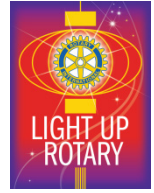




# Rota-Briefs



Rotary Club of Cohoes - A Subsidiary of Rotary International

September 17, 2014

**Invocation:** Byron Moak

**Song:** "Clementine," Keith Hornbrook

**Birthday:**

**Anniversary:**

**Visiting Rotarians:** Byron Moak, Lansingburgh

**Guests:** Jake Dumesnil

**Door Prize:** Colin Demers

**Powerball:** Keith Hornbrook tried for \$292 but was unsuccessful.

**Rotarians Present:**

Barrett, Brooks, Demers, Hornbrook, Madden, C., Madden, J., Pasinella, Signoracci, Tremblay, E., Van Alstine, Welbourn-English

**Good News/Bad News:**

The following members paid happy/sad dollars:

**Mike Brooks** was happy that the Orioles are champs. He reported that John Farrell had surgery but is doing well.

**Byron Moak** was celebrating Constitution Day. The Constitution was signed on September 14. Byron was happy to have attended both Hudson Shores and Latham Rotary meetings yesterday.

**Al Pasinella** had bad news for the club. He is leaving for Florida next week and will be back here next May.

**Ed Tremblay** was sad to announce that the Capital District Regional Council did not support any of the grant applications the City of Cohoes submitted. He was looking forward to the fundraiser for the Cohoes Senior Center in his yard tonight titled "An Evening in Paris." He and Linda are expecting about 50 people.

**Colin Demers and Marshall Barrett** wished Linda and Ed Tremblay good luck with the fundraiser.

**Dave Mitola** was sad that he will not be able to attend tonight. It is open house at his daughter's school.

**Club Business:**

Dave Mitola reminded the club to pre-sell the apple pies. People can pick them up on October 3 at the Cohoes Farmer's Market. Bob Van Alstine gave an update on the upcoming Rotary Leadership Training.

**Program:** Jake Dumesnil, Partner at Gramercy Communications, gave a presentation on the local and regional projects the company is working on.

**Response:** Dave Mitola responded on behalf of the club.



*Jake Dumesnil and Dave Mitola*

We conclude the meeting with recitation of The 4 Way Test led by Al Pasinella.

**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?"

## Club Calendar of Events

**10/3/14**-Apple pie sale at the Cohoes Farmer's Market, 3:00 – 7:00 p.m.

**10/27/14**-Membership networking event, Spindles on Remsen wine bar.

**10/31/14**-Halloween parade and party, Cohoes Community Center, 6:00 p.m.

**11/1/14**-Cayuga Plaza clean-up, Cohoes Senior Center, 9:30 a.m.

**11/28/14**-Keveny Reunion, The Century House, 6:30-9:30 p.m.

**12/10/14**-Christmas Party, The Century House, 6:00 p.m.

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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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