



District 91 Newsletter

October 2020

It's a Division A invasion.

This month our Newsletter has been taken over by our Division A team. They've written a bumper range of articles to inspire, motivate and share their successes and challenges.

Led by Division A Director Antonia Harrison, who's journey began in 2009 in a Flemish club in Belgium, Toastmasters Hasselt, where she was a founder member and gave her Icebreaker speech in Dutch.

How cool is that?

Read our stories and share our success

We are very pleased to take over the District newsletter for October to share our stories, our meeting themes and so much more. We hope you'll be inspired.

- Our joint meetings with clubs around the World
- TEDxSouthampton 2021
- Discussion Panel Experts
- Chaseside play host to the World Champion of Public Speaking 2019
- Division A Conference & Contests
- Celebrate our success with us

[Find out more](#)

Myth about Taboos in Toastmasters

Why you should talk about Taboo in Toastmasters.

What are the top-3 tips provided by Aaron Beverly in this last part of inspirational interview to Distinguished Toastmaster Haritosh Srivastav.



News from our Trio

Arnaud Sartre
District Director



Reflecting on the educational goals, it is fantastic view the Daily Reports (available on the Dashboard) and note we are over the 400 mark.

With 17 of our members achieving Triple Crown Award for completing three or more educational awards. Congratulations to all our members that have achieved an award so far.

[Read more](#)



Helena Boden Brewer
Program Quality Director



Rupa Datta
Club Growth Director

The power of an invitation

Do you remember receiving invitations to birthday parties when you were younger or a 'save the date' card through the post for a wedding or other function?

Do you remember how that made you feel?

[Read more](#)

Important advice about Club finances

Earlier this month, one of our clubs was impacted by an email scam and as such has lost a large amount of club funds.

Our community must be vigilant in maintaining the security of club assets - both physically and digitally. There are many perpetrators on the Internet sending suspicious messages requesting monies to be transferred to unknown accounts.

Therefore ensure you are setup for security success by:

1. Club Bank Accounts should have dual signatories to minimise the risk of errors
2. Always ask for receipt before processing a bank transfer
3. Don't be pressured into making bank transfer urgently.
4. Finally, always keep in mind the famous quote "trust, but verify" when it comes to club finance

We learn best in
moments of enjoyment

Ralph C Smedley

Pathways to Smedley

Add 5 new or dual members
to your club.

+

All officers are
Pathways enrolled.

The first 20 clubs
receive £50

Celebrate 96 years



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