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Last Month's DCM (and Our Winning Division Service Project) – See Feature Article

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A note from your editor, Alexander Wiegman

Happy holidays and hopes for a happy new year from your editor. Hopefully, everyone is not worrying about homework, and doing much more holiday-appropriate activities, such as traveling, eating sweets, cooking duck, and procrastinating while watching YouTube videos. If anyone has a story of a service event, however, that they did over the break, I would be more than happy to do the appropriate grammar edits and editor does, and submit your story for you to www.cnhkeyclub.org. That reminds me... I need more photos guys!

In the new year, exciting changes are on their way, as soon it will be time to start thinking about changing the guard – the set of officers will go up for election again. I would like to make it clear that I would like to run again for the position of editor. That is, I hope I will be your editor over this next year, too.

I decided to include this for quick reference, *in every month's edition*. This is the KEY club pledge **here**:

"I pledge, on my honor, to uphold the Objects of Key Club International; to build my home, school and community; to serve my nation and God; and combat all forces which tend to undermine these institutions."

Anyway, hopefully everyone was happy with this first newsletter. However, if you just can't read anything on paper (I know some people have that problem), check out our website (which is always under construction) at: <http://mhscnhkeyclub.wix.com/mohikeyclub>.

Aha, probably got you there! Did anyone notice that the website has changed? Yes, we've gone Wix, to the suggestion of many other KEY clubbers that have talked to me on the advantages of the web-host service.

Is there anything you would like to see? Would you have rather had me write a few paragraphs on the weather? Do you think the weather is so wacky that we should make Mr. Vierra do a service project with us? (OK, let's do this the common way – "Any comments or questions?") Well, if you have any, feel free to contact me at mhscnhkeyclub@gmail.com." Really. POINT TO CASE: READ THE NEWSLETTERS AND GIVE ME SOME NEW IDEAS! I WANT TO SEE ARTICLES IN THE DISTRICT NEWSLETTER SOON!

With a lot of love and sincerity to all who make my job useful,
Alexander Wiegman
(Baby Red Panda)



Salvation Army Food Distribution & Modesto High December DCM

- Salvation Army Food Distribution
 - <http://www.modbee.com/2013/12/21/3100838/thousands-of-modesto-turlock-families.html>
 - As can be seen above, the event became public by the next morning by *The Modesto Bee*
 - The project was located at 3173 Del Este Avenue, in a large warehouse
 - 2 shifts of volunteers, each with about 30 people:
 - 7 am to 10 am
 - 10 am to 1 pm
 - Each family was able to receive a milk, eggs, chicken, meat, oatmeal, potatoes, a box of other supplies, and toys if the family had children.
 - "It was a true assembly line, until it started becoming inefficient." (wording courtesy Mohammad Bulksh)
- DCM @ Modesto HS
 - We held the DCM in our cafeteria on the 16th of December.
 - We brought everybody potatoes!
 - We won the Division Service Project for collecting toys for Salvation Army! Hooray!
 - See the feature article.
 - Icebreaker: "Memorize names", followed by a round of "BANG!"
 - Upcoming Events:
 - Pasadena trip on the 30th of December.
 - January 19th – Executive CTC for Lt. Governor and CNH District Level Officer Candidates
 - CONCLAVE will be at the February DCM - 17th of February @ Gregori HS
 - Next DCM is at Enochs High School, on 27th of January, from 6-8 pm.



Feature Article: Club Kicks-Off the Holidays with a School-Wide Toy Drive

In Modesto High School, a small group of KEY club students has brightened the lives of 36 lucky individuals! When the call came for toys for the Salvation Army Toy Drive, the club decided to look beyond its boundaries – and they asked the whole school to help out the club in a – (this is the amazing part) – **one week** collection drive. Many students brought all sorts of toys from a little set of Tech Deck finger skateboards to whole barbie doll-house sets. At the DCM on the 16th of December, the guy who came in with all the toys that Modesto High had brought looked like Santa Claus with all the white bags that he carried it in. Interested, I asked him why he had so many toys – that is when he began to go into a story of how a small toy drive led to the collection of about 30 toys... and before long, other members came in with more toys to donate. By the time the count was conducted to see which school won the Division Service Project of collecting the toys for the Salvation Army Toy Drive, it was obvious who had won the competition – sure enough, Modesto High School had won its first competition that year! Yet, not having been a part of the committee that collected the toys or planned the logistics of the toy drive, the most enjoyable part of the collection for me was getting together with the rest of my fellow pandas and taking a large group “selfie” photo. (Little did the author of this article know that the photo they are referring to would be the front cover of the newsletter.) I do like the fact that because I won I'll be receiving donuts from Celina as the prize, but I like even more that I'll be helping 36 local children receive gifts from “Santa” this Christmas (in a way, it's like being “Secret Santa” for 36 children). I hope I will be a part of many more successful projects of this nature while I continue as a part of Modesto High's Key Club.

– An anonymous Article-Sender

P.S. This article made my day when I received this article from a club member, because it was the first time a club member gave me article to peruse over. Thank you for the article, and I, too, hope that you have a wonderful experience with MoHi's Key Club.

P.P.S. I'm glad you liked the poster. As you stated in the e-mail to me, I will post a picture of the poster for everyone to see again this month, because, frankly, not only do I like the poster; I am also the creator of the poster.

(The poster →)



Donate new and unwrapped toys (suggested value \$5-10) to your second period classes from Mon. Dec. 9th – Fri. Dec. 13th and place in the black bags in your 2nd Period classes.

