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Dear Division 26D,

HAPPY NEW YEAR!!!

As another year comes to an end and we welcome in 2018, I wish it will bring you good health, happiness, and success in your endeavours.

I look forward to Division 26D continuing serving their homes, schools, and community.

Trilled for all the accomplishments all Key Clubs on Island achieved the past year and being able to all obtain the Early Bird Patch! for submitting your dues by November the 1st.

I am extremely proud of all the service projects each club as done and all the accomplishments you have achieved so far... But there's more to be done before DCON is here!!!

Division 26D New Year's Resolution:

1. Have all Pride Reports turned in on time.
2. More interclub projects
3. Early start in filling out award sheets for DCON
4. All Key Clubs to write goals that they would like to achieve before DCON.
5. Most important of all have fun and remember to keep "Caring Our Way of Life"

Below there are important events and deadlines that you will have to pay close attention to.

Thank you.

Happy Reading!!!

Fun Facts

1. A shrimp's heart is in its head.
2. A crocodile can't stick its tongue out.
3. Ostriches are often not taken seriously. They can run faster than horses, and the males can roar like lions.
4. Ketchup was sold in the 1830s as medicine.
5. Camels have three eyelids to protect themselves from blowing sand.

Pride Report

Important Info

"Please notify your clubs that the February Pride Report, like last year, will be due March 5th instead of the 10th. This goes for any other reports that clubs might want to update." - District secretary Joshua

Upcoming Events

**JOHN GRAY HIGH
SCHOOL**



**CONGRATULATIONS
ON WINNING
THE KEY CLUB
PIZZA PARTY!!!**

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Hey, you

YES, YOU!

*I've got something
important to tell you.*

If you are interested in the position of
Lieutenant
Governor, please contact me for more
information!

Also check out this link:
<http://floridakeyclub.org/running-for-higher-office/>

Please let me know if you plan to run by
February 1, 2018



Running for higher office

- Make sure to elect your officers during the month of February so they are starting to learn their positions by Spring Zone Rally.

For more information ,
visit <http://floridakeyclub.org/running-for-higher-office/>





Celebrating 80 Years of Key Service!!

This theme will set a tone of reflection and reminiscing about our district's past while striving to inspire us for the next 80 years. Together we will look back at what really makes us the Mighty Mighty Florida District. This will be our 80th District Conference and as far as I am concerned the most successful and iconic yet.

Celebrate with us and two thousand two hundred dedicated student leaders from Thursday, April 5 to Sunday, April 8, 2018.

Where will it be held you ask? It will be held at the Rosen Shingle Creek Resort in Orlando, Florida.

RSVP to our festivity by registering before February 21st! Registration opens up on December 1, 2017 at floridakeyclub.org/dcon. The DCON Committee will be updating and uploading a multitude of resources to help you through the registration process. This RSVP includes 3 nights of celebration, breakfast, lunch and dinner, along with a party favor which includes a t-shirt and a drawstring bag.

**Let's *Celebrate* all your hard work
at DCON 2018 with
Awards and Contests!**

- Visit: **floridakeyclub.org/awards-and-contests**
- Select the Awards you wish to apply for
- Fill out the application
- Submit it to: **awards@floridakeyclub.org**

 For more information please contact the
Awards and Contests Committee
awards@floridakeyclub.org

Awards and Contests are ready to celebrate alongside you at this year's DCON. We encourage you all to begin applying to our different types of applications that are awaiting to be filled out by you!

How many awards are there? When are applications due? Our committee has prepared a flyer in which you have these questions answered. This flyer also includes all the Awards/Contests in which are available for you to apply for and how to apply for these awards.

Just a reminder, when submitting your applications, you can only send one per email.

Ex: If you submit 5 applications, you must send in 5 different emails.

To view the flyer, [click here!](#)

For more information please visit, www.floridakeyclub.org/awards-and-contests.

If you have any questions or concerns about your applications, please

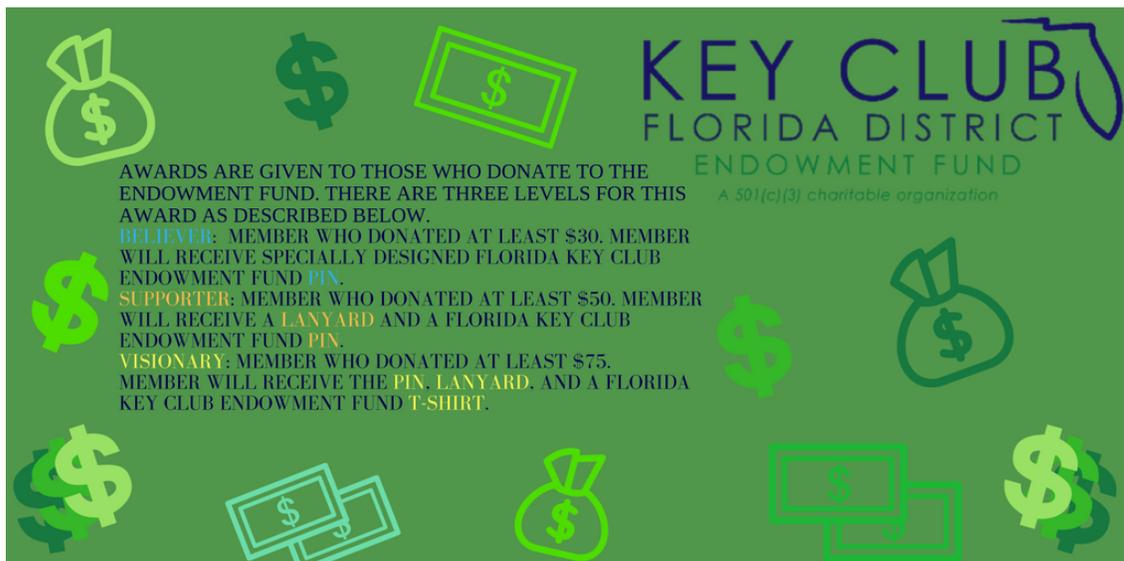
contact Awards and Contests at awards@floridakeyclub.org.



