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## Back to School!

It's the start of another school year! It's truly wild how time flies by! I wish you all the best of luck going into this new school year. I know you guys will do great things!

For you upperclassman, going back to school is not a big deal. If you're a Freshman, though, it's a different story. Here's a bit of advice: High school really does fly by. Seriously, take it in while you can because it won't last as long as you think it will. I remember Freshman year like it was yesterday and I'm a Junior now. So, go to that Friday night football game, ask your crush out, be a teenager.

If any of you, upper or underclassman, want more advice or someone to talk to I'm always available on Instagram @ktkeyd6 so shoot me a DM!

## Membership Development

As the new school year starts it's important that we make our K-T family grow. I know that this might be a little difficult considering schools across our division are reopening in many different ways. Some of you are taking all your classes online and others are actually going back to school.

For those of you that are taking your classes online, I recommend talking to your friends through social media. There are so many resources on the internet, you can use to inform those around you about Key Club. Refer them to me. I would love to talk to any possible new additions to our district!

If you are going to school in person, please reach to those around you about joining Key Club. Tell them about your experiences. Try and focus on the underclassman as their membership can last years.

I am aware that we are living a very different life than several months ago, but nonetheless I know we can continue to do great things if we keep pushing through these chaotic times.

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

*October 1, 2020*  
- *Annual Key Club*  
*Dues become payable*

*October 3, 2020 -*  
*Officer Training*

*October 24, 2020-*  
*DCM*

*November 2-6, 2020 -*  
*Key Club Week*

*December 1, 2020 -*  
*Annual Key Club Dues*  
*become delinquent*

## CONTACT ME



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## My Top 10 favorite books/series

I like to add a little personal touch to each letter so this time I'd like to add a list of all my favorite books ;)

- The Stalking Jack the Ripper Series by Kerri Maniscalco
- The Cruel Prince Trilogy by Holly Black
- The Wrath and the Dawn Duology by Renee Ahdieh
- An Absolutely Remarkable Thing by Hank Green
- Strange the Dreamer Duology by Laini Taylor
- The Lunar Chronicles by Marissa Meyer
- (I'm going to cheat a little.) The Throne of Glass/A Court of Thorns and Roses Series, And Crescent City by Sarah J Maas
- The Red Queen Series by Victoria Aveyard
- The Harry Potter Series
- The Hunger Games Trilogy

I literally have so many favorite books, it's hard to just pick 10.

These books have made me laugh, ugly cry, believe in love and so many more things I can't even put it into words. I don't know what kind of person I would be without the influence of these books, the characters in them and the worlds they live in. I would recommend every single one of them with my entire being.

## Officer Training

I have decided that our first officer training will be held on October 3rd. It is essential that our officers understand their responsibilities so that our division can be the best it can be. I will be checking in with advisors on the status of the elections of their officers.

To ensure everyone's safety, we will be holding our training over Zoom.

I am looking forward to meeting you all. If you have any information on the status of your club's officers please let me know. I want to be able to get to know our division's officers and I would love for them to know me before I train them. If you have any questions for me, you know how to contact me!

## Ronald McDonald House

There are many ways you can participate in our District Project! I have placed an image below with a list of ways you can contribute.

**How can you help?**

**FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE**

- Ronald McDonald House is a privately funded non-profit organization, therefore there is always a financial need.
- It is recommended that each club in the K-T District raise at least \$150 for Ronald McDonald House.
- Clubs that donate at least \$150 to Ronald McDonald House will be recognized at District Convention.

**COMMUNITY AWARENESS**

- Distribute information and brochures letting people know about services available at Ronald McDonald House.
- Distribute Wish Lists for the Ronald McDonald House nearest you.
- Distribute Pop-Tab collection containers throughout your community.

**PERSONAL INVOLVEMENT**

- Hold a work day at Ronald McDonald House.
- Be sure to schedule this with the house manager. Don't show up unannounced.
- Prepare a meal at the Ronald McDonald House. This can be done as a one time activity or on a regular basis.
- Contact the house manager to arrange to do this.
- Take Wish-List items to your local Ronald McDonald House.
- Wish Lists are available from your local Ronald McDonald House.

**POP-TAB COLLECTIONS**

Most Ronald McDonald Houses have a Pop-Tab Collection Program to help raise funds. Involve your high school, area middle schools, and elementary schools, and your entire community to participate in this easy but important project. Notify the house as to when you have Pop-Tabs to deliver to them to be sure someone will be at the house to collect them.

The Most pressing needs of Ronald McDonald House include,

- Monetary Donations
- Toilet Bowl Cleaner
- Swiffer Wet Jet Pads and Cleaner Refills
- Dishwasher Detergent Tabs
- Dish Soap
- Disinfectant Spray
- Clorox Wipes

## Virtual Service Opportunities

Bookshare.Org offers thousands of books to people with reading disabilities. As an online volunteer, you can either scan books to be added to the collection or edit books that have been scanned.

Translators Without Borders recruits volunteers who want to translate texts into different languages for NGOs and nonprofits.

American Red Cross needs volunteers to act as digital advocates. Volunteers can help generate donations to the Red Cross and help share important updates on social media.

# An Important Announcement

## CANCELLATION OF DOLLYWOOD FALL RALLY

We regret that we will not be able to hold our annual Fall Rally at Dollywood this year. The difficult decision to cancel this event was made due to concerns about the spread of COVID-19 and restrictions in many parts of our district. We are extremely disappointed that we will not be able to hold the event this year.

Since we cannot hold this annual Key Club event, Dollywood is making a very special offer for members of our Kentucky-Tennessee Key Club family.

Here is the offer:

- As a benefit for being part of the Kentucky-Tennessee District Key Club family, Dollywood will make tickets available to you for the extremely generous inclusive price of \$48.27 (The regular Dollywood ticket price is \$89.80.)
- Tickets must be purchased online between Thursday, September 24, and Wednesday, September 30.
- The tickets may be used one time on the date of your choice between the date of purchase of the ticket and the end of the 2020 Dollywood season.
- Details of how to access and use these tickets will be distributed soon.

We appreciate Dollywood extending this generous offer to members of our Kentucky-Tennessee Key Club Family, and we look forward to holding our Fall Rally again in 2021. If you have questions or need more information contact Steve Phillips.