

Immediate Past District Director – Report for DEC 16 September 2023

The role of the Immediate Past District Director is to provide counsel and guidance to District leaders and plan, direct, and organise projects and committees as requested by the District Director.

Other responsibilities include serving as a member of the District Executive Committee and District Council, upholding the bylaws and policies of Toastmasters International, encouraging dedicated members to accept leadership positions, and helping the district achieve Distinguished recognition.

How I continue to support the district: -

- Attend the weekly trio meeting run by James. Available as a sounding board when and should they need it.
- Assisted Richard with club officer design. Thank you to Amy Overington for her time in creating training modules and facilitator guides.
- Member of the District 2024 conference committee led by Ben Ross, Conference chair.
- Identify future leaders for the 2024-2025 District team as District Leadership Committee Chair.

District Dinner and Awards 16 September 2023.

If you have not already, please register to attend the dinner and awards night at Waipuna Hotel and Conference Centre, room Exhibition Hall (ground floor). See our district website for details. <u>https://d112tm.org.nz/district-112-awards-night-registration/</u>

Dinner is \$80.50. Dress Attire – formal (opportunity to dress up), DTM holders – wear your DTM medallion or badge on the night. (group photo).

Event Schedule (approximate times)

6:00 pm	Mix and Mingle (cash bar)
7:00 pm	Seated – Opening – Welcome
7:15 pm	Buffet Dinner
8:00 pm	Education Awards – DTM, Triple Crowns.
	Long Service Award, Club Coach, Club Public Relations
	District Contest Winners – Table Topics, Evaluation, Humorous and International
8:50 pm	Guest Speaker – District 112 and Region 12 Region Finalist Giyora Barzilay
9:15 pm	District awards – Area Director of Year, Distinguished Areas, Outstanding Division
	Club Excellence Awards – achieved President Distinguished three years in a row.
	District Toastmaster of the Year
10:00 pm	Close and Opportunities for Photos – Mix and Mingle
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Note: Waipuna has accommodation. If required, contact Shabnam Khurana at 09 526 3003.

For the district, I have created a reference guide for future trios to use and update on the running of the dinner and awards event. This will be a pathways DTM project for me.

Wendy Wickliffe – Immediate Past District Director