



# Rota-Briefs



Rotary Club of Cohoes - A Subsidiary of Rotary International

June 27, 2018

**Invocation:** Bryon Moak

**Song:** "Yankee Doodle Boy," Chuck Ries

**Birthday:**

**Anniversary:**

**Visiting Rotarians:**

**Guests:** Micah and Addison Brady, Karen Van Alstine

**Door Prize:** Dave Mitola

**Powerball:** Dave Mitola tried for \$105 but was unsuccessful.

**Rotarians Present:** Barrett, Brooks, Demers, Farrell, Hovey, Mitola, Moak, O'Shea, Ries, Sipe, Tremblay, E., Tremblay, L., Van Alstine

## **Good News/Bad News:**

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

**Curtis Hovey** was happy to be at the Installation luncheon.

**Jack Farrell** paid for missed meetings.

**Bob Van Alstine** was happy to be at the Installation and happy for the good crowd.

**Byron Moak** was also happy to be at the Installation and happy for the crowd. He was sad that his sister and brother-in-law had a deer run into their car. Fortunately they were not hurt.

**Dave Mitola** was happy to be at the Installation and hopes for a successful year for the club. He was also happy for the good attendance today.

**Chuck Ries** was happy to see Jack Farrell at a meeting and happy to see Addison and Micah.

**Roderick Sipe** was happy that he will be an "official" member of the club. Roderick participated in the Rotary Club of Delmar's golf outing yesterday.

**Marshall Barrett** read some words of wisdom. He was happy that he and Connie are leaving for a trip to Jamaica. He will be gone three weeks. His daughter is leaving for Portugal for two weeks and Spain for two months.

**Ed Tremblay** was happy that he and Linda will be watching Micah and Addison for the summer. He was happy that last week our exchange student Mariel Correia received an award at the High School awards ceremony and graduated on Saturday. He is currently on a trip sponsored by Rotary to see the western part of the country. He will be back in Cohoes for two days in July and then he will return home to Brazil. Our outbound student Joe Ritchie is currently in Madrid, Spain for 5 weeks. When he returns he will have a student from Spain with him for 5 weeks. Ed thanked Chuck Ries and Monika Boeckmann for assisting with the 50/50 at the Canal Square concert.

The club earned \$213.

**Peggy O'Shea** was happy that on July 2 her son will be inducted into the Saratoga County Sheriff's Office. He will be going to the police academy. She was happy that the Cohoes High School graduation went great. Al Aubin, a former Cohoes Firefighter, was given his diploma after 50 years. She was sad to hear that Stephanie Heslin's son's friend passed away.

**Club Business:** Ed will send out a survey to the club asking their opinion on the meeting schedule for next year.

## **Installation of Officers, Directors and New Members**

The Officers, Directors and New Members for 2018-19 were formally installed. A Paul Harris Citation was also awarded.

President – Edward Tremblay

Secretary – Linda Tremblay

Treasurer – Michael Brooks

Sergeant-At-Arms – Marshall Barrett

Director – Peggy O'Shea

Director – Byron Moak

New Member – Roderick Sipe

Paul Harris – Edward Tremblay



*Chuck Ries Installs Officers Marshall Barrett, Ed Tremblay, Linda Tremblay and Mike Brooks*

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*Board Members Peggy O'Shea and Byron Moak*



*New Member Roderick Sipe*



*Paul Harris Citation Winner Ed Tremblay*

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: Yankee Doodle Boy**

I'm a Yankee Doodle Dandy,  
A Yankee Doodle do or die,  
A real live nephew of my Uncle Sam's,  
Born on the Fourth of July.

I've got a Yankee Doodle sweetheart,  
She's my Yankee Doodle joy,  
Yankee Doodle came to London,  
Just to ride the ponies,  
I am a Yankee Doodle Boy.

#### **Century House Menu for Cohoes Rotary**

##### ***Century House Installation***

##### ***Luncheon Buffet***