Multiple Donations appreciated.

Both students and staff are welcome!



Photos

YOUR GOLDEN TICKET



Location: Sacramento Convention Center
Date: April 11th - April 13th, 2014



Your Golden Ticket embodies the opportunities District Convention provides. Key Club is the ticket for leaders across the globe to develop leadership through service. It is not just the ticket for one individual; it is the ticket for anyone. It is YOUR ticket. With this ticket, Key Club members will be able to perform golden service and live by the core values. To celebrate the legacy brought by the CNH leaders, DCON 2014 will be YOUR GOLDEN TICKET.



BEE motivated by our Key Note Speaker: **Keith Hawkins**

ABOUT KEITH: Keith Hawkins represents Real Inspiration Incorporated, a company that helps to solve some of the toughest challenges faced by schools and businesses alike. Through motivational speaking and customized programs, Real Inspiration has four key beliefs. He spoke for CNH in 2011, and will be presenting workshops.

PAYMENT & REGISTRATION:
ON TIME REGISTRATION: \$178 PER MEMBER
DEADLINE: February 20th, 2014 into the CNH District Office
LATE REGISTRATION: \$218 PER MEMBER
DEADLINE: March 15, 2014 into the CNH District Office
HOTEL FEES: \$170/night x 2 nights= \$88/person (with 4 persons sharing)

Ribbons:
First Timer, Old Timer, I ♥ Key Club, I ♥ CNH Bees, Ask Me How I Feel, Key Club Changed My Life, BEE Golden, Heart of Gold, Eliminator

<http://www.cnhkeyclub.org/events/dcon>

Alternative Activities:
Karaoke
Video Games
Super Smash Bros, Mario Kart Wii, Rock Band...
Card Games
Uno, Apples to Apples...
Board Games
Twister, Monopoly...
Service Project
Wounded Warrior Project



Dance the night away at Governor's Ball!

The event of the year is coming up soon – DCON is just around the corner. If your planning on getting a golden ticket, do you have yours yet? DCON will be from April 11-13th. See more information at

<http://www.cnhkeyclub.org/events/dcon>.

Also, one can see the current plans for the buttons and ribbons at:

[http://www.cnhkeyclub.org/downloads/District%20Convention/DCON LRB Ad 12 1314.pdf](http://www.cnhkeyclub.org/downloads/District%20Convention/DCON%20LRB%20Ad%2012%201314.pdf)

OFFICERS Serving Among the Stars

Officers of the Month

It. Governors recognized these officers last month for their commitment to service! Congratulations!



Division	Officer	Division	Officer	Division	Officer
1	Angelina Long, Lincoln	16	Marlon Sevilla, East Valley	34 North	Gina Tu, Lowell
2	Sophia Lam, Castro Valley	18 East		34 South	Stacy Chang, Gunn
3 North		19 North	Jacob Tran, CAMS	35 East	Rozalind Silva, Nogales
3 South	Sabrina Yelazco, Benjamin Franklin	19 South	Amie Fung, West Torrance	35 West	Jenny Vu, Baldwin Park
4 East	Kevin Chu, Beckman	20/32		36 East	Tuyen Nguyen
4 North	Jacquelyn Da, Bala Grande	21	Allen Huynh, Stephen Watts	36 West	Ricardo Angulo, Colton
4 West	Monica Law, Fountain Valley	22 Hikina	Sabrina Young, Kaiser	37 East	Nina Tram, San Marcos
5 North	Ashley Tang, Buchanan	22 Kamohana	Breahna Robinson, Mililani	37 North	
5 South	Alexis Moran, Bullard	22 Makai	Christopher Kim, Maui	37 South	Abeysa Fanganban, Delicate
6 North	Ashley Chen	23	Bitanna Peacock, Worcester	38 East	
6 South	Julie Phan	24	Sigrd Derickson	38 West	Daniela Canal
7 North	Ashley Dong, West Campus	25 East	Sathe In, Ganadhi@Charter	39	Emmy Lindsey, West Valley
7 South	Jacob Yu	25 West	Neema Shehbar, Agoura	41 North	Orianna Xu, Northwood
8	Abraham Alvarez, Amador	26 North	Leslie Pada	41 South	
10 North		26 South	Brian Lam, California	42 East	Tyler Smith, Oak Park
10 South	Cathy Liu	27 North	Karen Le, Lodi	42 West	Jovanny Guen, Channahans
11	Marilda Moreno, Mar Vista	27 South	Jerry Vannakithong, Edison	43	
12 East	Joanna Wu, Mission San Jose	28 North		44 North	Awfa Al-Rakabi, Roseville
12 South		28 South	Tra Mi Bao, SECTA	44 South	Eunice Opera, Mesa Verde
12 West	Austin Li, The Hatler School	28 West	Anna Zhang, Clark	45	
13 North	Cynthia Tran, Downey	29	Fatima Cacho, Cobble Senior	46 North	Amir Patel
13 South	Cossey Chap, Cabrillo	30 North	Brandon Nguyen, Troy	46 South	
14	Akara Oulens, Albert Power	30 South	Astine Tran, John F. Kennedy	47	Hidy Kuang, Hemet
15	Sana Senapati, Chino Hills	31	Tony Murillo, Helix		

Congratulations, Amir. You are the star officer of the month (as voted for by Celina)! Hooray for Amir being in the CNH magazine in December 2013!



A list of Officers

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