

HARLEYSVILLE LETIP CHAPTER

LeTip is an organization of business professionals dedicated to the ideals of bettering their respective careers through the interchange of business tips. Each business category is represented by one member and conflicts of interest are disallowed.

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

1. Prospective members must attend 2 consecutive meetings and submit an application to the Membership Chair. A business mixer is considered a meeting.
2. Prospective members will meet with the chapter Inspector prior to the 3rd meeting.
3. Prospective members will not attend the 3rd meeting in which they will be voted upon.
4. **SPEAK OFF** – If 2 people apply within a 2 week interval, a speak-off will occur the 3rd week. A 5 minute presentation by each person will be required at that meeting. Ballots will be passed and the person receiving the majority vote becomes the member. Inspections and membership checks must be completed prior to the speak-off.
5. An alternate may represent a member up to 6 times per year and for no more than 2 consecutive meetings. The alternate must be approved by the Board of Directors. The alternate must be in the same category. They do not have voting power and cannot hold an office or committee position.
6. Individual memberships are non-transferable
7. A company membership may include multiple chapters as long as the company has 5 full time employees. Each chapter must be represented by a different person.
8. No member is eligible to be a member of a similar club, chapter, or barter group.

FEES

1. \$325 Initial LeTip International Registration Fee
2. \$ 40 Initial Chapter Fee
3. \$215 Annual LeTip International Renewal Fee
4. \$ 30 Network Training Seminar (To be paid by the chapter)
5. \$140 Chapter quarterly Dues (subject to change January 1, 2008) The quarterly dues will be pro-rated based upon the date of initial membership.
6. Fines – vary by meeting requirements

MEMBERSHIP COMMITMENT

1. Attendance- A member will be terminated if they or their alternate miss **2** consecutive unexcused meetings or **4** meetings in a calendar quarter. Arriving late or leaving early will count as an excused absence.
2. Excused – Sick, vacation, unusual circumstances – Must call the Vice President to report an absence
3. Unexcused- Business related, or non communication with the Vice President
4. Network Training Seminar – Must be attended within the **first 60 days**
5. Sponsor- Must sponsor a new member within the **first year**
6. Tips- Provide a minimum of 4 tips per month (excluding inter-chapter tips)