

# **Rota-Briefs**



Rotary Club of Cohoes - A Subsidiary of Rotary International

August 14, 2019

**Invocation:** Dave Havnen

Song: Take Me Out to the Ball Game, Linda

Tremblay Birthday:

Anniversary: Mike Brooks, Chuck Ries

Visiting Rotarians:

Guests: Crystal Alesio, Community Miracles in

Action; Micah and Addison Brady

**Door Prize:** Ed Tremblay

Powerball: Crystal Alesio tried for \$13 but was

unsuccessful.

Rotarians Present: Cherubino, Havnen, Moak,

Mitola, Tremblay, E., Tremblay, L.

#### Good News/Bad News:

**Byron Moak** noted that today was the anniversary of the creation of Social Security. Sunday is the annual Lansingburgh Boys and Girls Club chicken barbecue.

Melissa Cherubino was happy to report that she has accepted a new position as Director of Economic Development for the Town of Glenville. Ed Tremblay announced that Congressman Paul Tonko is holding a Town Hall Meeting at the Cohoes Senior Center at 1:00 pm today. Ed was afraid Mike Brooks did not come today because the Orioles are doing so poorly.

#### Club Business:

Linda Tremblay announced that the meeting next week is a lunch meeting at the Cohoes Senior Center and the meeting the following week is a dinner meeting at the Tremblay home.

Program: Crystal Alesio gave an update on Community Miracles in Action. The CMA family offers quality youth development programming, creates access to competent, inspired and committed role models and provides youth the opportunity and necessary support to create systems of success at home, school and work. The programs include music and tech workshops, social activism awareness, drop in programs, teen center and needs based community resources. Through Louder Dreams Entertainment and the Spark Squad, CMA offers a safe place for youth to go where they can connect with adults who care, set and achieve

goals all while building relationships with others who have similar interests. The CMA family is committed to bringing about change through investing in youth and the future of the community. Currently CMA has 71 registered participants with 50 consistently attending.

#### Response:

Micah and Addison Brady responded on behalf of the club and gave Crystal a donation from Cohoes Rotary to Community Miracles in Action.



Micah Brady, Crystal Alesio, Addison Brady

## **Upcoming Meetings**

**8/14/19-** Speaker Crystal Alesio, Community Miracles in Action, Rotary Lunch meeting, 12:15 pm, LifePath Living Center at Cohoes (Cohoes Senior Center)

**8/21/19-**Rotary Lunch meeting, 12:15 pm, LifePath Living Center at Cohoes (Cohoes Senior Center)

**8/27/19-**Rotary Dinner Meeting, 5:45 pm, home of Linda and Ed Tremblay

## When and Where Other Rotary Clubs Meet:

To view when and where other Rotary Clubs in District 7190 meet go to: <a href="http://www.rotary7190.org/">http://www.rotary7190.org/</a>, 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, August 6, at 5:45 pm at the Century House Restaurant (Dinner will be ordered individually off the regular Century House menu)

Rotary Lunch Meeting Wednesday, August 14, at 12:15 pm LifePath Living Center at Cohoes (Cohoes Senior Center) Rotary Lunch Meeting Wednesday, August 21, at 12:15 pm LifePath Living Center at Cohoes (Cohoes Senior Center) Rotary Dinner Meeting Tuesday, August 27, at 5:45 pm Picnic at the Tremblays

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

The schedule format is: the first <u>Tuesday</u> of the month, a Board dinner meeting at <u>5:45</u> pm at the Century House. All club members are invited to attend. The fourth <u>Tuesday</u> of the month, Rotary dinner meeting at <u>5:45</u> pm at the Century House. The second and third <u>Wednesday</u> 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

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We conclude the meeting with recitation of <u>The 4 Way Test</u> 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: Take Me Out to the Ball Game

Take me out to the ball game, Take me out with the crowd; Buy me some peanuts and Cracker Jack.

I don't care if I never get back. Let me root, root, root for the home team,

If they don't win, it's a shame. For it's one, two, three strikes, you're out.

At the old ball game.

## LifePath Living Center at Cohoes Menu for Cohoes Rotary

#### Entrée

Turkey w/Gravy Whole Wheat Stuffing Mashed Potatoes Peas and Carrots

**Dessert**Birthday Cake