

[MUST READ] November Newsletter - Division 26D

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| Good day leaders!

I hope your school year continues to be going well! Please take the time to read through our **November Newsletter** and pay close attention to important dates. Secretaries, please remember to share this information with your clubs. Have a great rest of your week!

Important Reminders:

- Mark on your calendars the potential date of our **upcoming DCM** on November **18th** or **19th**.
- Go through your **Officer Information Forms** to ensure you provided all information asked for your club **ASAP**.
- Complete **Monthly Reports** for *November* by **November 8th** before final submission.
- Ensure you complete at least **2 service projects** for this month.

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KEY CLUB
FLORIDA DISTRICT



Hello Leaders of Division 26D,



Happy November! We've almost made it through the first half of the school year. Thank you for all your incredible work, you make this division shine! Remember that the **Regular Dues deadline** is rapidly approaching (December 1st). Congratulations to the clubs who successfully met the Early Bird Dues Deadline! Remember that the growth of your club does not just stop after the submission of dues. Continue to promote Key Club through your acts of service! Feel free to reach out if you have any questions.

- Leah White Division 26D Lt. Governor

Division 26D Clubs

Last updated:

1. Cayman Prep High School

o Paid Members, Charter Date: July 23, 2003

2. Clifton Hunter High School

o Paid Members, Charter Date: November 29, 2010

3. Triple C High School

o Paid Members, Charter Date: January 15, 2002

4. St. Ignatius High School

o Paid Members, Charter Date: February 28, 1998

5. John Gray High School

o Paid Members, Charter Date: November 8th, 1984

Leadership Lesson

"Management is about arranging and telling. Leadership is about nurturing and enhancing."

- Tom Peters

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Key Club Week

Key Club week this year is **November 6th - November 10th**. Key Club Week gives you the opportunity to show your community what Key Club is truly about: **service**. Each day places an emphasis on a different aspect of service, promoting Key Club within our homes, schools and communities. It's the perfect time to plan something special for your members and club. Make sure to visit the Key Club website below to get more information.

Key Club Week Info





Divisional Council Meeting

Our November DCM will be held in the 3rd week of November on either the **18th** or **19th**. Date and location has not been confirmed as yet, but please save the potential weekend date in your calendars! I will continue to keep you updated and email a flyer and additional information very soon.

We will be discussing important District updates, DCON fundraising ideas, all while getting to know each other with fun games. I also promise to incorporate another meaningful divisional service project. Can't wait to see you all there!

2023 KCKC & DCM RECAP

Our annual Key Club Kick Off Conference along with October Divisional Council Meeting was held **Saturday, October 21st at 10:30am-2:30pm**.

I think I can speak for everyone that we had an amazing time! Our theme was *"Retro Rewind"* and we had a blast engaging in divisional and service activities while dressed up from the past. We discussed important divisional updates, had a special presentation from Miss World Cayman, Leanni Tibbets, on the pathway to success, engaged in educational workshops, updated each other on the successes of our clubs, and so much more! Thanks so much to our zone administrators and Lieutenant Governors who took the time to join our KCKC via zoom along with the Past LTG's that came out to help lead workshops.

We also completed a service project based on creating heartfelt **"Letters to Freshmen"** to give them advice on how to overcome the stresses and challenges of high school.

Thank you to all who attended; I truly appreciated seeing all of you there and

cannot wait for our next meeting!



DCON 2024

Get ready for an **Adventure-in-Service**, at DCON 2024! Registration for the District Education and Leadership Conference is now open! A Quad Rate is **\$360** per person. The deadline to register is **February 16, 2024**. I highly encourage you to start planning now! We hope to see your whole club in Daytona Beach, FL from **April 18-21st**.

To find out more, click the link below! If you have any questions, don't hesitate to email dcon@floridakeyclub.org.

DCON 2024



DCON 2024
District Education and Leadership Conference
April 18th - 21st, 2024



Price
Quad: \$360
Triple: \$460
Double: \$560
Single: \$760

Registration
Opens: November 1st
Closes: February 16th

Educational Workshops, Higher Office Elections, House of Delegates, Keynote Speaker, Dance, Souvenirs Awards and Contests, and more!

