



Speak Up!

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Speaking to All Seven Styles of Learning

Everyone learns differently. Each person has preferred learning methods. The more ways you connect with your audience the more the audience will remember what you spoke about. Some of the ways individuals learn include:

1. **Linguistic**-These people enjoy words and stories. They like language, rhymes, jokes, puns and tongue-twisters.
2. **Logical**-Organized subject matter by using numbers or patterns. Analysis are high on their priorities. They enjoy step by step processes and scientific demonstrations.
3. **Visual**-Someone who learns visually enjoys all types of visual aids including::PowerPoint, colorized visual aids, pictures, graphs, puzzles, photos etc. If you can show it to enhance your speech they like it.
4. **Musical**-Even if you do not sing if you can present something with rhythm or beat, play music, hum or



whistle you will have the attention of these learners.

5. **Physical**-Learn by doing is their code. They need to move, touch or physically experience something.
6. **Interpersonal**-They thrive working with a team. They like brainstorming or discussing, simulations or peer-training.
7. **Introspective**-Quiet time is needed after learning to assimilate what was received. They seek personal growth. After hearing something they may have lots of questions and need a contact.



It has been proven that the more ways you can 'touch' someone the more they will remember. If you can include all these components in your speech you will have 'touched' everyone in you audience.

If you like this raise your hand, discuss this with some others,talk to me with question then think about it taking time to tap twice thru this tongue-twister.



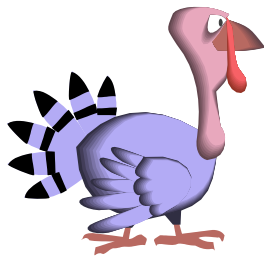
Words of Wisdom-Volunteering



Remember that when you leave this earth, you can take with you nothing that you have received - only what you have given: a full heart, enriched by honest service, love, sacrifice and courage.

--St. Francis of Assisi

Joke of the Month– Turkey and Football



The pro football team had just finished their daily practice session when a large turkey came strutting onto the field. While the players gazed in amazement, the turkey walked up to the head coach and demanded a tryout. Everyone stared in silence as the turkey caught pass after pass and ran right through the defensive line.

When the turkey returned to the sidelines, the coach shouted, "You're terrific!!! Sign up for the season, and I'll see to it that you get a huge bonus."

"Forget the bonus," the turkey said, "All I want to know is, does the season go past Thanksgiving Day?"



Month Ahead-November/Gratitude

This is the month of the harvest and reflection on blessing received. This is one of my favorite times of the years because it gives all a chance to pause and count their blessings.

All of us face challenges. When we take a step back from those challenges and begin to list what we have and what we are grateful for those challenges are brought into focus and feel a little smaller than they did.

This 'attitude of gratitude' can change you outlook on the world. Children come



by this attitude automatically. They will find the little flower in the grass and show it with amazement

and appreciation.

One day my son came in the kitchen while I was preparing dinner and gestured that I **must go outside now**. He

wanted me to see a gorgeous sunset with multiple shades of purple and pink. That night was a night of Thanksgiving for the beauty of the sky.

When was the last time you took a moment to say thanks for the clouds, the cool fall weather, the sun, the stars and each thing that makes your life more full.

This month take a clue from the little ones around us and take note of those 'little things' that make your life better.



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Happiness Cake

- 1 Cup Good Thoughts
- 2 Cups Well-Beaten Faults
- 3 Cups Forgiveness
- 1 Cup Consideration for Others
- 1 Cup Kind Deeds



Mix thoroughly. Add Tears of Joy, Sorrow and Sympathy. Flavor with Love and Kindly Service. Fold in 4 Cups of Prayer and Faith. Blend well. Fold into daily life. Bake well with warmth and Human Kindness and serve with a Smile, anytime.

The Prez Says...



Enthusiasm is key in our toastmaster meetings. When someone is making their way to the front, clap enthusiastically until they reach the lectern and shake the hand of the person at the lectern.

The speaker should either be on the sideline or hurry to the front showing their enthusiasm.

If you are the Toastmaster, Table Topics Master or General Evaluator you can show your enthusiasm by being early to the meeting to

huddle up and verify that all roles and gaps are filled. There are reserved seats for these three roles with **HOT PINK** signs that designate these places. This makes it easy for them to have immediate communication during the meeting if needed.

Therefore, remember, let's give everyone a round of applause!



News and Announcements



Emi Bauer, our Division Governor and new **DTM**, did a wonderful job with the division contest in October. Gila division had the biggest turn out in the district. The food was good. The contest was well organized. Our President, **Andrew Svironic**, won 3rd place. Let's congratulate Emi and Andrew on these achievements.

The District 3 Conference was held November 5-7 in Tucson Arizona. Friday night the new Distinguished

Toastmasters were presented with their

DTM awards including our friend, **Liz Shaw**. The International Director from San Diego, California, Roberta Perry, spoke at



Fall Class of 2010 DTM's Includes Liz Shaw and Emi Bauer

the Opening Ceremony on Saturday morning about how to be a better speaker. Then we



Sherry Roush, Sparkle-tude Presenter with Emi Bauer.

learned about 'Sparkle-tude.'

There were other educational sessions to choose from on Saturday. That evening the

District Humorous Speech

Contest was held. It was a day of laughter and learning. The next District Conference will be in Mesa on **March 4-6, 2011**. You will want to attend. **Put it on your calendar now!**

Our **Christmas Party/Auction** will be held Thursday, December 9th at 6:30 pm. Everyone is invited and encouraged to bring your friends and spouses. There will be a potluck. Food and decorating committee chairpersons can earn credit in the CL manual. Please contact Sue at heyslucy@hotmail.com if you are interested in chairing either committee. Watch for further announcements coming soon!

