

# Louisiana-Mississippi-West Tennessee District

# **AGENDA**

### Meeting of the 2023-2024 District Board of Trustees

October 2, 2024 | 6:00pm | zoom Claude Vinson, Governor, Presiding

- I. Call to Order
- II. Invocation & Defining Statement
- III. Governor Remarks: Claude Vinson
- IV. Governor-Elect Remarks: Marcel Lashover
- V. Vice Governor Remarks: Andrew Dozier
- VI. Consent Agenda

NOTE: All items on the Consent Agenda are considered to be routine by the Board of Trustees and will be acted upon with one motion. There will be no discussion of these items prior to the vote on the motion unless a member of the Board has requested in writing to the Executive Director that a specific item be removed.

- A. July 28, 2024, Board Meeting Minutes
- **B.** District Key Position Reports

C. Circle K: 4 active clubs
D. Key Club: 121 active clubs
E. Aktion Club: 8 active clubs
F. Builders Club: 29 active clubs
G. K-Kids Clubs: 32 active clubs

# VII. Ongoing Business

- **A.** Future DCON Locations:
  - i. 2026:
    - 1. Potential Dates:
      - i. July 30-August 2, 2026
      - ii. August 6-9, 2026
      - iii. August 13-16, 2026
    - 2. Alexandria, LA: Bentley and/or Holiday Inn
    - 3. Kenner, LA: Hilton New Orleans Airport
  - ii. 2027 & 2028:
    - 1. Cruise
    - 2. Louisiana:
      - i. Lake Charles: Golden Nugget and L'Auberge
      - ii. Natchitoches: Natchitoches Event Center
      - iii. West Monroe: West Monroe Sports & Event Center, Hilton Garden Inn, and Hilton Home2Suite
    - 3. Mississippi:
      - i. Natchez, Natchez Convention Center

#### ii. Starkville: The Mill

# **B.** Specialty License Plates

- i. Louisiana: LA State Representative John Illg is working with other representatives to determine who will sponsor
- ii. Mississippi: bill is drafted and will be sponsored by MS Sate Representative Greg Haney in the Spring session
- iii. Tennessee: bill is drafted and will be sponsored by TN State Representative Mark White in the Spring session

# VIII. Board Committees

# A. BYLAWS & POLICIES COMMITTEE: A. Dozier (C)

# **B. BUDGET & FINANCE COMMITTEE**: R. Carter (C)

- i. Kiwanis District, Key Club, and Circle K Financials
- ii. Mid-Year Education Conference 2025 Budget
- iii. Kiwanis, Key Club, and Circle K District Budgets 2024-2025
- iv. Review and approve authorized District bank account signatories

#### **C. EDUCATION COMMITTEE**: J. Kelly-White (C)

i. Mid-Year Education Conference 2025 Education Topics

# **D. MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE**: L. Gilliland (C)

- i. Bayou Teche Club Opening Recap
- ii. New Club Sponsors:
  - 1. eLaMissTenn Club sponsoring the new Kiwanis Club of Sabine, LA
  - 2. Pine Belt, Hattiesburg, MS Club sponsoring the new Kiwanis Club of Covington County, MS
  - 3. Walker Club sponsoring the new Kiwanis Club of East Livingston, LA
  - 4. Lafayette Club sponsoring the new Kiwanis Club of Bayou Teche, LA
- iii. Club Strengthening

# E. SERVICE COMMITTEE: O. Brown (C)

i. 1 free Mid-Year Education Conference Registration for Distinguished Clubs

# **F. SLP COMMITTEE**: D. Green (C)

i. Key Leader South

#### IX. New Business

- A. District Update Engagement Incentive
- **B.** 2024-2025 District Recurring Meeting Schedule

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
First		Key Club Finances, 6pm		<b>Education Committee</b> , 10am	
Second	DCON Meeting, 2pm				
Third		Governor-LG Meeting, 6pm		Finance Committee, 3:30pm	
Fourth			Service Committee, 4pm		

i. Meeting schedule pending for Bylaws Committee, Membership Committee, and day/time for SLP Committee (Nov, Jan, Mar, May, Jul, Sept)

#### X. District Calendar

#### November 2024

1-3 Key Leader South

#### December 2024

- 7 Board Meeting, 9am-11am via zoom
- Newsletter Articles Dues (Governor, Governor-Elect, Vice Governor, Immediate Past Governor)

# January 2025

21 109<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Kiwanis International

# March 2025

- Newsletter Articles Dues (Governor, Governor-Elect, Vice Governor, Immediate Past Governor)
- Board Meeting, 5pm-7pm, Natchez, MS
- 22 Mid-Year Education Conference, Natchez, MS
- 23 Key Club International Birthday

# May 2025

- 30-31 Lt. Governor-Elect Education Conference, TBD
- 31 Board Meeting, TBD

#### **June 2025**

- Newsletter Articles Dues (Governor, Governor-Elect, Vice Governor, Immediate Past Governor)
- 25-28 110<sup>th</sup> Annual International Convention, Pittsburgh, PA

#### August 2025

- 8-10 107<sup>th</sup> Annual LaMissTenn Kiwanis District Convention, Memphis, TN
- 10 Board Meeting, 10am-12pm Memphis, TN

# September 2025

Newsletter Articles Dues (Incoming Governor, Governor-Elect, Vice Governor, Immediate Past Governor)

#### **Future District Conventions**

2026 108th Annual LaMissTenn Kiwanis District Convention, TBD

# **Future Kiwanis International Conventions**

**2026** 111<sup>th</sup> Annual KI Convention, Manila, Philippines, June 24-27 **2027** 112<sup>th</sup> Annual KI Convention, Dallas, TX, June 17-19

#### XI. Trustee Remarks

- XII. Vice Governor Remarks: Andrew Dozier
- XIII. Governor-Elect Remarks: Marcel Lashover
- XIV. Governor Remarks: Claude Vinson
- XV. Adjournment