

Valley Lutheran High School Key Club Newsletter

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Kayla Finkbeiner, President
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Krystle Reiss, Treasurer
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Mikasa Wolverton, Editor

Michael Moore, Senior Rep.
Ally Kunding, Junior Rep.
Andrea Finkbeiner, Sophomore Rep.
Brandi Bartelt, Freshman Rep.
Jacob Blazejewski, Student Council Rep.

Newsletters are emailed to all members and are available on the School Website. Check them out for information on the latest club happenings and volunteer opportunities.

Election Results

The following people have been elected as your Key Club Board for 2010-2011.

- President: Allie Washabaugh
- Vice-President: Taylor Morgan
- Secretary: Amanda Englehardt
- Treasurer: Jacob Blazejewski
- Editor: Krystle Reiss
- Student Council Rep: Lily Schmidt
- 2011 Class Rep: Liz Haiderer
- 2012 Class Rep: Andrea Finkbeiner
- 2013 Class Rep: Chelsea Storms

We welcome our new board and would like to thank our outgoing board members: Kayla Finkbeiner, Brittany Bartelt, Mikasa Wolverton, Michael Moore, Ally Kunding and Brandi Bartelt. The new board will be taking over during the next few weeks.

Launching 'Fan it Forward' – A new way to make a difference

Now through March 31, for every new fan of the [Thrivent Financial Facebook page](#), the organization will contribute \$1 to Lutheran World Relief (LWR) up to \$10,000.

The goal of "Fan it Forward" is to raise \$10,000 for LWR and build awareness for the humanitarian outreach the organization is making in countries around the world. (See the campaign's special tab on the Thrivent Financial Facebook page at [Thrivent.com/facebook](#).)

YMCA Camp Timbers

You can make a difference. Help us prepare for our 43rd summer at Camp Timbers. With our 300-acres, over 25-buildings, and abundant program activity areas – we have a lot to keep up with. Pre-season help is needed with minor repairs, clean-up, painting, grounds-keeping, etc. The scheduled work days are: March 12-13 and April 10-11.

For more information on specific work details, to confirm your participation in our next work-day, or to coordinate car-pool transportation – please contact one of us:

Ryan Mertz, Camp Program Manager, Ryan@saginawymca.org or 989-345-2630
Steve Meyer, YMCA Associate Director, Steve@saginawymca.org or 753-7721
Tim Hilk, CEO of the YMCA of Saginaw, Tim@saginawymca.org or 753-7721

Key Club will not be meeting on March 9, 2010

UPCOMING EVENTS

Key-Leader Conference – May 21-23, 2010 at the Howell Conference Center. Full details are available at the Key-Leader web site <http://www.key-leader.org>.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

(Taken from United Way Weekly Listings)

To volunteer your services or to donate goods, please call Karla Brzak at the United Way of Saginaw County 755-0433, Ext. 214, kabrzak@unitedwaysaginaw.org. Or **check out our web-based volunteer program at www.1-800-Volunteer.org.**

EARTH DAY EVENT volunteers are needed by local waste authority to assist in duties for annual event on Saturday, May 1, 2010. Tasks include assisting at entrance gate, helping children make crafts, help with games, face painting and assisting with recycling collection. Volunteers must enjoy working with children.

KITCHEN HELP is needed by local agency to serve lunch and/or dinner, Monday thru Friday from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and 3:30 p.m. to 4:30. Volunteers must be at least 15 years old.

ADULT LITERACY tutors are needed by local organization to help adults learn to read. Volunteers must complete training to be matched with adult students. Training is free to those willing to volunteer.

ACTIVITIES volunteers are needed by local organization to go to local nursing home or independent living area to help with activities, office duties and/or assist in seasonal professional parties.

SPRING CLEANING volunteers are needed to assist local agency on April 17, for a day to clean the agency inside and out. Lunch will be served to all volunteers. All ages welcome.

YARN DONATIONS are needed to assist volunteers who make chemo caps for local hospital patients. Volunteers are also needed to knit/crochet chemo caps. Volunteers are an important part of cancer support at our local hospitals.

KITCHEN volunteers are needed at local agency to help prepare food for daily lunch and after-school program and to serve lunchtime meal. Volunteer hours are from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Volunteers must be at least 15 years old.

INSTRUCTOR volunteers are needed by local agency to teach educational courses such as Basic Aid Training, First Aid for Children, Babysitter's Training and CPR Training. Class time varies. Volunteers must be at least 15 years old.

FLYER DISTRIBUTOR volunteers are needed to post materials in local area shops, libraries, fitness centers, etc., for local foundation. All ages welcome.