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## **Lake DeFuniak Toastmasters to hold Open House**

The Lake DeFuniak Toastmasters Club will hold an Open House on the club's regular meeting day, Thursday, April 25, 2013, from 11:30 a.m. until 1 p.m. Networking will begin at 11:30, and the club meeting will begin at noon. Light refreshments will be served.

The public is invited to come meet the local Toastmasters and learn how to improve public speaking skills in a fun, supportive learning environment.

For most people, public speaking isn't a favorite thing to do. Yet surveys show that presentation skills are crucial to success in the work place. The person with strong communication skills has a clear advantage over tongue-tied colleagues – especially in this highly competitive job market.

Learning these skills doesn't have to cost thousands of dollars when there's a less expensive option available. There are no instructors in the club. Instead, members evaluate one another's oral presentations and leadership skills in a helpful manner.

The Lake DeFuniak Toastmasters club is part of Toastmasters International, a group that has been around for more than 80 years and offers a proven (and enjoyable) way to hone the communication and leadership skills of its members.

If you're interested in learning more about the Lake DeFuniak Toastmasters, just stop by the Open House on April 25 at 11:30. Listen to the speeches and join in the fun. You may decide to become a Toastmaster.

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