



# Greenfield Toastmasters

## District 11 - Division C - Club 3326

### Meeting Minutes - January 14, 2014

<b>Theme:</b>	Newscasters
<b>Word of the Day:</b>	headline

#### Attendance:

<b>Members Present:</b>	Claxton, Creech, Horstman, Ivers, Labore
<b>Members Absent:</b>	Moore, Richards
<b>Guests Present:</b>	Amanda Miller
<b>Total Attendance:</b>	6

#### Roles:

<b>Toastmaster:</b>	Meg Claxton	<b>Table Topics Master:</b>	John Labore
<b>Wordmaster:</b>	Amanda Miller	<b>General Evaluator:</b>	Ron Creech
<b>Timer:</b>	Dan Ivers	<b>Closing Quote:</b>	Dan Ivers

#### Prepared Speeches:

Speaker	Manual Project	Speech Title	Evaluator
John Labore	Better Speaker series	"Going Beyond the Club"	Meg Claxton

#### Table Topics:

Speaker	Topic	Evaluator
Amanda Miller	Favorite news broadcaster growing up	Ron Creech
Meg Claxton	Compare Comedy Channel news to regular news	Josh Horstman
Josh Horstman	News of the future	Ron Creech
Ron Creech	Should journalists be embedded during active conflict	Josh Horstman
Dan Ivers	Traits of newscasters that we learn about in Toastmasters	Ron Creech

#### Club Business:

Officer training will be offered again on January 25, 2013, at Lilly Corporate Center in downtown Indianapolis. We have already had two officers trained (Horstman, Labore) during the winter training cycle and we need to have two more trained. Claxton plans to attend this training.

Labore plans to organize a Toastmasters Youth Leadership program during spring break (March 17-20) and needs volunteers to help. Former member Paul Pottle may rejoin the club and help John.

Our current membership stands at 7. Since we started the club year at 8, we need to reach 13 (net gain of 5) to be eligible for distinguished club status. That leaves us at a deficit of 6 members we need to achieve this goal.

Claxton proposed a spring open house to attract new members. Horstman and Claxton offered to co-chair the event. Tentatively scheduled for February 25. Claxton will draft notification for the Greenfield newspaper.