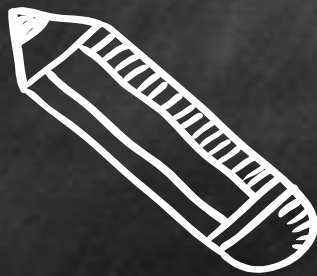




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### A MESSAGE FROM THE SERVICE PROJECTS COMMITTEE

***Hello, CNH Key Club!***

With summer coming to an end, remember the importance of giving back to your community by remembering the Key Club International and the CNH District's Major Emphasis -- Children: Their Future, Our Focus -- as well as the service performed by clubs in the California-Nevada-Hawaii District. There are significant ways in which you can promote the enhancement of children's education, like a simple school supply drive or hosting a career fair. The possibilities are endless in educating the future leaders of the world this August! This guide is designed to give you resources for planning service or fundraising events relating to August's Spotlight on Service Program initiative: Children's Education! The following pages provide an overview of what "Children's Education" and the Spotlight on Service Program are about. If you have any concerns, please email Service Projects Chair Lily Marshall at [cnhkc.sp@gmail.com](mailto:cnhkc.sp@gmail.com).

***Happy Serving,  
Service Projects Committee***

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### ***What is the Spotlight on Service Program?***

The CNH Spotlight on Service Program was created by the Service Projects Committee to promote International and District initiatives as well as to encourage active participation with organizations and initiatives. Every month, there is a designated theme that all clubs are encouraged to focus their service towards to promote a variety of service projects.

Clubs that participate in a specific month's focus are eligible to submit to the form in order to receive recognition, which can be found under the "Spotlight on Service Program" page under the "Projects" tab on the CNH CyberKey. Pictures can be sent to [cnhkc.sp@gmail.com](mailto:cnhkc.sp@gmail.com). All submissions are due on the fifth of the following month by 6:00 PM (PST) or 3:00 PM (HST). One or more clubs are featured every month in the District Newsletter in recognition of any outstanding service project.

### ***Overview of "Children's Education"***

Since 1946, Key Club International has encouraged members to focus on our Major Emphasis - "Children: Their Future, Our Focus." We must provide children with the education they need to ensure that kids all around the world have a great future awaiting them. During the month of August, we should remember to focus on increasing all children's access to education and improving its quality. By working together as a district, there is no limit to what we can accomplish!







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### EVENT IDEAS SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE

With summer break coming to a close, you can organize a school supply drive to donate unused school supplies or backpacks you may have at home to the youth in your community! First, find a location and contact the place 2-3 weeks in advance to ask if you may hold the drive there. Once you have the date, time, and location settled, start promoting your event using posters and social media! On the day of the drive, have several club members, officers, and advisors help set up any necessary equipment such as tables, posters, signs, boxes, etc. 1-2 hours prior to the event start time. Throughout the duration of the drive, be kind and welcoming to those who pass by, regardless of whether or not they are donating. Also, if you would like to extend the drive you may leave donation boxes at the site. Once the drive is over, collect all the boxes and donate them to your local School on Wheels site or any other organizations that accept donations.

### LIBRARY VISIT

Key Clubbers can go to their local library and volunteer there by doing an assortment of things including cleaning up and reading to kids. Club representatives should contact their library to ask about setting up an event at the library such as having Key Clubbers read books to the children. If there were two to three Key Clubbers for each group of 10 kids spread throughout the library, clubs of different sizes can carry out this project by adjusting the number of Key Clubbers working with the groups as the number of kids increases. This could be a weekly event where Key Clubbers come and read to the kids in the community.

### CAREER FAIR

Get elementary students excited for the future ahead with a career fair! The head of the project should talk to the administration and reserve a school's cafeteria or gym for the night. Then, reach out to parents, Kiwanians, teachers, and other adults in their community, and ask them if they would like to set up a booth at the career fair and talk to participants about their jobs. Key Clubbers can volunteer by helping at booths and demonstrations, presenting their own booth, serving food and water, and setting up and cleaning up the event. Tell the local elementary schools about the career fair and you're good to go!



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### FUNDRAISER IDEAS PTP SPELLING BEE

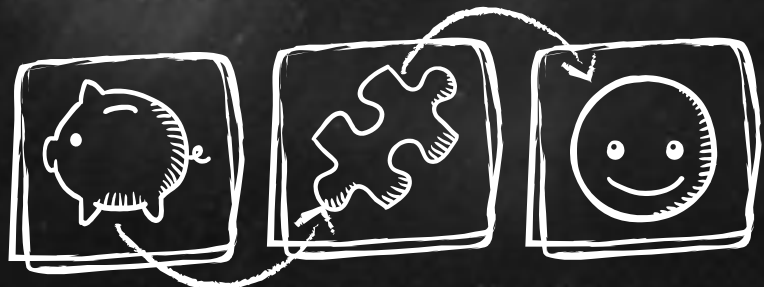
A fun, yet educational way to teach the members of your club about the Pediatric Trauma Program is to host a PTP Spelling Bee! This can be held during a DCM or social. Prior to the event, do your research and find easy, medium, and challenging words that relate to PTP (such as "preventable," "accident," "unintentional," etc.). Compile these words into a word bank and write out the rules for the spelling bee. On the day of the spelling bee, have members pay a fee of \$1 to participate. Have each participant stand beside one another and explain all the rules of the spelling bee prior to starting the first round. At the end of the spelling bee, have a reward ready for the champion and donate all the funds to PTP (all information regarding donations can be seen on the CyberKey).

