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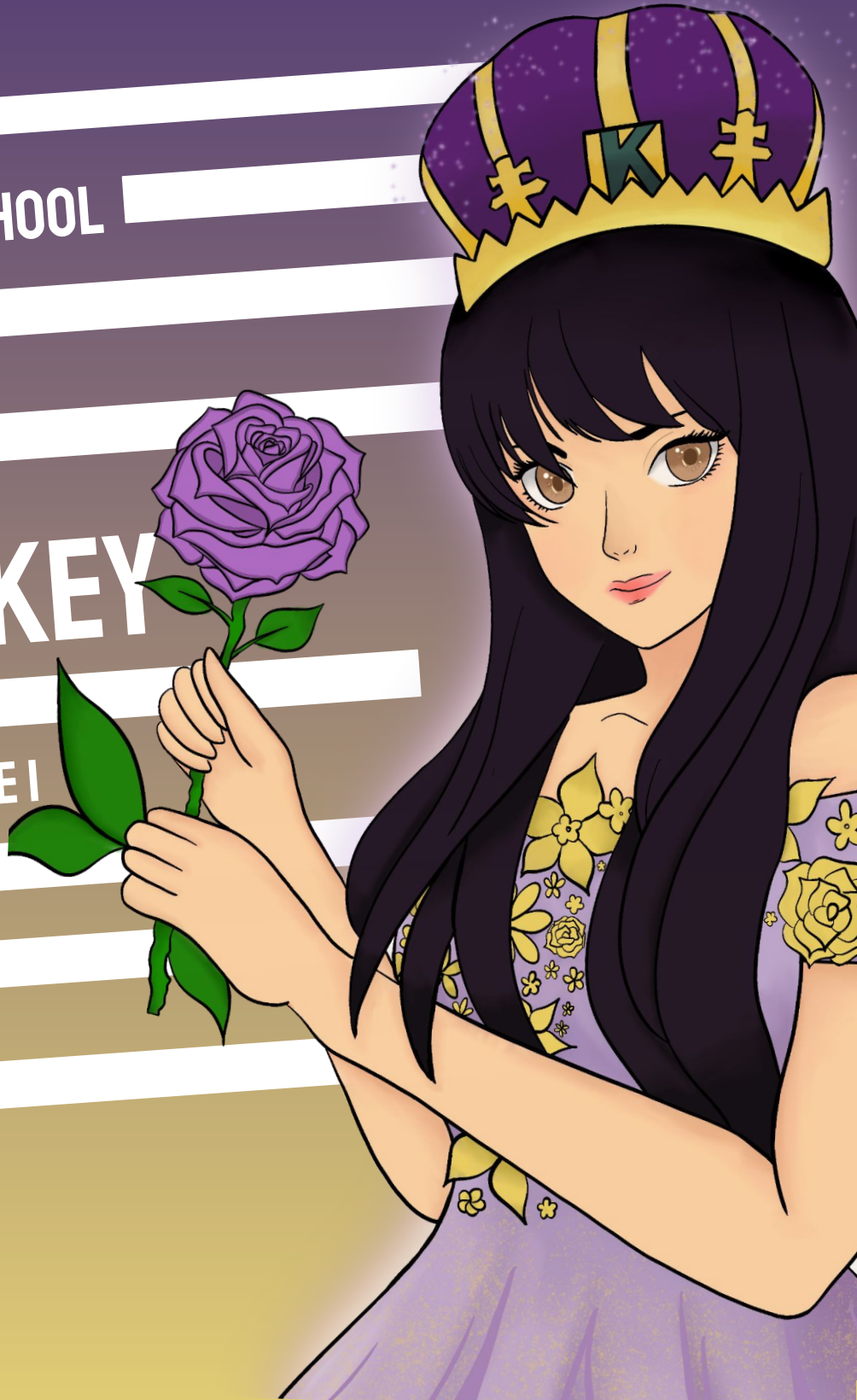


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Cody Yamashita
and Kayden Ong

Congratulations to Cody and Kayden!

