



DISTINGUISHED CLUB PROGRAM 2021-2022

16 points required

Mandatory Criteria:

- **The Club President, Secretary and all appointed Club Service Leadership Program Advisors complete all Praesidium Abuse Prevention Training modules** (See <https://www.kiwanis.org/clubs/member-resources/training/risk-management/youth-protection/yp-training-resources>). **Completion must be reported in the Secretary Dashboard.**
- **The Kiwanis Youth Protection Guidelines have been distributed to all members.**
- **A club must be at charter strength (at least 15 members) and be in good standing (i.e., dues paid) to be considered for distinguished status.**

Selectable Criteria:

1. Completion of all **12 Monthly Reports** for service year by October 31, 2022 3 points
2. Use of **ACE (Achieving Club Excellence)** tools to assess club and implement appropriate changes 1 point
3. **Net Club Membership Increase** (e.g., +1 member)
 - +1 member gain 3 points
 - 10 % gain 5 points
4. Completion of a **Signature Project** by the club 2 points
5. Completion by the club president-elect and officers-elect in **Club Officer Education** 1 point
6. Sponsorship/support of **Service Leadership Programs “SLP”** or an SLP supported foundation 2 points
7. **Financial Support** of any of these foundations: Kiwanis Children’s Fund, New York District Kiwanis Foundation, Kiwanis Pediatric Trauma Centers, Pediatric Lyme Disease Foundation, WASH (Circle K), and Thirst (Key Club) 2 points
8. Club attendance at conventions and conferences (3 points maximum):
 - Mid-year conference 1 point
 - District Convention 1 point
 - International Convention 2 points
9. Support of **New York District Governor’s Project** 2 points
10. Play a significant role in **Opening a New Club** 3 points
11. Have at least **One Distinguished Member** 1 point
12. Demonstration of a **Partnership** with another community-based organization (Non-profit, business, or charitable) 2 points

After completion of this form, please have your secretary sign and date it below.

Verification by
Club Secretary:

Date:

**Complete this form, no later than October 31, 2022, save it, and then email it to: knkamper@gmail.com
or send completed form via mail to: PLG Kevin Kamper, 757 Fillmore Road, East Meadow, NY 11554.**

Certificate & pin will be mailed to Division Lt. Governor for presentation.



The NY District Distinguished Kiwanian Program was originated with PG Jack Harten in 1984-85. The main purpose was to recognize the individual Kiwanian for bringing in a new member and to perform some service projects related to our service leadership programs, club, division & district. We have had variations over the years of the criteria, but the focus has been to recognize the individual Kiwanian at the Division & District level & advance our service leadership & service projects through dynamic participation.