

Rota-Briefs



Rotary Club of Cohoes - A Subsidiary of Rotary International

August 22, 2018

Invocation: Ed Tremblay Song: Birthday: Anniversary: Visiting Rotarians:

Guests: District Governor Elect Larry Jones from the Glenville Club, Micah Brady, Addison Brady **Door Prize:** Bob Van Alstine

Powerball: Chuck Ries tried for \$150 but was unsuccessful.

Rotarians Present: Barrett, Brooks, Mitola, Moak, 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.

Bob Van Alstine is sad for the Yankees. **Byron Moak** welcomed Larry Jones and Micah and Addison Brady to the meeting. He was glad for the cool weather. On this day in 1851 was the first Yacht America race that became the America Cup.

Roderick Sipe told a joke in Mike Brooks' honor. He was happy to have purchased a new leaf blower just in time for autumn.

Marshall Barrett was proud of his two granddaughters. They were in a swim meet at Babcock Lake. His granddaughter Sage came in 15th and her younger sister Skyla was able to finish the race at only 6 years old. **Larry Jones** told a joke.

Ed Tremblay was happy to have Larry Jones and his grandchildren visiting the meeting. He was sad to report that Jack Madden is feeling under the weather. The members of the Cohoes Club

wish Jack a speedy recovery.

Club Business: <u>September 4th the Cohoes</u> <u>Rotary will begin its new meeting schedule.</u> <u>The</u> <u>Board dinner meetings will be the first Tuesday of</u> <u>the month at 5:30 pm at the Century House.</u> <u>The</u> <u>second, third and fourth Wednesdays of the</u> <u>month the lunch meetings will be held at 12:15 pm</u> <u>at the Cohoes Senior Center.</u> <u>If there is a fifth</u> <u>Wednesday in a month there will not be a</u> <u>meeting.</u>

The club will be collecting school supplies to donate to the Cohoes elementary schools for the next few weeks. School supply lists will be sent to the club members. If anyone has gently used coats for Coats for the Community program please drop them off to the Cohoes Senior Center or the Cohoes Community Center. They will be distributed on October 19 & 20 at the Cohoes Senior Center. The club will also be collecting toys for the Holiday Hope program.

Larry Jones reported that the District Change Over dinner will be held at Mayby Farm on June 22, 2019. They are trying to create a more family friendly event and bring the price down. They would like to have clubs induct their President Elects to the office of President at this event.

Upcoming Meetings

8/29/18-Lunch Meeting, 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: <u>http://www.rotary7190.org/</u>, 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, September 4, at 5:30 pm at the Century House Restaurant (Dinner will be ordered individually off the regular Century House menu) **Rotary Lunch Meeting** Wednesday, September 12, at 12:15 pm in the Cohoes Senior Center Board Room **Rotary Lunch Meeting** Wednesday, September 19, at 12:15 pm in the Cohoes Senior Center Board Room **Rotary Lunch Meeting** Wednesday, September 26, at 12:15 pm in the Cohoes Senior Center Board Room

New Meeting Schedule as of September, 2018

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 We conclude the meeting with recitation of <u>The</u> <u>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: Row, Row, Row

Row, row, row your boat,

Gently down the stream,

Merrily, merrily, merrily, merrily,

Life is but a dream.

Century House Menu for Cohoes Rotary

First Course

Century Salad Seasonal Greens with grape tomatoes, shredded carrots, cucumbers and served with a balsamic dressing

Entrée

Grilled Delmonico Served with Mashed Potatoes and Baby Carrots

> Dessert Lemon Cake