



# DISTRICT 15 NEWS



May 2024

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## The 2024 District Conference

This year's District Conference will be held in Twin Falls, Idaho at the Hilton Garden Inn, 1741 Harrison St North, Twin Falls, UT 833301, May 17 & 18, 2024.

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### Speakers Spotlight

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for  
Speakers  
Bios



Sue Ann Kern, DTM  
Workshop Session 1



LTC James A. Johnson  
Workshop Session 3



Workshop Session 5



Stefano McGhee, DTM  
2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President,  
Toastmasters Int'l



David F. Carr, DTM  
Workshop Session 2



Marielle Pariseau, DMD, DTM  
Workshop Session 4



Richard Garber, PhD  
Workshop Session 6

### Workshop Sessions

Saturday Keynote:  
"Why Are We Here?"

Session 1  
"Speakers Lead, Leaders  
Speak"

Session 2  
"Powerup Your Club Website  
with Toastmost"

Session 3  
"Strategies for Inspiring and  
Empowering Leadership"

Session 4  
"Crafting Your Next Speech  
with AI..."

Session 5  
"Are You Captivating Your  
Audience or Holding Them  
Captive?"

Session 6  
"Creating or Finding Great  
Table Topics Questions"

Afternoon Featured Workshop:  
"Adaptive Leadership w/Q&A"

Awards Dinner Presentation  
"Unleashing Your Potential for  
Greatness"

### Shoshone Falls After Dark, Friday, May 17, 2024, 9:15 PM

Shoshone Falls is an astounding sight along the Snake River near Twin Falls. Come experience Shoshone Falls lit up with dazzling lights choreographed by Midnight Production Studios. The color changing patterns and designs will brilliantly light the falls and create a magical experience. Viewing the show will take place along the railing and overlook the platform. Viewers can leisurely enjoy the falls as the lights shift through colors and music mixed and pre-recorded by Idaho famous DJ Eric Rhodes.

### District Town Hall, Thursday, May 16, 2025, 6:00 PM

Hampton Inn & Suites, 3923 W Center Park Drive, West Jordan, UT

Got question about Toastmasters or District 15? Please join us for District Town Hall with special guest Stefano McGhee, 2nd Vice Toastmasters International on Thursday, May 16 at 6:00—8:00 PM. Members of local clubs are encouraged to attend in person at the Hampton Inn & Suites. Refreshments served. Submit questions for 2nd Vice President McGhee [here](#). Meeting ID: 857 6716 6524 — Passcode: 130433 [Click Here to Join Meeting](#)

### Corporate Summit, Thursday, May 16, 2025, 1:00 PM

District 15 is holding a hybrid Corporate Summit on May 16 with special guest Stefano McGhee, 2nd Vice President of Toastmasters International. Online and in-person attendance. The purpose of the summit is to introduce corporate HR managers/directors and executives to Toastmasters as an option for personal development training in communication, leadership, and public speaking for their employees and staff that is affordable and proven. Time: 1:00—3:00 PM online. Submit questions to the corporate summit speakers through the registration link. Please [register here](#) and share this registration link with your peers and colleagues. The event is free of charge with limited capacity, so register early to guarantee your spot.