

JANUARY NEWSLETTER

MARCUM'S MINUTES

DIVISION 8

CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

FEBRUARY 21, 2021 DIVISION 8 SPRING RALLY

MARCH 19-21, 2021 Key club district convention

JULY 7-11, 2021 Key Club International Convention



Division 8 Spring Rally

Happy January, Division 8. I hope everyone had an amazing Christmas and New Years! I will be hosting our Division 8 Spring Rally on February 21st. Due to COVID, this will be held via zoom. I will be sending out an email later this month with all the details, so please be on the lookout for that! We will be electing a new Lieutenant Governor, and someone will have the chance to win Most Outstanding Key Club Award. I hope to see you there. I am very excited!

Club Officer Elections

It is very important that your club hold officer elections within your club sooner rather than later. This is because District Convention is being held soon, and your officers will be able to attend the correct workshops!

Running for Lieutenant Governor

Lieutenant Governor is a very important position. You represent your division and work closely with other members on the district board so that you can serve your term well. We will be electing a new LTG for Division 8 at Spring Rally, so if you or anyone you know is interested in running please contact me or your advisor. I would be happy to answer any questions! If you want to run you will be expected to give a short speech. This should include a little bit about yourself and why you want/should be elected as the 2021-2022 Division 8 Lieutenant Governor! You will also be expected to answer a few questions regarding Key Club, so please come prepared. Your club must have paid dues in order for you to attend, vote or run.

District Convention

DCON is planned to be held March 19-21 in Gatlinburg, Tennessee. The theme for this year is Oh The Places Key Clubbers Will Go. This may change due to the global pandemic but we will keep you updated! There are many awards that you or your club may apply for, I will list them below.

- Outstanding Club President
- Outstanding Club Secretary
- Outstanding Faculty Advisor
- Outstanding Kiwanis Advisor
- Outstanding Key Clubber
- Best All Around Key Clubber
- Kiwanis Family Award

International Convention

This years International Convention will be held July 7-11 at Walt Disney World Resort in Orlando, Florida. This is an amazing experience with opportunity to meet Key Clubbers from all over! You will get the chance to be in some amazing workshops, elect the international board, and learn about new services projects you can take back to your home club.

Running for District Office

Along with the opportunity to run for Lieutenant Governor you are also able to run for district level positions. You may be endorsed to run for District Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, and International positions.

Children's Miracle Network

CMN is a nonprofit organization that raises funds for children's hospitals across the U.S. and Canada. They have helped fill those funding gaps by more than \$7 billion, mostly coming in \$1 at a time. These donations help by equipment and pay for uncompensated care. Below are ways for you or your club to help

- Volunteer at a local member hospital
- Contact the member hospital and find out if there are any specific donations needed
- Start a fundraiser
- Spread the message so others are able to help