

Forrest Travirca

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Using percentages is the only fair way to run a competition between elements of different size. Normally, all Districts will "reenlist" more than 90 percent of their current members, and then finish the year by going out to find the late renewers and as many new members as they can find.

Since the larger of the two districts have three times the membership, they also have three times the manpower available and therefore the ability to conduct membership drives and renewal drives.

Despite the difference in total size, both Districts contain Posts with about the same amount of members (from 15 to 200 members in each Post, say). It is the Posts that reach 100 percent every year, and the total figures for the District rises along with the accomplishments of the Posts.

The same could be said for the different Departments and for the National organization. Our percentages never reach 100 percent until late in the membership year when all the Posts, Districts, and Departments begin to exceed 100 percent.

Thanks for the question!

Sincerely,

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