



Rota-Briefs



Rotary Club of Cohoes - A Subsidiary of Rotary International

August 26, 2009

Invocation: Lydia Pearson
Song: Byron Moak – Happy Days Are Here Again
Anniversaries: none
Birthdays: none
Visiting Rotarians: Byron Moak
Guests: none

Big Bucks

Mystery Raffle: Bob Van Alstine
Powerball: Jack Farrell tried for the prize but was not successful.

Rotarians Present: Barrett, Brooks, Farrell, Hornbrook, Musiker, Pearson, Ries, Rivera, B. Signoracci, E. Tremblay, L. Tremblay and Van Alstine

Good News/Bad News: The following members paid happy/ sad dollars:

Mike Brooks because there will be boxing at the Ukrainian Club in Cohoes; Byron Moak because Barbara Pailley gives her greetings and will try to visit when she can, and the Lansingburgh Rotary Chicken Barbeque was held despite bad weather; Ed Tremblay for missed meetings, and because his office competed its move back to City Hall; and Marshall Barrett because the membership Committee is beginning to execute its plan.

Events/ Information:

Cohoes Day at the Tri-City Valley Cats:

C-R Productions, the Cohoes City Music Hall and the City of Cohoes are sponsoring a special [benefit picnic](#) for the Cohoes Music Hall at 5:00 pm followed by the Tri-City Valley Cats game at 7: 00 pm on August 31, 2009 at the Joe Bruno Stadium.

Rotary Club Officers

Marshall Barrett - President
Keith Hornbrook – President Elect
Robert W. Van Alstine - Secretary/
Editor Club Newsletter
Michael Brooks - Treasurer
Beverly Signoracci - Sergeant At Arms
John C. Eaton - District Governor
Cohoes Rotary Web Site - www.rotaryclubofcohoes.org

Club Business:

- Sawbuck Raffle tickets were given to members. Drawings will begin on September 9, 2009.
- We need volunteers to get speakers for the months of November and December 2009; and January, March, April and June 2010.
- Marshall received an e-mail from Nick George regarding the Rotary Youth Leadership Award. They are looking for a high school junior who has leadership potential to attend a leadership conference on September 19, 2009. Any recommendations should be given to Marshall.
- A board meeting will be held on Tuesday September 1, 2009 at 5:30 pm at the Century House.

Membership Recruitment Drive:

Marshall Barrett explained to the club membership that this fall, the Rotary Club of Cohoes will conduct a membership recruitment drive. In order for this plan to succeed, all members of the club must be involved.

Each member must present the name of one or more people who may be interested in joining Rotary. We ask that you submit them to me (Marshall Barrett) or Bob Van Alstine by September 16, 2009.

Wednesday, November 18, 2009 will be Membership Recruitment Night from 6 to 8 pm at the Century House. You and one or more people who you recommended as possible Rotarians should attend this event. This will be our weekly Rotary meeting, however it not be the same format we usually have.

Membership Recruitment Night will include: socialization, giving each prospective attendee a packet of information about Rotary, hors d'oeuvres; introduction of guests; an RI Video, and a presentation about Rotary by Harriet Noble.

We are still working on the plans for this event. If you have any ideas, please let Bob Van Alstine know.

You will be given more specifics as the plan unfolds this fall.

Next Week's Program:

John Doemel – Executive Director, Cohoes Community Center

When and Where Other Rotary Clubs Meet:

