

Membership

Incentives remain for District Commanders

National Commander Clarence Hill has continued a program that honors District Commanders and District Vice-Commanders who make regular visits to their posts. Personal contact at this level sets an example for post membership workers to make the personal contacts necessary for a successful membership program.

In order to qualify for the award, District Commanders and/or Vice Commanders must visit each post in their district during the year. For Districts with more than 30 posts, District Vice-Commanders can assist in making post visits, but the District Commander must visit at least 30.

A list of posts in a district can be obtained with the assistance of Department Headquarters. The list is mailed in spreadsheet format to each District Commander.

At the completion of the 100-percent visit requirement, District Commanders will send the completed spreadsheet to the Department, and it will be forwarded to National Headquarters by August 1st.

District Commanders who achieve the 100-percent visit requirement receive a certificate recognizing their achievements. Additionally, qualifying districts will be split into five categories and given special prizes, based on drawings. Categories will separate districts by number of posts.

The District Commander drawn from each category will receive a gift certificate from National Emblem Sales. The certificate amount will reflect the increased difficulty for larger districts.

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| Category 1 | Up to 20 posts | \$100 |
| Category 2 | 21-35 posts | \$200 |
| Category 3 | 36-50 posts | \$300 |
| Category 4 | 51-65 posts | \$400 |
| Category 5 | over 65 posts | \$500 |

Additionally, Department Commanders whose departments have all districts achieving the 100-percent requirement will receive special recognition at the 92nd National Convention.

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