



Rota-Briefs



Rotary Club of Cohoes - A Subsidiary of Rotary International

November 15, 2017

Invocation: Bob Van Alstine

Song: "Till We Meet Again," Chuck Ries

Birthday: Chuck Ries

Anniversary:

Visiting Rotarians:

Guests:

Door Prize: Ed Tremblay

Powerball: Mike Brooks tried for \$29 but was unsuccessful

Rotarians Present: Barrett, Brooks, O'Shea, Ries, Tremblay, E., Tremblay, L., Van Alstine

Good News/Bad News:

The following members paid happy/sad dollars:

Mike Brooks thanked Bob Van Alstine for the ride to the meeting. He was very sad that his brother-in-law Bob Van Buskirk passed away. He read some words of wisdom.

Bob Van Alstine was happy that the problem he thought he had with his car turned out to be minor and there was repair no charge.

Marshall Barrett has booked Friday, December 15 for the Cohoes Rotary to ring the bell for the Salvation Army at the Price Chopper in Latham. Please sign up for a time slot.

Ed Tremblay was happy to have been the Emcee at the ceremony dedicating the former West End Park as Veteran's Memorial Park. It was a very nice ceremony.

Marshall Barrett was happy to have gone to Parishville outside of Potsdam for a retirement party for his cousin. Over 200 people attended.

Chuck Ries was happy to see Peggy O'Shea.

Peggy O'Shea paid for missed meetings.

Club Business: The annual Apple Pie sale is ongoing. The club will be selling frozen pies only for \$12. Pick up of the pies will be Saturday, November 18 from 9:00 am – 12:00 pm at the Cohoes Community Center. Pies will be on sale through Christmas. The ornament and mug sale is also in process. The Cohoes Rotary will have a table at the Dickens Stroll on Remsen Street on Saturday, November 25. Volunteers will be needed for the apple pie pick up and the Dickens Stroll. The Rotary Club Christmas Party will be Tuesday, December 12 at the Century House. Ed Tremblay attended the District Membership meeting. There were 35 people in attendance. Tomorrow night is the Rotary Foundation People of Action dinner at 90 State Street in Albany. The club is donating a gift basket for the raffle. Linda and Ed Tremblay and Chuck Ries will attend the dinner.

Upcoming Speakers

11/22/17-Melissa Trainor, American Cancer Society

11/29/17-Sue Austin, Rotary District 7190 Foundation Chair

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.

New Cohoes Rotary Club Meeting Schedule

Rotary Board Dinner Meeting open to all members, spouses and guests Wednesday November 1st at 5:30 pm at the Century House Restaurant (Dinner will be ordered individually off the regular Century House menu)

Rotary Breakfast Meeting Wednesday, November 8th at 7:30 am at Century House Hotel Mohawk Room-Get breakfast at the Saratoga Room buffet and bring to meeting room.

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

Rotary Lunch Meeting Wednesday, November 22nd at 12:15 pm at the North Room Century House Restaurant

Rotary Lunch Meeting Wednesday, November 29th at 12:15 pm at the North Room Century House Restaurant

The schedule format will be: the first Wednesday of the month, a Board dinner meeting; the second Wednesday of the month, a breakfast meeting; the third and fourth Wednesdays of the month, a lunch meeting. If a fifth Wednesday falls within a month it will be a lunch meeting.

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

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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: Till We Meet Again

There's a song in the land of the lily,
Each sweetheart has heard with a sigh.
Over high garden walls this sweet echo falls,

As a soldier by whispers goodbye:

Smile the while you kiss me sad adieu
When the clouds roll by I'll come to you,
Then the skies will seem more blue,
Down in Lover's Lane, my dearie.

Wedding bells will ring so merrily
Ev'ry tear will be a memory
So wait and pray each night for me
Til wee meet again.

Century House Menu for Cohoes Rotary

First Course

Minestrone Soup

Entrée

Chicken Parmesan
Served with Pasta Marinara

Dessert

Chocolate Tort Cake