



# Rota-Briefs



Rotary Club of Cohoes - A Subsidiary of Rotary International

May 22, 2019

**Invocation:** Byron Moak

**Song:**

**Birthday:** Mike Brooks

**Anniversary:**

**Visiting Rotarians:**

**Guests:** Rebecca LaForest, Nyshawn Holland, Aaliyah Skawinski, Quincy Hytko, Robert Brundige, Cohoes City School District

**Door Prize:** Ed Tremblay

**Powerball:** Marshall Barrett tried for \$375 but was unsuccessful.

**Rotarians Present:** Barrett, Moak, O'Shea, Ries, Sipe, Tremblay, E., Tremblay, L.

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

**Roderick Sipe** was happy that his mother-in-law's house sold. His youngest daughter went to Rhode Island to find an apartment. She will be starting her first job.

**Chuck Ries** was happy that yesterday was his wife Debby's birthday.

**Byron Moak** was happy to see the sun. He reminded everyone to remember our veterans this weekend.

**Ed Tremblay** was happy to welcome our presenters today. He noted how much technology has changed since he was in high school.

**Marshall Barrett** was happy that he and Connie will be going to the Rotary International Convention in Hamburg, Germany. They had to go to Burlington, VT to get Connie a new passport because hers would have expired before the required 6 month period. Marshall has one day to spare on his passport.

## **Club Business:**

The ninth annual Cohoes Artist Showcase will be held June 22 & 23 at the Cohoes Music Hall. Artists from Albany, Rensselaer, Schenectady & Saratoga are welcome to submit art. On May 29 the candidates running for Mayor will hold a debate at the Cohoes Senior Center. Marshall Barrett will be representing Cohoes Rotary at the Rotary International Convention in Hamburg, Germany. The Shelter Box program has been nominated for a Nobel Prize.

**Program:** Cohoes Middle School Technology teacher Rebecca LaForest and students Nyshawn Holland, Aaliya Skawinski, Quincy Hytko, and Robert Brundige gave a hands on demonstration of projects they worked on this year in Technology class using the principles of Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts and Math (STEAM).

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



Rebecca LaForest, Robert Brundige, Nyshawn Holland, Quincy Hytko, Aaliyah Skawinski, Ed Tremblay

## **Upcoming Meetings**

**5/29/19**-No Meeting

**6/5/19**-No Meeting

**6/11/19**-Rotary Board Meeting, 5:30 pm, The Century House

**6/12/19**-Tom Burdick, President of Gift of Life, 12:15 pm, Cohoes Senior Center

**6/26/19**-Installation Luncheon, 12:15 pm, 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

No Meeting Wednesday, June 5

**Rotary Board Dinner Meeting** open to all members, spouses and guests Tuesday, June 11, at 5:30 pm at the Century House Restaurant (Dinner will be ordered individually off the regular Century House menu)

**Rotary Lunch Meeting** Wednesday, June 12, at 12:15 pm in the Cohoes Senior Center Board Room

**Rotary Lunch Meeting** Wednesday, June 19, at 12:15 pm in the Cohoes Senior Center Board Room

**Rotary Installation Luncheon** Wednesday, June 26, at 12:15 pm, The Century House

#### Meeting Schedule

The schedule format is: the first Tuesday 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 Cohoes Senior Center. There will not be a meeting if there is a fifth Wednesday in the month.

### Rotary Club Officers

**Edward Tremblay** – President

**Linda Tremblay** - Secretary

**Michael Brooks** - Treasurer

**Marshall Barrett** – Sergeant At Arms

**Tammy Heckenberg** - 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 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: Que Sera, Sera

When I was just a little girl,  
I asked my mother, what will I be?  
Will I be pretty, will I be rich?  
Here's what she said to me.  
Que Sera, Sera,  
Whatever will be, will be,  
The future's not ours to see,  
Que Sera, Sera.

### Cohoes Senior Center Menu for Cohoes Rotary

#### Entrée

Turkey Tetrizzini over Spaghetti  
Brussel Sprouts  
Fruit Punch  
Whole Wheat Bread

#### Dessert

Applesauce Cake