

# TOASTMASTERS INTERNATIONAL

## DISTRICT 72

### ANNUAL REPORT 2008-2009

Presented by Chrissy Meyer DTM



Photo:

**Frank Meyer ACS,  
Steve Bullock DTM LT Governor Marketing,  
Joy Ackrill DTM,  
Denis McCord DTM LT Governor Education and Training,  
Alun Chisholm DTM 2009-2010 District Governor,  
Chrissy Meyer DTM Immediate Past *Distinguished* District Governor,  
Jana Barnhill DTM AS 2008-2009 International President  
Receiving their awards for 2008-2009  
At the Hall of Fame  
During the Toastmasters International Annual Convention  
Held in Mashantucket, Connecticut, USA in August 2009**

# TOASTMASTERS : OPENING DOORS OF OPPORTUNITY

[2008-2009 DISTRICT THEME]

# **ACHIEVEMENTS**

## **TOASTMASTER OF THE YEAR**

Ken Haines Award – Sarah Bate DTM

## **DIVISION GOVERNOR OF THE YEAR**

Terry Bellamy Trophy – Richard Moffat ACB CL  
Special Mention – Lindsay Wright DTM

## **AREA GOVERNOR OF THE YEAR**

Len Jury Trophy – Penny Coffey DTM  
Special Mention – Dick Knopp DTM

## **TOP CLUBS**

### **MEMBERSHIP AWARD**

First Club to achieve both Distinguished Club Programme new member goals

- CAPITAL CHATTERERS CLUB # 7287

### **EDUCATIONAL AWARD**

First club to achieve all Distinguished Cub Programme educational goals

- FIRST IMPRESSIONS CLUB # 4338

### **LEADERSHIP AWARD**

First Club to achieve both Distinguished Club Programme leadership goals

- OTUMOETAI TOASTMASTERS # 3511

### **5 DCP GOALS**

First club to achieve any five Distinguished Club Programme goals

- THREE KINGS CLUB # 5991

### **9 DCP GOALS**

First Club to achieve any nine Distinguished Club Programme goals

- TWIN TOWERS CLUB # 5333

## **DISTRICT 72 COMMUNICATION AND LEADERSHIP AWARD**

Dr Rod Carr, Vice-Chancellor, University of Canterbury

## DISTRICT SPEECH CONTEST WINNERS

- International Speech Contest [Bryan Buchanan Cup] John Reimers DTM
- Humorous Speech Contest [Ray Morse Cup] Adrian Humphries  
ACB
- Table Topics Contest [John Fauvel Cup] David Hatchuel DTM
- Evaluation Contest [Rob Hendry Cup] Arun Chaudhari DTM
- Most Entertaining Speech [Morris Heyes Cup] John Reimers DTM

## OTHER DISTRICT AWARDS

### Ron Harden Memorial Award

For Contribution to the professionalism of Toastmasters

- Diane Isherwood DTM

### Alf Baker Cup

Top Club Bulletin of the Year

- Lunchspeak # 67

### Dale Hartle Award

For the Best Toastmasters New Zealand Club Website

- Turbine Talkers # 6879

### Dan Coomey Trophy

For convention attendance by a club

- November 2008 - **The Gourmet Toastmasters Club, Wellington**
- May 2009 – **North Shore Club – North Shore, Auckland**

Jack Duffy Rose Bowl Memorial Award – Not awarded for 2008-2009.

## **ANZAC Special Trophy**

For service as a District Governor

- **Geoffrey M Trotter DTM**

**Awards received by District 72 at the Toastmasters International  
Convention held in Mashantucket Connecticut, USA  
August 2009**

**Distinguished District Award**

In recognition of District 72's achieving Distinguished District- **Chrissy Meyer DTM**

The District Governor receives a Distinguished District Badge along with a Leadership Excellence ribbon for achieving excellent in leadership three years running for the District banner and receives a personal plaque for achieving Distinguished District.

**Excellence in Education and Training Award**

In recognition of exceptional leadership and achievement in educational programming and training - **Alun Chisholm DTM**

The Lt Governor Educational Training receives this award for achieving and exceeding Distinguished District Goals in education and training accomplishments.

**Excellence in Marketing Award**

In recognition of exceptional leadership and achievement in membership growth and club extension - **Denis McCord DTM**

The LT Governor Marketing receives this award for achieving and exceeding Distinguished District goals in membership growth and new clubs.

# DISTRICT 72 ACCOMPLISHMENTS IN THE DISTINGUISHED PROGRAMMES FOR DIVISIONS, AREAS AND CLUBS

## Distinguished Divisions

Of our seven Divisions, five were President's Distinguished and one was Select Distinguished.

