



July 2014

The Leadership Development & Training Committee (LDTC) have completed its first committee meeting of 2014/15 and can update you on event dates and progress towards its committee goals.

Please note that if anyone is considering taking up a position that is called to any of the listed events they should bear the dates in mind.

Event dates:-

20th - 21st September 2014 - District Training Chairs Seminar, Alcester

All 2014/15 District Training Officers will be called. Please put these dates in the diary. A call notice is imminent.

6th - 7th December 2014 - RIBI Leadership and Regional Assemblies Planning Meeting

This is a training event for DGE, DGN and DGNN team facilitators, AG Facilitators and Regional Assembly facilitators. For those Rotarians who are interested in applying to be a Facilitator at the Regional Assemblies, see 'Invitation to apply to be a Facilitator at the Regional Assemblies' within this newsletter for further details.

20th - 22nd February 2015 - RIBI Leadership Assembly, Hilton Metropole, NEC, Birmingham

Call notices for the 2015 RIBI Leadership Assembly will be made to the following groups:- DGs 2015/16 and Partners; DGs 2016/17 and Partners; DGs 2017/18; 1st, 2nd and 3rd year AGs; and their respective group leaders/facilitators; the 2014/15 Leadership Development & Training Committee and SAA Team.

8th - 28th March 2015 - RIBI Regional Assemblies

Dates for the individual events are as follows:

- Bristol - 8th March 2015, Aztec Hotel and Spa
- London - 14th March 2015, King's College
- Manchester - 21st March 2015, Manchester Conference Centre
- Birmingham - 22nd March 2015, Colmore Gate
- Edinburgh - 28th March 2015, Edinburgh First, Edinburgh University

Call notices for the 2015 RIBI Regional Assemblies will be made to the following groups: 1st to 5th year Secretaries; 1st to 5th year Treasurers; Community Service; Vocational Service; International Service; Youth Service; Membership, Development & Retention; Rotary Foundation; Marketing, PR & Communications, Rotaract; Youth Exchange; Extension (New Club Formation); Discussion Group Facilitators, 2014/15 LDTC Chairman, and Training Programmes Restructuring Task Force leader Tony Quinn.



Dependent upon available space at each venue, there will be an open invitation for interested Rotarians to register and attend at no expense to the Association, for which a Registration Fee of £30 per delegate will apply.

Ongoing Work

E-Learning Pilot

Following the development of an RIBI E-Learning Strategy, LDTC are undertaking a Pilot over the next few months with RI. This will involve working with the RI E-Learning system accessed via the RI Learning Centre. Our current E-Learning is provided using Moodle. If the pilot is successful it will result in a new platform that will have improved access through "My Rotary".

If you have any queries about E-Learning please contact Wendy Aldred, RIBI E-Learning Lead, LDTC rotary@dagonsservices.co.uk

DGNN to DG Training Programme

The current programme has been in use for almost 4 years and 3 teams of DGs and their partners have completed it in total. RIBI strives to ensure the programmes provided are both fit for purpose and meet the needs of all those taking part. Consequently the LDTC has started a review of the programme and is seeking responses to a questionnaire from the District Governors, and their partners where appropriate, from Rotary years 2012/13, 2013/14 and 2014/15.

RIBI Chairman Training

PDG Tony Quinn is completing an E-Learning module on role and also preparation for District Assemblies. LDTC Chairman is circulating an E-Learning briefing paper written by Wendy Aldred for Service Chairs to support greater communication.

Invitation to apply to be a Facilitator at the Regional Assemblies

For those Rotarians who are interested in applying to be a Facilitator at the Regional Assemblies, [click here](#) to see the job description and advertisement.

Invitation to apply to be on an RIBI Committee

The RIBI Leadership Development & Training Committee (LDTC) has been asked to gather names for selection to committees by the Appointments Board. If you wish to be of service to Rotary in a new and exciting way and have an interest or expertise in any of the specialist areas that the committees cover, please submit an application. For those Rotarians who are interested in applying to be part of an RIBI Committee, [click here](#) for more details and the application form.

If you have any queries about items within this newsletter please contact myself as LDTC Chairman email: keithgrahambest@gmail.com