Rota-Briefs



Rotary Club of Cohoes - A Subsidiary of Rotary International

March 22, 2023

Mission of Rotary/Invocation: Dave Havnen

Birthday: Anniversary:

Visiting Rotarians:

Guests:

Door Prize: Ed Tremblay

Powerball: Ed Tremblay tried for \$91 but was

unsuccessful.

Rotarians Present: Brooks, Havnen, Moak, Ries, Rose, Tremblay, L., Tremblay, E., Van

Alstine

Good News/Bad News:

Mike Brooks read some words of wisdom. **Bob Van Alstine** was happy that now that the weather is improving, he has been able to walk for 3 days in a row. He and Karen had a surprise visit from their son Scott.

Dave Havnen bought a new car yesterday. The whole deal was done in four hours.

Ken Rose was happy there was no longer snow on the chairs in his yard.

Byron Moak was happy that Easter is coming. He went to the Shriner's Potentate's Ball in Saratoga. It was a Western theme. They had 100 people in attendance. Byron hopes that spring will truly be here soon.

Ed Tremblay enjoyed the corned beef dinner he and Linda got last week from the Cohoes Senior Center. Between Cohoes and Watervliet Senior Centers there were over 150 meals served. Friday night Ed and his family saw Hamilton at Proctor's. Saturday he and Linda drove to Syracuse to attend the Rotary Multi-District PETS training.

Linda Tremblay said that the PETS training was very informative, but on the way home they drove through a heavy snow squall between Syracuse and Utica.

Club Business:

The next 50/50 raffle will be an Easter raffle. Tickets were distributed to members. The winner will receive half the proceeds raised and an Easter basket. The winner will be drawn at the April 4 Board meeting. Ed and Linda Tremblay attended PETS in Syracuse on March 18 and will attend the Grants Management Seminar on April 1. Peggy O'Shea will also attend the Grants Management Seminar representing the club.

Check Presentation to Cohoes Friends of the Arts Booster Club



Helen Annely, Rachel Bird, Linda Tremblay, Edward Tremblay

2023 Multi District PETS





Meeting Schedule

The schedule format is the first <u>Tuesday</u> of the month, a Board dinner meeting at 5:45 pm at the Century House. All club members are invited to attend. The second and third Wednesday of the month is a lunch meeting at 12:00 pm at LifePath at Cohoes Senior Center. The fourth Wednesday of the month is a Zoom meeting at 7:00 pm. There will not be a meeting if there is a fifth Wednesday in the month.

Rotary Club Officers

Tammy Parker – President
Edward Tremblay-President Elect
Roderick Sipe- Past President
Linda Tremblay - Secretary
Michael Brooks – Treasurer
Ed Tremblay – Sergeant at Arms
Denise DiNoto - District Governor

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We conclude the meeting with recitation of <u>The 4 Way Test</u> led by Linda 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

3/22/23-Cohoes Rotary Lunch Meeting, 12:00 pm, LifePath at Cohoes Senior Center **3/29/23**-Cohoes Rotary Zoom Meeting, 7:00 pm

4/4/23-Cohoes Rotary Board Meeting, 5:45 pm, The Century House, Latham 4/12/23-Cohoes Rotary Lunch Meeting, 12:00 pm, LifePath at Cohoes Senior Center 4/19/23-Cohoes Rotary Lunch Meeting, 12:00 pm, LifePath at Cohoes Senior Center 4/26/23-Cohoes Rotary Zoom Meeting, 7:00 pm

Rotary International President Jennifer Jones imagines a Rotary where members act to make their dreams become reality and make the most of their club experiences. During her year, Jones will focus on four presidential initiatives that Imagine Rotary: advancing our commitment to Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI); creating a welcoming club experience; empowering girls; and expanding our reach.

