize such coverages in the future while the Executive Committee tackles the zoom microphone matter which resulted in the issue in November. We will forward these reports to the Alternates on Thursdays.

Lastly, I will pose a question for which I seek your ideas/ suggestions/ comments.

When we receive a death notice of a member who had previously dropped his membership for largely non-voluntary reasons, e.g., age, Alzheimer's, moving away, financial etc., should we accord them the same treatment including donations to their charity as we do with current active members?

We will visit this subject next month with your feedback. Until then we beg you to exercise regularly, eat healthy and see your primary care physician (at least once a year). Be well until we see you next next month..

Subhash Posh Gulati, MD, FRCPC

Chair, VAHC and Medical Advisor

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DECEMBER 2022 CALENDAR - AT A GLANCE

as of November 18, 2022

	Day	Date	Time	Group	Location or via Zoom	Library Rooms	Notes	Contact	Phone Number
Week 1	Thursday	Thursday, December 1, 2022	8:15 AM	Walking Group	Somerset Mall North			Larry Imerman	(248) 624-9432
	Thursday	Thursday, December 1, 2022	12 Noon	Cycle for Life	Beverly Hills Club			Joe Schulenburg	(248) 885-6195
	Friday	Friday, December 2, 2022	10:30 AM	Weekly Friday Mtg	Iroquois Club + Zoom				
	Friday	Friday, December 2, 2022	1:30 PM	Bridge Group	Baldwin Public Library	JLR Room	Card Table Set Up	Kirby Callum	(248) 646-5938
Week 2	Monday	Monday, December 5, 2022	9:30 AM	Bowling	Escape Lanes, Troy			Dennis Winowiecki	(248) 722-6626
	First Monday	Monday, December 5, 2022	2:00 PM	Genealogy	Baldwin Public Library + Zoom	Delos Board Room	Screen and Owl Camera	Jack Withrow	(248) 797-7070
	Tuesday	Tuesday, December 6, 2022	8:15 AM	Walking Group	Somerset Mall North			Larry Imerman	(248) 624-9432
	First Tuesday	Tuesday, December 6, 2022	10:00 AM	Special Events Committee	Baldwin Public Library	Delos Board Room		Mike Clement	(248) 644-4963
	First Wednesday	Wednesday, December 7, 2022	10:30 AM	Readers Group B	Zoom			Roger Timm	(248) 644-4050
	Wednesday	Wednesday, December 7, 2022	1:00 PM	Pickleball	Oakland Fieldhouse, Rochester Hills			Dave Anderson	(248) 408-8096
	Thursday	Thursday, December 8, 2022	8:15 AM	Walking	Somerset Mall North			Larry Imerman	(248) 624-9432
	Thursday	Thursday, December 8, 2022	12 Noon	Cycle for Life	Beverly Hills Club			Joe Schulenburg	(248) 885-6195
	Second Thursday	Thursday, December 8, 2022	2:45 PM	Investment Group	Baldwin Public Library + Zoom	Rotary & Donor	Theater Style	Mike Korsack	(248) 990-0305
	Friday	Friday, December 9, 2022	10:30 AM	Weekly Friday Meeting	Iroquois Club + Zoom				
	Friday	Friday, December 9, 2022	1:30 PM	Bridge Group	Baldwin Public Library	JLR Room	Card Table Set Up	Kirby Callum	(248) 646-5938
Week 3	Monday	Monday, December 12, 2022	9:30 AM	Bowling	Escape Lanes, Troy			Dennis Winowiecki	(248) 722-6626
	Second Monday	Monday, December 12, 2022	1:00 PM	Classic Movie Group	Zoom			Fred Hansz	(248) 559-3105
	Tuesday	Tuesday, December 13, 2022	8:15 AM	Walking	Somerset Mall North			Larry Imerman	(248) 624-9432
	Second Tuesday	Tuesday, December 13, 2022	10:00 AM	Executive Board	Baldwin Public Library + Zoom	Rotary & Donor	Conference Style	Swarn Rajpal	(248) 792-1112
	Tuesday	Tuesday, December 13, 2022		Holiday Party	San Marino Club				
	Wednesday	Wednesday, December 14, 2022	1:00 PM	Pickleball	Oakland Fieldhouse, Rochester Hills			Dave Anderson	(248) 408-8096
	Thursday	Thursday, December 15, 2022	8:15 AM	Walking	Somerset Mall North			Larry Imerman	(248) 624-9432
	Thursday	Thursday, December 15, 2022	12 Noon	Cycle for Life	Beverly Hills Club			Joe Schulenburg	(248) 885-6195
	Third Thursday	Thursday, December 15, 2022	TBD	Camera Group - Field Trip	Trip to Apple Store			Jay Hall	(248) 644-1454
	Friday	Friday, December 16, 2022	10:30 AM	No Friday Meeting This Week	Iroquois Club + Zoom				
	Friday	Friday, December 16, 2022	1:30 PM	Bridge Group - No Meeting	Baldwin Public Library			Kirby Callum	(248) 646-5938
	Third Friday	Friday, December 16, 2022	5:00 PM	Reminder Newsletter Deadline	seniormensclub (at) gmail.com				
Week 4	Monday	Monday, December 19, 2022	9:30 AM	Bowling	Escape Lanes, Troy			Dennis Winowiecki	(248) 722-6626
	Third Monday	Monday, December 19, 2022	3:00 PM	Readers Group A	Zoom			Bob Maxfield	(248) 481-9791
	Tuesday	Tuesday, December 20, 2022	8:15 AM	Walking	Somerset Mall North			Larry Imerman	(248) 624-9432
	Wednesday	Wednesday, December 21, 2022	1:00 PM	Pickleball - End of Season	Oakland Fieldhouse, Rochester Hills			Dave Anderson	(248) 408-8096
	Third Wednesday	Wednesday, December 21, 2022	1:00 PM	Computer Group	Zoom			Tom Allen	(248) 288-6125
	Thursday	Thursday, December 22, 2022	8:15 AM	Walking Group	Somerset Mall North			Larry Imerman	(248) 624-9432
	Thursday	Thursday, December 22, 2022	12 Noon	Cycle for Life	Beverly Hills Club			Joe Schulenburg	(248) 885-6195
	Friday	Friday, December 23, 2022	10:30 AM	No Friday Meeting This Week	Iroquois Club + Zoom				
	Friday	Friday, December 23, 2022	1:30 PM	Bridge Group - No Meeting	Baldwin Public Library			Kirby Callum	(248) 646-5938
Week 5	Monday	Monday, December 26, 2022	9:30 AM	Bowling	Escape Lanes, Troy			Dennis Winowiecki	(248) 722-6626
	Tuesday	Tuesday, December 27, 2022	8:15 AM	Walking	Somerset Mall North			Larry Imerman	(248) 624-9432
	Thursday	Thursday, December 29, 2022	8:15 AM	Walking Group	Somerset Mall North			Larry Imerman	(248) 624-9432
	Thursday	Thursday, December 29, 2022	12 Noon	Cycle for Life	Beverly Hills Club			Joe Schulenburg	(248) 885-6195
	Friday	Friday, December 30, 2022	10:30 AM	No Friday Meeting This Week	Iroquois Club + Zoom				
	Friday	Friday, December 30, 2022	1:30 PM	Bridge Group - No Meeting	Baldwin Public Library			Kirby Callum	(248) 646-5938

