

Northwest Words

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We meet each first, third, and fifth Tuesday, 6:30 PM - Mayberry's, 50 Miller Street, Winston-Salem, NC

OFFICERS for 2014-2015

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Our Next Meeting will be on
December 16, 2014
Tuesday

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The Mission of a Toastmasters Club is to provide a mutually supportive and positive learning environment in which each member has the opportunity to develop and practice communication and leadership skills, which in turn foster self-confidence and personal growth.

The Way It Was – December 2, 2014

By Phantom Secretary



President, Don Barnett, opened the business session at 6:35. Suggestion to start using name badges or place cards discussed. Sergeant-at-Arms will consider options. Don recessed the meeting until 6:47 pm.

At 6:48 pm, President Barnett called the meeting to order and announced the changes to the agenda. Don then introduced Jeff Walker as Toastmaster for the evening. In keeping with the theme of the meeting, Jeff gave a speech titled "Let Your Light Shine". Toastmaster Jeff introduced the Grammarian, Annette Grefe; Vote Counter and Timer, Pam Christopher; and Word Master, Joel Schanker provided the word for the evening.

Toastmaster Jeff Walker introduced the Table Topics Master, Joel Schanker. Joel provided a brief review of the purpose of Table Topics and staying with the theme of the meeting posed Table Topics questions to Annette Grefe, Marissa Dixon and John Clark.

Along with Toastmaster Jeff Walker, the following gave prepared speeches:

- Anita Ford – Project 2, CC Manual
- Sabrina Williams – Project 2, CC Manual

- Rob Phelps – Project 3, Story Telling Manual
- Peter Gross – Project 10, CC Manual

The Toastmaster called for the Timer's report and votes were passed to the Vote Counter.

Jeff introduced the General Evaluator, Brian Davidson. Brian introduced the evaluators.

- Jeff Walker's speech was evaluated by John Clark
- Anita Ford's speech was evaluated by Marissa Dixon
- Sabrina Williams' speech was evaluated by Craig Thrift
- Rob Phelps' speech was evaluated by Pam Christopher
- Peter Gross' speech was evaluated by Don Barnett

Toastmaster Peter Gross called for the Timer's report and votes were passed to the Vote Counter. Annette Grefe presented the Grammarian's report. Joel Schanker presented the Word Master's report.

Toastmaster Peter Gross wrapped up the educational portion of the meeting and returned control of the meeting to Club President Don Barnett. Don presented awards and adjourned the meeting after a little humor from Joke Master Marissa Dixon.

~~ Meeting Schedule ~~

Please Note. The Vice President of Education is continually adjusting the schedule to meet the requirements of our members. So, if you need to see the current schedule, contact our Vice President of Education.

	12/16/2014	12/30/2014	1/6/2015
Barnett, Don	Evaluator	Vote Counter	
Barney, Butch	Toastmaster		
Barney, Marcia	Evaluator		
Christopher, Pam	Evaluator		
Clark, John	Joke Master	Toastmaster	Evaluator
Cole, Becky			
Davidson, Brian		Table Topics	Evaluator
Dixon, Marissa	Speaker	Word Master	Speaker
Ford, Anita	Joke Master	Grammarian	Speaker
Grefe, Annette	Speaker	Joke Master	Speaker
Gross, Peter	Grammarian	Speaker	Timer
Liu, Randy	Speaker	General Evaluator	Toastmaster
Lüneburg, Sebastian	absent	Speaker	Evaluator
Mendezoff, Criket	absent	absent	absent
Phelps, Rob	Vote Counter	Speaker	Grammarian
Schaner, Joel			General Evaluator
Thrift, Craig	Table Topics		Speaker
Walker, Jeff	General Evaluator	Joke Master	Word Master
Williams, Sabrina	Word Master	Speaker	Table Topics
Wright, Richard	absent	absent	

Remember: All roles are important! If you cannot attend the meeting, PLEASE contact our VP of Education.

