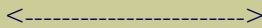


The STOryteller

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South Towne Orators meets Thursdays 7:00 a.m. Cottonwood Presbyterian Church 1580 East Vine Street (about 6100 South)

Internet Web Links:

- www.orgsites.com/ut/south-towne-orators is the official website for the club. Bookmark it as a favorite for easier access.
- www.toastmasters.org is the official website for people inquiring about TI.
- www.members.toastmasters.org Designed especially for members of Toastmasters International.
- www.district15speaks.org covers Utah and parts of Idaho. You can find out about upcoming events and access district news.

Do you have a Toastmaster success story?

Have you built a business, hired onto a dream job with higher pay, or passed a performance review with flying colors? You very likely have a great success story for the STOryteller. Please don't be shy—we're all inspired learning about accomplishments of other members. Just let Carol know (contact information above), write a paragraph or two, and submit a story.

South Towne Orators' Update

Welcome, new member, Shawn Robinson. He made several visits as a guest and has boldly moved forward to become South Towne's newest member.

Membership Recruitment Challenge (www.toastmasters.org):

Individual Recognition (July 1 – June 30, following year): Recruit 5, 10, or 15 new members to our club and receive a TI pin, necktie or scarf.

Distinguished Club Program is an annual project. Points are earned collectively by members who recruit new members, by officers in filing reports in a timely manner, by training of officers and by earning educational awards, such as Competent Communicator or Competent Leadership. This award is very reachable, just takes diligence of all members to do their part. Take a look at your goals – what can be accomplished by June 30, 2011?

Competent Leadership Award (CL): every member in our club should have the new leadership manual, whether included in the new member kit or provided from time to time to existing members – let one of the officers know if you need one. Look over the manual and coordinate future meeting roles with CL projects. Then bring your leadership manual to meetings and line up someone to provide a written or verbal evaluation for each meeting role. Coordinate leadership requirements with the schedule passed around in meetings.

Videotape your speech! To take your speech-giving to a higher level of expertise, contact either Lyn Baum (801-942-0770) or Donnielle Schroeder (801-253-3305) to make arrangements.

Post Toasties: a STO afterglow – breakfast and conversation. Meet at Denny's, south of Albertson's on 13th East, past Ft. Union Blvd. (72nd So.). Officially it's held the first Thursday of the month, but informal gatherings spring up whenever members wish to meet after regular meetings – feel free to inquire after a meeting.

PICNIC!

Kent Griffiths has been working behind the scenes to help arrange a date and place for our annual picnic (coordinated with two other groups). So set your calendars for Saturday, August 21, time span to be announced. The place – the Spruces Campground/Picnic area in Big Cottonwood Canyon. Families and friends are more than welcome to attend. Detailed information will be given at club meetings and future newsletters as it becomes available.