

Louisiana-Mississippi-West Tennessee Advisors Bulletin Board

KEY CLUB®

Back-to-School Edition

Teachers: Welcome back from a well-deserved break. I hope that you have been able to rest and re-energize for the year ahead. I hope this newsletter will provide you with the information you need to get you Key Club year off to a strong start. Please know that our Adult Team (contact information at end) is here to help you. All of us are teachers (or retired from teaching) and understand the challenges you face juggling all of your



responsibilities. We appreciate all that you do to provide the opportunities of service and leadership through Key Club!

Dues Increase

At the last Key Club District Convention, the delegates voted to increase District dues **from \$6.50 to \$7.00/year**. **International dues will be \$10.00 a year this year**. A \$3.00 increase was approved by the delegates at the International Convention. As a result the **total dues** that need to be sent in will be **\$17.00 per student**.

Important Dates for the Key Club Year



Fall Rallies (more information to come soon)

• September 21: Pearl High School, Pearl, MS

• September 28: Baton Rouge High School, Baton Rouge, LA

- October 5: Jennings High School, Jennings, LA
- October 12: Discovery Park, Union City, TN
- October 19: TBA, New Orleans, LA

*Attend the Rally that is closest to you or one whose date works the best.

<u>Dues</u>

• November 1st: Early Bird - school receives a patch

• December 1st: Deadline or school is pending suspension

Key Club Week: November 4-8, 2024



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Key Club's 100th Birthday: March 25, 2025

Key Club District Convention (Celebrating 100 Years of Key Club)

• April 3-6, 2025: Tupelo, MS - birthplace of the most famous Key Club member - ELVIS!

Key Club International Convention (ICON)- *Celebrate 100* years with Key Clubs from around the world!

• July 2-6, 2025: Orlando, FL - You don't want to miss Key Club International's 100th Birthday Celebration!



Reports from Key Club International

Here are links to reports about Key Clubs found on the Kiwanis website. Find the LaMissTenn District and then your club. Check your status to be sure you are considered Active. It is not, it is not too late to keep your club from becoming "Suspended". Please let us know if you have any questions.

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Paid Membership Report

ICON - Atlanta 2024

Our district was well represented and recognized at the Key Club International Convention in Atlanta. We had 14 students and three adults representing the largest group in several years to attend. Congratulations to the following individuals and schools for their international recognition.



- Distinguished Clubs
 - $\circ \quad \ \ \text{Academy of Our Lady}$
 - Benjamin Franklin High School
 - Ecole Classique
 - Jennings High School
- Diamond Distinguished Clubs
 - Baton Rouge Magnet High School
- Distinguished District Editor
 - Sameen Enam
- RFL Outstanding LTG
 - Ryleigh Johnson

- Non-digital Poster Contest
 - 1st place, Ecole Classique
- Oratorical Contest
 - 3rd place, Alarryal Bradley, Baton Rouge Magnet High School
- Start Strong Zambia: Raised \$12,403 for SSZ, most raised by any District internationally



Our Adult Team

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Feel free to contact any of us if you have questions or need help.