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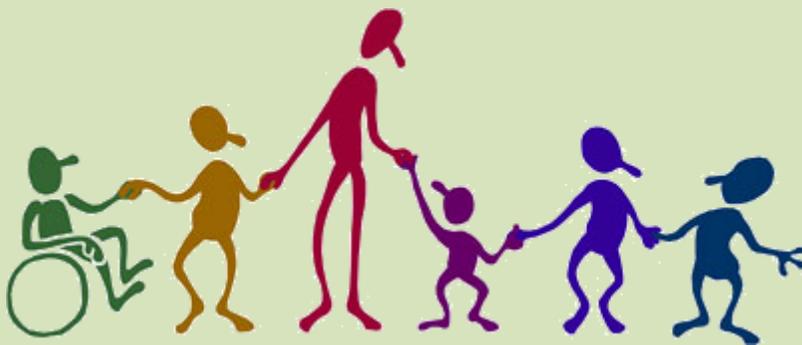
HELPING HOLIDAYS!

Hello Division 25B!

Did you know: though the holiday season runs from November through December, the majority of holiday community service hours are done in December? As Key Clubbers, we need to change this! That means, we need to serve our communities right through the holiday season, including November!

Money-wise, your club should be focusing on giving in your **dues** and **DCON fundraising** for next year (to find out more about DCON, go to page 3)!

Also in November, we have Key Club Week (**November 5th-9th**)! All clubs should be participating in Key club Week to their fullest! For more information on Key Club Week, you refer to my October newsletter (also found on www.keyclub.ky) or go to www.keyclub.org!



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Monthly Message: NOVEMBER

Whilst eating all your yummy holiday food, remember you can also hold food drives for others who don't have any!



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Holiday Potluck!

As many of you saw at KCKC, DCON is an amazing experience that must really cost the Florida District **a lot**. Also, for those of you who attended the ELIMINATE workshop, you'd also see that it will take **a lot** of money for Kiwanis International to wipe MNT off the face of the earth.

Therefore, it has been decided that we will have a Holiday Potluck to raise money for DCON and for The ELIMINATE Project!

The potluck will be **November 24th** (the same day as our November DCM, so as to maximize attendance 😊) and will be after the DCM portion of the afternoon (check page 4 for more details on time and location).

Our goal for this potluck is to raise **\$400!** The potluck will be \$10 for a serving of each dish.

For the potluck, **each club** will be required to do each of the following things:

- Bring **two dishes** to the potluck (the theme is Caribbean food, which can pretty much mean anything 😊) and
- Invite as many Key Clubbers, Advisors, teachers, friends, family members, etc. to the potluck!

Please start planning with your clubs from **now** what they will be bringing. Also, if any clubs are willing to supply utensils, plates, napkins, etc. you are most welcome to do so! 😊

Club of the Month!

The Club of the Month for the month of October is:

JOHN GRAY!

leadership



Inclusiveness



caring



DCON!

Spring Zone Rally!

District Education and Leadership Conference (DCON) is held at the end of the Key Club year to celebrate a year's success as well as to prepare for the next year to come!

Join us April 4th-7th 2013 at the Rosen Shingle Creek Resort to celebrate, learn and prepare your club for a successful year!



Also around the end of the Key Club year, there is a Spring Zone Rally (SZR) held by the Lt. Governor of our division. Here we also participate in workshops and trainings as well as elect our new Lt. Governor for the following Key Club year!

When? → March 23rd, 2013

Where? → Triple C High School

What time? → 10am-3pm

Dress code? → **Pink!**

Club Growth

Hello All!

This month I would like to remind you that paying dues early is a strong sign that your club is healthy, organized, and on the right track. Also, don't forget that you can keep recruiting for the entire year! The wonderful thing about Key Club Dues is that you can update your membership more than once, and send in the dues for any new members!

For more information email
Clubgrowthchair@floridakeyclub.com.

For more information about how to strengthen your club, please contact Club Growth Chair Eric Riser at clubgrowthchair@floridakeyclub.com.

Elections And Credentials

Election season is fast approaching so don't forget to check out the "Running for Higher Office" page on the Florida Key Club website at:
<http://floridakeyclub.org/running-for-higher-office/>
This page has all kinds of interesting information about District and International offices and how to become a District or International Officer!

Awards, Contests and Scholarships



Besides the opportunity to receive AMAZING leadership training, District Education and Leadership Conference is known for being an AWESOME time! Showcase your club's talent by preparing an act for our Entertainment/Awards Assembly! More information on the guidelines for talent acts may be found at www.floridakeyclub.org/awards-and-contests/.

If you have questions, comments, or concerns, feel free to contact our Committee Chair, Freddy Jimenez, at awards@floridakeyclub.com.

What are you doing to save lives?

ELIMINATE
maternal/neonatal tetanus
Kiwaniis | unicef

The Eliminate Project Sunglasses

If your Key Club is interested in selling The Eliminate Project sunglasses, there is an order form at floridakeyclub.com under The Eliminate Project. One order of sunglasses will save over 110 lives!

The last day to submit your order and payment is December 7th. For more questions about purchasing The Eliminate Project sunglasses, contact committee chair Trina Sessions at eliminatechair@floridakeyclub.com.

The Eliminate Project Video Contest

In order to make The Eliminate Project successful, promotion is key! The district committee has created a video contest that will recognize the best promotional video for The Eliminate Project. This will also be a fundraiser for the project. The cost to submit a video is \$20. That will save over 10 lives per video submission!

There is no limit for how many videos can be submitted, and it can be submitted by an individual or by a Key Club! For more information contact Trina Sessions.

Are you Fundraising for District Conference Yet?

The District Education and Leadership Conference will be held on April 4-7, 2013 at the Rosen Shingle Creek Resort in Orlando, FL.

Don't miss out on this opportunity to learn more about service and leadership!

For more information visit www.floridakeyclub.org/dcon

The deadline for early registration is February 28, 2013! Check out the District's Fundraising Guide at <http://floridakeyclub.org/wp-content/uploads/District-Education-and-Leadership-Conference-Fundraising-Ideas-Packet11.pdf>

And speak to your Lt. Governor about getting the Club Officer Resource Schedule for Getting Members to DCON

If you have any questions, comments, or concerns contact our DCON Chair, Amanda Hernandez at dconchair@floridakeyclub.org

Committee
Blurbs!

NOVEMBER DIVISIONAL COUNCIL MEETING!

- ✓ WHEN? → Saturday, November 24th, 2012
- ✓ WHERE? → John Gray
- ✓ WHAT TIME? → 11:00am-1:30pm (potluck time included)
- ✓ WHY? → To see what clubs did for Key Club Week and raise money for DCON and The ELIMINATE Project!

DIVISION STATISTICS: OCTOBER

OIFs = 100%

Pride Reports = 80%
Good going Secretaries!

Money Raised during
October = \$35*
Let's raise more in
November! 😊

SERVICE HOURS -
OCTOBER

John Gray = 109.45 😊

Triple C = 0*

St. Ignatius = 0*

Cayman Prep = 69 😊

Clifton Hunter = 0*

*Pride Report not submitted/updated with hours/funds raised.

Please remember to submit your Pride Reports and update your OIFs if your club has experienced any changes!

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