

Kiwanis

Eastern Canada & the Caribbean District, Kiwanis International

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Recognition and Awards

It is proposed that the clubs in the EC&C District will adopt the Kiwanis International 'online' Monthly Report and abandon the quarterly reporting used in past years. The introduction of online reporting allows the reported club information to be rolled up to the Lieutenant Governor and Governor level without additional compiling by district office.

The online monthly report provides the ability for a club to customize the reporting to the specific projects and events pertaining to the club's activities while maintaining a fair and consistent scoring system for rating all clubs. Specific EC&C questions will be added to the KI basic questions.

Effective October 1, 2009 the Kiwanis International 'Distinguished Program' will be the baseline for the Recognition and Awards Program of EC&C District. The criteria will be similar to the following and will be scored based on the club's submissions reported monthly using the online system. The system will be available in English and in French. For those clubs not able to report 'online' they may complete the monthly report on paper and fax it to the District Office.

Distinguished Club

To qualify, a club must excel in service, leadership education, and growth.

Service

- The Kiwanis club fulfills its responsibilities to Service Leadership Program club(s) (K-Kids, Builders Club, Key Club, Circle K, Aktion Club, or Kiwanis Junior), which includes providing club leadership education to club officers - **10 points**
- The Kiwanis club builds and charters a new Service Leadership Program club (K-Kids, Builders Club, Key Club, Circle K, Aktion Club, or Kiwanis Junior) - **5 points maximum**
- The Kiwanis club participates in a Kiwanis-branded service project, such as Young Children: Priority One, Read Around the World, Bring Up Grades, Terrific Kids, Key Leader - **10 points**
- The Kiwanis club financially supports the Kiwanis International Foundation - **10 points**

Leadership Education

- The Kiwanis club president and secretary participate in the Club Leadership Education (CLE) training session (or equivalent) prior to assuming office - **20 points (10 points per officer)**
- The Kiwanis Club ensures that all new members receive the Kiwanis International new member orientation - **10 points**
- The Kiwanis club is represented at two of the following three educational opportunities: the district midyear conference (or equivalent of Kiwanis University, zone conference, regional conference), the Kiwanis International convention or the Kiwanis district convention - **10 points**

Growth

- The Kiwanis club has a net membership gain by the end of the administrative year.
 - 1 member - **10 points**
 - 2 members - **20 points**
 - 3 members - **30 points**
 - More than 5 members - **additional 10 points**
- The Kiwanis club sponsors (or co-sponsors) a new Kiwanis club - **20 points**
- The Kiwanis club has made an annual donation to the District HIV/AIDS Program in 2009-10 Kiwanis year - **10 points**

2009/10 BOARD OF TRUSTEES
Saturday, August 8, 2009– 1:00 to 2:30 p.m.
Beaudon Room, Delta Hotel, Trois Rivières, Quebec

A Kiwanis club that accumulates at least 80 points and has properly submitted its annual report will qualify as distinguished and receive appropriate recognition acknowledging the achievement at the 2011 District Convention. Quarterly Ribbons will be awarded to the club in each Division with the highest accumulated points at the end of each quarter.

Distinguished Division

To qualify, the clubs of the division must have achieved distinguished recognition as follows:

- If 50% of the clubs in the division achieve distinguished recognition, the lieutenant governor will be awarded the Governor's Citation as a Distinguished Division.
- If 35% of the clubs in the division achieve distinguished recognition, the lieutenant governor will be awarded the Outstanding Leadership Citation as a Distinguished Division.

The lieutenant governor of a distinguished division who also has received Distinguished Member recognition will receive a Distinguished Lieutenant Governor lapel pin.

Distinguished Member

To qualify, a club member must:

- Sponsor two (2) new members.
- Attend one of a midyear conference, International convention, or district convention. Equivalent meeting may be Kiwanis University, Zone or Regional Conference, or other district event.
- Participate in six (6) Kiwanis service efforts.
- Financially support the Kiwanis International Foundation or any other Kiwanis Foundation with a reciprocal agreement with the Kiwanis International Foundation such as the Kiwanis Foundation of Canada or Kiwanis Foundation of Jamaica.

The club president will verify those Kiwanians qualifying for Distinguished Member recognition. Distinguished Members will receive a lapel pin and recognition at the District Convention in 2011.

Training sessions will be available at the Trois Rivières Convention for Lieutenant governors and Secretaries.