

## **Leadership Development**

### **“LDS on the Road Summer 2018”**

I'm pleased to announce that at the **2017 Pi State Convention** the *Pi State Strategic Plan* was approved. One of the initiatives of this plan was to look at the way Leadership Development is presented to the incoming and returning Chapter Presidents.

A new format is being instituted next summer to allow more Chapter leaders to participate in Leadership Development. Instead of the incoming and returning Chapter President travelling to Syracuse, the Officers and Leadership Development Committee will be travelling to different parts of the State.

The State is being divided into triads: western, central and eastern. This will allow anyone not being able to attend one Seminar to travel to another section and attend Leadership Development there. Hopefully, if there is a conflict with one date/time, the new or returning Chapter President could attend and still receive their training in another area. In some cases, even though your Chapter is in a certain triad, you may live closer to another triad and if you wish, you would register for the triad closer to your home. There will be no overnight stays. A member should be able to travel and arrive in the morning and return to their home by day's end. Because State expenses will be cut, the hope is that not just the Chapter President will attend but other Officers or persons interested in leadership positions will also attend. Lunch will be provided during each Seminar.

**The following is a brief synopsis of the plan that the Executive Committee created at this time.**

- 1. Triad 1: Northwest, Southwest, West Central, East Central**  
**Meeting most likely in West Central Area**
- 2. Triad 2: South Central, North Central, Northern**  
**Meeting most likely in North Central Area**
- 3. Triad 3: Capital, Eastern, Southeastern**  
**Meeting most likely in Eastern Area**

**These are the tentative dates which will be firmed up as I make meeting space arrangements:**

- 1. Triad 1: Thursday, June 28, 2018**
- 2. Triad 2: Saturday, June 30, 2018**
- 3. Triad 3: Monday, July 2, 2018**

Since this is a new initiative, Chapter Presidents will be informed. Please be sure to read each issue of *Pi Lights* with updates as the plans are finalized.

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