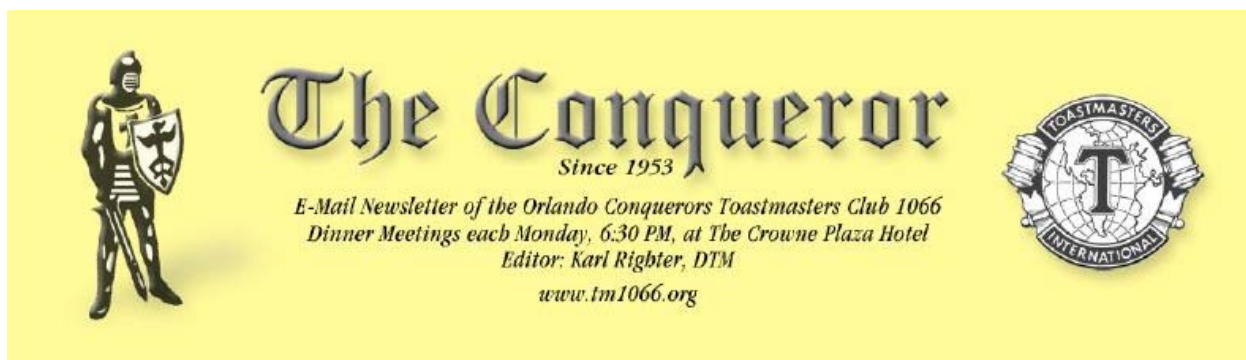


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Don't miss Monday's Awards & Installation Banquet!

Many of you have worked hard this term to make Conquerors a success, and your contributions and participation have not gone unnoticed. This Monday evening's *Semi-Annual Awards & Installation Banquet* will be your Board's opportunity to say thank you as we present the following trophies:

The Bull Trophy (for excellence in communication)
Demosthenes Award (most improved Toastmaster)
Fireball Trophy (most Fireball wins)
Fun & Pun Award (most F&P wins)
The Cameron Lusk Outstanding Toastmaster Award

(for distinguished service to the club)

The Ambassador Trophy (new - for distinguished service beyond the club)

We will also pay tribute to our outgoing officers and install our new team of leaders. Lt. Governor **Bruce Gould, DTM** will be the installing officer. Here is your new team for the Fall term:

President: Troy Sands
EVP: Karl Richter, DTM
VP/Member ship: Dana Kowen
VP/Public Relations: Brenda DeArmond, DTM
Webmaster/Monthly Editor: Jerome Kalisz, ATM-G
Secretary: Luda Kuzmich
Treasurer: Gino D'Arco
Sergeant-at-Arms: Chris Rinaldi

The always entertaining **Scott Hoehn, DTM**, the District's newly elected Lt. Governor of Education & Training, will serve as our emcee for this big event. And speaking of entertaining, newly elected Treasurer **Gino D'Arco** will add his sense of humor to a fun round of Table Topics. Monday's keynote speaker will be Honorary Life Member **Karl Richter, DTM**. Outgoing President **Mitesh Smart** will present the traditional *Orchids and Onions* address summarizing his term's achievements.

This is always a big event at the end of each term to which we invite spouses and guests. Don't miss it!



Meeting recap – June 22, 2009

Best Speaker: Scott Hoehn, DTM
Best Evaluator: Troy Sands
Best Table Topic: Nancy Humberson
Most Improved: Heather Griffith
Bullseye: Scott Hoehn, DTM
Fireball Award: Dana Kowen
Fun & Pun: Jerome Kalisz, ATM-G

Attendance: 17
Guests: 3
Meals ordered: 8
Last Word: 7



Calendar of Events

- June 26 - 27 – **Region VIII Conference** – Greensboro, North Carolina
- June 29 – **Semi-Annual Awards & Installation Banquet** – Crowne Plaza
- July 1 – **New Board of Directors takes office**
- July 18 – **Officer Training** (location to be announced)
- August 12 – 15 – **International Convention** in Mashantucket, Connecticut



"Notable Quotes" – June 22, 2009

"You've been hanging around Jordan Camenker too long!" - **Paula Hickman, CTM**, responding to Master Evaluator **Jerome Kalisz's** politically correct introduction of her as *Paula Hickperson*.

"I think we have one of the most seriously overqualified vote counters in the history of our club!" - **Jerome Kalisz, ATM-G**, referring to Honorary Life Member **Karl Righter, DTM**, this past Monday's Vote Counter.

"I just look at you and I want to laugh!" - President **Mitesh Smart**, awarding the weekly Fun & Pun Award to Jerome Kalisz.

"Running 100 miles is a great way to lose five pounds!" - **Heather Griffith**, from her second manual speech about training for an Ultra Marathon.



Top ten examples of why most celebrities need Toastmasters:

"Smoking kills. If you're killed, you've lost a very important part of your life,"
--Brooke Shields, during an interview to become Spokesperson for the Federal anti-smoking campaign.

"I've never had major knee surgery on any other part of my body,"
--Winston Bennett, University of Kentucky basketball forward.

"Outside of the killings, Washington has one of the lowest crime rates in the country," --Mayor Marion Barry, Washington, DC.

"That lowdown scoundrel deserves to be kicked to death by a jackass, and I'm just the one to do it," --A congressional candidate in Texas.

"Half this game is ninety percent mental." --Philadelphia Phillies manager, Danny Ozark

"It isn't pollution that's harming the environment. It's the impurities in our air and water that are doing it." --Al Gore, Vice President

"I love California. I practically grew up in Phoenix." --Dan Quayle, former VP

"I was provided with additional input that was radically different from the truth.

I assisted in furthering that version." --Colonel Oliver North, from his Iran-Contra testimony.

"The word *genius* isn't applicable to football. A genius is a someone like Norman Einstein." --Joe Theisman, NFL football quarterback & sports analyst.

"Traditionally, most of Australia's imports come from overseas." --Keppel Enderbery