



District Governor Report

Area Governor Appointments

As of June 30th, all 40 Area Governors had been appointment by the District Governor. Throughout the last few months, the following Area Governors have stepped down and have been replaced:

Area F-1: William Chang was replaced by Jackson Gor

Area F-2: Laura LeDoux was replaced by Sara Safari

Area G-3: Ryan Price was replaced by Vittal Agirishelti

Our Goals

Founder's District is in good shape. Each of the Area and Division Governors are working to ensure that the members' needs are being met.

This year, our goal is to President's Distinguished. This means that we need a net growth of 8% for our membership payments and the number of clubs; along with 50% of our clubs ending the year as Distinguished or better. The goal break-down is as follows:

Beginning number of membership payment:	$8,887 \times 8\% = 711$ net increase
Beginning number of clubs:	$212 \times 8\% = 17$ net increase
Number of Distinguished Clubs needed:	$229 \times 50\% = 115$ clubs

Last year we had 116 clubs that were Distinguished or better – I feel strongly that we can do this.

Each Area Governor has agreed to work on starting a minimum of one new club per Area. To date we've started 3 new clubs and are planning on having an additional 3-5 started by the end of December. If you have an idea for a potential new club, please let Linda Ulrich, DTM, Lt. Governor Marketing know and her team will assist you in any way that they can.

Our Struggles

The struggles of our clubs are the struggles of the District. Member retention and new member growth are vital parts of a successful club. Quite often a lot of emphasis is put on our higher performing clubs, leaving the members of the low member clubs feeling diminished. My goal is to make sure that each club and each member knows that they matter and that they are an important part of Founder's District.

To accomplish this, I have a special project that I've started to work on. It is my goal to visit as many of the low member clubs in the District that I can – who would like to have me visit (remember, these are your clubs and you have a say in whether I attend or not)

I am asking each of the clubs who are interested to coincide my visit with an Open House or a Special Event of some sort. This way, we can advertise and bring in the guests. I already have several clubs who are taking me up on my offer and I look forward to attending their meetings and meeting some new people!

The District

Founder's District Rock! With each member reaching their personal goals, Founder's District grows and shines. We are a family and with each of us helping one another, I know that we WILL be a President's Distinguished District!