



DISTRICT 112 NEW ZEALAND NORTH DIVISION REPORT

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| Division | N | Division Director Name | Suzy Elks | Report date | 24.08.22 |
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Division Clubs

| Area 1 | | | Area 2 | | |
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| Club Name | No. Members | DCP Goals | Club Name | No. Members | DCP Goals |
| Early Birds Club | 9 | 0 | Waitemata | 31 | 0 |
| Spark Speakers | 24 | 0 | Shortland Street | 19 | 6 |
| Moo Talk | 11 | 0 | ANZ Bank Auckland | 11 | 0 |
| Ma Runga Waka | 13 | 0 | Toastmasters on Fanshawe | 7 | 0 |
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| Area 3 | | | Area 4 | | |
| Club Name | No. Members | DCP Goals | Club Name | No. Members | DCP Goals |
| Talking Heads | 23 | 0 | Varsity | 8 | 0 |
| Kings Speech | 14 | 0 | Waiheke Island | 11 | 0 |
| Watch This Space | 15 | 0 | Biztalk | 10 | 0 |
| Ingenio | 10 | 0 | Tohi | 8 | 0 |
| | | | Commercial Bay | 26 | 0 |
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| Area 5 | | | Area 6 | | |
| Club Name | No. Members | DCP Goals | Club Name | No. Members | DCP Goals |
| Silver Service | 20 | 1 | | | |
| Orators of Demosthenes | 17 | 0 | | | |
| Datacom | 26 | 0 | | | |
| Kura Korero o Microsoft | 27 | 0 | | | |

Support

Club Coaches - what clubs have a coach appointed, and what clubs still need a coach appointed?

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| <p>4030-Early Birds Club (N1) has only 9 members and needs a coach (none assigned).</p> <p>5483983-Moo Talk Toastmasters Club (N1) has only 11 members and needs a coach (none assigned)</p> <p>665406-ANZ Bank Auckland Toastmasters Club (N2) has only 11 members and needs a coach (none assigned).</p> <p>7035148-Toastmasters On Fanshawe (N2) has only 7 members and needs a coach (none assigned).</p> |
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5735283-Ingenuio Toastmasters (N3) has only 10 members and needs a coach (none assigned).

1458145-Biztalk Toastmasters (N4) has only 10 members and needs a coach (none assigned).

5316066-Tohi Toastmasters (N4) has only 8 members and needs a coach (none assigned).

7678-Waiheke Island (N4) has only 11 members and needs a coach (none assigned).

Club Support – what clubs would benefit from additional support, and what support is required?

Varsity Toastmasters only has 8 members and would benefit from a Club Coach

New Clubs – Prospects, leads, clubs in formation

What is the progress, and what support is needed?

None at this stage.

Division Events

What events have been held, and what feedback have you received?

For example – COT, Area or Division council meetings, Area or Division contests, workshops etc

Combined Area Council Meetings

These were held online on Tuesday August 2nd, Wednesday August 3rd and Saturday August 6th and the feedback from Club Officers regarding these meetings was very positive. Great collaborative working between Area Directors across Divisions M, N and O.

Club Officer Training (COT)

Round One: 14-25 July COT (new Club Officers) / 1-18 Aug COT Advanced

Generally very positive feedback following the Advanced COT, however many experienced Club Officers suggested that more in-depth and “new” material would be of benefit, particularly in the Club Officer Breakout Rooms.

Despite having 4 sessions for new Club Officers and 4 sessions for more experienced Officers, there were a mix in both sessions. This meant presenters needed to cover some of the basic material such as the Club Officer roles to ensure the newer members in the Advanced sessions were also benefitting from the material.

Some presenters in the Advanced COT sessions also felt that the sessions were high on content and low on time for shared interactive discussion.

Attendance as of 24.08.22 (1 final Advanced COT on 27.08.22)

N1 2/4 N2 1/4 N3 1/4 N4 2/5 N5 4/4 - Clubs meeting COT requirements per Area (e.g. N1 has 2 Clubs out of 4 that have met the basic COT requirements).

Round Two: 15-25 Nov COT / 5-6 Dec COT



Planned Area Contests

Areas N3 & N4 - TT & Humorous Contests on Sunday 11th September 1pm – 3.30pm

Areas N1, N2 & N5 - TT & Humorous Contests on Sunday 18th September 10am – 2pm

Division N Conference

Table Topics & Humorous Division N Conference 8th October

D112 Calendar Events/Training

13-30 June 2022 Area Director Training

9-10 July District Training 1/District Executive - Akld

17 Sept District Training 2, DEC, District Awards – Akld

23 Sept District Council (Pres & VPED) Zoom

5 Nov District Training 3 Online

What events are being planned, e.g., club anniversaries, DTM awards etc.?

17th September D112 Awards Ceremony for 2021-2022

8th October Division N Table Topics & Humorous Conference

Challenges

What challenges is the Division facing, and what potential solutions/assistance is needed?

| Issues | Solutions |
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| Area N4 Director role vacant | Continue contacting members who may be interested in this role. Deadline of August 31 st for this role to be counted by TI. |
| Relatively minimal public awareness of Toastmasters | Increase the profile of Toastmasters in the public domain. Advertising to highlight Toastmasters especially to Business owners – employees attending a TM program will benefit their employees presentation and leadership skills. Focus on working professionals and younger cohorts. |
| Membership declining – COVID, finances, ageing membership, technophobes, Corporate Club decline (mainly due to Covid) | Zoom Hybrid meetings - encouraging members from other regions to join. Educationals and 1:1 support for members to assist them getting online. Ensure members are getting quality training and input from District events. Answering the “what’s in it for me, how can I benefit from this?” question for members. |



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| | <p>Toastmasters from Clubs with “healthy” membership numbers to support Clubs who are struggling.</p> <p>Specialist support for Corporate Clubs, including specifically developed COT for these Clubs. Coaches/mentors/sponsors to work alongside Corporate leaders/managers to continue to advocate the importance of Toastmasters for employees from a personal and professional development aspect.</p> |
| <p>Insufficient Club Coaches. Lack of reporting/accountability and transparency in Club Coach role. Lack of documentation from Club Coaches so current and previous Club Coach work with Clubs is unknown. Lack of guidelines around Club Coach role and evaluation and feedback of their input/effectiveness.</p> | <p>New initiative - Club Support Team may assist Clubs with low membership, tech issues, Pathways support etc. Promote and recognise importance of Club Coach role throughout the District. Provide training, guidelines, feedback, and evaluation for Club Coaches. Standard documentation required for Club Coaches to complete when working with Clubs (similar to Area Director Reports) to increase accountability and transparency.</p> |