

Mid-Year Conference

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As we come to our mid part of our Kiwanis year, we need to get a boost, and there no better way than coming to the District Mid-Year Conference.

Key Winners

Members who sponsor new members win Key awards from Kiwanis International thanking them for bringing in a new Kiwanian.

Members who sponsor three or more members earn a Gold Key; those who sponsor two members receive a Silver Key, and those who sponsor one member receive a Bronze Key.

The following Kiwanians in the district have received Keys for their efforts so far this administrative year:

Gold Key Winners:

Cortland: Ron Van Dee; Great Neck Peninsula: Rosita George-Williams; Irondequoit: Frank Romeo, Stacey Romeo; Islips, Bay Shore: Sandy Flan- dina; La Guardia Airport: Veta Brome; Oceanside: Sandie Schoell

Silver Key Winners:

Chinatown, New York City: George Cho, James Tong; Falconer: Gaylene Lindell; Gloversville-Johnstown: Francis Caraco; Howard Beach: Stephen Sir- giovanni; Kingston: Darlene Pfeiffer; Lefferts-Liberty, Queens County: An- gelo Maltaghati; Levittown: Ann Tor- civia; Merrick: Margaret Biegelman; Ozone Park: Jonah Cohen; Richmond County: Al Federico; Salamanca: Thomas Brady; Sunnyside: Carol Masiello; Woodridge: Sue Kasofsky

Bronze Key Winners:

Alden: Ronald Kotas; Batavia: Colleen Marvel, David R. Kleinbach, Lawrence Cartwright; Bellmores (The): Kristy Lowenstein; Bensonhurst and Bay Ridge, Brooklyn: Brian Long, John DeLosa, William Basso; Brockport: Ray Bardol; Castleton-On-Hudson: Loretta B. Tobin; Chester: Edward Stoddard; Chinatown, New York City: Chung Sum Luk, Grace Law, Sandy Liew; Conklin: Carol Fuller; Copiague: Marie Miller; Cortland: Cindy Stockholm, Kathleen Fairchild, Philip Tennant; East Aurora: Grace Meibohm; Elma: Frances Williams, Roger Clark; Forest Hills: Pedro Tronilo, Susan Finley, Walter Sanchez; Glen Cove: Timothy Tenke; Glendale: Hank Kraker, Joseph Aiello; Glens Falls: Joan Durett; Gou- verneur: Charles T. Titus, William Lacey;

It's a good time to meet old friends and make new ones, learn new skills at forums, talk with other club officers and get some new ideas to take back to your club.

If you haven't signed up yet, here are 10 reasons you should:

1. The conference is at a new loca- tion, the Holiday Inn in Albany.
2. The hotel has offered to pick up at the Airport or Train Station (must prearrange for train pickup).
3. A large selection of outstanding forums.
4. Good room rates (one to four for

same price per night).

5. A break from the winter blues.
6. A chance to meet and greet your International Vice President, Govern- or, Circle K and Key Club Govern- or.
7. Two great cocktail parties.
8. An opportunity to congratulate Booker's Builders for the job they did during the 2009-10 year.
9. The Comedy Show which will offer a good time and support Kamp Kiwanis.
10. And just have a good time, and come back with new ideas.

2011 Mid-Year Conference Tentative Schedule

Thursday, Feb. 24, 2011

Registration.....	4-6 p.m.
VIP Cocktail Reception	6-7 p.m.
VIP Dinner.....	7-9 p.m.

Friday, Feb. 25, 2011

Board Breakfast.....	7-9 a.m.
Registration.....	9 a.m.-4 p.m.
Board Meeting.....	9:30 a.m.-Noon
Basket Raffle and Display Tables.....	Noon-4 p.m.
New Club Building for Lt. Govs.....	1:30-2:30 p.m.
Presidents and Secretaries Leadership Session	1-4:30 p.m.
Forums.....	1:30-4 p.m.
Honoree Reception.....	4:30-5:30 p.m.
Sponsored Youth Dinner.....	5:45-7:15 p.m.
Opening Session.....	7:30-9 p.m.
Comedy Show.....	9:30-10:30 p.m.
Hospitality Room.....	10:30 p.m.

Saturday, Feb. 26, 2011

Past Governors Breakfast.....	7-9 a.m.
Lt. Gov. Elects Breakfast with Gov.-Elect Bill Risbrook.....	7:30-8:30 a.m.
Kamp Shower.....	9-10:45 a.m.
Registration.....	9 a.m.-5 p.m.
Basket Raffle and Display Tables.....	9 a.m.-5 p.m.
Forums.....	9-11:45 a.m.
First Timers/Member Recognition Luncheon.....	Noon-1:30 p.m.
Forums.....	1:30-4:15 p.m.
Catholic Services.....	5-6 p.m.
Reception.....	6:15-7:15 p.m.
Gala Governor's Dinner and Awards.....	7:30-10:15 p.m.
Hospitality Rooms.....	10:30 p.m.

Sunday, Feb. 27, 2011

Foundation Board Meeting.....	9-11 a.m.
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Check the Web Site for the latest schedule updates

Greece: Bill Selke; Irondequoit: Franklin D'Aurizio, Jeannie Mead; Island Park, Long Island: Sharon Martinelli; Islips, Bay Shore: Leonard Corazza; Kew For- est-Richmond Hill Woodhaven: Joan De- Camp, N.J. L'Heureuz; Kingston: Craig Crump, Lyle Schuler, Ronald Swart, William Flynn; La Guardia Airport: Greg Coles, Gregory Coles, Indira Hamilton, Lisa Pierce, Verdia Noel, Warren Kroep- pel; Lewiston: Ernest Krell, Thomas D. Minarcin; Minisink Valley: Edward C. Holst; North East Bronx: Audrey Berry; North Greenbush: Kathleen Carney; Oceanside: Barry Forman, Nancy Bax-

ter; Ogdensburg: Larry Mitchell; Olean: Robin Browser; Parkchester, The Bronx: Milijana Radonjic; Plattsburgh Break- fast: Tonia Finnegan; Queens Boulevard: Janice Bar, Liselotte Reinprecht; Rich- mond County: Glen Mancuso; Riverdale: Richard Peterson; Salamanca: Tom Brady; Sunnyside: Paula Mareisak; Tonawandas: Gerald Rott, Thomas Smy- ers; Troy: Karl Cote; Wantagh: Linda Herman; Webster: Peter J. Pellittieri, Ronald Kampff; West Seneca: David Nagy; Westmoreland: Yvonne Smith; Yonkers: Frank Riti; York-Leicester: Sally Claud