

Rota-Briefs



Rotary Club of Cohoes - A Subsidiary of Rotary International

July 22, 2015

Invocation: Ed Tremblay

Song: Row, Row, Row Your Boat, Bev Signoracci

Birthday: Bob Van Alstine

Anniversary:

Visiting Rotarians: Byron Moak, Lansingburgh Club;

Robert Fox, Niskayuna Club Guests: Addison Brady Door Prize: Byron Moak

Powerball: Bev Signoracci tried for \$308 but was

unsuccessful.

Rotarians Present:

Barrett, Brooks, Hovey, Madden, C., Madden, J., Mitola, Signoracci, Tremblay, E., Tremblay, L., Van Alstine

Good News/Bad News:

Chris Madden was happy to be at the meeting given that she had cataract surgery that morning. The surgery went well.

Jack Madden was happy that he and Chris were able to attend and sad that he forgot to wear his pin.

Byron Moak was happy to have had a good medical check-up. He was happy to be celebrating 27 years in Rotary. His birthday is next week.

Bob Van Alstine was happy to remind the club that the District's Technology training will be held August 17 from 6:00 – 8:30 PM at Curtis Lumber.

Ed Tremblay was happy to announce that there will be a dedication of an interpretive sign for the Heritage Trail at the Van Schaick Pond at 6:00 PM tonight. Friday evening the Back 40 Band will play at Canal Square.

Dr. Fox was happy that not only was he the guest speaker but that the meeting counts as a make-up for him.

Mike Brooks was happy to be at the meeting and he thanked Ed Tremblay for bringing him on time. He wished his daughter-in-law Laura a happy birthday. He was happy that his house is back on the market for sale.

Linda Tremblay was happy that she and her granddaughter Addison were able to attend today's meeting.

Dave Mitola was happy that Dr. Fox was able to join us today. He paid for the Yankees win over the Orioles.

Marshall Barrett was happy to welcome Dr. Fox.

Club Business: The Century House is raising the cost of lunch for the Rotary meetings an additional \$2.00. The club will pay the difference until the Membership Committee has a chance to meet and make recommendations to the Board.

The District will be honoring Rotarians of the Year on August 13, 2015 at 6:00 PM at the Valley Cats Game. There will be special mention of Rotarians during the game. Be there to wish them well and enjoy a game of baseball. Bring the kids, it is fun for all. Joseph L. Bruno Stadium is located on the campus of Hudson Valley Community College at 80 Vandenburgh Avenue, Troy, NY.

Program: Dr. Robert Fox from Fox Vision Development Center spoke about how many kinds of vision problems reveal themselves most easily (especially in children) in behavior, posture and attitude.

Response: Curtis Hovey responded on behalf of the club.



Dr. Robert Fox and President Curtis Hovey

Century House Menu for Cohoes Rotary

First Course Tomato Bisque

Entrée

Grilled Sirloin Steak with Mashed Potatoes, Vegetables and a Red Wine Demi

Dessert

Chocolate Mousse

When and Where Other Rotary Clubs Meet:

To view when and where other Rotary Clubs in District 7190 meet go to: http://www.rotary7190.org/, click on When/Where Clubs Meet in the upper left corner of the home page.

Rotary Club Officers

Curtis Hovey - President
Curtis Hovey - President Elect
Linda Tremblay - Secretary
Michael Brooks - Treasurer
Marshall Barrett - Sergeant At Arms
Milan Jackson - District Governor

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

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?"

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