EP. 015: UNION DUDES

SAM

Happy pay day, Janet!

JANET

Happy pay day, Sam!

SAM

Wanna party? We could check out the new Lars von Trier musical.

JANET

Dirty Dancer in the Dark? I'm in. Let me check my paystub.

SAM

Good idea.

SFX of envelopes ripping.

JANET

Hang on.

SAM

What are all these deductions?

JANET

They all tagged as "union dues", but I don't know about some of these.

SAM

Who do we speak to about this?

SFX of 'appearance' sound - poof! or door knock, doesn't really matter.

JANET

Who are you guys?

GRODY

We're the Union Dudes!

BRODY

The dudes that do the dues, dude!

GRODY

That's Brody.

BRODY

And that's Grody.

SAM

Fantastic, so Union Dudes, this Health Insurance deduction seems awfully high.

BRODY

No worries, my dude. Health benefits have recently expanded to cover the following ailments: surfer's itch.

GRODY

Skater's elbow.

BRODY

Rollerblade rash.

GRODY

Naturally, it's preemo pricey to offer such bodacious, capacious coverage.

JANET

Fine, that all makes sense, but what about these initiation fees?

BRODY

Ah, but perhaps you haven't taken advantage of your benefits upon becoming a member.

GRODY

For your one-time-fee, you are entitled to one tattoo (tribal), one pair of shorts (Hawaiian board), and one shell necklace (puka).

BRODY

It's a gnarly mish-mash of cultural appropriation, my dudette.

SAM

But what about all these lobbying costs?

GRODY

Did you know it is illegal to teach a gecko to surf?

BRODY

Illegal to do bong rips on Twitch?

GRODY

Illegal to shotgun a Red Bull while shooting shotguns at bulls with your bud?

BRODY

It's time for bold ideas in politics, my dude.

GRODY

A green new deal.

BRODY

By which, we, of course mean...

JANET

Yes, it's a weed joke, fine - but Union Dudes, there's one problem. We don't make any money off this show.

SAM

Yeah, there must be some other way we can help the union.

BRODY

Woah, grimey!

GRODY

Way to harsh my mellow.

BRODY

Let me think...

(beat)

Hey, Grody, we have that luau tonight. That's a lot of members to feed...

GRODY

We totally do, Brody. Hey, Sam and Janet, can you put these apples in your mouth?

JANET

(mouth full)

Happy to!

SAM

(mouth full)

Yum!

BRODY

Y'all can work it off at the luau. (MORE)

BRODY (CONT'D)

Now come on up to the fire-pit, there's something we want to, uh, show you.

GRODY

It's called a, uh, rotating tan.

JANET

(mouth full)

Oh boy!

SAM

(mouth full)

Fun!

Fading:

GRODY

Good thing Sam's been putting on weight, eh Brody?

BRODY

Rock on, Pringles corporation!