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December 5, 2023 meeting.

Attendees: Harry Redford, Bernita Redford, Tony and Linda Homolka, Eddie Weaver and Sharon Grodi, Jim Abram, Gherin and Sandy Johnston, Henry and Alice Hinojosa, Mike and Inga Costello, Pam Pearch, Dave and Laurie Krawetski, Tom Cooper and Steve Taddonio.

The 50/50 raffle was won today by Bernita Redford.

Treasurer's report: \$170.00.

We celebrated the holiday with a Christmas luncheon. After the 50/50 raffle, we raffled off several "license" plates for CMS retirees. Members then generously donated money to the treasury for our annual charitable donation. We have \$300.00 to give. After some discussion, we decided to give to a domestic abuse shelter. Linda will research facilities that CMS will match our donation.



Left to right:

Dave Krawetski, Eddie Weaver, Tom Cooper, Steve Taddonio, Mike Costello, Henry Hinojosa, Tony Homolka, Harry Redford, Gherin Johnston, Jim Abram



Left to right kind of:

Dave and Laurie Krawetski, Henry with Alice Hinojosa, Tom Cooper, Steve Taddonio, Mike Costelo, Eddie Weaver with Sharon Grodi, Tony and Linda Homolka, Harry with his Mom Bernita Redford, Pam Pearch, Gherin and Sandy Johnston, Jim Abram and Inga Costello in front.



We are not the only ones who gather for the holidays. Above are the ladies of CMS (Whiting) who keep their friendship going. The photo above is from 2022. Left to right:

Beth Black, Carolyn Hanlon, Lynn Semler, Shelly Collins, Cheryl Clymer-Lynch, Frankie Anderson, Connie Hallock, Patti Thompson

(Please excuse any misspelled names)

The photo below is from this year. Left to right: Patti Thompson, Carolyn Hanlon, Cheryl Clymer-Lynch, Shelly Collins, Beth Black, Stephanie Watkins



Our January meeting will be <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>January 2</u> at the Monroe Grill. Mark your calendars! We were not able to get the 2nd Monday of the month due to the holiday. Hope to see you then.

Best wishes for a Merry Christmas and a happy and healthy year ahead.

Respectfully submitted, Linda Homolka