



# Rota-Briefs



Rotary Club of Cohoes - A Subsidiary of Rotary International

February 10, 2016

**Invocation:** Ed Tremblay

**Song:** No song

**Birthday:** Stephanie Heslin

**Anniversary:** none

**Visiting Rotarians:** none

**Guests:** none

**Door Prize:** Chuck Ries

**Powerball:** Chuck Ries tried for \$53 but was unsuccessful.

**Rotarians Present:**

Barrett, Demers, Hovey, Mitola, Ries,  
Tremblay, E., Tremblay, L.

**Good News/Bad News:**

The following members paid happy/sad dollars:

**Curtis Hovey** had no jokes to replace those Mike Brooks usually tells.

**Linda Tremblay** was happy to announce that Monika Boeckmann will be joining the club and hopes to be able to attend meetings twice a month.

**Chuck Ries** noted that in listening to the political speeches it sounds as if the candidates want to give the country away.

**Ed Tremblay** was happy that the Cohoes Local Development Corporation approved paying him a stipend to be the Executive Director of RiverSpark.

**Marshall Barrett** was happy that despite a disappointing performance at her swim meet his granddaughter went right back to practice without hesitation.

**Dave Mitola** made a donation toward Dining for Dollars at the Century House since he was unable to attend. His wife and children are heading to Florida Sunday and he will be joining them mid-week.

**Curtis Hovey** was happy to have seen Bruce Springsteen in concert. He actually took a letter from Curtis' wife Kiera talking about what a fan her aunt is. He was sad that his

daughter Mya was sick with a fever but she is doing better.

**Club Business:**

The "Pot of Gold" raffle tickets were distributed to members in attendance and will be mailed to everyone who was not there. Dave Mitola learned that packet pick up for the Mastodon Race will be Thursday night instead of Friday night. Also the Cohoes Little League will be doing a chicken barbecue on the Saturday of the race. It was decided to move the Rotary barbecue to May 20, location to be determined.

**Program:**

**Response:**

**Upcoming Meetings and Events**

**2/17/16-Club Assembly**

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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

**Cohoes Rotary Web Site -**  
[www.rotaryclubofcohoes.org](http://www.rotaryclubofcohoes.org)

We conclude the meeting with recitation of The 4 Way Test led by Curtis Hovey.

### 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 [ABC's of Rotary](#)

### Century House Menu for Cohoes Rotary

#### First Course

Cream of Chicken Soup

#### Entrée

Baked Scrod baked in Lemon and White  
Wine,  
Served with Seasonal Vegetables and  
Potatoes

#### Dessert

Assorted Cream Pies