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District 26 Toastmasters Launches NEW Website The first update in over ten years!!

(Denver, CO, USA, 13 July 2018)—District 26 Toastmasters (www.d26toastmasters.org) just released its brand new, updated Toastmasters website to better serve its leaders, members and the community!

Stefanie Blackburn, Founder and Lead Developer of Source One Technologies, <https://sourceonetech.com> and Trixie Hunter-Merrill, Public Relations Manager for District 26 Toastmasters, along with a Web Team comprising of Deb Fraunfelder, Former District Governor; Mark West, Area Director, Gregory Harris, Webmaster and Rhea Thompson, Immediate Past District Director, have worked diligently since February of 2018 until June 2018 to revamp the District 26 Toastmasters website.

"The former website did not adequately serve our District and Members needs and was confusing to guests when they visited our page," says Hunter-Merrill. *"With our new site, not only does it put everything in one place for our leaders and members, but also has a new look and feel that should delight guests as well!"*

Each year the District Director of that year might potentially have a project they want to focus on and a new website was one of Rhea Thompson's goals.

"Although the new website was completed in my term as District Director, this initiative was on the minds of several past District Directors as well. Sometimes we have to wait for perfect timing. 2017-2018 was the year of perfect timing. A new face emerged within our district, someone with the needed experience and the willingness to go the 'extra mile' to help with the design. Thank you to Trixie Hunter-Merrill for being that person!" - Rhea Thompson, Immediate Past District Director 2017-2018

While there are still many changes left to go and tweaks and edits to do, we hope this new website will be a mainplace and be a legacy for all persons involved.

We hope the new site to be a resource to the leaders to be better able to serve you in the community. When a guest visits the site, not only will they be able to see how the district functions, but they can explore membership by selecting [Find a Club](#) and enter their area to find a club near their work or home. If they select [WELCOME](#) they will meet our District TRIO and learn more about them. Click on [ABOUT US](#) and learn what areas the District covers, as well as some history our our district and how long we have been around. Not only do we have a public calendar, we have [SPEAKERS BUREAU](#) on our site for anyone outside Toastmasters looking for Professional Speakers.

About District 26

District 26 Toastmasters comprises more than 190 corporate and community clubs in Colorado, Wyoming and the panhandle of western Nebraska. To learn more about District 26 Toastmasters please visit: <http://www.d26toastmasters.org>

About Toastmasters International

Toastmasters International is a worldwide nonprofit educational organization that empowers individuals to become more effective communicators and leaders. Headquartered in Englewood, Colo., the organization's

membership exceeds 352,000 in more than 16,400 clubs in 141 countries. Since 1924, Toastmasters International has helped people from diverse backgrounds become more confident speakers, communicators and leaders. For information about local Toastmasters clubs, please visit www.toastmasters.org. Follow [@Toastmasters](https://twitter.com/Toastmasters) on Twitter.

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