



Rota-Briefs



Rotary Club of Cohoes - A Subsidiary of Rotary International

January 24, 2018

Invocation: Byron Moak

Song: "You Are My Sunshine," Chuck Ries

Birthday:

Anniversary:

Visiting Rotarians:

Guests:

Door Prize: Dave Mitola

Powerball: Chuck Ries tried for \$71 but was unsuccessful

Rotarians Present: Barrett, Brooks, Mitola, Moak, Ries, Tremblay, E., Tremblay, L., Van Alstine

Good News/Bad News:

Mike Brooks thanked Bob Van Alstine for the ride to the meeting. He read some words of wisdom.

Byron Moak was happy to have survived Mike's jokes. He was happy for the sunny day. Byron celebrated his sister's birthday yesterday. He was happy that January was almost over. He was sad to have learned at the Colonie-Guilderland Rotary meeting that fellow Rotarian Richard Hodge passed away. He wished Jack Faddegan a speedy recovery after his hip surgery.

Bob Van Alstine was sad to report that one of his oldest friends is ill.

Chuck Ries was sad to report that the computers at his office got a virus. The good news is that the virus has been removed but everyone is behind in their work.

Dave Mitola was sad that he arrived later than usual to the meeting. He was sorry that he was unable to get a speaker for today. Dave is now the President of the Cohoes Community Center Board. They had a good Board meeting.

Ed Tremblay was sad that he has an older laptop with Windows 7. It did an update and now nothing works. He was happy that he and Linda had dinner at the new gastro pub on Remsen Street in Cohoes called Cascade. It was very good. He reported that the Cohoes IDA and the Cohoes Community Builders purchased the Junta site on Saratoga Street in Cohoes. The intention is to build 74 low income housing units there.

Club Business:

Colin Demers is working on fundraising projects for the remainder of the Rotary year. The club will be selling "The Box" raffle tickets for Valentine's Day.

What do bowling, cake, fish and fun have in common? Rotary's 113th birthday, that's what!

Join Rotarians from around the District at the annual Rotary birthday party, this year being held at Via Port Mall in Rotterdam on February 22nd.

Enjoy dinner, soda, bowling, billiards, birthday cake and fun with your Rotarian friends. Bring your neighbors and co-workers to show them a great Rotary night out!

The fun starts at 6:00 pm and lasts until 7:30. Plus, you can check out the Via Aquarium for \$8 (half price plus tax), starting as early as 4pm. The Aquarium takes 60-90 minutes for the full experience, so plan accordingly.

Register for all the fun by [clicking here](#).

I hope to see you there!
DG Fred

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.

Cohoes Rotary Club Meeting Schedule

Rotary Board Dinner Meeting open to all members, spouses and guests Wednesday, January 3rd at 5:30 pm at the Century House Restaurant (Dinner will be ordered individually off the regular Century House menu)

Rotary Lunch Meeting Wednesday, January 10th at 12:15 pm in the North Room Century House Restaurant

Rotary Lunch Meeting Wednesday, January 17th at 12:15 pm in the North Room Century House Restaurant

Rotary Lunch Meeting Wednesday, January 24th at 12:15 pm in the North Room Century House Restaurant

Rotary Lunch Meeting Wednesday, January 31th at 12:15 pm in the North Room Century House Restaurant

Change in Meeting Schedule

The schedule format will be: the first Wednesday of the month, a Board dinner meeting at 5:30 pm at the Century House; all other meetings will be lunch meetings at 12:15 pm at the Century House.

Rotary Club Officers

Edward Tremblay - President

Edward Tremblay – President Elect

Linda Tremblay - Secretary

Michael Brooks - Treasurer

Marshall Barrett – Sergeant At Arms

Fred Daniels - District Governor

Cohoes Rotary Web Site -

www.rotaryclubofcohoes.org

We conclude the meeting with recitation of The 4 Way Test led by Ed Tremblay.

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](#)

Song: You Are My Sunshine

You are my sunshine
My only sunshine
You make me happy
When skies are grey.
You'll never know dear
How much I love you
Please don't take my sunshine away.

The other nite dear
As I lay sleeping
I dreamed I held you in my arms
When I awoke dear
I was mistaken
And I hung my head and cried.

Century House Menu for Cohoes Rotary

First Course

Century Salad

*Seasonal Greens Topped with Grape Tomatoes,
Shredded Carrots and Cucumbers
Finished with our House Balsamic Dressing*

Entrée

Chicken a la Myla

*Breaded Chicken Layered with Arugula,
Blistered Tomatoes and Gorgonzola Topped
with Parmesan Cream*

Served with Baby Carrots and Rice

Dessert

Cheesecake