



Lakewood High School; Stacey Stein, Principal sstein@laca.org
c/o Kevin Krier, Assistant Principal, kkrier@laca.org; Kim Hall, HS Secretary, krhall@laca.org
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RE: Key Club

October 5, 2017

Dear Mrs. Stein, Mr. Krier, Faculty and Staff,

Key Club International is the oldest and largest service leadership program for high school students. It is a student-led organization that teaches leadership through service to others. As members of the Kiwanis International family, Key Club members build themselves as they build their schools and communities.

Key Club has over 265,000 members and has clubs on more than 5,000 high school campuses in 32 countries. There are over 250 active Key Clubs in Ohio and 27 Student Board Members. Locally, successful Key Clubs are thriving at Newark, Newark Catholic, Granville, Watkins Memorial and New Albany High Schools. It would be great to have a Key Club at Lakewood High School.

I am offering to help. I have been a member of the Granville Kiwanis Club for 10 years. I recently served as Lieutenant Governor and worked with many of the Key Clubs and Kiwanis Clubs in our area. I am currently a District Officer and work with our Service Leadership Programs (Key Club for High School, Builder's Club for Middle School, K-Kids for Elementary School and Aktion Club for adults with disabilities including the Aktion Club of Licking County). We have all four clubs represented in our community. I work closely to support them and help provide resources and volunteers from Kiwanis when needed.

I joined Kiwanis to do service directly with my community and help children. I joined my high school Key Club to gain leadership experience and lead service projects. I was a four-year member of Granville High School's Key Club and served many offices including President. My experience was invaluable. I often worked directly with the Kiwanis club. As Key Club President, I led many school projects and worked closely with our Kiwanis Club Advisor. Many Kiwanis members who helped us were leaders – including educators and business people in the community. They had generous hearts and wanted to help youth in our community, including our Key Club. Our Key Club completed many projects for our school and community. We also helped the Kiwanis Club, the most notable being the 4th of July Celebration. I was honored to win a Kiwanis Scholarship for service and leadership. Now I help serve on the Scholarship Committee, where we give scholarships to local high schools including C-TEC.

Key Club is student led. A Faculty Advisor(s) and Kiwanis Advisor provide support. Key Club International provides exceptional leadership support, training materials and interactive opportunities including International and State Conferences, and a one-day Fall Rally at OSU's Student for only \$15.

If you would like to learn more about Key Club or discuss the opportunities of starting a club at Lakewood High School, please contact Mr. Krier or contact me directly if you have any questions. I look forward to discussing with you and hearing your ideas.

Sincerely,

Jennifer Lewis PhD

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For more information about Key Club:

www.keyclub.org

www.Kiwanis.org

Video from Newark High School Key Club: <https://www.wevideo.com/video/975323620>

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/keyclubintl/>

Twitter: @keyclubintl

<http://ohkc.org/>

Fall Rally Registration: <http://ohkc.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/09/2017-Registration-Form.pdf>