



Rota-Briefs



Rotary Club of Cohoes - A Subsidiary of Rotary International

August 29, 2018

Invocation: Byron Moak
Song: Lazy River, Chuck Ries
Birthday: Peggy O'Shea
Anniversary: Jack Farrell
Visiting Rotarians:
Guests: Micah Brady, Addison Brady
Door Prize: Ed Tremblay
Powerball: Addison Brady tried for \$162 but was unsuccessful.

Rotarians Present: Barrett, Brooks, Demers, Hovey, 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 thanked Colin Demers for the great service the Century House has given the Cohoes Rotary over the years. He read some words of wisdom.

Bob Van Alstine was happy that his son had been visiting.

Byron Moak was happy to have survived Mike Brooks' jokes. He is looking forward to cooler weather.

Chuck Ries was sad that after meeting at the Century House for over 26 years the club will start holding its lunch meetings at a new location.

Roderick Sipe was happy; he likes warm weather.

Dave Mitola was sad that this week will be the last lunch meeting held at the Century House but was happy that we will be back for dinner Tuesday for the Board meeting. He was happy for his wife that the kids go back to school next week.

Linda Tremblay, Bob Van Alstine and Marshall Barrett all thanked Colin Demers for the exemplary job the Century House has done taking care of the Cohoes Rotary over the years.

Marshall Barrett told a story about his granddaughters belonging to 4H. They raised rabbits to show at the Schaghticoke Fair. One of the rabbits died before it got to the fair.

Ed Tremblay thanked Colin Demers and the Century House for their service to the club. He was happy that Senior Services of Albany had a successful Travers Wine Tasting event last Friday in Saratoga.

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

The club will be collecting school supplies to donate to the Cohoes elementary schools for the next few weeks. School supply lists were 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.

Linda Tremblay distributed historic photos of the Cohoes Armory and the Cohoes Masonic Temple as possible designs for this year's Christmas ornament. She is asking for people's preferences.

Upcoming Meetings

9/12/18-Lunch Meeting, 12:15 pm, The Cohoes Senior Center

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, 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 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: Lazy River

Up a lazy river by the old mill run,
That lazy, lazy river in the noon day sun,
Linger in the shade of a kind old tree,
Throw away your troubles,
Dream a dream with me.

Up a lazy river where the robin's song
Awakes the bright new morning
We can loaf along.

Blue skies up above,
Every one's in love,
Up a lazy river, how happy you can be,
Up a lazy river with me.

Century House Menu for Cohoes Rotary

First Course

Arugula Salad

Arugula, Tart Cherries, Toasted Almonds, Fried Goat Cheese, Topped with a Honey Ginger Vinaigrette

Entrée

Chicken Madeira

Crispy Chicken Topped with Madeira Sauce,
Served with Summer Vegetable and Potato Medley

Dessert

Double Chocolate Mousse Tart