

March MEB

Introduction

Dear Leaders of Division 26D,

Welcome to the Monthly Electronic Bulletin (MEB) for March! I hope you are all balancing your school and Key Club duties. This month's focus is on registering for Awards!

Remember to share a copy of my MEB with your members and in your club meetings.

Please read this whole MEB because it holds vital information, and I do not want you to miss any of it. Remember that I am always available if your club needs any aid or has any questions.

Yours in leadership and service,

Lieutenant Governor Leah Robinson

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Leadership Quote



Pride Report

Please be reminded that the February Pride Report is due March 5th!

Please ensure that all your Pride Reports for the Key Club year is completed. I will send individual emails to each of your school on how they are doing as it relates to Pride Report Submissions.

PRE- DCON Awards applications are due March 7th.

Service Projects

One fantastic way to help local families in need is to organize, volunteer for, or donate by hosting a clothing drive at your schools. You can talk to your school leader about local women and children's shelters such as Estella's Place and Red Cross by simply taking inventory of gently used clothing that no longer fits you or your siblings and bring it to one of the organizations below.

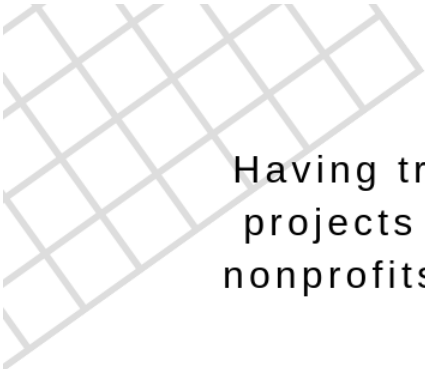
Estella's Place- +1 345-943-2422

Cayman Islands Red Cross- +1 345-949-6785

Organize a board game night at your local nursing home.

Gather your friends and favorite classic games and plan fun afternoon.

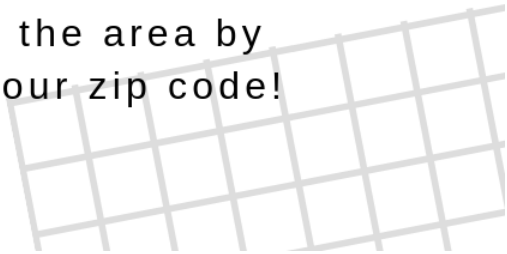
Decorate placemats for [Meals on Wheels](#).



Having trouble finding service projects in your area or local nonprofits for your Key Club to work with?

USE
VOLUNTEERMATCH.ORG

VolunteerMatch is a quick, easy way for your Key Club to find service projects in the area by simply searching your zip code!



DCMs/Divisional Projects

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| Officer Meeting (SZR, Past LTG Concert and Divisional Service Project Planning) | Saturday, March 9, 2019 |
| SZR Planning and Past LTG Concert Planning | March 14-18, 2019 |
| SZR and Past LTG Concert Rehearsal | March 20-21, 2019 |
| Kiwanis Outings | March 21-22, 2019 |
| SZR Set Up | Friday, March 22, 2019 |
| SZR & Key Club's Got Talent | Saturday, March 23, 2019 |
| Kiwanis Outings | Sunday, March 24, 2019 |

Farewell

Leaders,

My term as your Lieutenant Governor is ending we will be electing our new Lieutenant Governor at our Spring Zone Rally on March 23, 2019. It has been an amazing year with you all, getting to know each one of you on a personal level and growing with you all. I wish Division 26D the absolute best I will always be a part of this Division and Zone.

DCON

The Florida District's Annual District Education and Leadership Conference (DCON) is going to be held at the Rosen Shingle Creek in Orlando Florida from **April 4-7, 2019**. At DCON, you will elect your new District Officers, win awards, attend educational workshops, and connect with over 2,200 fellow Key Clubbers! Because this is the biggest Key Club event of the Florida District, attendance is vital.

