



Program Quality Report

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Incentive # 1 for Club Officers awarded to 27 Clubs!

If your club has:

- Seven officers trained in summer
- **Club Success Plan signed by officers and emailed to PQD@dist8TM.org by 9/30/2022**
- Seven officers trained in winter

Each Officer who trained summer and winter, completed a year of service as club officer and signed the CSP will receive a T-Shirt as soon as they arrive from Toastmaster Store



Congrats on following clubs who have set themselves for success!

- Aetna Toastmaster
- Capital City
- Capital T Toastmasters
- Centene Speaks
- Continental Communicators
- Crossroads
- Free Speakers Toastmasters
- Heartland Storytellers
- Jeffco Challengers Club
- Midtown Clayton Toastmasters Club
- MilliporeSigma Toastmasters
- Mount Vernon Toastmasters
- Noontime Toastmasters Club #7316
- Plus Factor Club
- Rabo Masters
- RGA Toastmasters
- Shalom Church Toastmasters
- Smedley Hometown Memorial Toastmasters
- Southern Illinois Toastmasters Club
- Speak Easy Toastmasters
- SPEAK UP! Club
- St Charles County Toastmasters Club
- St. Clair Toastmasters
- Talu Toastmasters Club
- Toast of WU
- Unigroup Toastmasters Club
- WashU Med Masters

Incentive #2 for District 8 Members

- 1st time ever for District 8 members to show their Toastmaster pride!
- To qualify for a t-shirt, must be the 1st 100 to complete survey and it yours so the CGD, PQD, & D8D can align with your interests and help you and your club grow!
- T- Shirts will be delivered as they arrive the Toastmaster store



130 respondents stated in the survey

25% want to learn about club coach process

Completed Club Retention Informational May 22 and June 26

90% looking for new skills or sharpen existing

Completed by sharing Content of Survey filled Winter TLI, monthly education classes, April Conference, & June (summer) TLI

60% interested in speech contest competing

Completed with recording with 2022 International District 8 Winner Brad Adam of “Why You should compete”

58% people interested in cell phone notification
Completed

Sign up for important updates from District 8 TM.

Get information for **All Members** right on your phone—not on handouts.

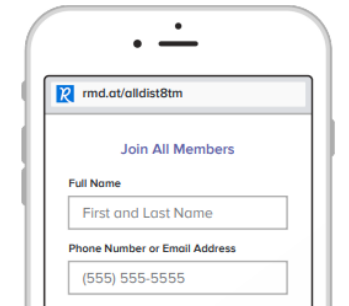
Pick a way to receive messages for **All Members**:

A If you have a smartphone, get push notifications.

On your iPhone or Android phone, open your web browser and go to the following link:

rmd.at/alldist8tm

Follow the instructions to sign up for Remind. You'll be prompted to download the mobile app.



B If you don't have a smartphone, get text notifications.

Text the message @alldist8tm to the number 81010.

If you're having trouble with 81010, try texting @alldist8tm to (484) 241-4261.

* Standard text message rates apply.



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Education Committee Offerings

Thanks to Andrew Welter (committee lead), Cal Lawson, David Kincade, Jackie Kam- Blackard, Teri Orban, and Rahul Joglekar for their ongoing support around education improvement for the district!

Free Toast Host Q&A

Any one from Toastmasters can come ask questions about Free Toast Host during this hour.

Topics can be but not limited to:
What is it; How to enroll;
Leveraging your system to the full benefit of your club

4/18/23 10:00 AM via zoom
5/20/23 10:00 AM via zoom

Pathways Q&A

Not sure what is Pathways or how to approach your next speech? Are you a base camp manager (President, VPE, or secretary) need to understand your role, where you club is or how to help your members.

You are in the right place to come and ask questions and leave as you please during these hour-long sessions:

4/8/23 10:00 AM via zoom
5/10/23 6:00 PM via zoom

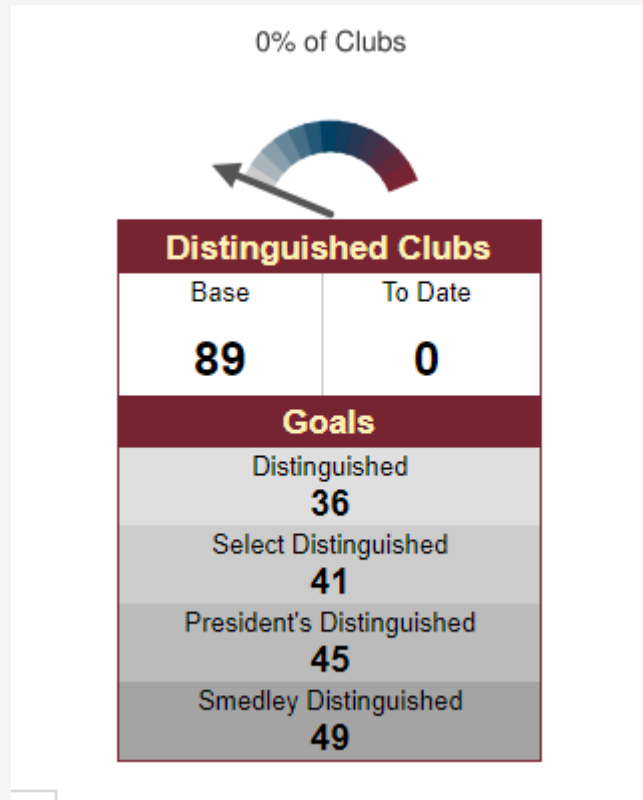
New Member Orientation

Want to learn about District 8 as new member or seasoned attend this lecture discussion?

4/26/23 6:00 PM via zoom
5/23/23 6:00 PM via zoom
6/27/23 6:00 PM via zoom

Register for these zoom events via District 8 Toastmasters via [District 8 Calendar](#) or [Training Page](#)

Achieving Excellence means working toward Distinguished Club



Starting April 1, we are in a crunch to try get to 36 Distinguished Club and so forth....we are about 50% of the way there!

**Remember distinguished means:*

- 20 members or a net growth of 3 new members AND
- Meet minimum of 5 goals (administration, education, membership and training)

Let's relight the engine of one of the three criteria towards distinguished district!

Next two and half month focus:

- Let's keep growing club with new members or having old members rejoining
- Encourage members to give speeches to meet education goals and attract other members to join by sharing their growth between speeches.
- Start preparing for your club contests in May and posting it in club central at earliest convenience
- Celebrate Milestones with clubs as they meet Achievements per their Distinguished Club Program via emails with your area director, division director, and your Trio (District Director, Program Quality Director, and Club Growth Director)

MARK YOUR CALENDAR: SATURDAY, JUNE 3, 2023

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District 8 Award Ceremony

District 8 will come together in June 2023 to recognize both clubs and individuals for their outstanding performances during the year .





Thanks for Listening!

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