

Big Bucks Program

Earn Big Bucks throughout the year for your participation in ASTD. Use those Big Bucks to bid in a silent auction at the end of the year celebration in December 2008. Some excellent auction items have been offered in the past (i.e. hour long massages, software, housecleaning services, art, consulting sessions, etc.).

Big Bucks Program Rules

1. Though ASTD will make every effort to approach you, it is ultimately your responsibility to claim your own Big Bucks. You must claim your Big Bucks from the VP of Marketing or any other Big Bucks representative on the day that you earn them. Sign the Big Bucks log book and indicate how many bucks you earned and for what activity you earned them. This allows ASTD to provide updates on who is in the lead for the year. **Email learnstrat@bellsouth.net if you forget or do not have time to approach VP of Marketing. You must do so within a week of earning Big Bucks.**
2. You may not give your Big Bucks to any other member in the organization.
3. All members of the organization are eligible (board members included).

Big Bucks Program Pay Outs

Activity/Reason	Pay Out Amount
Serving on the Board for One Year	Up to 100 Big Bucks awarded in November based on average of other board member's anonymous ratings.
Attendance equaling 90 – 100% for all monthly meetings (Jan – Nov of current year)	100 Big Bucks (Board members exempt from this award; Payout awarded in November)
Serving as the monthly speaker	100 Big Bucks
Writing an article that is accepted into the monthly newsletter	75 Big Bucks
Sponsoring a New Member (Awarded upon receipt of new member's application and dues payment)	50 Big Bucks
Attending an ASTD function other than a monthly meeting	50 Big Bucks
Bringing a guest (Guest must fill out guest registration information)	30 Big Bucks
Donating an auction item for end of the year celebration. Please inform ASTD of the item at least 2 weeks prior to the event.	Earn 1 Big Buck per dollar value (i.e. Software costing \$85.00 earns a member 85 Big Bucks)
Referring a speaker to the VP of Programs that is accepted and confirmed for a future ASTD meeting/engagement. Must submit Call for Presenter form.	30 Big Bucks (Pay out awarded when speaker accepts and confirms date of speaking engagement – even if it is for the following year)
Registering <u>only</u> via C-Vent	20 Big Bucks
Registering <u>and</u> Prepaying via C-Vent	40 Big Bucks
Agreeing to volunteer for variety of activities as named by the board throughout the year. These may include speaking at an ASTD function, Directing a Workshop, attending an audit, making phone calls, etc.	10 – 100 Big Bucks (Pay out amount will be announced at the same time the volunteer opportunity is announced.)
Serving as a greeter	30 Big Bucks
Donating a door prize. This does not have to be the speaker.	Earn 1 Big Buck per dollar value (i.e. A book costing \$19.99 earns a member 20 Big Bucks)
General Participation during the meeting. (Each speaker will be given the option to accept 50 Big Bucks in five dollar increments. They may award them in increments of 5 and 10 during presentation. Speaker should return all unused Big Bucks.)	5 - 10 Big Bucks per opportunity
Serving as a Sponsor or booking a sponsor for current year. Work through VP of Marketing to accomplish. If sponsor is a member of ASTD 100 Big Bucks is earned in total.	100 Big Bucks (Pay out awarded on day of meeting sponsorship occurs)