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UNIT CONFERENCE

One for the books.

1. To unplug, meditate, and just let everything be is the best way to relax your mind!
2. Always take the good from bad situations and transform it into something beneficial.



KAY LEADERSHIP CAMP

KLC: July 27th-31st

Q: What's the best part about camp?

A: The people. To be surrounded by youth leaders all across the state is a special experience you don't wanna miss!

COMING TO A CLOSE

Finishing the year off strong

The best way to end the semester is by serving your community!

Service Project Ideas:

1. Create food packs for your local women's shelter in honor of Women's History Month.
2. Visit your local nursing home!

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News For You, Area 2!

UNIT CONFERENCE

Unit Conferences were a complete success. Brainstorming ideas with your members is a great way to get new projects that your members want to do. Thank you everyone for going to the conference, I hope you have some new amazing service projects to use.

ELECTIONS

Election time! It's time to elect new officers for next years board. It's very important to get people who are excited and willing to be on your board. Find good candidate who are excited about KAY and want to get more involved. Make sure to get next years president signed up for KLC!

CAMP TIME!

It's time to get pumped for KLC! Camp is the best experience that a KAY member could have. The people and activities gained from going to camp will teach your members life lessons that will inspire them throughout their lives. Get signed up before all the spots are filled, you wont regret it!

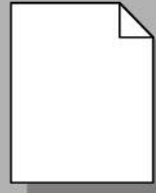
END OF YEAR CELEBRATION

End of the year celebrations are very important in making members feel appreciated in all the hard work they've put in over the past school year. End of the year celebrations should be relaxed and easy. Make it enjoyable and fun!

FINSH THE YEAR STRONG

The end of the school year is coming. It's time to do those service projects you've been wanting to do. Finish the year strong in completing any service projects you've been waiting to do. You can never be too busy to help your community. Work made fun gets done!





Ross's Report



UNIT CONFERENCE REPORT

The Unit Conference was AWESOME! At the Manhattan Eisenhower/Anthony middle school conference we learned about the USD 383 FIT Closet and Katie's Way, a nonprofit, in Manhattan. We also got to interact with other clubs, learning what different service activities they do throughout the year! We rounded out the day writing a letter to our superhero!

WOW WHAT A GREAT CONFERENCE!!

WE ARE DOWN TO THE WIRE! Only three more months of school until you are out for summer break!! Get together with your club and celebrate all of the exciting things your club did this year. Also, it's important to start electing your new officers for next year! Check out the KSHSAA website for the correct procedure on electing club officers!

WHY KAY CAMP?

Your summer can get busy, full of sports, camps and work! KAY camp is something that you aren't going to want to miss! It's a great opportunity to make new friends and you meet other teens from all around the state! Camp equips you with leadership skills that will not only benefit you but also your club. You will use these skills for the rest of your life. See you there!!!

TEAMWORK TIPS:

- There is no "I" in team
- Each teammate has a specific talent and purpose
- Encourage your team members to do their best
- Listen to everyone's ideas and opinions
- Make high quality decisions
- The group is committed and everyone has the same end goal
- Creativity and innovation are the norm
- Take risks and break down barriers



BE THE SPARK

Be The Spark is a grant from Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Kansas to do a large community service project within your community. The primary focus is physical health, but can also include mental health and healthy eating options. The Be The Spark grant application deadline is March 15. Announcement of grant award winners is May 1. I can't wait to see all the cool projects that clubs are going to be doing for Be The Spark!



*"Every task, goal, race, and year comes to an end...
Therefore, make it a habit to always finish strong."
- Gary Ryan Blair*

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March 2020 Newsletter



**CAMP REGISTRATION IS
ALMOST FULL!
SIGN UP TODAY!!
KLC 2020
JULY 27-31**



A GOOD "DAY" TO BE A KAY!

MARCH 2020 KAY AREA 4 NEWSLETTER

BY EMMA DAY



WHAT'S HAPPENING

KAY LEADERSHIP CAMP

Camp is over 55% full! Register today!
KLC will take place July 27 - August 3.

FINISHING THE YEAR

As the school year winds down, make sure to show your club members some appreciation! Hosting an end-of-the-year banquet is always a great idea!

ELECTING NEW LEADERS

For more information on electing new cabinet members within your club, go to
<http://www.kshsaa.org/public/KAY/PDF/SelectingClubLeaders.pdf>

WHY ATTEND KLC?

GROW AS A LEADER, AND HAVE FUN DOING IT

KLC is an incredible opportunity to meet KAY members from all over the state. You will enjoy banquet night, fun night, great speakers, and incredible food! Hope to see you this summer!

"Leadership is not a position or a title, it is action & example."

- Cory Booker



DIVE INTO AREA 5

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KAY LEADERSHIP CAMP: JULY 27TH- 31ST

If you haven't already make sure to sign up for camp! Camp is a great way to learn more about KAY club, get new ideas for your club and meet new people from across the state for lifelong friendships!

ELECTION OF NEW OFFICERS

If you are interested in being an officer for your KAY club talk to your sponsor! You must be dedicated and be ready to lead your members. Attend KLC to learn more information about your position!

END OF THE YEAR CELEBRATION

2020 has been great so far for many clubs. An end of the year celebration for your club is a great way to show appreciation for everyone's hard work they put in.

PROJECT IDEAS:

- Homemade dog toys
- Can food drive
- Visit nursing homes

FINISHING THE YEAR STRONG

As the year is coming to an end, managing good team work will continue to keep your club strong. If your club had goal for a certain project be sure to accomplish those!

UNIT CONFERENCE RE-CAP

Thank you for everyone attending this years unit conference and another big thank you to Ingalls HS for hosting and getting everything organized for us! We learned many lessons at the conference, one of many was giving back. For our service project we gave back to the local Police Department, Fire Department, and EMS. They do a lot for us and a small appreciation to them means a lot!



BE THE SPARK

Sublette KAY club signed up for be the spark. Their club will make a great difference in their community and school with be the spark. If your club is interested in be the spark make a plan or set ideas you want to make a chance for your facility.

Top Picks for Area Six

March 2020 Edition - Tessa Boesker



FINISH STRONG!

As we wrap up this year of service, be sure to follow through with projects your club set out to do; accountability is a key part of a successful club! And be sure to commemorate your club with an end of the year celebration! Review your year with a fun Power Point or slideshow. An annual banquet or celebration can help boost morale and inspire members to be the best servant leaders they can be!

BOARD ELECTIONS

The transition of leadership can be tough, but there are some things you can do to ensure a successful transition.

When electing new board members, be sure to secure dedicated and interested members! The leaders of your club need to be enthusiastic, because work made fun gets done! And make sure your elected leaders are signed up to attend KLC! There is no better way to prepare KAY board members for leadership than KLC attendance.

KAY leaders must be prepared and dedicated leaders, because as KAY founder Wanda May Vinson said to club presidents, "As you go, so goes the club!"

GREAT LEADERS

DON'T TELL YOU WHAT TO DO.

THEY SHOW YOU HOW IT'S DONE.

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TEAM KAY



ATTEND KLC!

Registration for KAY Leadership Camp is filling up faster than ever before! Be sure to secure your spot at camp and register before it's too late! The last day to register is May 1st! Join Team KAY for a fun-filled week of service, recreation, and fun at Rock Springs Ranch! You won't want to miss this life-changing experience! (July 27 - 31).

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