

# THE KAY MINUTE

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Attention 2022 KLC campers and their sponsors...have you met to talk about everything your camper learned at KLC? What new ideas did they bring back to share? How can you continue to promote KLC so that your club is represented again next year?

What if you didn't have a camper at KLC? Now is the perfect time to look ahead at the dates for next summer and decide who can attend and then start the financial planning. KAYAN offers camp scholarships each year and KAY gives \$50 off to two schools in each area for early registration. Another idea I learned of last year was KAY clubs teaming up with community organizations that are also about service and leadership and that organization pays for camp.

The Regional Conferences are just around the corner so make plans not to attend. Secure a sub for the sponsor, put in a bus request, identify club members to attend and then get ready to have a lot of fun with other KAY clubs in your area!

#### This Month:

- Membership Drive
- Area Projects
- Citizenship Week
- Social Media

### **Membership Drive**

What is your KAY club doing this year to in- Area 1 - To Give Myself to a Cause crease membership?

Does your school have a club fair where you can set up a table with a display of how KAY brings people together for service and leadership?

Everyone loves to eat so why not include snacks with your membership drive to encourage all to attend.

Plan a small service project and use it as part of your membership drive to demonstrate how easy it is to give of your time and how great it feels to

How can you use the theme, "Service with Pur- Area 5 - Health pose" in your membership drive?

October 15 is the date that all clubs need to turn in their membership dues to the KSHSAA.

#### Social Media

Don't forget to tag KAY on Facebook with any of your posts from your KAY Club. The alumni of KAY enjoy seeing the activities the clubs are doing and other clubs can get great ideas for service projects. KAY also has an Instagram account you can share to as well.

**KAY Facebook KAY Instagram** 

KAY Motto: Today for Tomorrow

KAY Slogan: Laugh, Love, Lift

2022-2023 Theme: Service With Purpose

#### **Area Projects**

Creating and distributing care packages to people in need.

Area 2 - To Give Myself to a Cause Fundraising/Donations to an organization of choosing

Area 3 - To Enjoy Fun and Laughter Recreation Reconnection: Connecting communities through activities.

Area 4 - Appreciation/Give Myself to a Cause Appreciating a specific cause during Citizenship Week

To live healthy while having fun (mental or physical)

Area 6 - Health

Focusing on physical and mental health of students

#### **KLC 2023**

Mark your calendars for KLC 2023!

July 24-28, 2023. Who wants to go?

## Citizenship Week

As a reminder, Citizenship Week will be celebrated November 13-19, 2022. Now is the time to start planning for that week. Hopefully, this change will allow schools to have more flexibility in their planning but it is also important to note that KAY clubs are not expected to complete an activity each day. The celebration can go beyond Citizenship Week and some Area Projects would work with Citizenship week as well.

Remember to share on social media what your club does to celebrate!

Citizenship Week Link

