

OCTOBER 2025 PATHWAYS UPDATES ARE NOW IN PLACE

On October 22 a significant set of Pathways updates was released and became available in Base Camp. There are still a few details to be explored as we learn more about these but for now here is a very brief overview of the key points:

Meeting Roles: Before completing a level there are specific meeting roles that must be performed, and these differ by level. It's likely that these are already being done in most clubs, but this may offer another opportunity to recognize members for their participation.

Educational Presentations: In Levels 3-5, there are a total of five additional speeches required - one more at L3 and two more at L4 & L5 (with different choices at each level). These supplemental presentations are a new addition to Pathways, but similar to a requirement in the traditional TM education program before Pathways.

The good news is that you do not have to write these additional speeches. They are chosen from a series of educational presentations provided by TI. Each has speaker notes and a PowerPoint presentation that can be easily downloaded. Most are 10-15 minutes in length, but you can customize them as needed to meet the needs of your club.

A checklist for the new requirements now appears in Base Camp as the first item in each Level of the six available Paths. Note that these new requirements do not apply to Legacy Paths or Levels already completed in the six current Paths.

Here is a link to a preliminary document that was sent to club officers in September. It provides some additional details about the roles and educational presentations:

<https://content.toastmasters.org/image/upload/club-officer-guide-to-2025-pathways-enhancements.pdf>

Here is an FAQ by TI that will continue to be updated:

https://www.toastmasters.org/education/education-programs-faq?utm_campaign=

We will publish periodic updates as we gain experience with these changes.

On the next page are three reference slides on this subject from the current Pathways Training Presentation. (It has links to many other references, including the tracking spreadsheet.)

Significant Pathways Updates Are Now In Place (as of 10/22/25)

- **Meeting Roles:** Specific roles to be performed before completing each level
 - **Educational Presentations:** Five supplemental speeches at Levels 3-5 ---
 - One at L3 and two at L4 & L5 (different choices at each level)
 - Chosen from standard TI presentations (speaker notes and PowerPoint are provided)
 - Similar to requirements in traditional TM education program before Pathways
 - Checklist of all new requirements appears as first item in each Base Camp Level
- [LINK](#) to a preliminary TI document with more details on these changes
- [FAQ](#) – This link has more info and will be updated by TI

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Note: These new requirements do not apply to Legacy Paths or Levels already completed in the six current/continuing Paths.

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Required Meeting Roles for each Level -- Tracking

Member:
Path:
Club:

Record meeting **date**
the role was filled
and what **Path**.
(and **Club** if needed)

**Reference & Tracking
Resource**

[Link: Tracking Spreadsheet](#) →

[This may help clubs track the new requirements]

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LEVEL 1 (3 roles)		Date:	LEVEL 4 (4 roles)		Date:
1	Table Topics Speaker (before Icebreaker)		1	Toastmaster	
2	Evaluator		2	General Evaluator	
3	One More Role (from below)		3	Evaluator	
>	> Timer OR Ah-Counter		4	One More Role (from below)	
			>	> Table Topics Speaker, Table Topics Master, a Special Role ***, or repeat a role above	
LEVEL 2 (4 roles)		Date:	LEVEL 5 (7 roles)		Date:
1	Grammarian		1	General Evaluator	
2	Table Topics Master		2	General Evaluator	
3	Evaluator		3	Toastmaster	
4	One More Role (from below)		4	Toastmaster	
>	> Toastmaster OR Timer OR Ah-Counter		5	Evaluator	
LEVEL 3 (3 roles)		Date:	6	Evaluator	
1	Toastmaster		7	One More Role (from below)	
2	Evaluator		>	> Table Topics Speaker OR Topics Master OR Ah-Counter OR Timer OR Grammarian OR Club Mentor OR Special Role OR repeat a role above	
3	One More Role (from below)				
>	> Table Topics Master OR Table Topics Speaker OR Introductory Mentor **				

Level 3-5 Educational Presentations -- Options / Tracking

Check selected options

Record Presentation
Date and **Club** for the
five new supplemental
speeches

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LEVEL 3 (1 speech)		LEVEL 4 (2 speeches)		LEVEL 5 (2 speeches)	
1	Successful Club Series One of the following: Creating the Best Club Climate Meeting Roles & Responsibilities Keeping the Commitment Going Beyond Our Club	1	Successful Club Series One of the following: Finding New Members Closing the Sale How to be a Distinguished Club Toastmasters Educational Program	1	Successful Club Series One of the following: Moments of Truth Evaluate to Motivate Mentoring
		2	Better Speaker Series One of the following: Beginning your speech Concluding Your Speech Controlling Your Fear Impromptu Speaking Selecting Your Topic Know Your Audience Organizing Your Speech Creating an Introduction Preparation and Practice Using Body Language	2	Leadership Excellence Series One of the following: Service and Leadership The Leader as a Coach Developing a Mission Motivating People Building a Team Delegate to Empower Resolving Conflict Visionary Leader Values and Leadership Goal Setting and Planning Giving Effective Feedback
	Member: Path: Club(s):				
DATE/CLUB for L3 Presentation		DATE/CLUB for L4 Presentations		DATE/CLUB for L5 Presentations	
1		1		1	
		2		2	