



TOASTMASTERS INTERNATIONAL EY Young Guns

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A Word from Our President



Defining Success One Member at a Time

Whether you're a new member, veteran or prolific speaker, everyone faces the looming fears of "public speaking." I can remember my 1st public speaking assignment. I was so nervous and anxious that the sound of my heartbeat echoed in my head. I had all the classic symptoms of trauma. Who would continue to subject themselves to this sort of terror?

Someone who knows that in order to overcome any fear you have to move forward with every feeling of hesitation and doubt. Oftentimes we think we have to remove the fear in order to conquer the tasks ahead, but I say take the fear and drive through it like a freight train.

I am proud to serve as your President for FY16 -17 Toastmaster Year. The officers and I have a year of celebration, awards, recognition and success prepared for our distinguished club. Our mission this year is to produce "world-class" leaders. Let's make this a 2nd year of being President's Distinguished.

We look forward to seeing each of you at Toastmasters and being an active part of defining your success.

Sincerely,

Rhonda Augustus
President of the President's Distinguished - EY Young Guns Toastmasters Club

Events & Announcements

Beat the Clock Contest - Unfortunately we were unable to complete this contest of gaining 5 members between May and June. However, we would like to Spotlight **Deseral Goldsmith** for bringing in the most members.

Smedley Contest - If our club gains five or more members during the months of August and September we will be awarded a lovely Smedley ribbon to add to our club banner.

Video Branding Contest - Send a short video of our club members showing their excitement for Toastmasters.

20th Club Anniversary / Open House - This year we celebrate 20 years as a value added corporate sponsored club. We are planning an event to be held on September 1, 2016. If you would like to assist please reach out to Willie Sublet III, VP Public Relations.

Word of the Month: CLISHMACLAVER – gossip or foolish talk

e.g. What's the moral of all this clishmaclaver?

Upcoming Meetings:

August 2nd - 12.1047 - August 9th - 12.1053 - August 16th - 12.1047 - August 26th - 18.1083 - August 30th - 12.1047

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<http://goo.gl/jLRkI7> - Yammer

Celebrating Excellence

On July 15, 2016, the EY Young Guns Club celebrated excellence in fine style. We installed our new executive team.

President - Rhonda Augustus
VP Education - Monica Finley
VP Membership - Conoshia Odum
VP Public Relations - Willie Sublet III
Secretary - Tiffany Elliott
Treasurer - Louis Hoffman
Sergeant-At-Arms - Katie Harper;
Jamie Wilson; Ty Brown
Immediate Past President - Felicia Allen

passed the baton, inducted new members and was surprised by a lovely gift from the past years officers.

Designations Earned

Congratulations to Rhonda Augustus, Miles Campbell and Tiffany Elliott for earning both their CC & CL Designations.

Please join us in congratulating these members on their huge accomplishment!