🔑 -p up the great work :)



EDITOR'S NOTE

Happy May Key-Clubbers! It's officially the start of a new term and I'm very excited to serve you all as your editor. For the 2022-2023 Key Club term, we officially welcome our new editors, Elizabeth and Kai! I'm glad to have them as part of the team because I know that the Damien Key Club will be in good hands in the future :) I trust that this term will be an exciting one and full of fun opportunities. Since this term will be my last year at Damien and as one of Damien Key Club's editors, I want to make the best out of it and do all I can to make this term memorable for everyone. With the school year coming to an end, we can also finally look forward to summertime! Though the summer is a time for fun, I hope everyone continues their service throughout the summer during our many in-person service projects. Stay safe everyone! -Kaitlin <3

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Happy May, Damien Memorial Key Club Ohana. This month marks the start of the new Key Club term! I'm excited to serve this club again as President and improve upon all the lessons I've learned last year. As this term will be my last term at Damien and in Key Club, I'm hoping that my club achieves more great things than we did last term! Be on the lookout for more fun service projects, as summer break and the new school year begin.

This May, we will be focusing on trying to put out as many in-person service projects as possible so that all of you can be with your friends before the summer! These projects include the Honolulu Zoo Children's Discovery Forest, another Charity Miles Hike, and events at the school in our favorite room: Mr. Nitta's room.

I hope you all have had an enjoyable Key Club year and that you all continue your service throughout the summer with the service projects we will be holding!

TREES FOR KAIMUKI



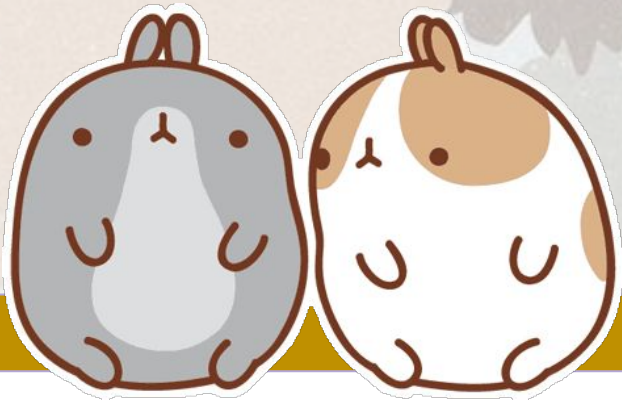
On Saturday, April 16, 2022, Damien Memorial Key Club members teamed up with Damien Memorial National Honor Society and the Diamond Head State Monument to participate in their Trees for Kaimuki event: a community-led project, supported by the City and County, to increase the urban canopy in Kaimuki and ultimately mitigate the effects of climate change. At this project, members from both Damien Memorial and the Bank of Hawaii met up inside Kapi'olani Community College's white gates and started with their first task of mulching to improve the soil moisture, fertility, and health of the trees in the area. After mulching, members trimmed the canopies and trunks of the trees, reducing stress on the trees. Lastly, members finished up the project with a trivia session hosted by the Diamond Head staff and had the fun opportunity to win stickers as prizes for their correct answers.

WAIMEA VALLEY VOLUNTEERING



This month, Damien Memorial Key Club members participated in a new service project: the Waimea Valley Volunteering Program. For this project, members showed up to verdant Waimea Valley located on the North Shore on Sunday, April 24, 2022 from 9 AM to 12:30 PM and got to work on the park's main botanical garden. At the beginning of the project, the Waimea Valley staff chanted the "E Ō Mai" over Damien's members in order to prepare them for entering and cultivating the sacred space. They were also taught about the five senses in 'Olelo Hawai'i! Then, they were led into the park, where most members cleared out pond weeds and binding vines from the land in the area for the majority of the 3 hours, while others dug out dead trees. As the project neared its end, members gained access into the park, and they were allowed to roam the park and swim in the waterfall for free!

IMPORTANT DATES FOR THE MONTH OF MAY



Honolulu Zoo
Peace Garden

Teacher
Appreciation
Letters



DCM Recognition

UNICEF Math
Games



Updates

DIVISION

- Next Division Council Meeting (DCM) -
Saturday, May 21, 2022

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- None -

DISTRICT

- None -

INTERNATIONAL

- None -



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