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## Come away with Service and Region 15!

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- Article on Children's Miracle Network
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Have something to say? Submit an article to Karinne Cusenza at [karinnecaroline@gmail.com](mailto:karinnecaroline@gmail.com)!

**Don't Forget the Next DCM will be on**



### Flying Squirrel AHHH!

It's back to school and back to regular meetings and regular service; to be honest I couldn't be happier. Take advantage of this time to boost your membership and let everyone know just how great Key Club is. Be sure to give yourself a rest every once in a while to insure that none of our flying squirrels need to miss school which ultimately means missing meetings. It's time to buckle down to work and service D32, I know you are ready.

Enjoy,

Karinne Cusenza  
D20/D32 LTG



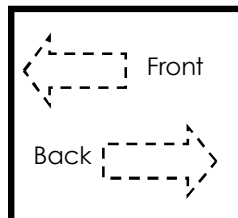
## Children's Miracle Network and the Cloverdale Club

### Article Submitted By: Juan Gonzalez, Club Editor

Visiting the Oakland Children's Hospital with Key Club was a highlight of the summer for the Cloverdale Key Club. When we arrived, we approached two tour guides who were extremely helpful. They led us on a very interesting and informative tour of the hospital. Even though they didn't allow us to have interaction with the patients, we still witnessed the emotional stress and the hardships of being a patient, or even a family member of a patient. It was very moving. The main reason we visited the hospital was to give them our donation of \$700 and the 125 small beaded lizards and bracelets we made last year, which we fondly referred to as our "Beadie Buddies". The staff informed us that the children experienced happiness, even with the smallest gifts or donations. The hospital attracts sponsorship from all types of people and businesses, because everyone can see what a wonderful thing they are doing in helping children who are facing difficult medical traumas. For example, we got to see a room that was sponsored by Pixar. They had painted the room with a specific movie theme, (which was "Finding Nemo"), using bright colors and adorable cartoons to try to light up the mood of any children coming into that room. Something that we felt was very gracious of the hospital is that they own a small apartment building nearby that they offer to families who need to stay for a long time to be near their hospitalized child. It was amazing to see that the over-all attitude and atmosphere of the hospital does a pretty good job of keeping children happy, even during tough situations. The hospital is full of bright colors, paintings, balloons, TVs with cartoons and toys, just to name a few things they do. We fundraised the \$700 that we gave them, mostly by standing outside a local supermarket with a sign and collection canister. Those of us, who went, know that the money we fundraised is going to a very good cause! This was our club's Children's Miracle Network project for this year. Just keep in mind, it wasn't that hard to do, and it was very rewarding.

## NEW T-SHIRT DESIGN FOR D32?

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## Agenda

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- ii. Roll Call
- iii. Pledge of Allegiance
- iv. Key Club Pledge
- v. Introduction of Guests
- II. Division Business
  - i. Lt. Governor Report
  - ii. Club Updates/Introduction of Members and Officers
  - iii. Kiwanis Report
  - iv. Committee Reports
    - DCON
    - Fall Rally
  - v. Fall Rally Fundraising
  - vi. Divisional Assistant Announcement
  - vii. Discussion of RTC
  - viii. Newsletter Article Submission
  - ix. Review of Newsletter
  - x. Future DCMS
  - xi. Picture Submissions and their importance
  - xii. Presentation of Awards
- III. Open Forum
- IV. Adjournment

## Meet the Humboldt County Homeschoolers

### Article Submitted By: Nicole Mayer

In September, 2008, our big project of re-landscaping the Salvation Army Church yard took place. The previous May we had fundraised for the project with our annual Mexican Dinner, from which we raised nearly \$800. We also received several large donations, as well as a grant from Sierra Pacific. Our project appeared in the local newspaper and on television. On September 13<sup>th</sup>, '08, our club, along with Key Club Alumni and a few volunteers from the community, tackled the 2400 square foot area; applying landscaping fabric and spreading bark chips over it. We hired a landscaper to oversee the project. After 12 people had worked vigorously for 3 hours, the appearance of the place improved dramatically. Once undistinguished and unkempt looking, the Salvation Army Church now has an enhanced, beautiful front yard.

At the Anaheim Convention in April 2009, our club won district recognition for the Bronze Single Service Award for the re-landscaping project. Humboldt County Home School Key Club is one of two home school Key Clubs in the world, and even though we're small, our club is very active and contributes a lot to the community.

### KIWANIS EVENTS

These events are extremely important for you to attend to be building bonds with your sponsors.

### KEY CLUB DCMS

These events also very important for you to attend, it is here that I will be able to answer in person questions and set up ways to help you

### FALL RALLY

Keep up with all Pediatric Trauma Prevention fundraising and start getting pumped up for this amazing rally.

### USE THE WEBSITE

This is one resource I would love to see more of you using. While there take some time to fill out some of the quizzes.

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