Registration for the 2024 District Education and Leadership Conference (DCON) opens soon!
Make sure to join us for these 4 days of fun, learning, and service at Daytona Beach, FL!

Dues Information

On October 1st, all dues-paid members reset to 0, beginning the 2023-2024 fiscal year.

Dues are \$14.00 (\$7 for the District and \$7 for International) per member, and your club is welcome to increase these dues to cover club t-shirts or additional costs, per your club bylaws.

The Regular Dues Deadline is **December 1st**.

Thank you so much to the club's who have already submitted their dues for the Early Bird Dues Deadline!

The **Membership Update Center (MUC)** is open for the 2023-24 year and active clubs will be able to update membership records for the new year and begin receiving new member supplies.

If you have any questions email District Treasurer Lorenzo Castillo-Rios at treasurer@floridakeyclub.org. Dues are paid through the Membership Update Center, more information below:



Officer Information Forms and Monthly Reports

Please make sure to update your club's 2023-2024 Officer Information Forms. Your club **must** update it **as soon as possible**. These allow the district and I to reach out to you easily and keep you updated with important information! You can access them through [Keymmunity](#), linked below.

Thank you to the following clubs that have submitted their Officer Information Forms:

- **Triple C High School**
- **Cayman Prep High School**
- **Clifton Hunter High School**
- **John Gray High School**

If you have any questions regarding **Officer Information Forms** or access to [Keymmunity](#), please do not hesitate to reach out to me!

November 10th is the due date for your October monthly reports. Please make sure they are fully updated and submitted on time, as your club's Monthly Report data is used for awards at DCON and the possibility to be recognized at the divisional and district levels.

Keymmunity System

Major Emphasis Projects

Check out the newly updated Service Partners and Preferred Charity Page on

the Florida Key Club website. You will be able to find some helpful resources on how to get your club involved with one of our partners.

To find out more, click the link below! If you have any questions, don't hesitate to email service@floridakeyclub.org.

Major Emphasis Projects

Key Club International Partners



Erika's Lighthouse

The mission of Erika's Lighthouse is to make sure no young person is alone in their depression. This nonprofit organization encourages mental health and strives to break down the stigma surrounding mental health issues. Erika's Lighthouse is dedicated to creating a community of empathy and education and has resources and programs for students and educators, grades 4-12.

[Learn More](#)

Schoolhouse

Do you want to make an impact and have fun while doing it? Looking for a project that you can complete from the comfort of your home? Key Club has partnered with Schoolhouse to bring free tutoring to thousands of learners across the world. If you're interested in tutoring something new, or you're interested in becoming a tutor yourself, sign up today!

[Learn More](#)



Service Spotlight

Key Club members from our entire division engaged in a sweet service project at our annual KCKC! We created “**Letters to Freshmen**” which addressed helpful advice on how to overcome the stresses and challenges of high school. I love how creative you all were with this project and made your letters as fun and meaningful as possible. Over **100+ service hours** was accumulated at this project. Great job everyone!



The Sunshine Source

The Fall Issue of the Sunshine Source has been published! This issue contains KEY updates about DCON 2024, scholarships, awards, FLOF applications, and spotlights many of the amazing service projects performed across the Florida District. Please be sure to check it out if you haven't already!

Also, if your club is interested in submitting service projects to be featured in the Sunshine Source, Key'P Up blog, or on the @flkeyclub Instagram, fill out the Service Spotlight Form below!



Fall Sunshine Source

Service Spotlight Submission Form

November To-Do List

1. Complete your Officer Information Forms - through Keymmunity

Due: ASAP

2. Submit October Monthly Reports - through Keymmunity

Due: November 8th

3. Divisional Council Meeting - Save the date for either November **18th** or **19th** in your calendars and keep on lookout for confirmed details

4. Read the Fall Issue of the Sunshine Source- Check it out

here: <https://fliphtml5.com/fmnsol/udne/>

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