- **Division A** President's Distinguished Division Hari Kumar ACB, CL
- **Division C** President's Distinguished Division Lindsay Wright DTM
- **Division E** President's Distinguished Division Judy Love DTM
- **Division F** President's Distinguished Division Murray Coutts DTM
- **Division G** President's Distinguished Division Richard Moffat ACB, CL
- **Division B** Select Distinguished Division John Hancox ACS

## Distinguished Areas

Of our 48 Areas, 25 areas were Distinguished, 12 were Select Distinguished and 6 were President's Distinguished – a total of 43.

### Division A

- Area 1 President's Distinguished Area Victoria Walker
- Area 2 Distinguished Area Parvati Prema
- Area 3 Distinguished Area Kevin Prohl
- Area 4 Distinguished Area Merle Ward
- Area 5 Distinguished Area Steve King
- Area 6 Select Distinguished Area Sharyn Elstob
- Area 7 Distinguished Area Lyndon Baird

### Division B

- Area 1 Select Distinguished Area Leigh Buchanan
- Area 2 Distinguished Area Ruth Proffit
- Area 3 Distinguished Area Jim Curtis
- Area 4 Distinguished Area Craig Robinson
- Area 5 Select Distinguished Area Vacant
- Area 6 Distinguished Area Steve Tutbury

### **Division C**

- Area 1 President's Distinguished Area Dick Knopp
- Area 2 Distinguished Area Jodelle Leatham
- Area 3 Select Distinguished Area Vacant
- Area 4 Distinguished Area Ruth Russell
- Area 5 Distinguished Area Malcolm Gayfer

### **Division D**

- Area 2 Select Distinguished Area Helen Brooking
- Area 3 Distinguished Area Robyn Gordon
- Area 4 President's Distinguished Area Lani Christensen
- Area 5 Distinguished Area Jim Rofe
- Area 7 Distinguished Area Peter Elliott
- Area 8 Distinguished Area Maggie Jack

### **Division E**

- Area 1 Distinguished Area David Coxon
- Area 2 Distinguished Area Andrea Houlihan
- Area 3 Select Distinguished Area Robyn Smeaton
- Area 4 Distinguished Area Sarah Talboys
- Area 5 Distinguished Area Margaret Hannan
- Area 6 Distinguished Area Jaishri Suresh
- Area 8 Select Distinguished Area Rita Stirling
- Area 8 Distinguished Area Ann Hayman

### **Division F**

- Area 2 Select Distinguished Area Trish Whyte
- Area 4 President's Distinguished Area Elsa Andres
- Area 5 Distinguished Area David Pooch
- Area 6 President's Distinguished Area Vincent Maire
- Area 7 Distinguished Area Rose Oosthuysen

### **Division G**

- Area 1 Select Distinguished Area Robert Stewart
- Area 2 Select Distinguished Area David Young
- Area 3 Distinguished Area Barbara Millar
- Area 4 President's Distinguished Area Penny Coffey
- Area 5 Select Distinguished Area Jennifer Kemp
- Area 6 Select Distinguished Area Debra Lawrence

## **DISTINGUISHED CLUB PROGRAMME**

District 72 finished the 2008-2009 year with 240 clubs. Of these clubs, 34 were Distinguished, 30 Select Distinguished and 54 were President's Distinguished. The results are as follows:

### **DIVISION A**

<u><b>PRESIDENT'S DISTINGUISHED</b></u>	<u><b>SELECT DISTINGUISHED</b></u>	<u><b>DISTINGUISHED</b></u>
• Varsity	• Telecom Talkers	• Twilight Talkers Toastmasters
• Auckland Toastmasters	• Talking Heads	• Waitemata Toastmasters
• Waiheke Island	• PWC Proclaimers	• Remuera Toastmasters
• A M Toastmasters	• 3D (Deloitte Dialogue Development)	• Daybreak
• Maungakiekie	• Rangitoto Toastmasters	• Eastern Bays
• Howick Toastmasters	• Pakuranga	• Eden-Epsom
• Three Kings	• Silver Service Toastmasters	• AUT Students Toastmasters
• Speechcraft Club		
• Onehunga		
• Papakura Toastmasters		
• T.A.L.K.		
• Franklin Toastmasters		

### **DIVISION B**

<u><b>PRESIDENT'S DISTINGUISHED</b></u>	<u><b>SELECT DISTINGUISHED</b></u>	<u><b>DISTINGUISHED</b></u>
• Nga Manu Reo Toastmasters	• Poverty Bay	• DRI Remark
• Moturoa Toastmasters	• Wanganui	• Palmerston North
• Ngamotu Breakfast	• Hastings	
• Napier Toastmasters		

