

K-T Key Club!

District Historian Newsletter

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1-DISTRICT PROJECT!

Since 1974, RMHC has created programs that strengthen families during difficult times. RMHC provides vital resources and compassionate care to children and their families being served by leading hospitals worldwide. There is many ways that you may help your local Ronald McDonald House such as: holding a work, preparing a meal, taking Wish-List items to your local Ronald McDonald House, having a Pop-Tab Collection to help raise funds. Be sure to schedule the with this with house manager. Don't show up unannounced.

LOCATIONS-

1. Cincinnati, OH (Northern Kentucky)
2. Chattanooga, TN
3. Huntington, WV (Northeastern Kentucky)

4. Knoxville, TN
5. Lexington, KY
6. Louisville, KY
7. Nashville, TN
8. Southern Appalachia, Johnson City, TN



2-GOALS!

The committee has made a few goals that I would like to share with everyone so you all know what we are striving to work on. Cincinnati, OH (Northern Kentucky)

- Create a handbook.
- Promote awareness about the RMH

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- Work with the Technology Committee to create videos to share with everyone.
- Keep clubs informed and up-to-date.
- Provide ideas for ways people can help.
- Sending bi-weekly “articles” about what local clubs have been doing.
- Work with district treasurer to come up with fundraising ideas.
- Spread awareness about ALL district projects/service partners.

3-FUNDRAISING!

Each month I will be sending out 5 fundraising ideas, please feel free to send me any creative ideas you have! This month’s five fundraising ideas are...

1. Dance-O-Thon
2. Battle of the Bands
3. “Art” Show
4. Bingo Night
5. Summer BBQ

If you have any questions or would like help planning a fundraiser, please feel

free to text, email, or call me at anytime.

4- SERVICE PARTNERS

Along with the Ronald McDonald House there is also other service projects/organizations that I ask and encourage EVERYONE to work with, such as: The ELIMANTE Project, the Thirst Project, Trick-or-Treat for UNICEF, March of Dimes, Children's Miracle Network. In my upcoming newsletters I will be providing more information about each of these service partners.

5- ELIMINATE

May 6th-10th was Eliminate Week. Every 15 minutes, a newborn baby dies from tetanus. It is excruciating, and parents can only watch. The baby's sensitivity to light, sound and contact prevents even the comfort of a mother's touch. You can help protect that connection, Since 2010, Key Club members have teamed up with the entire Kiwanis family and UNICEF to help save and protect women and their future babies from tetanus with The Eliminate Project. Through The Eliminate Project, the Kiwanis family is changing the world. To date, we have

helped save and protect lives by eliminating maternal and neonatal tetanus (MNT) in 25 countries.

This year, Key Club International is projecting to raise US\$700,000 as part of Key Club's US\$3 million pledge to The Eliminate Project. Thank you to all the clubs that helped out and participated! Keep up the great work!

6- THIRST PROJECT

In 2008, Seth Maxwell and six of his friends started a journey to help end the global water crisis. They have worked effortlessly the past 11 years to provide 280,000 people with clean drinking water (THAT IS AMAZING). They have also raised over \$8 MILLION dollars. With a goal to provide the entire Kingdom of eSwatini with clean drinking water by 2022, you can help out by raising money in your home club or on your own. Please visit www.thirstproject.org for more information on how to get involved!

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