

Jenks Key Club



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Helping by Baking

Eating yummy pancakes and helping other, what a better offer? On Saturday, April 19th, the Kiwanis set-up a pancake breakfast to make profits to raise scholarship money for the Key Clun seniors.

"It was a lot of hard work and was extremely demanding. So many people kept coming in and I was the one making the pancakes. I had to make sure I didn't burn the pancake, while making sure there was enough so everyone could get 2," Kanjan Manohar said.

The members of Jenks Key club, present themselves as servers and cooks at this event. Then afterward, stayed around to eat. The event raised \$750 for the senior, which were given away at DCON.



← During rush hour, Angela Xing, helps mix batter. "It felt good knowing I was helping the Kiwanis community since they are always helping us out and it was also a lot of fun," Xing said.

Pancake mix in hand, John → Jacob, pours it onto the oven. "Serving the people that came to the Kiwanis breakfast was a memorable experience. My duties were making sure the sausages were made and served and later pancakes."



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During a forum, key clubbers spend their time making cards for soldiers, children, and elders. " I really liked making cards for sick children and soldiers overseas showed how easy it is to give back," Chris Cleveland said.



Discovering Service-

From April 24 to 27, The Texas-Oklahoma Key club district held there 65th Annual District Convention. The event was held at the Sheraton Hotel in downtown Dallas. Sixteen students and three student represented Jenks High School at the convention, and where able to represent the school at the utmost.

"Everyone who was in charge of putting it together worked really hard," Vivian Song.

The convention was a four day event, with registration on Thursday. Then Friday, consisted of the students attending forums and opening ceremonies. On Saturday was the Regional Caucuses, followed by the leadership lunch, with the Awards Banquet and Governors Ball. On Sunday was the Farewell breakfast.

"The friendly atmosphere of the whole convention made it so easy to make new friends , " Allison Vincent said.

Of the many activities at DCON, there were many awards and contests that students could participate in. Of the five students chosen to represent Oklahoma at the Texas vs. Oklahoma quiz bowl, three, Abdul Hassan. Stella Huynh, and Moin Nadeem, were from Jenks. Although Oklahoma did not win, they gave tough competition. Carolyn Linscott, the Jenks 2014-15 editor, won first place on Best Untraditional Scrapbook.

"I worked on the treasure chest for several weeks. I put as much details as I possibly could on it and followed the contest rules to the letter. Previous years I have lost because of miss minor technicalities. I refused to lose," Linscott said.

Overall, the club placed in 13th out of the whole Texas-Oklahoma district, which consists of over 300 clubs.

"DCON was swag!!" said Abdul Hassan

↑ Posing with 2013-2014 District Governor, Carolyn Linscott, basks in the glory of her trophy. "When I saw Jenks High School first place on the screen I felt a huge rush of relief. After 3 years, I finally won," Linscott said.

↓ Before the opening ceremony, the whole group poses for a picture. " I thought it was a very good representation of what Key Club stands for," said Karan Manohar.



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T-O District

During DCON new District Officer
were selected

Governor- Kaitlyn Wilson
Allen High School

Secretary- Samuel Kinnin
Early High School

Treasurer- Colin Gonzalez
Mansfield High School

District Staff still needs an Editor,
Convention Liaison, and Video
Producer. Please go to T-O Key Club.

[see for more info](#)

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Note from the President-

The ending of the 2013-2014 school year is bittersweet for Jenks High School Key Club. Many of this year's officers are graduating, and because they have contributed so much time and dedication to this club, we are all sad to see them go. However, despite the loss of such extraordinary members, we are looking forward to a terrific year. After being ranked 13th in the T-O District at DCON (a significant improvement from last year's ranking), we are determined to earn back a spot in the top 10 Key Clubs of the District. Going into the 2014-2015 school year, we have almost entirely new officers, only our most dedicated board member's from the past year, and a significant number of new board members. We will have new projects available, and many changes in our usual Key Club events. I am confident that with the devotion of our new officers and board members, and with a continuation of the selfless serving of school and community demonstrated by all Key Club members, Jenks High School Key Club's 2014-2015 school year will be amazing.

-Kelsie Stewart

Upcoming Events-

- Jenks West Elementary Summer Fest-
May 30th
- Gradfest and Graduation Volunteers-
May 19th
 - Tulsa Food Bank-
May 10th
 - Jenks Foundation Office-
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