



Lydia Boyd Leadership Legacy Award Nomination Instructions

Past International Director, Past District Governor, Distinguished Toastmaster Lydia Boyd has supported District 1 for close to forty years. As a result of her outstanding leadership skills, she led District 1 to become the number one district in the world during her year as District Governor. She continues to be a role model and mentor to Toastmasters throughout Region 10 and Region 2. The person you are nominating should embody what Lydia was most known for: leadership, communication, mentoring and recognition.

The Lydia Boyd Leadership Legacy Award Committee will review all submitted nomination forms. The committee consists of current members of the Director's Advisory Committee (DAC) – any District 1 Governor/Director who is a paid member of a District 1 club in good standing.

The DAC will determine through discussion which nominee, if any, will receive the award. If no one is selected by the committee during a given year, the award will not be presented. If a recipient is selected, the award will be presented during the District 1 Annual Spring Business Meeting.

1. Complete the nomination form with as much **specific, detailed** information describing why you feel the nominee deserves this award and submit the completed form to the Lydia Boyd Leadership Legacy Award Committee Chair as indicated on the website by the stated deadline.
2. Any paid member in a District 1 club in good standing can nominate any leader the nominator feels is worthy of the award and who meets the following eligibility requirements:
 - a. Has served at least 6 months as a club officer or above.
 - b. Is a paid member in a District 1 club in good standing.
 - c. Has served in at least four (4) roles outside of the club environment which have contributed to the success of the member, Area, Division or District (see application form for options).
 - d. Exceptions to nominations:
 - i. Previous award recipients may not be nominated.
 - ii. Any member with a conflict of interest, such as a business or personal affiliation with another Toastmaster cannot nominate that member.
 - a. A nominee is considered affiliated if related to the DAC member by blood, adoption, marriage or in a romantic relationship.
 - b. A business is considered affiliated if the nominee is a director, officer, employee, or agent of the company or owns one (1) percent or more of the value of the company or is a client or a contractor.
 - e. A member cannot self-nominate.
 - f. The current District 1 Director, Program Quality Director, Club Growth Director, Region 2 Advisor, International Officer/Director and Immediate Past District 1 Director are not eligible to be nominated.
 - g. A member of the DAC may not nominate someone.