**DISTRICT 112 DIVISION DIRECTOR’S REPORT TO THE DIVISION DIRECTOR**

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| Division  | **K** | Division Director | **Troy Smith** | Report date | **23/08/2019** |

**Clubs Report DCP Status**

Several clubs are progressing well towards becoming distinguished which is amazing given how early in the year it is. This is particularly in Area K5 where East Coast Bays Toastmasters Club has 5 goals already!

**Division Goals for the year**

Our goal is to encourage a safe and supportive environment for all clubs, where they can thrive in their own way. This will allow members to succeed in their own goals and as a result, grow and enhance clubs to their fullest potential.

If we accomplish this goal, their own achievements will translate to us becoming a Distinguished Division for the first time!

**Division Celebrations & Successes**

The Division’s first Club Officer Training was held successfully on the 27th of July in Kerikeri with a total attendance of 22 club officers and an additional 3 keen members!

All clubs in the Division have been working with their respective Area Director and have either had an initial visit or one planned over the coming weeks.

**Club Membership at a Glance**

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| **12 or Fewer** | **13-15** | **16-19** | **20+** |
| 7 | 3 | 1 | 10 |

**New Clubs (Prospects & Leads / Clubs in formation / current status)**

Currently assessing the potential of chartering what would be the most northern club in District 112, a club at the top of Area K1 in Pukenui.

A new club EROAD was chartered on the 1st of August 2019 in Area K5 and our K5 Area Director is reaching out to work with them as the grow.

While not a new club, Orewa Lunchtime Toastmasters Club has re-established itself and started meeting on a new day which seems to have helped breath new life into the club.

**Educational Achievement Year to Date at a Glance**

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|  | **Area K1** | **Area K2** | **Area K3** | **Area K4** | **Area K5** | **Total** |
| **Traditional Communication Awards** | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 5 |
| **Traditional Leadership Awards** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 |
| **Pathways Level 1** | 1 | 2 | 6 | 1 | 5 | 15 |
| **Pathways Level 2** | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 10 |
| **Pathways Level 3** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| **Pathways Level 4** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| **Pathways Level 5** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

**Division Challenges**

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| **Issues** | **Solutions** |
| Several clubs have very low membership numbers. | Enable the area directors and larger clubs to support their fellow clubs with tips and raising their profile. |
| Pathways uptake is still slow or confusing for many clubs. | Hold multiple Pathways Walkthroughs & Troubleshooting sessions at club/area/division levels to provide our members with the tools they need to improve and support each other. |

**Division Events and other newsworthy items**

A 2nd Division K Club Officer Training is planned for the 31st of August in Albany.

Area K1 Judging Workshop is scheduled for the 21st of September at Kaitaia, to be hosted by On Top Toastmasters. Other workshops held in the remaining area are also to follow.

Warkworth Toastmasters has confirmed that they will once again host The Great Debate which has previously been a very successful event.