



Founder's District DEC Report

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Completed

- 100% Officer lists submitted
- 111 officers trained from 23 clubs
- 19/23 had 4 or more officers trained and earned the DCP point
- 8 clubs had 100% officers trained
- Division I/J Makeup Officer training had 52 officers trained
- Division Council Meetings held in January and one will be held in March

Recognition

- All Div I Area Directors are working together to have a successful Div I All Area contest on April 1st
- Two area directors are closing in on their DTM and are anxious to Sponsor a new club – we are working on four leads – Kia, Young's Market, Kaiser Permanente and Social Services Agency office in Orange.
- Thanks to Vijay Chidambaram, DTM for saving the day – and security Capital Group for our Division I Contest Tues 4/11
- Recognition for Erica Beggan, club coach for Kingston TM, for getting the club to 5 DCP points. They have 14 of 18 members to become distinguished – a major accomplishment, if she can get them there by June 30th.

Issues

- Many corporate clubs do not want to get officers trained or participate in contests.
- 3 Clubs have under 12 members, but are working to get 12+
- One club that had a club coach did not want to take suggestion and work on membership and other things that would have helped them. The club coach has quit.
- #ClubToast was told by Autoclub HR and legal to cease operation as the Toastmasters program is not part of the approved training curriculum. We will look to move the club offsite, but only four members are interested in participating. Good news I met another AutoClub employee from another department that will help move the club offsite and stir up interest.

EXPAND YOUR HORIZONS

In Progress

- Area Directors are working to get their clubs distinguished. Some are having difficulty with corporate clubs.
- Planning Div I All Area contest 4/1 (Mesa Verde United Methodist Church), and Division I Contest 4/11 (Capital Group)
- Big Brothers and Big Sisters of OC, in Santa Ana, is interested in starting a Youth Leadership Program. Charlotte Drake volunteered Harborlites to be the club sponsor. We will be pursuing this opportunity.