Rota-Briefs



Rotary Club of Cohoes - A Subsidiary of Rotary International

October 20, 2021

Mission of Rotary/Invocation: Roderick

Sipe

Birthday: Anniversary:

Visiting Rotarians:

Guests: Door Prize: Powerball:

Rotarians Present: Brooks, Havnen, Sipe,

Van Alstine

Good News/Bad News:

Mike Brooks read some words of wisdom. **Dave Havnen** was happy to see that the Moderna Booster shot for Covid 19 is available. He was sad that energy costs will be going up 30%.

Bob Van Alstine was working on a project for church. Someone in the group was exposed to someone who had Covid. Fortunately, the woman who was exposed to Covid got tested and she was negative. **Roderick Sipe** was happy to have been the visiting financial advisor at a school. He addressed a business class for 11th and 12th graders as part of their investing curriculum.

Club Business:

Rotary World Polio Day is October 24. 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 Sawver will provide DJ services inside LifePath at Cohoes Senior Center. If you are available to work, please let Roderick Sipe or Linda Tremblay know. The Rotary Zone Summit for our Zone will be

held November 2-4. The District Foundation Dinner will be held November 18. Dave Havnen attended the Rotary Peace Fellow Zoom meeting. The process to become a Peace Fellow takes one year. Projects are specific to the identified need. District Governor Bruce McConnelee will be visiting the Cohoes club on November 10.



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

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 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 Roderick Sipe.

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

10/27/21-Cohoes Rotary Meeting, 7:00 pm, Zoom, Guest speakers Jon Weaver and Elizabeth Smith-Boivin, The Alzheimer's Association

11/9/21-Cohoes Rotary Board Meeting, 5:45 pm, The Century House, Latham (Change in Date)

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.

