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### Patricia Foronda

Congratulations to our member of the month, Pat! (former president) Thank you for your wonderful service a Key Club Member :))

# EDITOR'S NOTE

Hey fellow Key Clubbers! It is a new term for Key Club, meaning we have new board members! This year, we have three editors: Caitlin, Elodie, & Keanu (& Zarek as our art director!). As your editors we can't wait to begin and start giving you our share of Key Clubs Newsletters! We hope that we are able to serve you all well!



This month, HCON is being held at our school! HCON is an opportunity for all of the other Key Club Divisions to come check out how the other schools are doing, so it is a great opportunity to check them out. Come out and support us on March 18th!!



# PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



**Happy January, Damien Memorial Key Club members! I am Elizabeth Nguyen, your newly-elected President. Patricia Foronda, our former President of two terms, did such an amazing job leading our club and earning us awards, like Key Club of the Year in our division! I hope that I can do the same for you all this term and that you have a great experience. I really appreciate Patricia's leadership, and I intend to continue what she has done for us.**

**Damien Memorial Key Club is known for inspiring all the students and teachers with our ambition to do service. My plan as President is to influence others around us to help the community while enjoying what we are doing. My love for Key Club has flourished over the past two years, ever since I joined in my freshman year. At first, I joined it for the "college stats," but I started to realize that it was not just a club, nor was it a bunch of high schoolers just doing service projects. It is a family. Each time we hold a service project—whether it is in or out of school—everybody treats each other with respect and kindness. I even met my current best friends and became close to the people I always looked up to. It has become almost a home to me, and I hope that I can make you all feel the same as well! To conclude, please look forward to this term. I assure you that the board and I will do our best!**

# HONOLULU ZOO PEACE GARDEN

On February 18, the Damien Memorial Key Club, along with many other Key Clubs on the island, came together to help out at the Honolulu Zoo. Before the members got to the service part, they were given a card and had to find that specific plant in the garden. Next, the whole group gathered together, and someone taught them about the many different indigenous plants that were growing there. It was an eye-opening experience for anyone with little to no knowledge of these plants. As a group, the members helped clear out an area of this garden by weeding. However, the members would have to be careful not to pick out any plants that were supposed to be there.



All in all, the members did an excellent job clearing out the area, as it looked much clearer. It was a hands-on experience, with gloves and rakes so that your hands would not get completely muddy. Hopefully, our contribution to this peace garden will allow others to plant more indigenous plants in the area. Thankfully, the members were able to wander the Honolulu Zoo afterwards free of charge.

# VALENTINE'S DAY

## CARDS

This February brought another Valentine's Day Project for Damien Memorial Key Club! We wanted to spread some love this Valentine's Day so Damien Key Club students gathered a few times after school in shifts to write and color Valentine's Day cards that would eventually be taped onto every locker in the school. Key Club Members tapped into their creative side to come up with drawings, jokes, puns, and pick-up lines to spread some cheer and love to Damien's students. On the day before Valentine's Day, Key Club members met up after school to tape all the cards to each locker at the school. On Valentine's Day, students arrived at school with a surprise on their locker!



# IMPORTANT DATES FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH

Charity Miles  
Hike **4**

Cranes for Cancer  
**7 & 21**

**18**  
HCON

Change for Change  
**31**

Cardz for Kidz  
**31**

Free Rice  
**31**

# Updates

## **DIVISION**

- Next Division Council Meeting (DCM): TBD -

## **REGION**

- None -

## **DISTRICT**

- None -

## **INTERNATIONAL**

- None -





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