



Rota-Briefs



Rotary Club of Cohoes - A Subsidiary of Rotary International

May 23, 2018

Invocation: Linda Tremblay
Song: "When Johnny Comes Marching Home,"
Chuck Ries
Birthday: Mike Brooks
Anniversary:
Visiting Rotarians:
Guests: Heather Bradt, Brock Bell, Cohoes City School District
Door Prize: Heather Bradt
Powerball: Brock Bell tried for \$61 but was unsuccessful.
Rotarians Present: Barrett, Brooks, Hovey, Mitola, Moak, O'Shea, Ries, Sipe, 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.
Chuck Ries was happy to be at the meeting. His wife Debby was released from rehab and is back home. He is learning at age 78 how difficult it is to take care of a household.
Bob Van Alstine was happy that his book on J. Jaroslav Sustar has been submitted to the publisher. He will invite Mr. Sustar's widow to attend the Rotary meeting on June 20 when Bob will be doing a presentation about the book.
Roderick Sipe was happy to be at the meeting. He had raffle tickets from the Rotary district conference available for purchase. June 26 is the Delmar Rotary's Golf event at the Normanside Country Club if anyone is interested.
Byron Moak was happy for the beautiful day. He was in Woodstock, VT last week with family and had a great visit. Byron gave some historical facts about Memorial Day.
Marshall Barrett was surprised to hear that Chuck Ries doesn't do the housework at home all the time. Marshall had lunch last week with relatives that he never met before.
Linda Tremblay wished Mike Brooks a Happy Birthday. She was sad that Mariel Correia is still not feeling well. She thinks the pollens are causing him difficulty.
Ed Tremblay was happy that Thursday is the Memorial Day parade in Cohoes. Ed will be the emcee again. He hopes for good weather and a good turnout at the parade. The parade begins in Veteran's Memorial Park on Columbia Street and ends at Canal Square on Remsen Street.
Dave Mitola paid for missed meetings. He was happy to be going to Pennsylvania to his niece's graduation.

Peggy O'Shea was sad for the passing of Mike Parente, a school district employee. She was happy to welcome the guests from the Cohoes City School District. She wished Mike Brooks a Happy Birthday. Curtis Hovey paid for missed meetings. His kids went to Dr. Dave Mitola for their dental check-ups. Curtis was happy Dr. Dave didn't pull any teeth out. He was happy to report that the Mayor's Cup Golf Tournament will be held June 1. There are 110 golfers registered to play.

Club Business:

May 30 the slate of Officers and Board members will be presented to the club for a vote. The Installation of new officers and Board members will be on June 27 at 12:15 pm at the Century House.

Program: Heather Bradt, teacher and coordinator of the HOPE mentoring program and student Brock Bell gave an overview of the program. **Helping Others Prosper Everyday** is a Cohoes City School District mentoring program geared to assist students both academically and socially. Mentors support students' efforts, guide their decision making, and encourage achievement. Sessions take place after school. There were 30 students paired with a mentor (either a teacher or member of the community).

Response: Ed Tremblay responded on behalf of the club.



Ed Tremblay, Heather Bradt, Brock Bell

Upcoming Speakers & Events:

5/30/18 – Amanda Powers, Lauren Shanahan, Amber Robinson, Cohoes Student Ambassadors and Community Service
6/6/18-Rotary Board Meeting-5:30 pm, The Century House
6/13/18- Scott Landry, Retirement Planning
6/20/18- Robert Van Alstine, J. Jaroslav Sustar book
6/27/18- Cohoes Rotary Installation Luncheon, 12:15 at The Century House

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, May 2, at 5:30 pm at the Century House Restaurant (Dinner will be ordered individually off the regular Century House menu)

Rotary Lunch Meeting Wednesday, May 9, at 12:15 pm in the North Room Century House Restaurant

Rotary Lunch Meeting Wednesday, May 16, at 12:15 pm in the North Room Century House Restaurant

Rotary Lunch Meeting Wednesday, May 23, at 12:15 pm in the North Room Century House Restaurant

Rotary Lunch Meeting Wednesday, May 30, at 12:15 pm in the North Room Century House Restaurant

Meeting Schedule

The schedule format is: the first Wednesday of the month, a Board dinner meeting at 5:30 pm at the Century House. All club members are invited to attend; 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: When Johnny Comes Marching Home

When Johnny comes marching home again,
Hurrah! Hurrah!

We'll give him a hearty welcome then
Hurrah! Hurrah!

The men will cheer and the boys will shout

The ladies they will all turn out
And we'll all feel gay when Johnny comes marching home.

Century House Menu for Cohoes Rotary

First Course

Summer Salad

Topped with Lemon Herb Oil

Entrée

Chicken Milanese

Served with Asparagus and Rice

Dessert

Cheesecake