

#### **Harpeth Valley Open House**

Harpeth View Toastmasters will be having an Open House September 11 with guest speaker Chris Nielson. Meet and greet at 7:30 a.m. (Central) with meeting beginning shortly thereafter. This meeting will be an interactive workshop. Harpeth View is a hybrid club, physically located at Blakemore United Methodist Church, 3601 West End Avenue, Nashville, TN 37205. The website with times and zoom link is <a href="http://hvtm.org">http://hvtm.org</a>. Call (615) 864-0247 with guestions.

# Parthenon Evaluation Workshop

The Parthenon club is holding an Evaluation Workshop September 13, 6:30 - 8:00 pm (Central). Anyone wanting to give a speech and receive feedback, learn to give effective speech evaluations, or prepare for the upcoming speech contests should contact Teresa Dunbar at dunbar123@yahoo.com to request the meeting link. This club reports they love visitors and welcome any suggestions to make them even better.

Keep up with District 63 on your favorite platform. Email: district63communication@gmail.com

Facebook: District 63 Toastmasters LinkedIn: District Sixty-Three Twitter: District 63 TM

Website: https://d63.toastmastersdistricts.org

YouTube: District 63 Toastmasters



### **District 63 Toastmasters**

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#### **Division Tall Tales & Evaluation Contests**

A district-wide contest training is scheduled for September 11 at 10:00 a.m. (Central). The Zoom Meeting ID is 477 480 212. Kristen Phillips explains the event this way, "Jeri Steele will be offering online contest training and touch on judges training." Contact the Division Directors to volunteer to help with their contests.

<u>Division B:</u> Vicki Stevens, October 9, 9:00 a.m. Eastern
 <u>Division C:</u> Carolyn Miller, October 19, 5:30 p.m. Eastern
 <u>Division D:</u> Nick Sager, November 6, 1:00 p.m. Central
 <u>Division E:</u> Jabbar Buchanan, November 13, 9:00 a.m. Central
 <u>Division F:</u> Ahmad Gilliam, October 30, 10:00 a.m. Central

## District Leader Credit Announced by Toastmasters International

"The Board of Directors is aware of the extra effort coaches must put forth as the pandemic continues to impact club meetings and membership growth. To provide additional recognition for coaches for the 2021–2022 program year, effective July 1, 2021, coaches can also earn District leader credit in addition to the club support credit if the club coach meets all the following criteria:

- Help the club achieve Distinguished or better status by June 30, 2022
- Help the club reach a minimum of 20 paid members by June 30, 2022
- Serve a minimum of six months in the coach role"
- ~ Toastmasters International Email August 19, 2021

## Pathways Level 1 Changes Announced by Toastmasters International

"The 'Evaluation and Feedback' project and the 'Ice Breaker,' a beloved Toastmasters tradition, will be joined by two new projects to make up Level 1: 'Writing a Speech with Purpose' and 'Introduction to Vocal Variety and Body Language.' These new projects will teach basic public speaking skills and should help new members feel less overwhelmed and provide building blocks to expand on as they progress through their path. 'Researching and Presenting,' a project previously found in Level 1, will be repurposed as an elective in Level 3. Please note that the new Level 1 will only be available in paths selected after the launch of these new projects. Paths in progress or already completed will continue with the current Level 1 projects."

~Toastmasters International Email August 24, 2021



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### Congratulations to the World Championship of Public Speaking Winners

First Place:

Verity Price, District 74

**Second Place:** 

Nitay-Yair Levi, District 70

**Third Place:** 

Roger Caesar, District 86 #TIWorldOfDifference

Shout Out to Darryl Pace who made it all the way to the Finals!

#### Club Success Plans

All clubs should be finalizing their club success plans.
Toastmasters
International website has all the details.

#### **Virtual Convention Recordings**

The 2021 Virtual Convention is over, but you can still watch recorded sessions "On Demand". Go to https://www.toastmasters.org/events/2021-international-convention to see what is available.

### **Metroplex Motivators Plan a Ghost and Goblin Afternoon**





#### COME JOIN US FOR A SPOOKY GOOD TIME



A Ghost and Goblin afternoon

Brought to you by:

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October 28, 2021

Noon – 1:00 pm CST



https://hcatest.webex.com/hcatest/j.php?MTID=m348eb3602cb34a8689019c0be4866e3c

Zoom meeting ID: 126 089 1419 Zoom meeting Password: QVrJBhBm776

Contact Becky Begarly (beckybegarly@gmail.com) to volunteer or to get more details.

#### **District Executive Council Meeting**

Don't miss the District Executive Council (DEC) Meeting on September 23<sup>rd</sup> at 7:00 pm (Central). Club Presidents, Vice-Presidents Education, and other DEC members will be voting on the district budget.