

C'S MONTHLY CHRONICLE

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BY CHIKANMA OKOISOR

Hi Key Clubbers! Fall Rally was amazing and I hope to meet more of you at SLC. This past month, I have been working on scheduling visits with you and your clubs and organizing a DCM to catch up on any needs you all have.

Outside of Key Club, participating in the TKS Hackathon on October 14 marked my inaugural foray into the world of hackathons, where my team and I, explored the intricate process of problem-solving and settled on the innovative idea of piezoelectric prosthetics. This experience underscored the importance of addressing impactful problems using technology and prioritizing comprehensive problem analysis before seeking solutions—a lesson that resonates in my ongoing academic pursuits.

Concurrently, in the realm of athletics, my recent dive meet showcased a significant breakthrough, marking my first competition in this relatively new sport and attaining the second position among exhibition divers. Simultaneously, the conclusion of my cross-country season, despite numerous challenges and setbacks, reinforced the importance of being present at the moment and highlighted the profound impact mindset has on both sports and life in general.

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GLOBAL ENGAGEMENT RALLY

IMPORTANT UPDATES

On November 18th, at 7:00 PM EST/6:00 PM CST, Key Club International will be holding the fourth annual Global Engagement Rally! Featuring workshops led by International Trustees and District Governors, as well as keynote speakers, the rally promises to offer something for everyone. It is strongly encouraged for district and club leaders to take part in the rally.

Please start promoting the Global Engagement Rally to your respective clubs. All Key Club members and advisers are invited and highly encouraged to take part.

I've attached some Global Engagement Rally promotional resources here. Be sure to register by 8:00 AM EST/7:00 AM EST on November 13 using this *link*.

TASK-FORCE APPLICATIONS

This year, there are five opportunities for you all to apply for. You may apply for as many Taskforces/Committees as you would like, however, if you are selected. you will ultimately only be appointed to one at most. I have linked the directives below.

Communications Taskforce

Translations Taskforce

Truly International Taskforce

International Convention Committee Member Representative

Membership Development & Growth Committee Member Representative



UPDATES FOR CLUB TREASURERS

BY DISTRICT TREASURER ASWATHY ABRAHAM

TREASURER REPORT FORMS (TRFS):

Since school is starting back up again, TRFs will be required starting this month. These forms are to help our district Treasurer see where each club is at for their finances and club dues,

etc. This is mandatory for all clubs.

All treasurers are highly encouraged to host 1 fundraiser for this month. Please feel free to send pictures of your fundraisers to @mikeytreasurer on Instagram or email treasurer@mikeyclub.org to be featured on Instagram! Every month, there will be a new set of fundraising ideas for your clubs. It is recommended that all treasurers check this out for ideas!

- Monthly Fundraising Ideas

The International Dues amendment at ICON did not pass, hence the dues for Key Club International will remain at \$7 for this service year. The Michigan District's dues are also \$7, so each Key Clubber must pay 14 dollars in total for their dues.

- Membership Dues Guide

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Text this message @midkcitr





UPDATES FOR CLUB SECRETARIES

BY DISTRICT SECRETARY ISABELLA BUCCILLI

MRF: These forms are an essential part of keeping track of Key Club activities and progress. This includes information on membership, service projects, fundraising, and other key metrics that help evaluate the success of the club.

November MRF

Bellow is the district directory where you can find the contact information of all District Board members and of board members of clubs near you.

Fall District Directory

ERFs are used to document the results of club officer elections and get the contact information of club officers and advisors to the Michigan district board, so we can continue to communicate with you about important information and events. I am extremely proud of our division because all our active clubs have gotten all our ERF's turned in!

Google Classroom Code

(secretaries only): uh4quvp



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MEMBERSHIP DUES

FOR ALL KEY CLUBBERS

As a reminder, each Key Clubber must pay \$14 in dues for the service year.

Dues will be due November 1st for the Early Bird Deadline, meaning that if your club pays your dues by then, you will receive the Early Bird Dues patch at SLC 2024. The regular deadline for dues, however, is December 1st.

For more information on dues, including instructions on how to pay them, you can refer to our district Treasurer Aswathy Abraham's Membership Dues Guide, which is linked *here*.



KCI OFFICE

FOR ALL KEY CLUBBERS

E-BOARD OFFICE HOURS

Starting this month, the MDKCI Executive Board will be hosting joint office hours. This will be a time for members of the Michigan District to meet with or to ask any questions they may have with the whole E-Board. The first office hours will take place on October 23rd from 7-8 p.m. Please spread the word!

INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT OFFICE HOURS:

The International President and Vice President will be hosting virtual office hours twice each month, beginning September 5th and 19th from 9 -10 PM EST

INTERNATIONAL TRUSTEE OFFICE HOURS:

Emily's office hours will take place bi-weekly on Mondays at 8 PM EST/ 7 PM CST, beginning on September 4th!

Access Zoom meetings through the links below!

E-Board | Pres & VP | Trustee



SCHOOLHOUSE

KCI PARTNER SPOTLIGHT

Schoolhouse was established by Sal Khan, the founder of Khan Academy It is an organization that provides free online tutoring to students across the world.



You can get involved with this partner by becoming a tutor yourself and hosting live sessions, or by becoming a student ambassador to help expand Schoolhouse.

For more information, click *here*.



MAJOR EMPHASIS

FOR ALL KEY CLUBBERS

The Major Emphasis Award is given by Key Club International to a school whose Key Club produced the

best ME service project in the year. If you and your club choose to apply for the award, you must submit a typed report on your ME service project as your application.

Major Emphasis is Key Club International's service theme, and this theme is "Children: Their Future, Our Focus." ME consists of all Key Club projects, special partnerships, and service initiatives designated by the KCI Board in



MAJOR EMPHASIS

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More information about ME can be found here (pages 58-59). If you plan to participate in the competition, DO NOT plan your project without reading and and understanding the criteria.

Since school is out for the summer, now would be a good time to start thinking about and planning a potential ME project!









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