

The Dutko Dispatch

UPDATED

DATES TO REMEMBER

June 10 | Club Monthly Report Form Due

June 10-12 | June District
Board Meeting

July 3-10 | ICON District Tour

September 10 | Summer MRF Due

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Hey Division 24!

I hope the end of the school year has been treating you all well! This newsletter is full of end of the year updates, information for seniors, and much more! For some of you this is your last month as a member of Key Club International, while the rest of you are just beginning your Key Club careers. If you are moving on to bigger things next year, whether it be college or the work force, I hope you continue your service through the Kiwanis Family. Without further ado, the final Dutko Dispatch of the school year. Enjoy!

Yours in service and friendship,



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Farewell to the Class of 2016

As Key Clubbers, I feel like we all dread the day that we have to part ways with high school for one reason, and believe me, one reason only. Key Club is obviously that reason, and now, many of you have come to the point in your Key Club career where you will say that pledge for the very last time as a member. Granted, there are those of you who will continue on to serve in the Kiwanis Family, and I cannot wait to see all of the amazing things you all accomplish; this senior class isn't just a group of people that are graduating high school, it holds some of the most caring, influential, and trustworthy people I know; it holds some of my best friends. This group of senior members has made Key Club what it is today, and Key Club thanks you all. I hope that you all can take something that you've learned in Key Club with you onto your next chapter in life; whether that thing be service, caring, leadership,

character building, or anything else. Congratulations to the class of 2016 on an amazing 4 years as Key Clubbers.



Over the next year, my goal is to host at least 3 division wide service projects. I know that this may seem like a lot to do when you all have your own projects you're working on, but the division projects could be at DCMs or an even on their own. What I ask of you, the members of Division 24, is that you send me your ideas for service projects. I only have one project in mind, so I need at least two more. Thanks in advance!



Member of the Month

Division 24's Member of the Month for April is... Erin Smith from Marquette Academy!!

Erin was very helpful in turning in Marquette's very first (and second) I-I Monthly Report form! The Monthly Report Form is vital to the success of the district, and with Marquette having their first two in for the year, they're on the right track to a successful year! Way to go Erin!!

Erin Smith, Marquette

Circle K International

The collegiate branch of the Kiwanis Family, Circle-K International is the world's

largest collegiate service organization with over 13,000 members! Offered by colleges all over the world, it is the perfect opportunity to continue your service after high school, check to see if your school has a Circle-K Club, if they don't, start one!

SUMMER OF Summer is coming up quick Key Clubbers! That being said, I just

SERVICE That being said, I just wanted to remind you that even though school is over, that doesn't

mean that Key Club has to be! Here are a few summer service projects to "key'p" you busy in the warmer months!

- -Have a lemonade stand for charity
 - -Volunteer at the Humane Society
 - -Help with Relay for Life
- -Hold a school or community clean up day
- -Hand out cold water bottles to community members

working hard in the heat (mail carriers, construction workers, etc)

MAJOR EMPHASIS



The Major Emphasis of Key Club, is a program that was created after being challenged at the first international convention to create a program to bring every Key Clubber's focus together to make a global impact. Since then, Key Club's Major Emphasis (ME) formerly known as the Major Emphasis Program (MEP), has been aimed at helping "Children: Their Future, Our Focus." . Today the program focuses on 3 preferred charities: The March of Dimes, Unicef, and The Children's Miracle Network (CMN), as well as The ELIMINATE Project, a joined effort between Unicef and Kiwanis to eliminate maternal & neonatal tetanus from third world countries. Members are not only limited to raising money for these charities, however, any involvement with an organization that directly impacts the children of the world would qualify for the Major Emphasis.

YOUR CLUB CAN HELP TODAY!

Host a car wash!

Have a bake sale!

Make no-slip socks for CMN patients.

Host a club "rummage sale" to raise money!

Contact the
I-I District Major
Emphasis Committee
for help or more ideas!
We'd love to help!!
majoremphasis@iikeyclub.org

That's it for this issue...

I hope you've enjoyed the second newsletter of my term! I hope you all have a great summer full of service, fun and friendship! Remember, if you have any questions, don't hesitate to contact me!

Congratulations to Ashley McCurdy on being chosen as the District Convention & Leadership Conference chairperson for the 2016-2017 DCLC!

Great job Division 24 for getting 3/4 of our reports in on time! Also, for having seven members register for ICON this summer! We're going to have a blast!

Key Websites Key Club International Kiwanis International Circle K International I-I Key Club **I-I Kiwanis I-I Circle K SPRF**

Start thinking about fundraising for ELIIMINATE, the I-I District has set a \$40,000 goal for the year!

Quiz Time!

First person to email me the correct answer, gets a prize!

What is the Major Emphasis?

IF YOU'VE HAD ELECTIONS FOR 2016-2017, PLEASE **TURN IN YOUR OFFICER ROSTER HERE!**



