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Thanksgiving

Written by: Sameen Enam, Governor

As we gather this November and reflect on the season of Thanksgiving, it's the perfect time to appreciate the history and meaning behind this cherished holiday. Thanksgiving began centuries ago as a time to express gratitude for the harvest and the blessings of the past year. Today, it's a time to come together with loved ones, share meals, and give thanks for the opportunities and connections that enrich our lives.

For us in Key Club, the spirit of Thanksgiving is woven into everything we do. Our mission centers on service and leadership, both of which are rooted in gratitude—gratitude for the communities we serve, for the chance to make a difference, and for the friendships we build along the way. As Key Clubbers, we have so much to be thankful for: the support of our advisors and Kiwanis clubs, the inspiration we draw from one another, and the opportunities we've been given to lead and grow.

This Thanksgiving season, I encourage you to reflect on the opportunities you've experienced in Key Club. Maybe it's the joy of helping a community member, the teamwork of planning a project, or the personal growth you've achieved. Let's also remember to express our gratitude—to our mentors, peers, and communities who make our work possible.

As we look forward to the rest of the Key Club year, let's continue to embody the spirit of Thanksgiving by leading with gratitude in all that we do. Thank you for your dedication to service, your passion for leadership, and your commitment to making a difference. Together, we have much to be grateful for and even more to look forward to.

Wishing you and your families a warm and joyful Thanksgiving!



Key Club and Circle K Scholarship Programs

Written by: Angel Cooper, Bulletin Editor

College can be expensive, but scholarship can help ease the financial burden and supports your college journey. The LaMissTenn District Foundation is excited to offer scholarship Exclusively for Key Club seniors and Circle K members.

We encourage all eligible seniors and Circle K members to apply for this incredible opportunity. The scholarship opened on November 1st and must be submitted by 11:59 on January 31, 2025.

Don't miss out on this chance to fund your higher education-submit your application today! You can visit <https://k11.site.kiwanis.org/key-club-circle-k-scholarship-programs/> to submit your application.

Dues

Written by: Angel Cooper, Bulletin Editor

On behalf of LaMissTenn, we sincerely thank all the clubs that have already paid their early bird dues. While the early bird deadline has passed, it's not too late to pay your club's dues! The official deadline is December 1, 2024, but payments will still be accepted after that date—so no need to worry! For more information on how to pay your clubs dues visit <https://www.keyclub.org/dues-reporting/>





DCON 2025

Written by: Lexi Carpenter, Lieutenant Governor At-Large

As we all know DCON is upon us! This year DCON will be held at Tupelo, Mississippi on April 4-6, 2025! DCON will provide you with an amazing experience of meeting new friends, electing new board members, participating in the various activities and competitions that will be held and celebrating all the achievements Key Club has accomplished. This will be a life-changing experience that you WON'T want to miss out on! You won't want to miss out on Key Club's 100th birthday, would you?? You can find the flyer on the next page.



ICON 2025

Written by: Lexi Carpenter, Lieutenant Governor At-Large

ICON is a very large gathering of people that LOVE Key Club and everything about it! ICON will be held at Orlando, Florida on July 2-6 2025! It will be Key Club's 100th birthday celebration! It would be the biggest event of the year that you WANT to celebrate with fellow key club members! You can meet new people from all across the world! Some of your fellow board members will be there!



LOUISIANA-MISSISSIPPI-WEST TENNESSEE KEY CLUB INVITES YOU TO

Key Club's Birthday Party



82ND ANNUAL DISTRICT CONVENTION

CADENCE BANK ARENA
TUPELO, MISSISSIPPI

APRIL 4-6, 2025

QUESTIONS?

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Global Leadership Certificate

Written by: Ryleigh Johnson, Secretary-Treasurer

The Global Leadership Certification is an online leadership course available to anyone wanting to complete it. This course consists of 40 modules that teach you something different about leadership and growth. You can complete the course at your own pace, so you can go as slow or as fast as you'd like! Upon the completion of the course, you will receive your certificate in a PDF to the email you registered with. Key Club members who complete the Global Leadership Certificate are eligible to apply for the Global Leadership Certificate Master Class at the International Convention. Last year, I completed the certification and attended the Master Class at ICON, and both of these things taught me invaluable things about leadership. If you would like to complete the Global Leadership Certificate, you can get started at <https://www.keyclub.org/global-leadership-certificate-program/>



Key of Honor

Written by: Angel Cooper, Bulletin Editor

The Key of Honor is the highest recognition present by the Key Club international board of trustees. Do you feel like you know someone who has made a lifelong impact upon our youth, then you should nominate them. The Key of Honor, Honors a person who has made a positive lifelong impact on their community in general or to Key Club specifically. Consider anyone you know who has made a difference in the life of Key Club members in your community. Applications are due January 10, 2025. Visit <https://www.keyclub.org/news/nominate-next-key-honor/> to find out more information.



Tutoring for Key Club

Written by: Angel Cooper, Bulletin Editor

Want more ways to earn service hours? Consider becoming a tutor at schoolhouse! You can provide free tutoring to thousands of learners worldwide. You can connect with students and help them succeed in a wide range of subjects. You can also join as a learner to gain valuable knowledge and improve in areas where you want to grow. Additionally if you're preparing for the SAT schoolhouses SAT Bootcamp is a great resource. You'll receive personalized support from certified, top scoring peer tutors.



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