



Rota-Briefs



Rotary Club of Cohoes - A Subsidiary of Rotary International

January 25, 2017

Invocation: Byron Moak

Song: "Darktown Strutter's Ball," Chuck Ries

Birthday:

Anniversary:

Visiting Rotarians: Byron Moak, Lansingburgh Club

Guests:

Door Prize: Bev Signoracci

Powerball: Chuck Ries tried for \$56 but was unsuccessful.

Rotarians Present:

Brooks, Hovey, Ries, Signoracci, Tremblay, E., Van Alstine

Good News/Bad News:

The following members paid happy/sad dollars:

Mike Brooks thanked Bob Van Alstine for the ride to the meeting and offered some words of wisdom.

Bev Signoracci paid for missed meetings and paid for Mike Brooks' bad jokes. She was happy that her daughter Jody was given two professional awards.

Chuck Ries was tired of listening to the news. He wondered why Buffalo keeps hiring Irish coaches.

Byron Moak was happy to have survived Mike Brooks' jokes. He was happy to have weathered the recent storm. He is looking forward to Groundhog Day. He was sad that a teacher from Lansingburgh died.

Ed Tremblay was happy for a successful week at the Octave of prayer. He attended a meeting of a group in City Hall called the Stakeholders. The Rotary will be discussing how we can best participate with this group.

Curtis Hovey felt like the fire hydrant in one of Mike's jokes. He was happy the Buffalo Sabers had three wins.

Club Business: The Cohoes Rotary will again participate in the District's Construction Project. Canned goods and dry goods donations can be brought to the Cohoes Community Center or to a Rotary meeting. Canned goods will be collected until March. The Cohoes Rotary 90th Anniversary Celebration will be held at The Venue in Cohoes on April 27.

Program:

Response:

Upcoming Rotary Speakers and Events

4/1/17-District Training Assembly and Grants Management Seminar, Skidmore College

4/27/17-Cohoes Rotary 90th Anniversary Party-The Venue, Congress Street, Cohoes

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.

Rotary Club Officers

Curtis Hovey - President
Edward Tremblay – President Elect
Linda Tremblay - Secretary
Michael Brooks - Treasurer
Marshall Barrett – Sergeant At Arms
John Mucha - District Governor

Cohoes Rotary Web Site -
www.rotaryclubofcohoes.org

We conclude the meeting with recitation of The 4 Way Test led by Bev Signoracci.

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: Darktown Strutter's Ball

I'll be down to get you in a taxi honey,
Better be ready by half-past eight,
Now, dearie, don't be late.

I wanna be there when the band starts
playin'
And remember when we get there
honey,
The "Two-Steps" gonna have them all.

I'm gonna dance out of both of my
shoes,
When they play those jelly roll blues,
Tomorrow night at the darktown
strutter's ball.

Century House Menu for Cohoes Rotary

First Course

Ham & Potato Soup

Entrée

Delmonico Steak & Potatoes

Dessert

Pumpkin Pie