LAUREN'S LOOKOUT

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Hello Division 21,

Summer has just flown by and it's al ready time for school to start! This summer I attended International Cor vention (ICON) held in Indianapolis, Indiana and I had a blast electing the 2015-2016 International Board, cele brating the 100th anniversary of Kiwanis with a pancake festival and just having fun with other Key Clubbers from the Illinois-Eastern Iowa District! It was a great experience and . hope all of you consider attending ICON next year in Atlanta! If you still have a few days left of summer, make them count by participating in a service project for Key Club to get started on your hours for 2015-2016. Hope everyone had/has a great first day of school!

Yours in Service,

Lauren Dvorak Lt. Governor Division 21 Illinois-Eastern Iowa District Key Club International



Division 21 Key Clubs

Aurora Central Catholic
Bolingbrook
Illinois Math and Science
Academy
Metea Valley
Naperville North
Plainfield Central
Plainfield East
Plainfield North
Romeoville
Waubonsie Valley
Wheaton-Warrenville South
Yorkville

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Announcements

- ⇒Club monthly report form covering June, July and August is due September 10th!
- ⇒ The Awards Booklet is being posted on the I-I Key Club website in a couple weeks! Stay tuned for the 2015-2016 Awards Booklet!

⇒Service Project of the Month:

St. Mary Immaculate Carnival August 26-29th Wednesday - Friday: 5:00 pm - 10:30 pm, Satur-

day: Noon - 11:00 pm

15629 S. Rt. 59, Plainfield, IL

Sign-up <u>here</u> to pick a shift and job!

- ⇒ Club Roster Forms due September 15th
- ⇒ Youth Opportunity Forms (YOF) due October 15th
- ⇒ Early Bird Dues Deadline November 1st



Key Club Pledge

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 combat all forces, which tend to undermine these institutions.



Key Club Fact for August!

In 1946 the first club was built in Canada, and since that time many more have been added. Key Clubs have also been formed in the Caribbean and future growth is promising. Every year, led by the international officers, two hundred or more new Key Clubs are added to this fast growing organization,

Club Officer Rosters

We now have a new form to fill out officer information! At this link: <u>Club Officer Roster Online</u>

Form please enter names and contact information for your officers and Kiwanis Adviser so the District Board, as well as myself can send you important Key Club updates. Thanks to Metea Valley, Plainfield North, Romeoville and Wheaton-Warrenville South for already turning in rosters! Keep up the GREAT work!

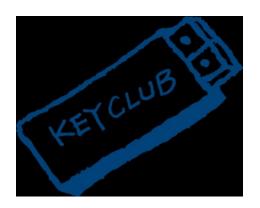


If you elected officers in the Spring, please fill out this form as soon as possible! If you are holding election next school year, fill out this form after your election. Club Officer Rosters are due September 15th!

Dues Deadline

Dues are a small fee that Key Club Members are required to pay to belong to Key Club International. In the Illinois-Eastern Iowa District each member must pay a total of \$12 (\$7 goes to International and \$5 goes to the District). You can also charge an additional amount for funds for your own club.

Dues are used to fund district events and to create and distribute Key Club promotional information internationally. At this link: All About Dues you can find any other questions you may have and steps for paying dues. Please have your dues in by **November 1st** and you will receive an awesome patch for your Key Club banner!



Fall Leadership Rally

UPDATED

What: the chance to meet new people and learn more about Key Club through interactive forums!

Where: Hinsdale Central High School, 5500 South Grant Street

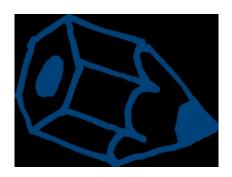
When: Sunday, October
4th from 12-4 pm

There will be snacks!!!



Youth Opportunities Fund

The Youth Opportunity Fund (YOF) gives Key Clubs an alternate source of funding. The committee typically funds clubs who are seeking a portion of the total costs of a project or clubs working with other organizations to complete a project, such as Kiwanis, Circle K or Builders Club. After a grant is requested the Key Club International Board will consider your project and you will receive a grant.



Applications must be received by October 15th. Need project ideas? Visit www.keyclub.org/yof to see examples from past winners.

Divisional Council Meeting (DCM) Update

Our 2nd Divisional Council Meeting was recently held on August 3rd, 2015 at the West Branch Aurora Public Library! Shout out to **President, Kara Leckinger from Metea Valley, President, Dillion Kulchytsky and Secretary, Kaylyn Jakubczak from Romeoville** for attending the meeting! At this meeting we discussed the new Key Club app, article submission to the Club Mailing and Iolian, International Convention Updates, Ways to Recruit new Key Clubbers, Fall Leadership Rally and our Division Project: Funds 2 You!! If you missed the meeting you can access all information on the <u>Division 21 Key Club Website</u>. I am hoping to meet once a month at the West Branch Aurora Public Library, 233 Constitution Dr in Aurora. The next meeting date will be determined soon!

Spotlight on Service!

I am working on having a service project where our whole division can participate! The project is called Funds 2 You-it's a shoe drive where all your school has to do is collect old shoes and the shoes get donated to people in 3rd world countries. For the shoes collected, there will be funds



distributed. This project will get started in October! Stay tuned for more info of check out the Division 21 Website!