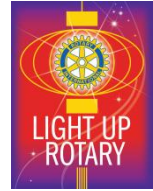




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Rotary Club of Cohoes - A Subsidiary of Rotary International

March 11, 2015

Invocation: Ed Tremblay
Song: "Take Me Out to the Ball Game" Curtis Hovey
Birthday:
Anniversary:
Visiting Rotarians:
Guests: Lynn Van Amerongen, guest of Bev Signoracci; Mark Perry, Sharon Laughlin, Chloe Hollner-Turner, Samira Orsad, Reese Krul, Harmony Hill Elementary School
Door Prize: Ed Tremblay
Powerball: Ed Tremblay tried for \$159 but was unsuccessful.

Rotarians Present:
 Brooks, Heslin, Hovey, Libby, Madden, C., Mitola, Shannon, Signoracci, Tremblay, E., Van Alstine

Good News/Bad News:

Mike Brooks and Bob Van Alstine were happy to see Bob Libby.
Stephanie Heslin and Chris Madden were excited about the today's presentation.
Bev Signoracci was happy to have Lynn Van Amerongen join the meeting to see her grandson Reese Krul participate in the presentation.
Curtis Hovey stated how nice it was to see the great things being done at Harmony Hill Elementary School.
Ed Tremblay pointed out that the presentation proves that there is much more to learning than can be determined by standardized test scores.
Dave Mitola was sorry to have missed last week's meeting.

Club Business: The Cohoes Rotary Spring Fling will be held April 25. Tickets for the St. Patrick's Day raffle are due back by March 18.

Program: Faculty and students from Harmony Hill Elementary School gave a presentation on the "Tanked" Project. To culminate their Decimals Unit, fifth grade students were asked to complete a project-based activity. The project included: add, subtract, and divide decimals; multiply whole numbers; recommend a complete aquarium set-up that stays within budget; solve problems using teamwork and technology.

Response: Dave Mitola responded on behalf of the club. Certificates will be sent to the students.



Sharon Laughlin, Dave Mitola, Reese Krul, Samira Orsad, Chloe Hollner-Turner

Upcoming Programs

3/18/15-Cliff Bird, Principal; Christina Scott, Elementary School Art Teacher, and Jude Pingelski, Middle School Art Teacher will discuss activities done with art in the schools, the community, and Proctors Theater
3/25/15-Peter Ensel, Rotary Club of Plattsburgh

Club Calendar of Events

4/25/15-Cohoes Rotary Spring Fling
5/1/15-Cayuga Plaza Clean Up
5/9/15-Mastodon Race Water Station
5/15/15-Cohoes Rotary Chicken Barbecue
6/24/15-Cohoes Rotary Installation Luncheon

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Rotary Club Officers

Dave Mitola - President
Curtis Hovey – President Elect
Linda Tremblay - Secretary
Michael Brooks - Treasurer
Marshall Barrett – Sergeant At Arms
David Hannel - District Governor

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We conclude the meeting with recitation of The 4 Way Test led by Bev Signoracci.

The 4-Way Test

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2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
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