



Rota-Briefs



Rotary Club of Cohoes - A Subsidiary of Rotary International

July 6, 2011

Invocation: John Farrel
Song: Chuck Ries – “You’re a Grand Old Flag”
Anniversaries: none
Birthdays: none

Visiting Rotarians: none
Guests: Michael Weidrich

Big Bucks

Mystery Raffle: Dave Mitola
Powerball Ed Tremblay (3 of Clubs).

Rotarians Present:
Brooks, Doemel, Farrell, Ries, Robert, Mitola, Tremblay, Hornbrook, and Van Alstine

Good News/Bad News:
The following members paid happy/ sad dollars:
Bob Van Alstine for his upcoming vacation to York, Maine where he will attend the York Rotary club meeting.

Mike Brooks because his son and his family are moving to Malta, NY.

Ed Tremblay announced the Choose Cohoes Program had a full page ad in the Rensselaer addition of the Albany Times Union. We are hoping to drive traffic toward the Choose Cohoes website.

<http://www.choosecohoes.com/>

Keith Hornbrook is happy to have Bob at the front table and thanked Ed and Linda Tremblay for collecting \$185 for the club at the Canal Square Concert.

Events/ Information:
• August 4, 2011, Bill Nathan the 2011-12 District Governor, will visit our club.

Club Business:

- The Board of Directors agreed to donate \$100 toward the following community organizations:
 - Cohoes Library
 - Juvenile Diabetes Association
 - Counseling Care
 - Salvation Army
 - C-R Productions

The club will donate \$1,800 toward the CCC and the Cohoes Senior Center.

Keith will reach out to club members to participate and chair committee chairs.

- We conclude each weekly meeting with recitation of The 4 Way Test, see below.

The 4-Way Test:

The 4-Way Test "Of the things we think, say or do":

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](#)

ROTARY'S WHEEL EMBLEM

A wheel has been the symbol of Rotary since our earliest days. The first design was made by Chicago Rotarian Montague Bear, an engraver who drew a simple wagon wheel, with a few lines to show dust and motion. The wheel was said to illustrate "Civilization and Movement."

Most of the early clubs had some form of wagon wheel on their publications and letterheads. Finally, in 1922, it was decided that all Rotary clubs should adopt a single design as the exclusive emblem of Rotarians. Thus, in 1923, the present gear wheel, with 24 cogs and six spokes was adopted by the "Rotary International Association."

A group of engineers advised that the geared wheel was mechanically unsound and would not work without a "keyway" in the center of the gear to attach it to a power shaft. So, in 1923 the keyway was added and the design which we now know was formally adopted as the official Rotary International emblem.

Rotary Club Officers

Keith Hornbrook - President
Marshall Barrett - Past President
Robert W. Van Alstine – President elect
David Mitola - Secretary
Michael Brooks - Treasurer
Amy Musiker - Sergeant At Arms
Dan Stec - District Governor
Cohoes Rotary Web Site - www.rotaryclubofcohoes.org

Next Week's Program:

When and Where Other Rotary Clubs Meet:

Monday	
Corinth	7:15PM
<i>Agape Bed and Breakfast, Rt. 9N, Corinth</i>	
Hudson Falls	12:10 PM
<i>Pizza Hut. Rt.4, Fort Edward</i>	
Racing City Rotary	5:30 PM
<i>Olde Gaslight Restaurant, 12 Ballston Avenue, Saratoga Springs</i>	
Burnt Hills/Ballston Lake	6:15 PM
<i>Bill Sewell Community Room, Town of Ballston Town Hall</i>	
Lake George	6:15 PM
<i>Holiday Inn Rt. 2223 State Rt. 9</i>	
Tuesday	
Northern Lake George	7:30 AM
<i>Watson Arts Center, Silver Bay</i>	
Wilton	7:30 AM
<i>Friendly's Restaurant, Route 50, Wilton</i>	
Latham	12:00 PM
<i>Century House, Latham</i>	
Watervliet	12:10 PM
<i>First Presbyterian Church, 819 23rd Street, Watervliet Meets 2nd and 4th weeks only)</i>	
Ballston Spa	12:15 PM
<i>Manna's Restaurant, 17 Low St, Ballston Spa</i>	
Glove Cities	12:15 PM
<i>Holiday Inn, Rt. 30A, Johnstown</i>	
Menands	12:15 PM
<i>The Corner Well Restaurant, 698 North Pearl St.</i>	
Scotia	6:00 PM
<i>Turf Tavern, 40 Mohawk Avenue, Scotia</i>	
South Glens Falls	5:45 PM
<i>Humbuggs, Corner Bluebird Rd. and Rt. 32, South Glens Falls</i>	
Chestertown	6:15 PM
<i>O.P. Frederick's Restaurant, Rt. 8., Chestertown</i>	
Lansingburgh	6:15 PM
<i>Paradise Lounge, 630 2nd and 117th Streets, Troy</i>	
Northville	6:30 PM
<i>(Call for locations and directions)</i>	
Schoharie	6:30 PM
<i>Parrot House - Rt. 30 Main St. Schoharie</i>	