## DIVISION C

<u>PRESIDENT'S DISTINGUISHED</u>	<u>SELECT DISTINGUISHED</u>	<u>DISTINGUISHED</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Taieri</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Queenstown</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Wavecrest</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ashburton Toastmasters</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Gore Toastmasters</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Alpine Toastmasters</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Dunedin Toastmasters</li> </ul>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Five-Thirty Forum</li> </ul>		

## DIVISION D

<u>PRESIDENT'S DISTINGUISHED</u>	<u>SELECT DISTINGUISHED</u>	<u>DISTINGUISHED</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Tauranga</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Pioneers Toastmasters</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Piako</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Otumoetai Toastmasters</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kickstart Toastmasters</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>City Early Start</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lake City Breakfast</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Geyser Gourmet</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>First Impressions</li> </ul>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Wired For Sound</li> </ul>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Achieve</li> </ul>		

## DIVISION E

<u>PRESIDENT'S DISTINGUISHED</u>	<u>SELECT DISTINGUISHED</u>	<u>DISTINGUISHED</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Public Service Toastmasters</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Wellington</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Petone Toastmasters</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Capital Chatterers</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Capital Breakfast</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ohariu Toastmasters</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Business Breakfast</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Statistics NZ Wellington</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ngaio</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hutt Valley</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Spinnaker</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>DIALOGUE Toastmasters</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Wainuiomata Toastmasters</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Toastmasters Of Waikanae</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mount Victoria Toastmasters</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Karori Toastmasters</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Porirua Central</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>SKM Toastmasters</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Turbine Talkers</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Five Crowns</li> </ul>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Upper Hutt Toastmasters</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>WOW</li> </ul>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>High Noon Bankers</li> </ul>		

## **DIVISION F**

<b><u>PRESIDENT'S DISTINGUISHED</u></b>	<b><u>SELECT DISTINGUISHED</u></b>	<b><u>DISTINGUISHED</u></b>
• Twin Towers	• CBD	• Vodafone
• First Light	• Glenfield	• Flying Start
• Eco City Waitakere	• Top Start	• Taka-Talkers
• One Hour		• Birkenhead Toastmasters
• North Shore		• Northrise Toastmasters
• East Coast Bays		• Milford
• Hibiscus Coast		• Takapuna Midday
• Toastmasters @ Lunchtime		• Whangarei Toastmasters

## **DIVISION G**

<b><u>PRESIDENT'S DISTINGUISHED</u></b>	<b><u>SELECT DISTINGUISHED</u></b>	<b><u>DISTINGUISHED</u></b>
• Liffey	• Avon	• Christchurch
• Shoreline	• Canterbury Connoisseur	• Sunrise
• Victoria Toastmasters	• Ace Toastmasters	• Dollan House Toastmasters
• Kaiapoi	• Wider Horizons 50 Plus	• Christchurch Speechcraft
• Hereford Street Toastmasters	• High Noon Nelson	• Canterbury Women's Club Inc
• Boaters	• Pegasus	
• Oaklands	• Airwaves Toastmasters	
• Civic		
• Madhatters		
• U-CAN-SPEAK		

## **CLUB GROWTH – NEW CLUBS**

13 new clubs chartered during the year. District 72 welcomes them and looks forward to seeing their banners at District gatherings in the future: These clubs were:

- 1043619 - Ace Toastmasters – Christchurch
- 1176581 – Canterbury Women’s Club Inc Toastmasters – Christchurch
- 1179890 – Hornby – Christchurch
- 1215362 – Postmasters – Wellington
- 1218985 – Wanaka Toastmasters – Wanaka
- 1219767 – City Early Start – Tauranga
- 1224319 – Academic – North Shore
- 1227260 – Oyster Orators - Invercargill
- 1227341 – Vector – Auckland
- 1251593 – Tabletalk Toastmasters – Dunedin
- 1257671 – IPENZ Toastmasters – Auckland
- 1260082 – RDC Raconteurs Toastmasters Club – Orewa
- 1361002 – Advanced Wellington – Wellington

## **DISTINGUISHED TOASTMASTER AWARDS (DTM)**

We had a record number of Distinguished Toastmaster awards this year with 23 of our members achieving the highest award in Toastmasters. Congratulations to all the recipients who were:

- Alan Northcote
- Andrew Smith
- Connie Hassan
- Dawn Brieseman
- Diane Isherwood
- Francis Chandrahasen
- Graeme Hunt
- Heather Naomi
- Hella Bauer
- John Reimers
- Lynette Harris-Hogan
- Marion Halford
- Marilyn Hibma
- Murray Coutts
- Pauline Rothman
- Peter Harington
- Robin Lommes
- Robyn Warwood
- Sarah Bate
- Serena Hing
- Shane Fenton
- Ted Van Ryssel
- Wendy Booth