January REMINDER Deadline: December 16th

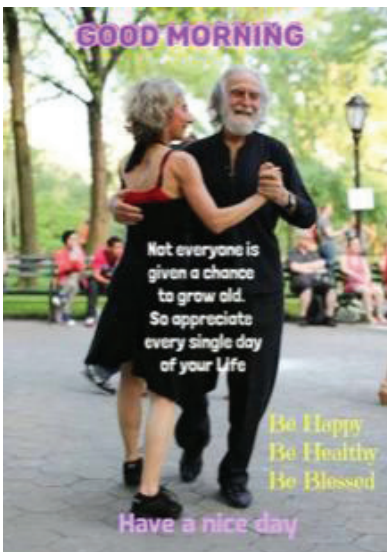
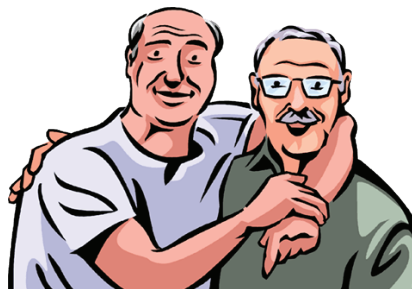
NOTE: Due to potential fluxuations in venue location (staffing or operating hours) or schedule, revisions to this calendar are possible. Please watch your email and www.seniormensclub.com for updates or potential cancellations.



Happy Holidays



Translation:
Whom am I and where am I going?
Practice checking out every morning!



The Reminder

A monthly publication of the Senior Men's Club, which meets Friday at 10:30 AM at the Iroquois Club* in Bloomfield Hills.

Officers for 2022 are:

- President, Swarn Rajpal;
- First Vice President, Paul Kovceses;
- Second Vice President, Larry Imerman;
- Recording Secretary, John Maten;
- Corresponding Secretary, Ray Buratto;
- Treasurer, Jim Suhay;
- Assistant Treasurer, Rich McGee;
- Officers at Large, Jim King, Tom Russell

THE REMINDER Team:

- Dick Harper, Editor Emeritus;
- Jay Kafarski, Publisher;
- Maynard Timm, Co-Editor
- Tim McGee, Co-Editor
- Tom Booth, Photography.

**The Iroquois Club is located on the east side of Woodward Avenue, just north of Square Lake Road in Bloomfield Hills. The meeting is also accessible via ZOOM for those not able to attend in person.*

Contact Us:

The Senior Men's Club mailing address for general Club or SMC Foundation correspondence is:

Senior Men's Club
P.O. Box 1149
Birmingham, MI 48012-1149

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