

Notes for District Cabinet Meeting

Communicate like a Leader:

We need to send several people from our District. Dick Schwedrsky is attending. I recommend we send some Zone Chairpeople or some Club people who we would like to get involved in the District. Ask the cabinet and Zone Chairs for recommendations. Bring up the seminar at all Zone Meetings and publicize that it provides skills and abilities that help in many walks of life.

Identifying & Mentoring Future Leaders:

All of us in the cabinet and Zones need to look at Lions that we meet and work with for future leader prospects. Who in our clubs are active leaders, or have shown the ability or interest in leading. Who takes initiatives? Who are natural leaders, or who are trying but need help in honing their leadership abilities. Each one of us need to continuously and actively look for Lions with this potential, and work and mentor them to become our future leaders. If you do not feel like the appropriate person to mentor, then tell another leader and ask them to become the mentor. We need to make sure all potential future leaders have at least one mentor working with them to help them grow and support our District and Association.

Club Officer Training.

We will hold the training in three regions, the same as last year. Monday April 24 in Waunakee (Regions 2 & 3), Tuesday April 22 in Dodgeville or Belmont (whichever the Zones want)(Region 4), and Thursday April 24 in Albany (Region 1). We need help in finding trainers for each of these sessions. Will the Zone Chairs please send a note to Rob Sherman on recommended trainers for these sessions.

Convention March 14-15

We will have a hands-on training session for Secretaries. If they have a laptop computer, please bring it to the convention. If not, we will have several available. We need additional loaner laptops so if anyone has a laptop they can loan us for a couple of hours please contact Dick Schwedrsky or Rob Sherman. Thank you.

We will also have a session on "Finding Future Leaders" being conducted by PDG Connie LeClair-Meyers. It will help us think about how we can bring forward the future leaders in our clubs.

Each of us should make a commitment to bring someone new to the convention this year. That is how we can grow our leadership and involvement in our Clubs and District.