Division A Report – Estelle Foster

22Apr2024

<u>Area 10 Director – Rachael Berry – 3 clubs</u>

• 2nd round of club visits completed & 2 reports submitted

Inspiring Speakers

- Current membership @ 10 (base of 9)
 - New member Eina successfully added
- 6 goals met towards Distinguished Club Status
- Open House held 19Mar2024
 - Jerry Evans presented and there was one guest, who later joined

Rock On!

- Current membership @ 14 (base of 14)
 - New member added, Dan
- 6 goals met towards Distinguished Club Status
- 20th Anniversary celebration scheduled for 29Apr2024
 - Jerry Evans will speak at the event
 - Finger foods and fudge
- 06May2024 meeting at Prairie Street to celebrate 20 years!

Rockford Communication League (Corporate Club)

- Current membership @ 11 (base of 20)
 - New member Anastasia added
 - Club Leadership have an action plan to improve membership
- 6 Goals met towards Distinguished Club Status
- Open House meeting held on 20Mar2024, site leader attended
- Membership drive
 - Executive committee members are meeting with managers and presenting the benefits of Toastmasters to coworkers
 - Will present at next site meeting, 30Apr2024, for 2-3 minutes about purpose, benefits, and joining
 - Additional plans in development

Area 11 Director - Lino Carrillo - 4 clubs

- All but 1 Club had >4 officers trained at TLIs
- 2nd round of club visits have been scheduled

Advanced Expressives

- Current membership @ 12 (base of 12)
 - o 1 guest recently converted to a new member
- 3 DCP goals met
- Planning for Open House in May

Fox River Toastmasters

- Current membership @ 14 (base of 17)
 - o 3 new members joined last month
- Open house scheduled for 30Apr2024
- 3 DCP Goals met
- Club Success Plan reviewed at each EC meeting membership is the challenge for

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qualifying for any Distinguished level

Talk of the Town

- Current membership @ 8 (base of 10)
 - o Former member rejoined now that meetings are in person
- 1 DCP Goal met
- Struggling to fill office roles for upcoming TI year

Timely Talkers

- Current membership @ 8 (base of 8)
- 2 DCP Goals met

<u>Area 12 Director – Troy LaPorte – 4 clubs</u> (Listen, Learn, Lead is disbanding)

De Kalb Area Toastmasters

- 3 DCP goals met
- 4 new members in 2023-2024 Toastmasters year, 2 more required to meet membership goal
- Focus on new membership and Educational goals
- Officer elections planned for 2024-2025 Toastmasters year
- Area Director visit will be in May

Fox Valley Toastmasters

- 3 DCP goals complete
- 4 new members, 1 more required to meet membership goal
- Officer elections planned for the 2024-2025 Toastmasters year
- Club focusing on completing educational levels

Toast of the Fox Club

- 9 DCP goals complete
- Membership is at 19 (base 11) 3 new members in April
- Social event being planned at Nick's pizza in Elgin on 30Apr2024
- Jerry Evans placed 3rd at the District 54 International Speech Contest and 2nd in the Table Topics Contest