

Quota International Ontario District 18

Quotation: "There's nothing sadder in this world than to awake Christmas morning and not be a child."

-- Erma Bombeck



REMINDERS/ NEW DEADLINES:

QI Volunteer of the year due 15 January
Q.I. birthday – 9 Feb
March -Quota Cares month
District conference 2011 is 13-15 May at Highland Inn & Conference Centre, Midland

HAPPY HOLIDAYS TO ALL

In this special edition, my wishes to you are for good health and happiness. A big thank you to Governor Mary and Secretary-treasurer Kim for a rewarding year. We are a great team. As you know, my main focus in Q-Tips is Retention and Recruitment or Development and Growth. I want you to share this newsletter with all your members. It is available on the Canada Area website under District Communication. Click the specific dates.

Congratulations to all the clubs who took time to renew Quota's work in different ways. I learned a lot through observing during the Governor's visits. Some of your club's Best Practices will be implemented as part of Quota Training Seminar 11. Members were acknowledged and recognized; members "hot points" were discovered during the reviewing process for the new Quota International by-law changes; new members and former members were installed and re-instated. Congratulations to all of you. Your work to promote Quota is appreciated.

POINTS TO PONDER -ARE YOU PART OF THE TEAM THAT IS DELIVERING POSSIBILITIES?

Did you follow up on the Development & Growth plan outlined subsequent to convention? **Report due no later than 15 December.**

Have you started work on the Development & Growth challenge which was presented to your club in the October Q-Tips?

Did you discover which members are interested in the leadership challenge?

Did you complete or are you planning a Listening Tour prior to its deadline June 2011?

As President Gwen stated in her recent message, "During the holiday season we are reminded that the blessings we are so fortunate to enjoy are, for others, merely wishes and dreams. It is an awareness of our riches that allows us to see someone else's need. May your holiday season be filled with all you hold dear, and may you always be willing to share and care and *Deliver Possibilities.*

Yours in Quota,

Ann M. Keating-Morrison
Lt-Gov, December 2010