The Lockport Key Clubbers Receive Support From Sponsoring Kiwanian

The Kiwanian Club of LOCKPORT, Niagara Frontier North Division – proudly sponsors the Lockport High School Key Club. Lockport Key Club officers recently made a visit to their Kiwanian Club during a weekly luncheon meeting with the Tuscarora Club.

The Lockport Club works closely with the Key Club and supports its activities and projects. In addition, the Key Club members have given time and effort to the Kiwanian Club’s bell ringers during the holiday season and participated in jelly bean sales at Easter, and most recently, assisted in the Kiwanian Club’s high school’s girls basketball tournament.

The Lockport High School Co-advisors are teachers: Elena Wozniak and Michelle Miszewski.

The Lockport Kiwanian Key Club Advisor is Tom O’Shea, a retired school principal and a very effective Key Club Advisor. He received the club Distinguished Kiwanis Award this past year. Tom is involved in many committees on the Lockport Club and in the city of Lockport, including President of the Fire Board. He also agrees with Governor David’s statement during his recent division Governor’s Visit, that we should establish a relationship with the various youth groups in our communities. Past Governor Ed Kolek is an Honorary Life Member of Key Club International, and received the Key of Honor from District Key Club. The Lockport Club had its 90th Anniversary on May 17th, 2006. It is the sixth oldest club in Kiwanian International.

Onondaga Hill Key Club Leads Community

The Kiwanian Club of ONONDAGA HILL, Ontario Division – sponsors the 54-member Key Club of Onondaga Central High School. The Key Club has been on a continuous roll sponsoring and handling community projects – and is looking forward to a full agenda. A fundraising Zita Dinner last fall provided $900 for various projects such as 25 Thanksgiving Food Baskets for families in the area and $500 for Christmas presents for poor families.

One of their fun events was a Christmas Party for kids at Children’s Village in Syracuse. Bringing their own Santa Claus, the Key Clubbers ran games for the children, entertained with face painting and tattoos, and served refreshments. Santa passed out gifts to the Key Clubbers that brought them with them.

Also at Christmas time, the Key Club joined with its Sponsor, Onondaga Hill Kiwanian Club, in providing juices for one- and two-member family clients of Meals On Wheels at holiday time, and provided $200 to Red Cross Relief.

The Key Club is using some of its money to help send members to Convention.

2006 NY Key Leader Session in Livonia

Above: left to right: New York District Past Governor Edward Kolek, Key Club Co-President Evan See, Sergeant-at-Arms Amanda Moeller, Secretary Karen LeRoy, Co-President Kristen Marciszewski, Secretary Sheree Chen, and Past President and Lockport Kiwanian Key Club Advisor Thomas O’Shea. Lockport Key Clubber displays a picture of the Lockport Key Club in 1952-53. Some of their parents are probably in the photograph!

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HISTORICAL SITES

Battle of Saratoga - Learn about the Battle of Saratoga
Gerald B.H. Solomon Saratoga National Cemetery - Scenic National Veteran’s Cemetery
Brookside Museum/Saratoga Co. Historical Society - Hands on activities and exhibits
NYS Military Museum & Veterans Research Center - NYS’s military history collection
Saratoga Springs History Museum - Explore the history of Saratoga Springs

NATIONAL PARKS/BUILDINGS

Grant Cottage - Where President Grant spent his last days

Saratoga National Historical Park - History of the Battle of Saratoga

And much more for you to enjoy!