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Hi, just a reminder that you're receiving this email because of your membership in a Toastmasters club in District 25. Don't forget to add info@d25toastmasters.org to your address book so we'll be sure to land in your inbox!

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	<h2>District 25 Toastmasters</h2>
<h1>HOT Topics from District 25</h1> <p>News and updates sent to all D25 members</p>	
August 19, 2014	
	<h3>Club Officer Training - Final Opportunity!</h3> <p>Last chance opportunities to get training for club officers are</p>
Marylee Mims	<p>- Fri Aug 22, 6-9 PM in Bedford</p>
	<p>- Mon Aug 25, 5-8 PM in Grapevine</p>
<u>Be Excellent...</u>	<p>Training is free. Schedule & Registration.</p>
Joyce Trimble	<p>Want to see who has already been trained? Check here.</p>
	<h3>"Celebrating Greatness with Gratitude"</h3>
<h3>District 25 Awards Banquet</h3>	
<p>Sat, Sept 6, 2014 - Doors open 6:00 p.m</p>	
<p>At the Ridglea Country Club, Fort Worth</p>	
<p>Register before Aug 20th to save money.</p>	
<p>Limited seating.* Info and registration.</p>	
<p>See which awards your club will be recognized for here.</p>	
<p>* Tickets will not be available at the door.</p>	
<h3>Dog Days of Summer - Membership Challenge</h3>	

Being Prepared
Pays Off!

Morgan O'Donnell



Toastmasters Made
Me Quit My Job...

Take the
Challenge!

Sign up for the 2014-2015
D25 Elite Member Award and start on the goals now!
Sign up [here](#).

Who Do You
Contact?

See who the new
D25 [Leadership Team](#)
is for 2014-2015.
Area and Division
Governors [here](#).

Doors of
Opportunity

Your **Door of Opportunity**
is opening!
[District 25 Fall Conference](#)
Nov 14-15, 2014
DFW Marriott Solana,
Westlake.

Hot summer days, cold ice cream; it's a win-win!

The club adding the most new members during the HOT summer two month period of **July and August**, will receive ice cream bars for the club members personally delivered to their club meeting by Marylee Mims our District Governor.



More Membership Promotions

August and September Promotions

Score Big: All clubs with dues renewals of at least 70 % of their base membership will receive a special Score BIG! ribbon. Have 70-100 % of your club's base membership renewed and win points to be entered in a drawing for a TI gift certificate.

Open House: Host an [Open House](#) for your club. Send proof of club open house - pictures (or agenda) [here](#) to receive a ribbon and be entered into the drawing for a TI gift certificate.

Smedley Award: Add five new, dual, or reinstated members between August 1 and September 30 and qualify to receive a "Smedley Award" ribbon.

How Can You Help?

WE NEED YOU [Volunteer](#) for District Leadership opportunities: Demo Team, Club Sponsor, Club Mentor, Club Coach, and/or Helping Hands Team Leader



Schedule your club contests soon.
Then [contact](#) your Area and Division Contest Chairs and offer your help. *Click on individual flyers for contact information.*

[Nominate](#) your club officers for Outstanding Officer Award.
Nominations close: September 12, 2014

Contestants for the Evaluation Contest need a speech to evaluate. Sign up [here](#) to **be a TEST SPEAKER** for a contest.

District 25's Newest Specialty Club



Calling all two and three wheelers!
Combine 2 things you enjoy,
Toastmasters and motorcycle riding!*

MOTORMOUTHS next meeting is
Tues Aug 23rd, 11a.m.
at the Benbrook Public Library,
1065 Mercedes St, Benbrook 76126

* *Motorcycle ownership is not required to be a member of MotorMouths.*

[MotorMouths](#)

What's Due Soon?

Membership dues should be paid to TI by Sept. 30 for Oct 2014 - Mar 2015.

Quick Links...

- [District 25 Home](#)
- [Club Central Tutorial](#)
- [Events Calendar 2014-2015 Alignment](#)
- [D25 Promotions](#)
- [Educational Achievements](#)
- [D25 Hall of Fame](#)
- [Reports for D25](#)

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Semifinals Are Thursday!



The [International Speech Contest](#) semifinals in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia begin this week! Good luck DJ Swinyar! To see incoming photos from Kuala Lumpur, click [here](#). They will continue to be updated.

More Fun Stuff . . .

[Nationstar Speaks](#) Introduces "[Outstanding Mentor of the Year](#)" Program.

[Logically Speaking](#) in Westlake has a [photo op](#) on 8/13/14!

[Photos](#) from Kuala Lumpur are being added regularly to the District's Facebook page.

TLI photos: [BNSF 8/01](#), [Waco 8/02](#), and [Div C/D 8/10](#)

Does your club have **news to share** about club events or members? Submit stories and photos for publication in **Hot Topics** and [D25 News](#) to news@d25toastmasters.org.



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