# **Rota-Briefs**



Rotary Club of Cohoes - A Subsidiary of Rotary International

October 13, 2021

Mission of Rotary/Invocation: Byron Moak

**Birthday**: Roderick Sipe **Anniversary**: Colin Demers

**Visiting Rotarians:** 

Guests:

**Door Prize:** Ed Tremblay

Powerball: Ed Tremblay tried for \$318 but was

unsuccessful.

Rotarians Present: Brooks, Havnen, Moak,

Sage, Tremblay, E, Tremblay, L

#### Good News/Bad News:

**Mike Brooks** was happy to report that fellow Cohoes Rotarian David Mitola received a Dental Service Award. Congratulations to Dave. Mike read some words of wisdom.

Byron Moak went to Corning, NY to the Ontario Shrine meeting. The fall colors were beautiful driving down I88. This weekend Byron will be attending the Oriental Shrine ceremony in Saratoga. Yesterday, Byron went to Ortho NY to see Dr. Katz. He got cortisone shots in his knee and his hip. Eventually Byron may need hip replacement surgery.

**Dave Havnen** was happy not to have any doctor's appointments this week which gives him extra money to spend at Rotary.

**Bill Sage** was happy to be at the meeting. **Linda Tremblay** was happy to report that her daughter Kelly starts a new job next week with the CDC Foundation.

Ed Tremblay was happy to announce that his grandchildren Micah and Addison got parts in the school play. His daughter Kelly and his niece Jennifer ran and finished the Hannaford Half Marathon on Sunday. LifePath Cohoes will be holding a drive through Spaghetti Dinner on Thursday, October 28, 2021 from 4:30-6:30 pm. Dinners cost \$12 each. All dinners must be preordered.

#### **Club Business:**

The City of Cohoes Halloween Party will be held Friday, October 29. The Cohoes Rotary and LifePath will partner with the City of Cohoes sponsoring a party for the children at LifePath at Cohoes Senior Center. Students from The Connect Center for Youth will help in the kitchen cooking hot dogs. Students from the Cohoes Middle School National Junior Honor Society will assist with staffing the games. Several churches in Cohoes will do Trunk or Treat. They will have cars set up along the parade route handing out candy from the trunks of their cars. Phil Sawyer will provide DJ services inside LifePath at Cohoes Senior Center. If you are available to work, please let Roderick Sipe or Linda Tremblay know.



## 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**

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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 second Wednesday of the month will be a lunch meeting at 12:15 pm at LifePath at Cohoes Senior Center. The third and fourth Wednesdays of the month will be Zoom meetings at 7:00 pm. There will not be a meeting if there is a fifth Wednesday in the month.

#### **Rotary Club Officers**

Roderick Sipe – President Linda Tremblay - Secretary Michael Brooks – Treasurer Ed Tremblay – Sergeant at Arms Bruce McConnelee - 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?"

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# **Upcoming Meetings & Events**

10/20/21-Cohoes Rotary Meeting, 7:00 pm, Zoom

10/27/21-Cohoes Rotary Meeting, 7:00 pm, Zoom, Guest speakers Jon Weaver and Elizabeth Smith-Boivin.

11/2/21-Cohoes Rotary Board Meeting, 5:45 pm, The Century House, Latham

11/10/21-Cohoes Rotary Meeting, 12:15 pm, LifePath at Cohoes Senior Center, Guest speaker District Governor Bruce McConnelee

11/17/21-Cohoes Rotary Meeting, 7:00 pm, Zoom, Guest speakers PDG Terry Phillips and PDG Fred Daniels

11/24/21-Cohoes Rotary Meeting, 7:00 pm, Zoom

RI President Shekhar Mehta is urging members to become more involved in service projects, saying that caring for and serving others is the best way to live because it changes not only other people's lives, but also our own.

