

Program Quality Director Report

District 54

19 July 2025

Congratulations District 54 on achieving Select Distinguished status in the 2024-2025 Toastmasters year! The efforts over the years by our district leaders and members paid off in an incredible way. Let's keep the momentum going and have another year where our guests join as members, our leaders get trained, our members renew and complete their educational goals.

Summer Officer Training

If you haven't heard, District 54 was chosen to help Toastmasters International launch something brand new. Toastmasters is rolling out a completely reimagined officer training experience. We'll be among the first in the world to explore the new materials crafted by some of the most respected leaders in the organization. Our insights and feedback will help shape how club officers are trained across the globe for years to come. The theme for the TLI's is "Where transformation meets opportunity. Transform. Lead. Inspire."

TLI South

TLI South was held Saturday 12 July 2025, at Country Financial 1701 Towanda Ave in Bloomington. Sherri DeLeonardis, DTM, and her team did a fantastic job organizing a fun and enjoyable TLI. 54 members were in attendance and 51 officers trained. Thank you to all those who helped make this a great TLI, especially the Trainers!

TLI North

Next week, on 26 July 2025, we will be at TLI North at Thermo Fisher Scientific 3747 N. Meridian Rd, Rockford. Rachael Berry and her team will be opening the doors at 8:30 am.

TLI Virtual

TLI Virtual will be held on 02 August 2025 via Zoom. Maryann Reichelt, DTM, is the TLI Virtual Dean. The check in begins at 8:30 am and the meeting starts at 9:00 am. There will be 2 club officer training opportunities during this TLI.

For more information, visit the D54 website at https://d54tm.com/tlis.

Pathways Support

Maryann Reichelt, DTM, is our District Pathways Support Coordinator. She will continue to offer monthly Pathways training on the 4th Wednesday of the month from 7:00 – 8:30 pm, via Zoom. The sessions begin with basic instruction for newer club members as a supplement to their club orientation. From about 7:30 on, she will answer individual Pathways questions. Encourage members to attend and learn all the Pathways tricks from Maryann.

Let's make 2025-2026 a year to remember!