

We realize that new members will want to know the SDN meeting guidelines, so now that we've welcomed you as our newest member, we'll take a moment to provide this quick-list overview of the most important rules and responsibilities of membership, which also serves as a reminder to our current SDN members.

1. Sixty Second Commercials:

As a courtesy to our meeting schedule and other members, we ask that you adhere to a maximum of 60 seconds while giving your "sixty second commercial". We understand it's easy to lose track when you are speaking, so we'll help you remember if you need reminding!

2. Testimonials For Others:

Giving other members a testimonial is a wonderful part of our process after we've used, or recommended their services, or products, and have a good review to share about the experience. Testimonials for members are to be given during the time we're passing our referrals, (rather than at the 60 second commercials).

3. Inviting Visitors to SDN:

You are certainly encouraged to invite visitors to attend our SDN meetings, but first please be sure you check with one of the SDN officers to be certain that who you want to invite will not be a conflicting business, product, or service for any of our current members.

4. Attendance:

Your category is exclusive to you and we are glad you are here! Having you as a member benefits both you, and other SDN members. Because we want to help each other; regular meeting attendance is an important requirement of our group.

5. Repeated Absences:

SDN members are allowed up to 4 absences per quarter (exceptions are made in the event of illness, or other such situations). If you are absent more than 4 times per quarter, you could receive a formal warning notice, and your category may then default to being vacant and open to new applications.

6. Children at Meetings:

Bringing Children to meetings once or twice a year is certainly allowed if you are in a bind, but because of our space constraints and the fact that SDN is a business meeting, we hope that you will understand that bringing them any more often than that could create an uncomfortable situation. We look forward to enjoying the kids at our summer social and other non-meeting events!

If you have any questions now or in the future, please feel free to ask!  
Again, we are happy to have you as a new member of SDN!