



August Newsletter

Savannah's Summary

Division 7

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Calendar Of Events

September 9, 2023
Officer Training

October 1, 2023
Annual Dues Become
Payable

October 1, 2023
Trick or Treat for UNICEF

October 15, 2023
Youth Opportunities
Fund Applications due
(Fall Cycle)

October 21, 2023
Dollywood Fall Rally

December 1, 2023
Annual Dues Become
Delinquent

Welcome to the New School Year

Most of you will be starting school soon, so begin your club meetings again. Make sure to have officers elected for this school year. I encourage you to get the word of Key Club out to your new freshmen. You can give out goodie baggs, as an example.

Contact Me:



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District Project

The KT-District project is to support the Ronald McDonald House Charity (RMHC). As a division, we can help them clean or cook as needed. Your club can also help by collecting donations. Some of the things they need are non-perishable food, paper products, cleaning products, and hygiene items. Your club can visit your local RMHC to cook or clean as well.



Youth Opportunities Fund

The Youth Opportunities Fund (YOF) grant is available for Key Clubs in good standing to apply for support with a service project. This is a good way to get money for your club. A Key Club in good standing means that the club's yearly dues must be paid before you can qualify to receive a grant from the Kiwanis Children's Fund. Applications are reviewed by the Key Club International Board at their November meeting. YOF grant notification is emailed to all grant applicants the first week of January.

For more information please visit <https://www.keyclub.org/youth-opportunities-fund/>

Officer Training



It is very important for all officers to attend officer training. We will have sandwiches, water, and sweet tea for everyone to enjoy. The purpose of officer training is to make sure that everyone knows exactly how to run their club. We will have lots of fun making cards for others, eating, and learning! The picture is the door of the church where you will be interning.

Address: First Christian Church 513 Hattie Avenue, Elizabethton TN at 1:30.

Fall Rally at Dollywood

Every year the whole KT District goes to Dollywood for our Fall Rally. At Fall Rally we all meet in an auditorium to announce the theme for DCON. This is a great way to have fun as a club. Also, everyone going will receive a Key Club T-shirt to wear while enjoying the park. Fall Rally will be held on October 21st.



DCON

The KT District Convention this year is March 22-24 in Franklin, TN. Pictured is the service project we did last year, we packed goodie bags. The prices to attend DCON will be announced soon. I hope that everyone can make it. DCON last year was a lot of fun, and I look forward to it this year. The theme has been decided by the board, but it will be announced at Fall Rally.



Key Club Week

Key Club Week allows everyone to show how much we love Key Club. It is important that we have fun showing off our Key during Key Club week. Each day is a different way to show Key Club to the world. Monday is "Show your K." You can wear Key Club shirts and decorate your advisor's door to promote Key Club. Tuesday is "Kudos to the Key Players." Write thank you cards or have an appreciation lunch for Key Club supporters. Wednesday is "Dare to Share." Celebrate diversity and equity with the Key Club family. Thursday is "Random Acts of Kindness." Show your Key by spreading happiness with little acts of kindness. Friday is "Connect the K's." Celebrate and connect the entire family by getting everyone together: Kiwanis, Circle K, international, Builders, K-kids, and Aktion clubs. You don't have to bring them all together, but I'm sure everyone would love to.

Divisional Animal Drive

I want to have a year-long animal drive to support the Washington County Johnson City Animal Shelter. This would be a great way that we can help the community as a division. I need you to ask your principals about getting a donation box at your school.