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Club president, Kristy Phal, helps advertise the PTP Car wash to passing cars on McHenry, near US Bank.

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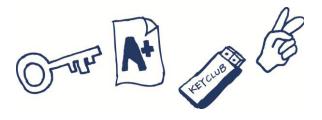




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A note from your editor, Alexander Wiegman

Good day to everyone again! I have been on vacation much of the summer and I apologize for that. Because of that, I have published a special "summer" publication to make up for the months of June and July. In this edition, I have two main articles: the graffiti car night in June, and the PTP carwash in mid-July.

I wonder what Celina will say to me when she notices that I haven't been publishing newsletters all summer... I would hate to image the situation.

The first meeting of the year is going to be on Monday, August 12, 2013, during both lunch periods in room 78. Our new staff advisor is going to be Ms. Fillipini (I believe) and our new KIWANIS advisor will be Jan (YAY!) At least, this is the information I believe I heard from our Student Body and Events Secretary, Mrs. Schmitt. Don't forget that we will be hosting the DCM here in our cafeteria a week later, on August 19th.

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: https://sites.google.com/site/keyclubmohi/

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)





A word from the President, Kristy Phal

I recently updated the club's description for the new school year...

What is Key Club?

- -We volunteer around the community while having fun with friends.
- -We serve those in need and those who just needs a good time.
- -We give CAS hours to upperclassmen who earn it.
- -We make a difference in the world, one step at a time.

MEETINGS ARE:

Mondays!! / @ 4th Lunch, room 75 / @ 5th Lunch, room 78

AND IF THAT doesn't reel you in:

We go to Six Flags EVERY FALL! and our monthly meetings offer you a chance to make great friends and stuff your tummy.

Key Club is a fun and exciting way to meet people and help others throughout the community. It sponsors dinners and dances to raise money for various charities. It holds blood drives, food drives, and clothing drives. An annual district convention is attended in March at Sacramento. Also Key Club is an international club and it just happens international convention is held in Anaheim this year!

Get Connected with your officers!

President- Kristy Phal; Vice President- Divinee Chidume; Secretary- Amir Patel; Treasurer- Kim Vu; Editor- Alexander Wiegman

Come to the meetings. We all hope to see you there!

Sincerely, Kristy Phal President



KEY CLUB

Graffiti Night Water Selling

"We were on the Disneyland crew at the graffiti car show and we had to pick up trash. As we were picking up trash we got to see a whole bunch of beautiful cars." - Kristy Phal, president of MHS KEY Club

On June 9th, an important event passed through Modesto – the Graffiti Car show. KEY club was selected to help during the project, because KIWANIS got to organize and host this year's show. Speaking of hosts, the MC of ceremonies this year was none other than – George Lucas himself!



Before the actual parade

started, our club got to sell waters to many people waiting along the parade route, who just wanted to have something to drink. I, amongst many other people, helped support our club by paying \$1/bottle of water. I think I must have bought 5 bottles! My fellow club officers that were there that day sold the water

along the parade route and as a district, we raised over \$1763! Good job Modesto High and D46 North!

Modesto High School was placed on the Disneyland crew and they helped to pick up trash. While they picked up the trash, the watched the parade, as it passed through the historic route. Good job picking up MoHi!









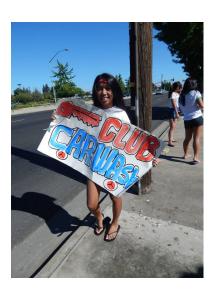
DCM / PTP Car Wash

"Let's get more cars so we'll make more money!" - multiple KEY club advisors

On July 14th, KEY club members from all over the district came to US Bank to participate in the annual PTP carwash. It was also a potluck, so many enjoyed eating the donuts, grapes, waters, and other goodies that brought over to the carwash. Soon, we had the hoses set up and we started washing cars.

Until 11 AM, the cars came non-stop and everyone enjoyed either spraying the cars, sponging the soap, or drying the cars. After that, there was a problem that required a little thinking – we didn't have any customers. So, we all went and advertised over the next few hours. We still got more customers, and between 11:30 and 1:00 in the afternoon, most everyone went on lunch.

Congratulations on making the \$385 from all the cars. Hope to see everyone at the DCM in August.











Member of the Month for June - Amir Patel

Good job Amir! You're a member of the month! Keep working hard and keep turning in the MRFs on time! All of the Red Pandas, as a district have your back!

- Amir working on collecting trash during the Graffiti Parade



Honorary Member of the Month of June - Kim Vu

I recently got this letter from an individual that appreciated a service member during the graffiti parade...

Dear Kim Vu:

"Thank you for volunteering your time to help sell the waters and clean up the streets of Modesto! It is great that you volunteer your time so that we can all have a more enjoyable experience between affordable bottled water and a clean parade route. I hope to see you excel in many more of your prospects and will enjoy your time in high school and KEY club!"



Sincerely,

(well, let's just say that the person who wrote this did not want to be named)

And this is why you became an honorary member of the month.





Member of the Month for July - Kristy Phal

Thank you for working so hard during the DCM and car wash to get us so many customers! You were great during the presentation of what we did, and I look forward to hearing you speak again on the monthly topics this coming DCM. Keep being that great president you were!





A list of Officers

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I would like to add that our new district editor is Chantico Martinez, who is reachable by e-mail at "nelidatesillos@hotmaill.com." Welcome, Ms. Martinez!