Attention Key Clubbers!

The 2017-18 scholarship applications are now available on www.floridakeyclub.org. They are due on February 18, 2018 at 11:59 pm EST.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, YOU CAN CONTACT THE SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE AT [SCHOLARSHIPS@FLORIDAKEYCLUB.ORG](mailto:scholarships@floridakeyclub.org)



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FLORIDA DISTRICT
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A 501(c)(3) charitable organization

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VISIONARY: MEMBER WHO DONATED AT LEAST \$75. MEMBER WILL RECEIVE THE PIN, LANYARD, AND A FLORIDA KEY CLUB ENDOWMENT FUND T-SHIRT.

What is the Endowment Fund?

Funding opportunities for servant leaders.

The Florida Key Club Endowment Fund was established to provide college scholarships and funds to reduce the cost of the annual District Education and Leadership Conference (DCON). The Endowment Fund focuses on funding opportunities for Key Club servant leaders and will fund at least ten scholarships, nine of which will be \$2,000 each. In fact, over the next five years, the Endowment aims to grow to more than \$1 million and to eventually provide dozens of scholarships. As the Endowment grows in future years, the number of funded scholarships will increase. However, this goal will only be possible with your help.

Simply click on the Give Now button below to get started.

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Kiwanis News







"Just wanted to say a very big **thank you** to each and every one of you who made Santa Landing the huge success it was on Saturday. Particularly grateful to Daniella, Ruud, and Linda on the organizing committee. It takes a lot of hours to run an event of that size and to ensure it runs as smoothly as it did. We have a wonderful group of Key Clubbers and on Saturday they really went above and beyond (I think they would still be face painting now if they could!) It really is such a fantastic event and the smiles on the children's faces is truly priceless, thank you again for making this a permanent fixture in the Kiwanis calendar". - **Kiwanis President Nicola Murray.**

Christmas AT THE BOOK LOFT



HANDMADE CHRISTMAS CARDS, CHRISTMAS CARDS, HOLIDAY MOVIES (DVD'S), CHRISTMAS CD'S, CHRISTMAS BOOKS
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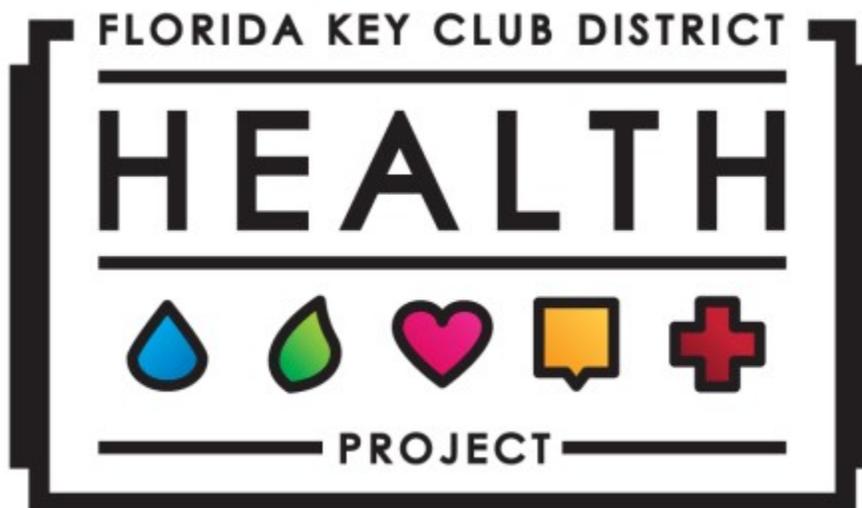
ALL PROCEEDS BENEFIT THE ANIMALS

PHONE: 946-8053 THE BOOK LOFT IS LOCATED NEXT TO AL THOMPSON ON NORTH SOUND ROAD





Felante Charlemagne



Governor's Project Week: January 22-26, 2018

Monday: Hunger and Thirst Day

Reach out to your local soup kitchen or food distribution center. Find out how your Key

Club can help package, transport, and distribute what is needed. Get Kiwanis, the rest of your school, and other community organizations involved. Take lots of pictures and make sure everyone knows about it!

Tuesday: Environmental Action Day

Pick a park or recreational area within your community that needs cleaning and organize a large scale clean up using your Kiwanis Family resources. Convince all of your friends to come out to the event on the days leading up to the clean up. You could even make it a competition between your Key Club and the other clubs in your school!

Wednesday: Less-Fortunate Day

Organize a clothing or a food drive in your community and donate the goods to a local homeless shelter. You could even ask to stay and volunteer in the homeless shelter by cleaning, cooking, or speaking with the residents. Go above and beyond and make this a weekly service project within your club!

Thursday: Teaching Day

Contact local schools and youth organizations and ask how you can be of assistance. Whether you're reading to the younger generation, mentoring them, or serving as an inspiring, older role model, the possibilities are endless. Establish a committee in your Key Club dedicated to managing this effort so that you are able to continue to be involved with younger generations throughout the year.

Friday: Health Day

On this day, clubs are encouraged to participate in any service project that falls under The HEALTH Project that best suits their individual community. Is there anything you did not have the opportunity to complete earlier in the week? Get creative and share your ideas and pictures with other Key Clubs by using the hashtag #FLKCHHealth.

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