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**TO:** Commodore Richard Thomas, DCO  
District Board and Staff  
**SUB:** District Captain-Support Report

**Activities for March:**

Along with many members, I attended the 2015 DTRAIN where our hosts, Division 4, supported an great training and fellowship event. The district meeting held prior to the training sessions was productive and informative. The hard work by Phil Sanchez, our district conference organizer, Bill Tsai DCDR Div 4, Division 4 members, and all district members that planned, supported, and provided training at the event really showed and is appreciated.

I was invited to a meeting of Division 1 at YBI by Diana Sircha, Div 1 DCDR. The galley staff served up a wonderful corned beef dinner for attendees, setting the mood for a productive, informative meeting.

I have previously neglected to mention attending Division 10 webinar meeting in February where I was welcomed by Carrie Vandebloom, Div 10 DCDR and her staff.

**Focus on staff:**

Two staff areas were especially visible this past month at DTRAIN, Materials (MA) and Member Training (MT).

The district MA staff displayed their dedication and professionalism when operating the district store at DTRAIN and the PCA training fair. These members, led by George Rogers, DSO-MA, provided a great service to their fellow members and showed Auxiliary can-do spirit.

Our District MT staff and presenters, led by Mary Kirkwood, DSO-MT, outdid themselves by organizing and providing valuable and relevant training at DTRAIN. Please take the time to thank them for their efforts. Keep in mind that all members' input on what training is needed is always welcomed.

Respectfully Submitted,

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