

## NOMINATIONS ARE NOW OPEN

District 73 is now seeking nominations for the 2020/2021 District Leadership Roles. These roles are:

- District Director
- Program Quality Director
- Club Growth Director
- Public Relations Manager
- Administration Manager
- Finance Manager
- Bass Division Director
- Central Division Director
- Eastern Division Director
- Inner City Division Director
- Metro Division Director
- Northern Division Director
- Ranges Division Director
- Southern Division Director

To review more about these leadership positions please refer to the following link

### [District Leadership Handbook](#)

[District Leadership Nominating Form](#)

[Candidate Application](#)

[District Leader Agreement & Release Statement](#)

[District Leader Competencies](#)

The Nominating period will close on Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> January 2020.

You can nominate yourself, and if you know that someone else is applying for a role, please do not let this stop you from submitting your nomination. Toastmasters Rules state that the District Leadership Committee should have a *minimum of 2 candidates* for Club Growth Director, Public Relations Manager and each Division Director position, with a minimum of 1 candidate for both District Director and Program Quality Director.

### **Candidate timeline**

- Monday 2nd December 2019 – District 73 Nominations open

- Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> January 2020 – District 73 Nominations close
- 5<sup>th</sup> February 2020 – Candidate Interviews commence (*note that candidates will be given a minimum of approximately 4-7 days notice – so candidates are requested to be prepared*)
- 28<sup>th</sup> February 2020 – Candidate Interviews finish.
- 20<sup>th</sup> March 2020 – Candidates will have been advised by this date (At the latest) if they were successful and will be requested to supply a photo along with a short bio for the final DLC report and website.
- Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> April 2020 – All Candidates are invited to be at the Candidate Showcase to be held at the District Executive meeting (further information will follow)
- Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> May 2020 – All Candidates are encouraged to attend the District Council meeting. Candidates for contested positions will be asked to give a short 2-minute speech.

In order for your nomination to be accepted you are required to submit the "**District Leader Nomination Form**", "**Candidate Application form**" along with the "**District Leader Agreement Release form**" the nominations closing date of Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> January 2020..

All Candidate nominations/submissions are to be emailed to the District Leadership Committee Chair [dlcchair@d73.toastmasters.org.au](mailto:dlcchair@d73.toastmasters.org.au) with a subject line of "**Candidate Nomination**".

**Finally, and most importantly, all Candidates (including floor candidates) must have been interviewed by the District Leadership Committee within this Toastmasters calendar year (2019/2020). This is part of the new updated rules from Toastmasters International. Feel free to contact me should you need further information.**

With Warm regards  
Liz Allwood  
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District Leadership Chair