Wednesday	
Niskayuna	7:15 AM Route 7
<i>Diner, 1090 Troy-Schenectady Road</i>	
Delmar	7:30 AM
<i>Normanside Country Club, 150 Salisbury Rd., Delmar</i>	
Mohawk Valley	7:30 AM
<i>Senior Center, 204 Canal St., Fort Plain</i>	
Schenectady East	7:30 AM
<i>Old Country Buffet, Crosstown Plaza, Rt. 7, Schenectady</i>	
Turning Point	7:30 AM
<i>General Schuyler Pantry 166 Broad St., Schuylerville</i>	
Champlain Canal	8:00 PM
<i>Community Room, Mid-Rise Senior Apts, 180 N. Main Street Mechanicville</i>	
Albany	12:15 PM
<i>Wolferts Roost Country Club, 1230 Van Rensselaer Blvd., Albany</i>	
Amsterdam	12:15 PM
<i>Raindancer Steak Parlor, Rt. 30N, Amstgerdam</i>	
Cohoes	12:15 PM
<i>Century House, Rt. 9, Latham</i>	
Colonie-Guilderland	12:15 PM
<i>Western Turnpike Golf Course Rt. 20, Guilderland</i>	
Saratoga Springs	12:15 PM
<i>Longfellows Restaurant, Rt. 9P</i>	
Cobleskill	6:10 PM
<i>Best Western Inn of Cobleskill Rt. 7, Main Street, Cobleskill.</i>	
Granville	6:15 PM
<i>AJ's Restaruent, Quaker Street, Granville</i>	

Thursday	
Malta Sunrise	7:15 AM
<i>Malta Diner Rts. 9 & 67, Malta (Exit 12 off I87)</i>	
Rotterdam Sunrise	7:15 AM
<i>McLanes Restaurant, 2717 Broadway, Rotterdam</i>	
Shenendehowa	7:15 AM
<i>Coburg Village Retirement Facility, Grooms Rd., Clifton Park</i>	
North Creek	7:30 AM
<i>Marsha's Restaurant, Main St., North Creek</i>	
Schenectady	12:00 PM
<i>Stockade Inn, 1 North Church St., Schenectady</i>	
Twin Bridges	12:00 PM
<i>Salty's, Northway Exit 8A, East of Rt. 9, Halfmoon</i>	
Glens Falls	12:10 PM
<i>Queensbury Hotel, 88 Ridge Street, glens Falls</i>	
Troy	12:15 PM
<i>The Red Front Restaurant, 71 Division Street, Troy</i>	
Middleburgh	6:05 PM
<i>Middleburgh United Methodist Church, Rt. 145 Middleburgh Main St. & Bush Rd.)</i>	
Salem	6:15 PM
<i>Bunker Hill B&B on Bunker Hill Rd. Salem (5.5 mi. NW of Salem)</i>	
Southern Rensselaer	6:15 PM
<i>Holiday Inn Express, US 4 East Greenbush (Exit 9 off I 90)</i>	
Broadalbin	6:30 PM
<i>The White Holland House, 1520 Ste Highway 29, Gloversville</i>	
Fort Ann	6:30 PM
<i>Mountain View Java, Rt 4, Fort Ann</i>	
Sharon Springs	6:30 PM
<i>Pit Stop BBQ, Rts. 10 & 20, Sharon Springs</i>	
Friday	
Glenville	7:15 AM
<i>Turf Tavern, Rt. 50, Scotia</i>	

Rotary Club of Cohoes
 PO Box 81
 Cohoes, NY 12047