Presently, for the on-going conflict in Iraq, Key Club is involved jointly with the American Legion in "Operation Crayon." Thousands of pounds of school supplies have been shipped directly to the American troops in Iraq for distribution among the needy children. Today, through the efforts of Lt. Governor Mile Malark (Capital Division) and Maureen Neuringer Editor of the Empire State Kiwanian, Key Club is promoting "Give A Can Day" collecting canned food to help victims of Hurricane Katrina.

How fortunate we are to have envisioned the potential of our young people since 1925 when the first Key Club was formed in Sacramento, California High School. Let's continue to promote and expand this unique program that develops responsible citizenship and the future leaders of our country. Truly, America is blessed with talented and caring young people.

The Kiwanis Club of CHINATOWN, Metropolitan Division – held its 21st installation at Jing Fong Restaurant in Chinatown, NYC. DPP Regina Chan called the crowd to order and made the evening's introductions. Metropolitan Lt. Governor Fran Hogan was on hand to install the 2005-2006 Club officers: President Tim Leung, Vice President Mei Sham, Secretary Peal Kong and Treasurer Evelyn Yu. President Tim offered a warm welcome to all Wiwanians and guests. LG Fran went on to install the Club Directors: Peter Yu, James Tong, Grace Fond, Former First Lady Julianna Wan and Evelyn Yu.

Welcome to the newly installed Key Club Officers: Jake Goldstein, Director; Roger Sirangelo, DPLG; Peter Kaiser, DPIP; Rich Hall, District Secretary; Christine Early, LG and Betty Ellen Clevenger, President of the Key Club & Builders Club.

In attendance: DPIP and honorary member of the North Shore Club Anton Tony Kaiser and Farmingdale President; North Shore DPP Lawrence Benedetti, President Dennis Fontana, Secretary Sonja Pierson, and the special guest from the Salvation Army Director Gerald W. Johns ringing the bell at the traditional kettle starting on Saturday November 26th and finishing December 24th. This is a 9-day fundraiser for the clubs and has been a traditional event for over 16 years.