Monday	
Corinth	7:15PM
Agape Bed and Breakfast, Rt. 9N, Corinth	
Hudson Falls	12:10 PM
Pizza Hut. Rt.4, Fort Edward	
Racing City Rotary	5:30 PM
Olde Gaslight Restaurant, 12 Ballston Avenue, Saratoga Springs	
Burnt Hills/Ballston Lake	6:15 PM
Bill Sewell Community Room, Town of Ballston Town Hall	
Lake George	6:15 PM
Holiday Inn Rt. 2223 State Rt. 9	
Tuesday	
Northern Lake George	7:30 AM
Watson Arts Center, Silver Bay	
Wilton	7:30 AM
Friendly's Restaurant, Route 50, Wilton	
Latham	12:00 PM
Century House, Latham	
Watervliet	12:10 PM
First Presbyterian Church, 819 23 rd Street, Watervliet Meets 2 nd and 4 th weeks only)	
Ballston Spa	12:15 PM
Manna's Restaurant, 17 Low St, Ballston Spa	
Glove Cities	12:15 PM
Holiday Inn, Rt. 30A, Johnstown	
Menands	12:15 PM
The Corner Well Restaurant, 698 North Pearl St.	
Scotia	6:00 PM
Turf Tavern, 40 Mohawk Avenue, Scotia	
South Glens Falls	5:45 PM
Humbuggs, Corner Bluebird Rd. and Rt. 32, South Glens Falls	
Chestertown	6:15 PM
O.P. Frederick's Restaurant, Rt. 8., Chestertown	
Lansingburgh	6:15 PM
Paradise Lounge, 630 2 nd and 117 th Streets, Troy	
Northville	6:30 PM
(Call for locations and directions)	
Schoharie	6:30 PM
Parrot House - Rt. 30 Main St. Schoharie	

Wednesday	
Niskayuna	7:15 AM
Route 7 Diner, 1090 Troy-Schenectady Road	
Delmar	7:30 AM
Normanside Country Club, 150 Salisbury Rd., Delmar	
Mohawk Valley	7:30 AM
Senior Center, 204 Canal St., Fort Plain	
Schenectady East	7:30 AM
Old Country Buffet, Crosstown Plaza, Rt. 7, Schenectady	
Turning Point	7:30 AM
General Schuyler Pantry 166 Broad St., Schuylerville	
Champlain Canal	8:00 PM
Community Room, Mid-Rise Senior Apts, 180 N. Main Street Mechanicville	
Albany	12:15 PM
Wolferts Roost Country Club, 1230 Van Rensselaer Blvd., Albany	
Amsterdam	12:15 PM
Raindancer Steak Parlor, Rt. 30N, Amstgerdam	
Cohoes	12:15 PM
Century House, Rt. 9, Latham	
Colonie-Guilderland	12:15 PM
Western Turnpike Golf Course Rt. 20, Guilderland	
Saratoga Springs	12:15 PM
Longfellows Restaurant, Rt. 9P	
Cobleskill	6:10 PM
Best Western Inn of Cobleskill Rt. 7, Main Street, Cobleskill.	
Granville	6:15 PM
AJ's Restaruent, Quaker Street, Granville	

Thursday	
Malta Sunrise	7:15 AM
Malta Diner Rts. 9 & 67, Malta (Exit 12 off I87)	
Rotterdam Sunrise	7:15 AM
McLanes Restaurant, 2717 Broadway, Rotterdam	
Shenendehowa	7:15 AM
Coburg Village Retirement Facility, Grooms Rd., Clifton Park	
North Creek	7:30 AM
Marsha's Restaurant, Main St., North Creek	
Schenectady	12:00 PM
Stockade Inn, 1 North Church St., Schenectady	
Twin Bridges	12:00 PM
Salty's, Northway Exit 8A, East of Rt. 9, Halfmoon	
Glens Falls	12:10 PM
Queensbury Hotel, 88 Ridge Street, glens Falls	
Troy	12:15 PM
The Red Front Restaurant, 71 Division Street, Troy	
Middleburgh	6:05 PM
Middleburgh United Methodist Church, Rt. 145 Middleburgh Main St. & Bush Rd.)	
Salem	6:15 PM
Bunker Hill B&B on Bunker Hill Rd. Salem (5.5 mi. NW of Salem)	
Southern Rensselaer	6:15 PM
Holiday Inn Express,US 4 East Greenbush (Exit 9 off I 90)	
Broadalbin	6:30 PM
The White Holland House, 1520 Ste Highway 29, Gloversville	
Fort Ann	6:30 PM
Mountain View Java, Rt 4, Fort Ann	
Sharon Springs	6:30 PM
Pit Stop BBQ, Rts. 10 & 20, Sharon Springs	
Friday	
Glenville	7:15 AM
Turf Tavern, Rt. 50, Scotia	

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