



Rota-Briefs



Rotary Club of Cohoes - A Subsidiary of Rotary International

May 14, 2014

Invocation: Al Pasinella

Song: "Tip Toe Through the Tulips" Chuck Ries

Birthday: Keith Hornbrook

Anniversary:

Visiting Rotarians:

Guests: Rob Santarcangelo, Ryan McCormick, Aimee Becker, Coleman Reardon

Door Prize: Chuck Ries

Powerball: Dave Mitola tried for \$94 but was unsuccessful.

Rotarians Present:

Brooks, Demers, Madden, C., Mitola, O'Shea, Pasinella, Ries, Tremblay, E., Van Alstine

Good News/Bad News:

The following members paid happy/sad dollars:

Bob Van Alstine was sad to have hurt his back. He was happy about the good job everyone did singing.

Mike Brooks was happy to see Al Pasinella. He paid for a good Mastodon Run. He was happy that his son Matt got a job with Ayco, an investment firm.

Al Pasinella was happy to be back from Florida and with the club.

Bev Signoracci had a good trip to Florida, but came home with pneumonia. Her daughter Bo won the Spirit Award from the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society. She raised \$30,000.

Peggy O'Shea was happy to have Mr. Santarcangelo and the students from Cohoes High School as guests at the meeting.

Colin Demers paid a happy dollar to explain to the guests that our own member, Al Pasinella, has a street named after him in Cohoes. It is Pasinella Way. He reported that Mother's Day was a success at the Century House.

Chris Madden was sad that her husband Jack was not at the meeting today.

Chuck Ries was happy to report that he is going fishing.

Ed Tremblay was sad to report that there are numerous illnesses going through his family affecting his wife, his daughter and his grandchildren.

Dave Mitola was happy to welcome the guests to the meeting and happy that he will be attending the Preakness.

Club Business: The Cohoes Rotary will join with the Latham Rotary for a meeting on Tuesday, May 20th at 12:15 p.m. at the Century House. There will not be a Cohoes Rotary meeting on Wednesday, May 21.

Program: Rob Santarcangelo, history teacher and advisor to the Cohoes High School Community Service Club, gave a presentation with students Ryan McCormick, Aimee Becker and Coleman Reardon about the activities of the Community Service Club. Some of their projects included a coat drive, a breast cancer awareness campaign, a pizza brawl, a relay for life race, and an anti-bullying campaign.

Response: Dave Mitola responded on behalf of the club.



*Ryan McCormick, Aimee Becker, Coleman Reardon,
Dave Mitola*

Upcoming Programs

5/20/14-Joint Meeting with Latham Rotary, speaker is the Executive Director of the NYSPTA discussing Common Core-No meeting Wednesday, May 21

5/28/14-Charles Petracelli, Executive Director, Cohoes Housing Authority

When and Where Other Rotary Clubs Meet:

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Rotary Club Officers

Dave Mitola - President
Beverly Signoracci – President Elect
Linda Tremblay - Secretary
Michael Brooks - Treasurer
Marshall Barrett – Sergeant At Arms
Susan Austin - District Governor

Cohoes Rotary Web Site -
www.rotaryclubofcohoes.org

We conclude each weekly meeting with recitation of The 4 Way Test, led by Shawn Higgins.

The 4-Way Test

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