

# District 6 Toastmasters

Where Leaders Are Made



## February 2012 News from the District Governor



Dear Member,

February is Membership Month here in district 6. While we focus on Membership all year long, this is a special time to share Toastmasters with all the love in our hearts! We have all gained by our membership in Toastmasters in ways we never expected. I encourage you to use this time to build relationships with fellow members and use your experiences to spread the word about Toastmasters.

Catherine  
District 6 Governor

### Education

**It's not too late to get trained!** Visit our [Officer Training Page](#) to find training in your area.

Have you seen someone wearing a crown pin? If so, congratulate them for earning the [Triple Crown Award!](#)



[Speech Contest Rule Book](#)

[Calendar of Speech Contests](#)

**Thank You**

### Membership

**February is Membership Month!**

**Need some membership ideas?  
Visit the following links:**

[Keep Guests Coming Back](#)

[How to Rebuild a Toastmasters Club](#)

[Best Practices](#)

[Top 10 Ideas & Tips For Building  
Toastmasters Club Membership](#)

[Build Your Club's Membership to  
20.....and Beyond](#)

[Publicity & Promotion ideas](#)

Special Thank you to all club officers and members who attended TELI on Feb11th.

Exceptional support from TELI Co-Chairs Jane Rischmiller and Vicky Nann guided the event to an outstanding success. We were honored to have Jana Barnhill, Past International President grace us with two education sessions.



## New Clubs

**Welcome to the following new clubs:**

<u>Div</u>	<u>Area</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Location</u>
E	14	PI Power Toasters	Welch
W	92	Best Sight Speakers	Plymouth

## Congratulations!

### New Distinguished Toastmasters!

**Anthony E. Scales**  
**Oscar L. Wolske**  
**Joseph E. Brauer**

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**Words of Mouth Club for submitting Education Awards over and above the requirements of the DCP and winning a video camera for their efforts!**

**Winner of the Best Video Contest:**  
**MARSH WINDS TOASTMASTERS**

[View it here](#)

## Upcoming Events

**April 1, 2012**  
**DUES ARE DUE**  
 Start collecting dues from your members.



**April 20-21, 2012**  
**District 6 Spring Convention**  
 Including the D6 Business Meeting, Table Topics Contest, Education Sessions and International Speech Competition!

**June 30, 2012**  
 Toastmasters at the TWINS (Details coming soon)

### Our Newest District 6 Diamonds!

**Susan McCoy**  
**Daniel Vesey**  
**Sherri Wood**  
**First St Paul Club #167**  
**Paul McNeely**



### Wanted!

Enthusiastic Toastmaster wanting to expand their experience! The District is beginning a new project utilizing multi media. If you are a project manager and are willing to use your skills for an 18 month project - please contact [Dru Jorgensen](#)

## Contests, Incentives & Notes

### Current Contests & Incentives:

You can win the **GOLDEN TICKET** by hanging or distributing fliers or posters promoting your club, a club open house or special event between Feb 1st & Feb 29th more...

Win a **Video Camera** for your club! All clubs who surpass an education point in the DCP by March 31, 2012, will have their name entered into a drawing for a video camera (for example: the DCP requires 4 Competent Communicator Awards, when the club has 5 or more their name will be entered into the drawing)

Our **Public Relations Contest** is starting! Submissions due by April 1. Click [here](#) for details!

### Talk Up Toastmasters!

This club-building contest began February 1 and ends March 31. Add five new, dual or reinstated members to your roster, and receive a special "Talk up Toastmasters!" ribbon to display on your club banner. Click [here](#) for more information.

### Free Spring Convention Registration for 10 First Timers

Never Attended a District 6 Fall Conference or Spring Convention? Attend a Division Contest and be put into a drawing to win a free registration to the 2012 Spring Convention. (\$120 value) Compliments of the Past District Governors.

**Other things to note:**

Call is open for Video Testimonials for D6 YouTube Channel featured here. We want your Toastmaster story!