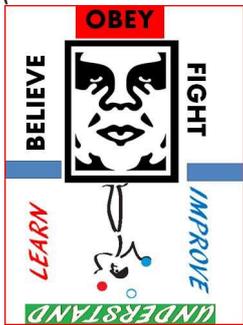


Speeches for Special Occasion # 5 - Receive an award, 5-7 min

(Projection)



(A4 sheet with the text "153.25 €" is displayed on the lectern)
(64 cards are distributed, for less than 50 participants)



I explain : "T.A." is for Toastmasters answer

Who is she ? (the displayed photo) "Christine Gautron" (response of the audience)

She created the division success this year.

She was at a demonstration meeting in Lille, and now the club is created,

She is rebuilding a club in Lyon, with 13 new members in 3 months

She has distinction as Club Coach, very rare in Europe, less than 10 people.

Only André Jevrey, Françoise Le Reste, Sébastien Carrière and Christine Gautron have this distinction.

She deserves your applauses and district recognition.

(applauses)

What is district organisation and recognition ?

I was rewarded by the district.

I travelled to Lisbon, Luxembourg or Leiden to be trained, to share best practices.

Training through Europe is paid by your club ; it is 18 \$ for each member

For all clubs in this room, it is around 5000 € for governors travels, learning and marketing

I received great improvements

Now we may share a workshop on Team working.

A team is : links, commitment, collective work, confidence, conflict resolution

Example of commitment is :

(reading)

La désignation du gouverneur de secteur (Comité de secteur de mars 2010)

Les attentes des clubs sur le prochain gouverneur de secteur sont :

- une personne expérimentée, qui a eu plusieurs rôles dans le club,

- une bonne connaissance de la méthode Toastmasters, et l'échange d'informations avec les autres clubs,

- une capacité à fédérer, en étant déjà reconnu,
 - une disponibilité, pour conseiller, **en respectant l'autonomie des clubs**,
 - le rappel du calendrier et des actions prévues,
 - la gestion des échanges avec le district (en anglais) et avec la division et les autres secteurs.
- (intervention from Odile P) « Ce n'est pas en anglais ! » (It is not in English !)*
(answer) « This are the exchanges management with the district. »
 to summarize the commitment : "Area governor helps clubs"

Example of collective work of Lutèce75 on May 2012 is
(reading)

Rapport moral et financier de Lutèce75, adopté par ses membres le 23 mai 2012.

La conférence de secteur A1 de printemps 2012 a été organisée par Lutèce 75. Bien que les opérations financières liées à cette conférence aient été adossées sur la trésorerie de Lutèce 75, la comptabilité de cette conférence de secteur **est indépendante** de celle du club, et ne figure donc pas dans le rapport financier.

La conférence de secteur, adossée sur la trésorerie de Lutèce 75, se solde par un déficit de 150 € environ.

(intervention from Odile P) « Ce n'est pas en anglais ! » (It is not in English !)

(answer) « We have one more contestant. »

to summarize the collective work : "the district money for the conference is not the club money"

It is easy to understand.

The reimbursement (153.25 €) was denied by the area governor (Jean N). He wrote "the club must pay".
 "The club must pay" it is "to share best practices", it is "to help clubs" ?

Jean, I do not Believe you, I do not Obey you, I do not Fight for you

(silence)

I heard a silence. It is a conflict ?

No, we are learning on the decision-making process.

We vote on this process with these **cards** :

- **“Believe/Obey/Fight” (rise the red side up),**

- **or “Learn/Understand/Improve” (rise the green side up).**

(intervention from Odile P) «Ce n'est pas un discours de concours, ne votez pas !» (This is not a speech contest, do not vote !)

Do you prefer OBEY or UNDERSTAND ?

Rise your cards !

(About a third of the public voted)

Your confidence is my reward.

Title : "T.A " (Toastmaster Answer)

Evaluation : Stéphane Date : 13/4/2013

The speaker is rewarded with dignity, grace and sincerity.

He highlights those who helped and highlights the organization that gave him its price (the price is the audience vote).

How did the speaker express his gratitude to the organization that awarded him the prize?

He acknowledged that the distinction offered by the District expressed gratitude for his training efforts.

How did the speaker highlight the organization that awarded him the prize?

He highlighted the benefits he had gained from his mission: training, best practice ...

What was the sincerity of the speaker when he thanked and expressed his gratitude?

The message seems to me disturbed by the irony of another message that Marc wanted to convey.

Did the speaker seem to receive his award with grace and natural?

The English language has been some barrier to speak with grace and naturalness.

What could make the speaker to be more effective?

Deepen the circumstances of the award reception.

What has he particularly succeeded ?

His speech was one of those who had the most attention of the audience, among those spoken in the contest day.