

Lydia's Lowdown

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Who am I?

What's up, Key Clubs of Division 5?

My name is Lydia Tucker, and I will be your Lieutenant Governor for this upcoming Key Club year. We're going to have a blast!

As Lieutenant Governor, my role is to act as the liaison between the District Board and Key Clubs in Division 5. I will be publishing monthly newsletters relaying information from Key Club International and the New England and Bermuda District (NEBD) that you can pass along to the members of your Key Club. Stay tuned for officer trainings, Divisional meetings, and service projects your Key Clubs can join in on, too!

Do you know where Bike Week is? Well, that's where I live: Laconia, New Hampshire! I go to Laconia High School, and I am a sophomore. When I'm not doing too much homework, you can find me on the sports field. I play field hockey, lacrosse, and I am a gymnast. I'm also in Interact Club and Life of an Athlete. In my free time, I love to travel, take yoga classes, and play with my dog, Finnigan!

Most importantly, I'm excited for what this year has in store and to meet you all! Key Club has made a big difference in my life and allowed me to meet so many wonderful people. I hope I can share this experience with you! Thanks for reading, and let's make this year one to remember.

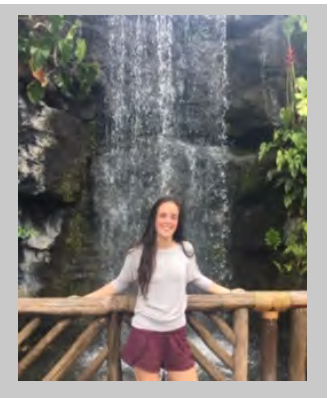
Yours in service and friendship,

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Who's excited for this year? Feel free to introduce yourself to me at
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Do you want to attend ICON 2019 in Baltimore, Maryland? Hurry up! Seats are filling fast and

Recap of the District Educational Conference 2019

The District Educational Conference (DCON) in Springfield, Massachusetts was a huge success this year! Members talked to new people at the service fair, learned about our District Projects at workshops, and voted for our new Executive Board. The theme this year was “Say Aloha to Service” so everyone wore leis throughout the day! 5 lucky Key Clubs took home Hawaiian Key Clubby Bears decorated by various members of the District Board. Arguably, the best part was that each day ended with a dance!

The Executive Board was elected at DECON! Meet your new District leaders:

- **District Governor:** Andrew Kirdahy
- **District Secretary:** Grace Jarell
- **District Treasurer:** Jonah Cote
- **District Bulletin Editor:** Ava Jarell

Club Spotlight

Check out Kennett (left) and Laconia (right) Key Clubs at DECON!



The District Board met for the first time at their April Board Training in Maine! Here are the goals we created for the upcoming year...

GROWTH: *Each Lieutenant Governor will make an active effort to charter, reactivate, or save one faltering Key Club in their Division before the end of the year.*

DECON: *Have at least 50% of active Key Clubs come to DECON 2020.*

ENGAGEMENT: *Double the level of engagement with general members across different platforms by the end of the year.*

DISTRICT PROJECTS: *Increase fundraising for District Projects by 25%.*

Note from your Bulletin Editor, Ava Jarell:

“The Key Club Instagram pages are very important to the functioning and development of our Key Club District. They help reach all members of our District to spread news, share ideas, and showcase our wonderful members! To be featured on the @humansofnebdkeyclub page, all you have to do is send me a picture of the Key Clubber as well as a quote from them talking about one of the following things:

- a favorite Key Club experience
- their reason for joining Key Club
- what Key Club means to them
- how Key Club has inspired them
- a random story from their time as a Key Clubber
- a summary of their time as a Key Clubber
- anything else that is Key Club related!”

Hey, club secretaries! If your Key Club has already had elections, feel free to submit your 2019-2020 club directories! This lets me keep in touch with your new officers.

Key Club 101

What is Key Club?

Mission: “Key Club is a student-led organization that provides its members with the opportunities to perform service, build character, and develop leadership.”

Values: Leadership, character building, caring, inclusiveness

Motto: “Caring--Our way of life.”

Pledge:

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 to combat all forces which tend to undermine these institutions.



This is Ned, our District mascot! Ned stands for New England District. You can find him on our DECON t-shirts and all over the website and social media!



Who do we work with?

Key Club International Partners

- U.S. Army
- Nickelodeon
- Landscape Structures
- Rustic Pathways

Key Club International Preferred Charities

- Children’s Miracle Network Hospitals
- March of Dimes
- UNICEF
- Thirst Project
- Project Happiness

District Projects

- Children of Peace International
- Kiwanis Pediatric Trauma Institute (KPTI)
- Camp Sunshine

***Tips:** To get a 12/12 on your secretary report, your Key Club must contribute to a District or International preferred charity. The ones above are great examples! You can find service ideas on the District Key Club website, www.newenglandkeyclub.org under the “service” tab, and then clicking on the charity of your interest.

KEY CLUB

Hit me up!

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DM me on Instagram! (see info below)

Mark Your Calendars!

International Conference: July 2-7, 2019
Key Leader: September 20-22, 2019
Next Secretary Report due: October 10, 2019
Youth Opportunities Fund Application due:
October 15, 2019
Early Bird Dues deadline: November 1, 2019
Key Club Week: November 4-9, 2019
Second Secretary Report Due: November 10, 2019
Dues Deadline: December 1, 2019
KPTI Day: December 7, 2019
DCON 2019: April 3-5, 2020

FYI! As your LTG, I am here for you! Feel free to invite me to any of your Key Club events (service projects, meetings, K-family events) or contact me for help or questions you might have! I can help with whatever you need.

Meet Your New Executive Board!

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Let's Keep In Touch!

Did you know that Division 5 has its very own Instagram account? Follow for District and Divisional updates, due dates, and maybe even to see yourself in the near future!

@nebd_division5

Be sure to follow the district social media pages, too!

- Twitter @NEDKeyClub
- Facebook @nedkeyclub
- Instagram @nedkeyclub
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