

## DISTRICT 72 DIVISION DIRECTOR'S REPORT TO THE DISTRICT EXECUTIVE

Division	<b>C</b>	Division Director	<b>Linda Barnes</b>	Report date	<b>4 August 2019</b>
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### Division Goals for the year

To have all Area Director reports submitted on time. To collaborate teamwork between areas to run success club officer training. Also invite other toastmasters clubs to assist with first time zoom training for Wanaka and Queenstown and Gore. Will also open up to other members of Division C once face to face training has been ran to those who were unable to attend. I hope to combine c1 and C4 Area contests so we have enough members to full role also doing the same for C2 and C4. Last it worked well when C2 and C3 trialled it. Most members like the idea. I would like to see Division reach Select Distinguished or higher

### Division Celebrations & Successes

C1 and C4 CLT has been completed and had a great turn. Visit are going to be completed by end of August and uploaded for training in September. No net loss of membership just stable (no growth) or slow growth. Queenstown has had substantial growth with 5 new members.

### Club Membership at a Glance

12 or Fewer	13-15	16-19	20+
Scarifies – stable Gore - +2 Foveaux – stable Oyster Orators - stable	Wavecrest – stable Oamaru - +1 growth Lunchspeak - +3	Taipei - stable Tabletalk – stable Wanaka - stable Daw speakers - +1	Queenstown - +5 Grand - +3 Five-thirty Forum Club – stable Speak-easy - +3 Dunedin - +2

### Division Challenges, Issues & Solutions

I am finding it difficult being both Division Director and Area Director for C2 and make sure I get recognition under old program for club coach so I can receive DTM. Members and education awards seem to be the problem for most of the clubs. Planning for my successor is also going to be an issue around commitments and accommodation and costs. Some new clubs are struggling with pathways due to members not be able to access because no charter some are at stand still until member growth occurs to enable chartering to occur. Solution this far is to enroll them with current Queenstown club so they can proceed and once chartered swap to members to new club.



## **New Clubs Progress**

**Currently have two in progress one corporate in Invercargill and Queenstown. Queenstown is hoping to charter September 2019. Invercargill June 2020 review sink or swim.**

## **Division Events and other newsworthy items**

**New corporate club Invercargill called Roar**