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Sentimental Value

“A Journey Through Time“

Lincoln, CA, September 15, 2014 – How well do you remember your first automobile? Did you save money to purchase it yourself or was it a car your parents chose for you? In her speech titled “*Sentimental Value*”, Patricia Avalos of Voices of Lincoln Toastmasters, masterfully took her audience on a trip back to a time when her parents chose that oh-so-important first car for her as a teenager. Was it a sleek sportster? No! It was her worst nightmare, a non-cool “mommy-mobile”. Patricia’s lively and fun recounting of her first car is a tale shared by many and earned her first runner up honors in the Toastmasters Area 63 Humorous Speech contest on September 5 at the Twelve Bridges Library, Lincoln, CA.

Patricia is the 2014-2015 President of Voices of Lincoln Toastmasters (VOLT) and believes that public speaking is an essential skill. A Toastmaster for three years now, Patricia maintains that the Toastmasters program not only has strengthened her presentation skills, but has given her the courage to realize her goals.

Whether you would like to improve your interview skills, business presentation skills, management skills or everyday communication skills, Toastmasters is the program for you.

Voices of Lincoln Toastmasters meets 6:30pm-7:45pm the second and fourth Thursday of each month at the Twelve Bridges Library, 485 Twelve Bridges Dr., Lincoln, CA. All guests are welcome. Must be 18 or older to join. For more information visit our website at <http://voicesoflincoln.toastmastersclubs.org/>.

About Toastmasters International

Toastmasters International is a nonprofit educational organization that teaches public speaking and leadership skills through a worldwide network of meeting locations. Headquartered in Rancho Santa Margarita, California, the organization’s membership exceeds 292,000 in more than 14,350 clubs in 122 countries. Since 1924, Toastmasters International has helped people of all backgrounds become more confident in front of an audience. For information about local Toastmasters clubs, please visit www.toastmasters.org. Follow [@Toastmasters](https://twitter.com/Toastmasters) on Twitter.

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