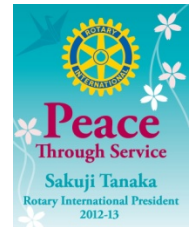




# Rota-Briefs



Rotary Club of Cohoes - A Subsidiary of Rotary International

November 14, 2012

**Invocation:** Byron Moak

**Song:** "When Johnny Comes Marching Home", Chuck Ries

**Visiting Rotarians:** Byron Moak

**Guests:**

**Birthday:** Chuck Ries

**Anniversary:**

**Door Prize:** Ed Tremblay

**Powerball:** Marshall Barrett tried for \$125 but was unsuccessful.

**Rotarians Present:**

Barrett, Brooks, Farrell, Hornbrook, Mitola, Ries, Robert, Signoracci, Tremblay, E, Van Alstine

## **Good News/Bad News:**

The following members paid happy/sad dollars:

**Mike Brooks** paid happy dollar for the Century House staff.

**Bev Signoracci** paid for missed meetings and for helping at the Franklin Community Center in Saratoga.

**Byron Moak** paid to wish everyone a happy Thanksgiving.

**Bob Van Alstine** was happy about upcoming interview about the reunion in the Record.

**Dave Mitola** paid for being late.

**Ed Tremblay** paid for a fine for a negative comment he made and to promote the Tree Lighting and Soup'er Saturday.

**Program:** Michael Weidrich gave a presentation on The Stakeholders. The Stakeholders was founded in 2008 by a group of young Capital Region leaders focused on the long-term health and vitality of the region's non-profit community. They connect volunteers with meaningful personal and professional opportunities to learn, grow and invest in their communities. Their programs are focused on education and philanthropy. The Institute educates the current and next generations of philanthropists on how to use their time, talents and treasure in the Capital Region. Over 100 people have graduated from their Institute. The Stakeholders strive to make the community a better place by facilitating small changes that make a big difference. For further information go to [www.thestakeholders.org](http://www.thestakeholders.org).

**Response:** Keith Hornbrook responded on behalf of the club.

## **Keveny Memorial Academy Reunion**

The Rotary Club of Cohoes presents a Keveny Memorial Academy Reunion Cocktail Party for all graduating years on Friday, November 23, 2012 from 6:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. at The Century House Hotel & Restaurant, Rt. 9 in Latham. The event will feature hors d'oeuvres, a chocolate fountain, a D.J., dancing, raffles, conversation and a full cash bar. Tickets are \$10 in advance if purchased from a Cohoes Rotarian or \$15 at the door. In conjunction with the reunion the Cohoes Rotary annual Christmas ornament sale is in full swing. This year's ornament depicts Keveny Memorial Academy. In addition to ornaments this year the club is also selling coffee mugs featuring the image of Keveny. Please sell your reunion tickets!

- We conclude each weekly meeting with recitation of The 4 Way Test, see below.

### **The 4-Way Test**

The 4-Way Test "Of the things we think, say or do":

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?"

From [ABC's of Rotary](#)

## **Rotary Club Officers**

**Robert W. Van Alstine** - President

**David Mitola** – President Elect

**Linda Tremblay** - Secretary

**Michael Brooks** - Treasurer

**Marshall Barrett** – Sergeant At Arms

**Melissa Ward** - District Governor

**Cohoes Rotary Web Site** - [www.rotaryclubofcohoes.org](http://www.rotaryclubofcohoes.org)



# mission

to

## INSPIRE & EQUIP people TO TAKE action IN THEIR COMMUNITIES



### *be the change!*

Stakeholders operates as one of 10 Regional Volunteer Centers in New York State and is the Capital Region's only affiliate of the HandsOn network of the Points of Light Institute, a nationally and globally renowned service leader. Serving an eight-county area of eastern New York, the Stakeholders Regional Volunteer Center is your one-stop resource for all things volunteer.

***Interested in locating volunteer opportunities?** Find out how we can match you or your company's employees with non-profits that meet your interests. The Stakeholders website is your go-to portal for matching non-profits with volunteers.*

*Begin your volunteer journey today by visiting [www.thestakeholders.org](http://www.thestakeholders.org).*

### *days of service*

Stakeholders strives to make our community a better place by facilitating small changes that make a big difference. Our annual Days of Service provide opportunities to work on projects in your community with neighbors, co-workers and friends who share the same vision. We encourage you to participate this year in the national Martin Luther King Day of Service and the 9-11 Day of Service.



**Contact us!**

For more information on opportunities via the Stakeholders Regional Volunteer Center, visit [www.thestakeholders.org](http://www.thestakeholders.org), email [ceo@thestakeholders.org](mailto:ceo@thestakeholders.org) or call 518.487.4400.



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UNTIL IT'S DONE.

— NELSON MANDELA ”

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We are looking for people who  
*want to make a difference*  
in their community to enroll in  
the **Stakeholders Institute**.

The Institute educates the current and next generations of philanthropists on how to use their time, talents and treasures in the Capital Region.

Running from October through May, the Institute has a curriculum crafted to engage and inform 'students' on the focus areas of: **Philanthropy, Arts & Culture and Sustainable Communities.**

Email [arts@thestakeholders.org](mailto:arts@thestakeholders.org) to learn more.



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STAKEHOLDERS

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## When and Where Other Rotary Clubs Meet:

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

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

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

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