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Pancake Meeting at Kimmels Next Tuesday, Aug. 29

It is really a great pleasure to be able to report that attendance is holding steady at the baker's dozen **plus** level. We appear to be able to count on seven or eight with 100%, then about 50% for the remainder, giving us about 65%.

No rolls with the salad suggested either a prime rib, or perhaps hot roast beef sandwich, but alas, it wasn't to be. I forgot the possibility of spaghetti, sauce and meatballs with the customary garlic butter bread. It is only fair, I suppose, to serve something like that too, and it went over well with many. Green beans went with it also, and I'm not complaining.

During confessions, Sharon Vogt put a little drama into her story, almost making it sound like an emergency had come up. Sharon is a staunch Red Skins fan, the Washington type, but she had never attended one of their games. Her daughter had obtained tickets for last week's game, and invited mommy to come down. Apparently, it was a great success. Three bucks fine.

Tom Quinlan had found a three years old gift certificate to Holiday Valley. They still honored it, so Mary and he were able to spend two nights and two rounds of golf there. I believe this was also \$3.

That golf confession jogged Don's memory about "great prize" winnings at the recently finished Nunda Golf Tourney. Tom Quinlan and Bud StGeorge had also been involved, and I think Don confessed just to get them implicated. After some extensive prodding, we did manage to squeeze a dollar, even from Bud, while Don and Tom paid \$3 and \$2.

Carol and Marty Kimmel had a few busy weeks behind them. On August 8, grandchild #15, Meghan Alexis, was born in Chicago. While helping out, he had managed to see a movie about snakes on an airplane (to reinforce his aversion to air travel?). They made it back in time for a grandson's 13th birthday in Wayland, and then, this very day, grandchild #16 arrived. I believe he said her name is Emilia June. Then Marty had his picture in the paper. The two grandchildren are automatic \$5 each, but Marty managed to make Carol pay for the picture by promising us to have a pancake dinner at their house next Tuesday.

Tom Didas had bought Sharon's dinner and 50/50 ticket, and wound up as the winner. Thanks for the donation!

See you at Kimmels next Tuesday!