# KEY CLUB®



# SANDY KEYS: MAST MARCH 2018

This March was filled with a ton of amazing events for Key Club! The past service year may have ended, but our work is only just getting started in order to make a difference in the new one. Happy belated International Day of Happiness!

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# OUR PROGRESS CONTINUES:

PROJECT

A snow day may have thrown an unexpected wrench into our plans, but it sure didn't stop the dedicated Thirst Project team from putting on an amazing gala! Held in 77, the event served to garner excitement for our upcoming Walk for Water on April 27th. There was food, friends, dancing, a photo booth, and too much fun to possibly describe. Thank you so much to everyone who helped plan and who attended this event! It couldn't have succeeded without you.

#### WALK FOR WATER:

The big day is almost here! April 27th will be our biggest Thirst Project event yet--the Walk for Water. We need lots of help to make it happen, so check your email for details about the event and how *you* can help!

> "NO ACT OF KINDNESS, HOWEVER SMALL, IS EVER WASTED." -AESOP

## **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

#### **CSH PROM: ONGOING**

In the next few weeks, the CSH Prom committee led by Cassondra Runko will be meeting Wednesdays Lunch B in Mr. Cuttrell's room to discuss plans for this year's Children's Specialized Hospital Prom. Join the team and help make the decorations and games necessary to make this year's prom another success!

#### **CSH VISITS: ONGOING**

Help out with the children's occupational therapy at Children's Specialized Hospital in Toms River...always a good time! Check your email for updates. Ten students will be needed for every third Sunday of the month. (Be sure to get your flu shot ahead of time!)

#### **TUTORING: ONGOING**

Volunteers are needed to help out with tutoring sessions Saturdays at multiple locations. Many of the kids who attend are elementary and middle school-aged, so have no fear! You can help. Keep an eye out for emails from Dylan Sequeira for more details.

#### **KEYPORT KIWANIS CHICKEN FRY: APRIL 9TH**

Come out and support our sponsoring Kiwanis Club by serving customers at the annual Chicken Fry! The event is always a ton of fun and a great way to show our sponsors how much we appreciate them. Grab some friends and have a great time! Sign up on the spreadsheet Mr. Cuttrell sent out via email.

# SERVICE RECAP:

#### **DCON FOOD DRIVE:**

Thank you to everyone who donated food to this month's DCON food drive! Your generosity helped the New Jersey District of Key Club International to meet and *surpass* all of our goals regarding hunger in our state this past service year. We're so proud of all that our Key Clubbers have done and continue to do to support this cause!

#### **BOOK DRIVE:**

Through the book drive, our Key Club managed to collect many books to donate to children in need. Thank you to everyone who participated! Please know that your willingness to give has greatly impacted the lives of many people in our community.



### **NEW OFFICERS!**

Congratulations to all of our newly elected officers! The results are as follows:

<u>Webmaster (appointed):</u> Sarah Hanlon <u>Editor:</u> Libby D'Albero <u>Treasurer:</u> Catherine Wimmer <u>Secretary:</u> Sophie Allen <u>Vice President:</u> Paige Weinreich <u>President:</u> Carlee Dunn <u>Lieutenant Governor</u>: Katie Lynch

These new officers will be officially sworn in at our inductions ceremony this spring. Until then, the current officers are busy teaching this group the ropes. Our club will be in great hands yet again this coming year!



District Convention, as always, proved to be an absolutely fantastic experience for all who attended! It was also a huge success: we were awarded Diamond Level Distinguished Club, 3rd Place in Platinum Single Service, 2nd Place in Website Design, and 2nd Place in Digital Poster Design. Thank you for all the hard work everyone put into these contests! We're so excited to share our DCON experiences with the club in the upcoming service year. (And a special thank you to Ms. Trinidad for being such a great DCON chaperone!)

## **OFFICERS AND ADVISERS:**

Lieutenant Governor of District 9: Maureen McLean (Congratulations to our new LTG elect!) President: Joey Schilke Vice President: Emily Fuller Secretary: Sophie Allen Treasurer: Paige Weinreich Webmaster: Joe Chiusano Editor: Carlee Dunn Advisors: Mrs. Trinidad Ms. Oppito Mr. Cuttrell