



# Rota-Briefs



Rotary Club of Cohoes - A Subsidiary of Rotary International

March 11, 2020

**Invocation:** Dave Havnen  
**Song:** The Wild Rover, Chuck Ries  
**Birthday:**  
**Anniversary:**  
**Visiting Rotarians:**  
**Guests:** Maxine Becker, Ashley Tremblay, Gateway Sports  
**Door Prize:** Marshall Barrett  
**Powerball:** Ashley Tremblay tried for the Powerball but was unsuccessful  
**Rotarians Present:** Barrett, Havnen, Mitola, Moak, Ries, Tremblay, E., Tremblay L.

**Good News/Bad News:**

**Dave Havnen** was happy for the 76 degree weather.  
**Byron Moak** reminded everyone that today was the anniversary of the blizzard of 1888. He was happy that the Snowman will be opening this weekend.  
**Chuck Ries** told a story about triplets born on this day in 1940.  
**Dave Mitola** welcomed Ashley Tremblay and Maxine Becker from Gateway Sports and stated that Cohoes is lucky to have Gateway Sports in the community.  
**Ed Tremblay** was happy for all the activity at LifePath Cohoes. 677 Prime restaurant is donating meals for the center's St. Patrick's Day party.  
**Linda Tremblay** was happy that her son and daughter-in-law with be visiting this weekend with two friends.

**Club Business:**

Roderick and Karen Sipe, Linda and Ed Tremblay and Dave Havnen from Cohoes Rotary attended the RYLA graduation ceremony at Skidmore College on March 7. Olivia Huneau and Shaelah Barrett were the students from Cohoes who completed the program. Easter basket raffle tickets were distributed to the club.

**Program:**

Maxine Becker, Community Outreach Coordinator, and Ashley Tremblay, Complex Director from Gateway Sports gave a presentation on what the plans are for the former

Cohoes Community Center. Gateway Sports plans to offer a full array of aquatics programs, a fitness center, pool access, a sauna, a steam room and gymnasium access.

**Response:**  
Linda Tremblay responded on behalf of the club.



Ashley Tremblay, Linda Tremblay, and Maxine Becker



Linda Tremblay, Olivia Huneau and Shaelah Barrett

**Upcoming Meetings & Events**

**ALL FUTURE COHOES ROTARY MEETINGS ARE CANCELLED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE DUE TO THE CORONAVIRUS PANDEMIC.**

## 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 Tuesday, March 3, at 5:45 pm at the Century House Restaurant (Dinner will be ordered individually off the regular Century House menu)

**Rotary Lunch Meeting** Wednesday, March 11, at 12:15 pm LifePath Living Center at Cohoes (Cohoes Senior Center)

**Rotary Lunch Meeting** Wednesday, March 18, at 12:15 pm LifePath Living Center at Cohoes (Cohoes Senior Center)

**Rotary Dinner Meeting** Tuesday, March 24, at 5:45 pm at the Century House Restaurant

#### New Meeting Schedule\*\*\*

The schedule format is: the first Tuesday of the month, a Board dinner meeting at 5:45 pm at the Century House. All club members are invited to attend. The fourth Tuesday of the month, Rotary dinner meeting at 5:45 pm at the Century House. The second and third Wednesday of the month will be a lunch meeting at 12:15 pm at LifePath Living Center at Cohoes (Cohoes Senior Center). There will not be a meeting if there is a fifth Wednesday in the month.

### Rotary Club Officers

**Linda Tremblay** – President

**Edward Tremblay** - Secretary

**Michael Brooks** - Treasurer

**Larry Jones** - District Governor

**Cohoes Rotary Web Site -**

[www.rotaryclubofcohoes.org](http://www.rotaryclubofcohoes.org)

We conclude the meeting with recitation of The 4 Way Test led by Linda 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](#)

### The Wild Rover

I've been a wild rover for many a year,  
And I spent all my money on whiskey and  
beer,  
And now I'm returning with gold in great  
store,  
And I never will play the wild rover no more.

And it's no, nay, never,  
No nay never no more,  
Will I play the wild rover,  
No never no more.

### LifePath Cohoes Menu for Cohoes Rotary

#### Entrée

Chicken Parmesan w/tomato sauce

Dinner salad

Penne Pasta

Whole Wheat Bread

Applesauce

#### Dessert

Cake