

Gr8 News May 2017

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Lieutenant Governor's Address

Happy May, Division 8! I am thrilled that this school year is coming to a close, as I'm sure you are too! With the end of the year come exams and lots of stress, so I hope you will keep encouraging your club members and find little ways to make everyday a little easier during this tough season of the year. The weather is finally warm so there are bunches of warm weather fundraisers like car washes and lemonade stands you can start working on to get some money raised for Children's Hospital. Be sure to elect your new officers before the last day of school! If you already have, please send me their names and contact information so that we can get in touch!

Yours in Service, Lt. G Hollen

May Fundraising Ideas

-Car Wash! This worked well for Homewood High School who raised about \$700 for the American Cancer Society!

- Have an in-school candy order and delivery service to encourage students during exam season! Students pay \$3 to have a small bag of candy delivered to a friend or classmate.

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Don't forget to send me pictures of your club so you can be spotlighted!

Upcoming Events

International Convention: July 5-10 in San Antonio, Texas

\$300 down payment for ICON due **May 9th**

Key Leader Recap!

"AL Key Leader at Camp ASCCA was truly a weekend that I will never forget. I learned what being a leader truly is about and I made some amazing friends I'll never forget. Key leader has inspired me to become more involved in my club and in all of Key Club. The best part of key leader was meeting so many people all around the state and making friends that I will never forget and plan to keep in touch with. Key leader was amazing and I can't wait until next year."

-Blake Busby, Key Club member and First-time Key Leader attendee



“How can I be useful, of what service can I be? There is something inside me, what can it be?” -Vincent Van Gogh

Key Club International Preferred Charities



Key Club International Service Partner



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International Convention

Every summer, Key Club International celebrates a year of service at the International Convention. Over 2,000 students and advisors gather together to introduce new programs, present awards to outstanding clubs, conduct the organization's business, attend educational workshops, and elect international officers for the upcoming year.

The 74th annual Key Club International Convention will take place in San Antonio, Texas on July 5-9, 2017.

Every club should send at least 2 delegates and advisors although many clubs send all their officers and other key members. Make plans now to attend!

Youth Opportunities Fund

The YOF Grant is a great way to do something big with your club! Applications are reviewed by the Key Club International YOF committee at their November meeting. Clubs may request funding assistance ranging anywhere from \$100 to \$2,000. The committee typically funds those clubs who are asking for a portion of the total cost of the project, and clubs who are working with other organizations to fund and complete the project. Clubs have used money to fund feeding projects, buy books for a nonprofit reading program, and plenty more fun ways to serve.

Let's get started on fundraising for Children's Hospital! Let me know if you have an event or meeting you would like for me to attend!

Go Ramsay High school Key Club for sending TEN members to Key Leader! Ramsay is one of our most involved schools! Great job president CiYenna Slaughter!