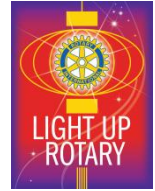




Rota-Briefs



Rotary Club of Cohoes - A Subsidiary of Rotary International

April 1, 2015

Invocation: Jack Madden
Song: "Easter Parade," Chuck Ries
Birthday:
Anniversary:
Visiting Rotarians: Richard Hodge
Guests:
Door Prize: Richard Hodge
Powerball: Ed Tremblay tried for \$180 but was unsuccessful.

Rotarians Present:

Brooks, Demers, Madden, C., Madden, J., Mitola, Ries, Signoracci, Tremblay, E., Welbourn-English

Good News/Bad News:

Jack Madden gave an update on the trip he and Chris took to San Antonio. They had a great time.

Chuck Ries called his Aunt Norma who is 93 years old and is pleased to report she is doing well.

Mike Brooks announced he is not running for Mayor. He was happy for Bob Libby that today was his last day of work before his retirement. Mike told a joke but screwed up the punch line.

Chris Madden was happy to be back from her trip.

Penny Welbourn-English paid for missed meetings and was happy to be back.

Ed Tremblay was happy to report that the Choose Cohoes meeting last night went very well. He also has all the summer concerts in Canal Square booked.

Colin Demers was happy that there were only a few reservations still available for Easter Sunday. He was sad the Louisville Girls lost. They were staying at the Century House so the staff got to know them.

Dave Mitola was happy to see Penny back. He welcomed Richard Hodge. Dave did some volunteer work at the Patroon Farm. He was sad to acknowledge that he was wearing the same shirt he wore last week.

Club Business: The Cohoes Rotary Spring Fling will be held April 25. Richard Hodge gave an update on the Area 8 & 9 Informational Dinner. The event will be held Tuesday, April 14, 2015 at the Fairways of Halfmoon. The meal is an "All You Can Eat Buffet." Price is \$15 per person. Spouses are invited. Cocktails are at 6:00 p.m. Dinner is at 6:30 p.m. The dinner is hosted by District Governor David Hennel. If you are planning to attend please let Dave Mitola know ASAP and make your payment in advance. We already have several of our members planning to attend.

Program:
Response:

Upcoming Programs

4/8/15-Matt Graff, Librarian, Cohoes Public Library
4/15/15-Chuck Price, Measurable SEO, speaking about a Town Rumble he organized as a fundraiser for the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation.

5/6/15-Dr. Jennifer Spring, Superintendent, Cohoes City School District discussing the school budget.

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 Hennel - District Governor

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www.rotaryclubofcohoes.org

We conclude the meeting with recitation of The 4 Way Test led by Colin Demers.

The 4-Way Test

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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?"

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SONG

Easter Parade

In your Easter bonnet
With all the frills upon it,
You'll be the grandest lady
In the Easter Parade.
I'll be all in clover,
And when they look you over
I'll be the proudest fellow
In the Easter Parade.
On the Avenue, Fifth Avenue
The photographers will snap us
And you'll find that you're
In the rotogravure.
Oh, I could write a sonnet
About your Easter bonnet
And the girl I'm taking
To the Easter Parade.