DCON offers attendees leadership training, shared experiences with members of other clubs, and a better understanding of Key Club International which cannot be experienced on only the club level.

These experiences are provided in a highly motivational and socially enjoyable environment that will inspire attendees as they return to their home clubs and carry out the mission of Key Club.

The Endowment Fund presents

DCON 2019

ICE CREAM

CIRCUS SOCIAL



Take a break from the wonder and whimsy of **DCON** with our ice cream social! Come cool down under our tent with ice cream and other refreshments. No need to feel guilty as all profits benefit the **Florida Key Club Endowment Fund** providing scholarships and lower **DCON** prices to all!



Just grab a ticket with your **DCON** registration and come join us! We can't wait to see you there!

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ICON

The International Convention will be on July 3- 7, 2019 and it will be held in Baltimore, Maryland. It is biggest event of the Key Club year! It celebrates the amazing things Key Club members do with more than 1,500 students from across the world. Find out more about ICON down below.

The logo consists of the word "ICON" in white, bold, uppercase letters, centered within a solid orange rectangular background.

Officer Elections

Officer Elections should have been held in February, so that the newly elected officers can attend workshops at DCON and have enough time to train before becoming club officers. Please see the link below.

<https://floridakeyclub.org/club-officer-positions/>

Club Bylaws

This year we have a new "Standard Form for Key Club Bylaws" that the Legal, Elections, and Credentials Committee has created.

It is important that all clubs in the Florida District are operating under the updated bylaws.

Here are the steps on how bylaws are adopted:

- 1) The bylaws must be voted on and receive at least 2/3 majority of the club body (i.e. dues-paying members) at a regular meeting.
- 2) The bylaws then need to be sent to the high school principal, the sponsoring Kiwanis club, and Key Club International (Please send two signed copies to Key Club International. One copy will be signed by Key Club International Administrator and returned to the club).
- 3) Once all these conditions are met, the bylaws take effect.

It is particularly important that all clubs update their bylaws this year.

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Clubs in Division and Sponsoring Kiwanis Club

Clubs Sponsored by the Kiwanis Club of the Cayman Islands:

John Gray High School
Clifton Hunter High School
St Ignatius High School
Cayman Prep & High School
Triple C High School

St Ignatius Builders Club
University College of the Cayman Islands Circle K

Link to The Sunshine Source

The Sunshine Source is a Key Club newsletter that gives out essential information and reminders for

everyone to know, so I highly recommend that you read it!

[Read Now](#)

Committee

Blurbs

The 2018-2019 Awards and Contests applications are available now!

We will be using Google Forms. This will make data entry and submission of each application easier.

Check out the applications at floridakeyclub.org under the Awards and Contests tab.

Any questions? Contact the Awards Chair at Awards@floridakeyclub.org



2018-2019 ORATORY CONTEST

FLORIDA DISTRICT OF KEY CLUB INTERNATIONAL, INC.

Key Club International gives students the opportunity to improve the lives of others while building upon their own skills, traits, and values.

How has Key Club's international member base, core values, and motto impacted your life, identity, and experiences as a servant leader?



PRELIMINARY AUDITIONS VIA YOUTUBE
DEADLINE MARCH 28TH, 2019
BY 11:59 P.M. EST.
 Videos may not exceed five minutes.



APPLICATION & INSTRUCTIONS AT
www.floridakeyclub.org/awards-and-contests/
 Contact awards@floridakeyclub.org for any questions!

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Have a **talent** that you would like to **share** with the **Florida District** at **DCON**?

Talents include: singing, dancing, instruments, skits, etc.

Submit a **Youtube Link** and **Entry Form** with your audition to be considered for the **talent show!**

Preliminary auditions due: **March 28th** at 11:59 PM EST

Application and instructions available at <https://floridakeyclub.org/awards-and-contests/>

Your video **may not** exceed **six minutes**.

Questions? Contact awards@floridakeyclub.org





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