KEY CLUB

PBHS Key Club Bi-Monthly Newsletter

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Service in April and May of 2017

With April showers come May flowers! Happy springtime Key Clubbers, and thanks for all your service. In the past two months we've had a decent amount of events and lots of help from all around. In the beginning of the month was DCON, where our new officers were introduced. Kudos to your new president Elizabeth; congrats! During DCON we had one event occurring in Pompano, which was the Crawfish Festival. Shout-out to the volunteers who attended: thank you so much! Spring break also had some events for those who weren't out-ofstate or busy, including a Kids' Night out and Spring Fling. Also following the month of April we had the Seafood Festival.

With Key Clubbers doing shifts Friday through Sunday, it was a busy weekend by the beach! During the month of May was the last Kids' Night Out, and also our last meeting. We had good times and grew together as a club and community. Friendships were established, people were smiling, and our seniors graduated with our club in their hearts. In this newsletter you can find photos and articles on the last of our events for the past two months. Summer service will also continue for the club during Judo Tournament, so feel free to join the fun. Enjoy this edition of the PBHS Key Club newsletter!

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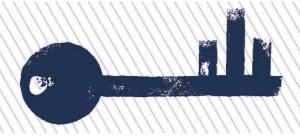
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WHAT'S COMING UP

- Judo Tournament July 20th-23rd
- Christmas in July July 1st or 8th



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UPCOMMING EVENTS

Are you busy over the summer, or still in-state? If so, make sure to help out over the summer. Just because it's the end of the school year, doesn't mean our service has to end too! At DCM and DCON, summer service was a discussed topic for devoted members of Key Club. It's important and fun!



This summer you can help out at two events: Christmas in July and the Judo Tournament. Christmas in July is a charity event that is organized by Kiwanis Florida and Broward County. They reach out to homeless shelters in Broward to find out all the details on the children "so that the gift packages can be personalized for each child."

(Christmasinjuly.inc "what we do" page.)

Volunteers will be there for various jobs, so stay in touch and know when you're volunteering and how.

The Judo tournament is another event where you can meet interesting people from all around the world! Bilingual people are best for this job; if you speak another language, don't be shy to attend! Shirts will be given out very quickly due to the fact that it is open to multiple Key Club districts, so be sure to show up on time or you'll end up with an XXL. Keep up the good work, and we hope to see you there!

RESOURCES

To find out what to donate to Christmas in July, click here.

To find out how you can donate online for Christmas in July, click <u>here</u>

NOTE

The Judo Tournament will take place July 20th-23rd at the Fort Lauderdale Convention Center



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SPRING FLING

Saturday, April 15th, we had six members of our club volunteering at the Pompano Community Park. The event was an Easter setup for the younger kids. Our members assisted in the Easter egg hunt and our concessions stand, with Mr. and Mrs. Leys! The best part; giving to the community.



We also collaborated with two CKI students and district 24A Lt. Governor, Robin Moscovitch! Children colored on the floor with chalk, went on an Easter egg hunt on the football field, and played games. There were plenty of family fun activities, and boy were we lucky to be a part of it all! Earlier that day, Mr. Leys had brought a bunch of goodie filled Easter baskets, which were later given to a group of sweet foster children. Each child received their own with candies, toys, coloring books, and more.

The kids were so grateful and kind to the Key Clubbers, we took a photo with them to remember the occasion. Of course, our party was crashed by the awful Florida rain, but the rain couldn't drown the memories of fun and leadership created that day. Good job to everyone that showed up, and keep up the great work!

Special Shout out to...

CKI students Diego and Amber, plus Robin for helping out. Thank you guys so much for taking time out of your day to help in the Pompano community!

Social Media

To see more photos of this event and more, you can follow our Key Club's Instagram and other social media. **Info on page 4.**



SERVICE



CHARACTER BUILDING

LAST MEETING OF THE YEAR

May 22nd was the last Key Club meeting of the 2016-2017 school year. We had guests Kim to assist in the send-off and Derek to photobomb everything. Thanks Derek. We had a good laugh, a few tears, and took a lot of photos. The seniors who received scholarships received a bag from Mr. Leys.



Sadly only fourteen of our members showed up, so thanks for coming you guys! Good luck to all incoming officers and members for the 2017-2018 school year.

This school year was lively, fun, and an amazing experience for new members and previous members. With plenty of events and opportunities, plus the friendships, Key Club is something everyone should get involved in. If you happen to have a bunch of friends that aren't involved yet, please bring them to a meeting! Together we can work hard to help out and grow our community, but also our club! Also be sure to attend any summer events during your free time, and get your volunteer hour logs signed by Mr. Leys or Ms. Gould. Special thanks to advisors Mr. and Mrs. Leys, all CKI students that attended our club meetings, and everyone who put time into the community. It was a great year, so let's make another one!

SENIORS

Good luck to our seniors Payton, Ebony, Kimberley, Sarah, and Madelyn (a.k.a. Maddie). Congrats on receiving scholarships and helping to grow our club. We're all so proud of you guys!



"Key club was definitely a different experience because I've never met so many authentic people who truly care about the community and volunteering."

-Aparna Saha, member

LEADERSHIP

LEADERSHIP CARING character building inclusiveness

MEETINGS AND INFO

It's important and beneficial to participate in our school's Key Club activities, and we can always use an extra hand. Meetings are the second and fourth Mondays of the month in the cafeteria, so make sure to mark your calendars! An agenda is handed out at every meeting with upcoming events and social media.

If you can't keep track of events and forget to make a reminder, you can join our Remind101 with the code provided on the agenda. You'll receive a reminder for any upcoming events. Twitter also sends out reminders of upcoming events a few days prior, and most events are posted on Edmodo for members to sign up.

KEY CLUB PLEDGE

Don't know the Key Club pledge? No worries.
Just follow along below:

I pledge, on my honor, to uphold the objects of Key Club International; to build my home, school and community; to serve my nation and God; and to combat all forces which tend to undermine these institutions.

SOCIAL MEDIA

Want to stay updated with upcoming events and past events? Follow our social media!

- Twitter@pbhs_key_club
- Instagram@pompanobeachkeyclub
- Remind 101@msniez

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