



## **Toastmasters District 13 KeyNotes**

**July 5, 2010**

### **1) Toastmasters: Achieving Success Together. One Team. One Dream.**

As we begin a new Toastmasters year, the Toastmasters International slogan for this year is, *"Toastmasters: Achieving Success Together."* Our District Governor, **Paulette Harvey** added *"One Team. One Dream."* to further define the overall goal of District 13. We are a team working together to achieve our individual and collective dreams. The District Officers are in place, have been trained and are ready, willing and able to support the goals of individual Toastmasters, Clubs, Areas and Divisions to achieve success in 2010-2011.

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### **2) Toastmasters Leadership Institute (TLI) - More than Officers Training**

Saturday, July 17, 2010 is the date for the Summer Toastmasters Leadership Institute at the Westmoreland Community College. While all Club and District Officers are urged to attend, it is a terrific opportunity for all D13 Toastmasters to participate as there are motivational and informational speeches, great workshops, a lite breakfast and a wonderful luncheon. TLI Chairman **Steve Templeton** and his team will put on a valuable training session ... be there!

[TO REGISTER FOR TLI CLICK HERE](#)

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### **3) Club Guest Packet Contest**

**Victoria Bush**, the Lt. Governor of Marketing, announced a Guest Packet Contest for District 13 Clubs and their Vice President's of Membership. The quality of materials a guest to your club can take home will play an important role as to whether they return and ultimately become a member. For complete details click the link below.

[GUEST PACKET CONTEST - CLICK FOR COMPLETE DETAILS](#)

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### **4) District 13 Coming Attractions**

Over the next few weeks District 13 will unveil an updated Newsletter, thanks in part to our Newsletter Editor **Vicki Iber**, as well as a refreshed Website which will be supported and maintained by Webmaster **Trevor Yannayon**. If you would like to contact the Newsletter Editor or Webmaster to make future contributions, click the link(s) below.

[CONTACT THE NEWSLETTER EDITOR - CLICK HERE](#)

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### **5) Toastmasters District 13 @ PNC Park**

Planning is underway to hold a group outing at PNC Park to see the Pirates take on the New York Mets on Sunday, August 22, 2010, 1:35pm. If you are interested in attending this Toastmasters D13 group outing, please click below so we can get an idea of how many tickets will be needed. **Dan Hurley**, VP of PR for North Hills Club is the Chair for this event.

[TOASTMASTERS D13 - PIRATE OUTING](#)

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## 6) Toastmasters International's 79th Annual Convention in Palm Desert, CA

Our District Trio: **Paulette Harvey**, District Gov.; **Stephanie Scott**, Lt. Gov. of Education & Training; and **Victoria Bush**, Lt. Gov. of Marketing, will lead the District 13 delegation to the TI Convention in Palm Desert, CA from August 11 - 14. Early registration discount ends July 9, 2010.

[TO REGISTER FOR TI ANNUAL CONVENTION - CLICK HERE](#)

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## 7) Jeff Esper represents D13 at the World Championship of Public Speaking

Winning the District 13 International Speech Contest at the Spring Conference in State College gave **Jeff Esper** a ticket to the semi-finals of the World Championship of Public Speaking at the TI Annual Convention this August. Best of luck Jeff!

[D13 PRESS RELEASE FOR JEFF ESPER - CLICK HERE](#)

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## 8) Keeping you up-to-date with Toastmasters District 13 KeyNotes

This first distribution of D13 KeyNotes is designed to provide District Officers, Club Officers and all District 13 Toastmasters with information on upcoming activities. This is an important element of the overall communication strategy to provide quick, consistent and timely information so we can be all kept up-to-date on D13 activities. If you have information that you would like to distribute to D13, please contact **Rick Ley**, Public Relations Officer via the link below.

[CONTACT THE PRO - CLICK HERE](#)

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## 9) Dates to Remember ...

- > Saturday, July 17, 2010 - Toastmasters Leadership Institute (TLI) - Westmoreland CC
  - > August 11 - 14, 2010 - Toastmasters International Annual Convention - Palm Desert, CA
  - > Sunday, August 22, 2010 - Toastmasters District 13 @ PNC Park
  - > Sunday, August 29, 2010 - Executive Committee Meeting - Holiday Inn - Washington, PA
  - > Thursday, September 30, 2010 - Final day to submit Fall Dues to TI
  - > Friday, November 6, 2010 - Fall Conference Fun Night - Holiday Inn - Washington, PA
  - > Saturday, November 7, 2010 - Fall Conference - Holiday Inn - Washington, PA
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**About Toastmasters** - Toastmasters International (TI) is a non-profit organization founded in 1924 to help individuals improve their communications and leadership skills while building self-confidence. TI has over 12,500 clubs serving nearly 300,000 individuals in 106 countries. Toastmasters clubs can be community oriented serving residents over 18 years of age or corporate clubs supporting the employee development needs of the company. District 13 serves club members in western Pennsylvania and parts of West Virginia, Ohio and Maryland. For more information please contact the Toastmasters District 13 Public Relations Officer, Rick Ley at [Rick.Ley.TM@gmail.com](mailto:Rick.Ley.TM@gmail.com)