

THE PUMPKIN PAPERS IRREGULARS

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To: Members of the Pumpkin Papers Irregulars and Special Guests

From: The Directorate

The Pumpkin Papers Irregulars will convene for cocktails and dinner on Thursday, October 30, 2014, at the University Club in Washington, our thirty-seventh consecutive celebration.

We had hoped that by this time, a quarter century after the fall of Soviet Communism and six after the election of the Community-Organizer President, the world would be sufficiently healed that we could stop having this dinner. But alas, things are still grim, and events dictate that we must continue for another year.

Accordingly, we have planned an event that will renew our admiration for Whittaker Chambers and our disgust for Alger Hiss, will remind us of other matters going on in the world (if we actually need a reminder), and what might be done about it were circumstances in our Capital City more encouraging. And, in order to keep the spirits of our guests on the bright side, we will have some fun, largely at the expense of those traitors in our midst and other with whom we disagree.

Our principal speaker will be Bret Stephens, Deputy Editor of the Editorial Page of the Wall Street Journal, author of "Global View," the paper's weekly foreign-affairs column, a member of the Journal's editorial board, and a winner of the Pulitzer Prize in 2013 "for his incisive columns on American foreign policy and domestic politics, often enlivened by a contrarian twist."

The Directorate is also pleased to be able to present to you a "mystery guest," a man who single-handedly did more damage to the Evil Empire's intelligence operations than almost any other person. We cannot divulge his identity until he appears at the dinner.

As usual, ample time will be reserved to heap scorn on the many traitors and disloyal citizens loose in the world as the Victor Navasky Award is presented.

The cocktail hour, always a lively event, will commence at 6:30 with dinner at 7:30. So that guests will not be deprived of libations, after dinner drinks will be provided.

Please return the enclosed card by October 27 if you plan to join us. We will only accept reservations accompanied by checks. If you care to stay on the list please forward your dues, of \$30, whether or not you will attend the dinner.

We look forward to seeing you on October 30.

he Directorate Cordially Requests your Company at the Thirty-Sixth Annual Dinner of

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With remarks by Bret Stephens, Deputy Editorial Page Editor, Wall Street Journal and a Mystery Guest

to be held at
The University Club
1135 16th St. NW • Washington, D.C.
on Thursday, October 30, 2014
6:30 P.M. Cocktails
7:30 P.M. Dinner
Afterward, Brandy but no Cigars

R.S.V.P. by October 28 to Alfred S. Regnery 1428 Duke Street, Alexandria, Virginia 22314

Business Attire

THIRTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL DINNER THE PUMPKIN PAPERS IRREGULARS

c/o Alfred S. Regnery 1428 Duke Street Alexandria, Virginia 22314

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