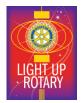


# **Rota-Briefs**



#### Rotary Club of Cohoes - A Subsidiary of Rotary International

July 30, 2014

Invocation: Byron Moak Song: "In the Good Old Summertime," Bob Van Alstine Birthday: none Anniversary: none Visiting Rotarians: Byron Moak Guests: Door Prize: Marshall Barrett Powerball: Linda Tremblay tried for \$216 but was unsuccessful.

#### **Rotarians Present:**

Barrett, Hovey, Mitola, Pasinella, Tremblay, E., Tremblay, L., Welbourn-English, P., Van Alstine

#### Good News/Bad News:

The following members paid happy/sad dollars:

**Ed Tremblay** paid a happy dollar for the record crowd at last week's Canal Square Concert and a sad dollar to have missed it.

**Bob Van Alstine** and Karen attended the multiclub event at Camp Rotary. It was a really great event.

**Byron Moak** also attended the event at Camp Rotary and a conference for the Masons in Syracuse.

**Curtis Hovey** paid because the Community Center will be spotlighted at the Valley Cats baseball game. His family will be heading for Rockport for vacation this weekend. The Community Center will be holding a fundraiser for Alex's Lemonade Stand. The foundation raises money to fight childhood cancer.

**Marshall Barrett** paid for the 200<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebration of Parishville. It went on for three days and included 15 towns.

Linda Tremblay was happy to be at the meeting, had a wonderful vacation but was very tired. Dave Mitola was sad to have missed the Camp Rotary event. He was familiar with Alex's Lemonade Stand Foundation. They do good work. There was a horse named Fleet Alex in honor of the child the foundation is named for. Dave Mitola's father has a horse sired by Fleet Alex. Dave will not be at the August 6 meeting. He will be at a Bridges Out of Poverty event. Dave attended Matthew Madden's wake. The club sent flowers and will be sending a donation to the Mowat-Wilson Syndrome Foundation in Matthew's memory.

#### **Club Business:**

Dave Mitola announced that it may be necessary to reschedule the Board meeting scheduled for August 5. The Cohoes Rotary's portion of the proceeds from the Canal Square Concert 50/50 was \$154, but no winner came forward. The winning ticket number is posted on the Cohoes Rotary website. A request was sent to the club from the City of Cohoes for donations of school supplies for children who may need them.

#### Program: Response:

We conclude the meeting with recitation of <u>The</u> <u>4 Way Test</u> led by Marshall Barrett.

#### The 4-Way Test

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

- 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 <u>ABC's of Rotary</u>

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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 Susan Austin - District Governor

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