



DISTRICT 112 DIVISION DIRECTOR'S REPORT TO THE DIVISION DIRECTOR

Division	K	Division Director	Troy Smith	Report date	14/10/2019
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Clubs Report DCP Status

Several clubs are progressing well towards becoming distinguished which is amazing given how early in the year it is. Not entirely surprising with a double DTM Award but a big congratulations to East Coast Bays Toastmasters Club for already achieving 8/10 Distinguished Goals for the year!

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

Division K has so far had 3 Club Coaches paired to struggling clubs and hopefully more in the wings.

There has so far been 3 Distinguished Toastmaster Awards received in Division K this year. Congratulations to Aaron George from East Coast Bays Toastmasters Club and 2 unnamed Toastmasters 1 from Long Bay Toastmasters and another from East Coast Bays Toastmasters Club. Well done!

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

12 or Fewer	13-15	16-19	20+
11	1	4	5

After the renewal period ending in September, we have 18 of 21 clubs in good standing. We're supporting the remaining 3 to re gain 100% clubs in good standing and should have this by the end of October.

While club membership has dropped, this is natural for clubs at the start of a new renewal period. We hope to continue building over the next 5 months and hopefully retain more and have more efficient renewals.

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

	Area K1	Area K2	Area K3	Area K4	Area K5	Total
Traditional Communication Awards	2	2	2	0	5	11
Traditional Leadership Awards	0	1	0	0	7	8
Pathways Level 1	5	3	10	1	6	25
Pathways Level 2	3	2	3	1	4	13
Pathways Level 3	0	0	1	0	2	3
Pathways Level 4	1	1	1	0	1	4
Pathways Level 5	0	0	0	1	0	1
Grand Awards Total						65

Division Challenges

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

There were 2 Division K Club Officer Training sessions for Round 1, these were held on the 27th of July in Kerikeri and the 31st of August in Albany. Overall a total of 89 club officers from Division K were trained which is approximately 61% of our officers. This is a great starting point for us to improve upon.

The Area K1 Judging Workshop held on the 21st of September in Kaitia, hosted by On Top Toastmasters, was a great success with over 20 attendees (combined Toastmasters and community members). I hope that this will only be the first of a range of workshops Division K will host this year with others to be announced.