### JEOPARDY

During the event, participants create teams to enter the contest. As questions are asked, the teams work together to answer correctly. The first team to correctly provide the answer wins points for each correct answer. As a fundraiser, a club can charge entry fees and sell food. To hold this event, the club must determine how each team will indicate it has the answer, create a board with 6 topics and 5 questions for each topic, set up chairs for each team and separate chairs for the audience, and offer a prize for the winning team. Make sure to have student volunteers to run the program, offer snacks, set up and clean up. Don't forget that you will need adults to chaperone the event and manage money.

### GAME NIGHT

This can feature board games that help develop children's critical thinking skills. There could be stations where parents and kids in the community can come to participate in different games that are education-themed, such as Scrabble. This will take a lot of advertising, but could work if the Kiwanians help advertise it to the community for participation. In addition to admission, clubs can also earn money by selling food, drinks, or having a raffle.





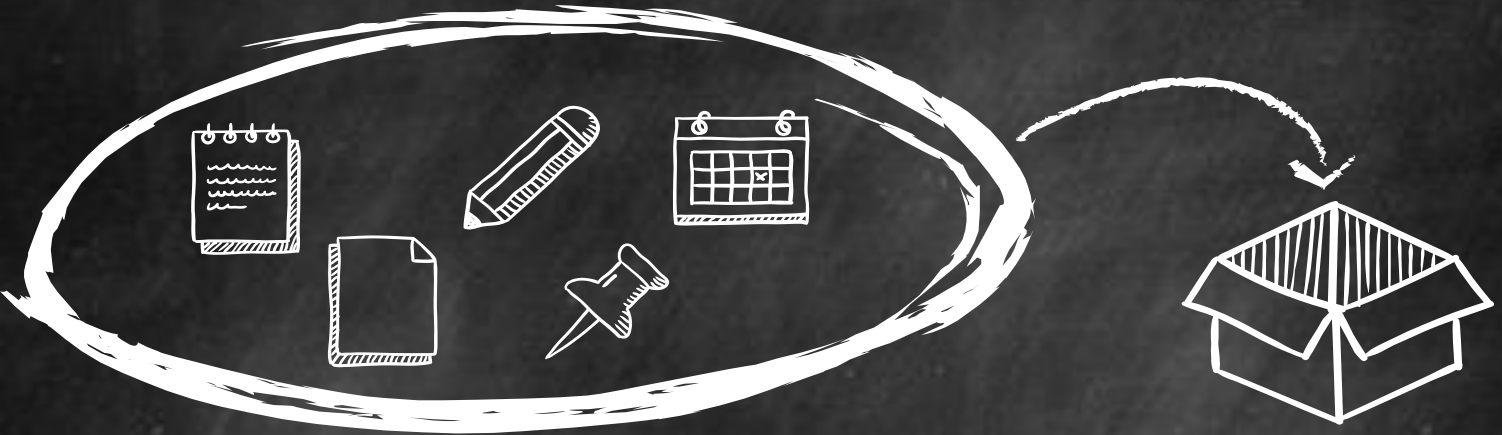


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### ARROYO SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE



**BY D2S LTG VIVIAN LUONG, ARROYO KEY CLUB**

“Back in October of 2016, Arroyo Key Club volunteered for a local elementary school in our area. They were hosting a Halloween Carnival for the students, and volunteers were tasked with moving tables and chairs from classrooms to the gym. As we were setting up, we noticed that many of the classrooms were missing school supplies—things we had all frequently seen growing up in the same elementary school a couple years prior. After asking questions to teachers and staff, we realized that teachers weren't able to provide students with elementary things like scissors, rulers, color pencils, and more. The school district had lost funding for simple things like supplies, and focused more on rebuilding and funding new play structures, classrooms, and buildings. Arroyo Key Club was able to hold a successful school supply drive at the beginning of the school year. To promote our drive, we posted fliers all over social media, our school, and community centers. After collecting school supplies from drop-off points, we were able to organize everything into boxes and donated a wide range of school supplies to the same elementary school.”



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Do not forget to submit to the Spotlight on  
Service Program by the fifth of every month  
by 6:00 PM PST. Thank you!



*Questions, comments, or concerns?*

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