



District Director Report

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2022–2023 Mid-year Training in Kuala Lumpur!

On the 15th and 16th January, I finally got to meet in person with the District Directors that until then have only been fellow Zoom attendees!

Over the two days we joined with our fellow district leaders from across Region 12, (NZ, Australia, PNG, Indonesia & Malaysia) Region 13 (India, Nepal & Thailand) and Region 14 (China) to celebrate successes, create and cement relationships, share best practices, re-evaluate goals, create an in-depth action plan, and identify ways to achieve the District mission.

There were excellent sessions throughout the two days, these included navigating healthy conflict, reflecting on our team dynamics, team strengths, and empowering us to stay focused on achieving the District mission. The focus point for all the training was the district mission which is “We build new clubs and support all clubs in achieving excellence”

In the District Director Role Breakout session, we assessed our progress toward achieving District goals and aimed to develop strategies and solutions to fulfil the responsibilities of our role.

In the Team Project we worked in conjunction with another district trio on an agreed project, we then presented a feasible action plan that we can complete within our program year. Our trio was partnered with a fabulous trio from District 41 (from India) Our group focused on ways we can ensure Educational awards are recorded and by doing so helping our clubs and members to continually move forward.

This midyear training gave us all a boost in morale, a greater sense of direction and most importantly connections with many district leaders that we will definitely keep in contact with.

Our Trio - Glen, Mary & I, also took the opportunity of a few extra days in Kuala Lumpur for very effective team building. We reached great heights, reflected on our journey and planned for the way ahead.

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