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What's Going On

Hey guys! I am so excited to start another school year and another GREAT Key Club year. Although I felt that school came a little too fast, it is going really well.

I have six classes this year, but I start at 7:25 each morning and go to 1:25 and then I have to rest of my day to do homework and serve our great club.

The District has been working really hard on making the Montana District the best it can be. From what I have witnessed we are doing a pretty good job as a whole!

We are going to combine Project Life and "Project Pride" together. What Project Pride is, is a bullying prevention project. So instead of just making it an anti-

suicide project we are going to make it a bullying project as well. This helps out with the schools who aren't allowed to do this project because the school feels that if you talk about suicide you might trigger someone to do it. Also, bullying is where a lot of the thoughts of completing suicide begin.

I encourage my entire division as well as every club across Montana to participate in this project in some way.

We are in full swing with planning Youth Conference which is coming up this November. I will be explaining that a little later in my newsletter.

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"Dream Big,
and hope for
the best!"

UPCOMING EVENTS!

Division Eight Club's

The Division Eight Club's are doing an OUTSTANDING job! The presidents of this division do everything and more to help me out. They do what I ask without any complaints. I am a very, very lucky Lt. Governor of Division Eight!

First the Columbia Falls Club had a rough start to the school year, because the president stepped down from his position. But they have a new president and are looking really good.

Their first project was last Saturday and they helped the Booster Club and DePratu Ford with a car test drive sale. Although not many members showed up it was still a fun project. The next thing they are looking forward for is the "Drive~by~Raking" this October. The Columbia Falls club is doing really well with members and I am very excited to see what they will do for the remainder of the year.

Whitefish is looking so well. Their President Danyal Wendt is doing an excellent job on her duties. She is very excited to bring the Whitefish Club out of there drought and

get them back into the District. I believe that she is going to accomplish this.

I haven't heard on what their first project is but I do know that they are planning on coming to the Division Eight Rally, so I am getting very excited about that.

Polson Club also has a very good President. He is working hard to keep the growing club, well growing and hoping he can do a great job as president.



What the Polson Club is trying to do is just get more members to join. They are getting very excited about the new year and are ready to do some service.

Eureka still hasn't gotten back to me so I am going to keep trying! I will soon get a hold of them and let them know what is going on.

leadership

inclusiveness

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character building



KEY CLUB

Division Eight Rally

Youth Conference

Whoa! The rally is coming up SUPER soon! I am so excited to host a fun rally and I am hoping I get a GREAT turnout.

The rally will be held at Whitefish High School and then we are going to end in a mysterious place. We will be doing a scavenger hunt across the valley to see what group can make it to the destination first.

It should last from 1:00 to around 6:00. I hope that everyone who can make it does. I know that with more people it will be a BLAST!

Agenda for the Day

12:30-1:00~ Greet Everyone
1:00-2:00~ Play games on the field right next to the High School.
2:00-2:15~ Split into groups and directions for the scavenger hunt.
2:15~ First Group heads out
2:20~ Second Group heads out
2:25~ Third Group heads out EXT.
From when you get done with the scavenger hunt to around 5:00 we will be doing a service project.
5:00- Done~ Tori's "lecture" and dinner!

I hope I see all of you there! It will be a fun place to be!

This year's Youth Conference is going to be fun! We have four amazing speakers coming to talk. Have a ton of games to play in small groups and in the "big group" as well.

We are also going to stick little miss Amanda Bryant (the governor) to the wall. Yes, bring some extra cash so you can help sticky your governor to the wall. All of the money will be going to Green Peace U.S.A!

We would LOVE it if you all came to this wonderful event!

Key Club Week

Key Club week is a promotional week from November

2-6. The following are the days (all interchangeable) along with explanations of each day and possible ideas for clubs to get involved with Key Club week. Please share with the clubs in your district!

Show your K in every way—Show people what Key Club is all about! Spread the word by wearing Key Club gear and publicizing Key Club Week in local stores, your school web site, community newspapers—even on the radio. A great way to promote your club is to set up a booth at lunch and let your peers know exactly what Key Club does.

Kudos to the Key players—Personally thank all the Key Club supporters you know—teachers, advisors and other Key players. Write thank-you notes, host an appreciation dinner, or do something small and special like send out a bag of candy to let these Key players know you appreciate their support for the organization.

Connect the Ks—This is the time to celebrate the entire Kiwanis family by getting the whole gang involved. Connect with your local Kiwanis, Circle K International, Builders, Kiwanis Kids or Aktion clubs and team up for a joint service project. Pick up a local park or paint over graffiti. Make sure to have interactive projects in order to work directly with your Kiwanis family and connect with its members.

Bring a friend to Key Club—More members = more service. Simple right? One of the simplest days in Key Club week is bring a friend to Key Club day. Coax your friends into attending your meeting or participating in a service project. Quicker than you can say "Key Club rules!" they'll be hooked and the organization is one member up.

Your way—This is your club's chance to do its own thing and make its mark. You can pick a project, set up a booth, or create something unique to reflect your own Key Club. Clean up around your school's campus, get ice cream for the freshman to make them feel welcome, do anything to show that your club loves everyone around them. Get people hooked! (Don't forget that as a club you're publicizing yourself.)