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May Recap Calendar



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
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"The end of the year social was a really great way for the members and the officers to bond and unite together as a whole. The members had a really fun time playing the activities that we, as officers, had planned. Getting ready for the social was kind of stressful but it was all worth it!

- Hazelle Baptista, VP of Public Relations

"The end of the year social was really fun and enjoyable. I made new friends and the games were really engaging. This social also allowed me to get out of my comfort zone. I'm looking forward to the next social!

- Jullien Lorenzo, member

End of the Year Social

"Our end of the year social was very successful. Our members were able to step up and join us with this event. The games were engaging enough for the members to meet and make new friends. We also had some of our very helpful advisors to join us. It was a day to appreciate all our members and advisors who worked hard and those who will continue on working hard on making our club very successful."

-Aileen Salacup, President

Video will be posted soon

A message from our IP

Hey everyone! It's Abby here, your IP (immediate past) President. It's been a very wild ride with you all! I just want to take this time to thank everyone who has been with us since the beginning- without you all, we wouldn't have been able to have a successful year. To the new officers, keep doing what you're doing. It's hard now but it'll be very much worth it in the end. To the current & new members, I hope you all enjoy being in Key Club as much as I did. Being a part of this club is the most amazing experience for me. I know greater things are in store & I can't wait to see all of them! Just know I'm your #1 supporter!!



May Day Pre Set-Up

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Hazelle Baptista

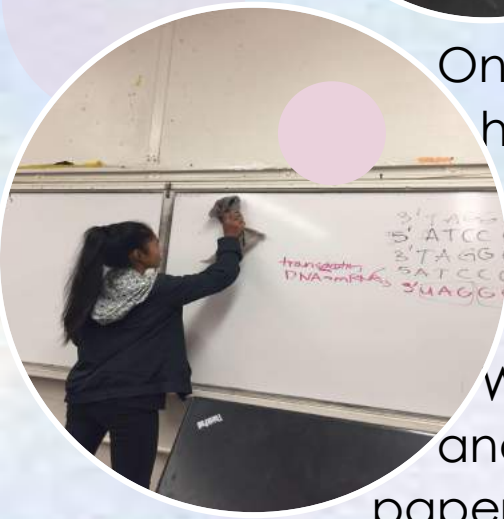
On May 3, 2018, leadership students asked Key Club members to help decorate the gym bathroom. The theme was tropical island. We drew and printed flowers that were aesthetically pleasing. Key Clubbers were also asked to tape the printed flowers onto the girls and boys bathroom stalls. We also drew waves and printed fish to stick onto the walls. We then cut a bunch of leave outlines to put on the center of the stage, where the Kings and Queens will be seated. The most enjoyable part of this service project

was how we were able to help out with one of the biggest events that Farrington High School holds every year. I also liked how leadership, council, Leo Club, and Key Club students bonded through helping out with the May Day pre set-up. Leadership students were really glad that Key Club showed up because they informed us about helping out with this event the last minute. The people who were supposed to come and decorate the bathroom had reasons of why they couldn't come so leadership people asked Key Club for help.



Classroom Clean-Up

Hazelle Baptista



On May 3, after helping out with May Day pre set-up, members

decided to go to Ms. Romero's room. Five of our members cleaned Ms. Romero's room.

We organized the her papers from the lab tables and stacked them in one place. Some of the papers were placed in the shelves specifically for Key

Club. The paint brushes were also organized in one place in one of the cabinets. We also cleaned Ms. Romero's white board since they were no longer needed. Not only did I enjoy cleaning Ms. Romero's room, but I was also glad that one of the new members got his first hour as a Key Club member. We also got to bond with Ms. Romero while cleaning. One of the members that helped clean her room, Nicole, got to organize Ms. Romero's front desk the way Nicole wanted to. But, of course, things that needed to be thrown away had to be asked by Ms. Romero if it was okay for us to throw the trash away. After the clean up was done, we got to socialize with each other and joke around. Ms. Romero was very thankful! for us because we helped her clean her room.

May Day Help-Out

By: Charisse Verdon



On May 4, 2018, Farrington Key Club got the opportunity to help out during one of the biggest events that our school hosts which was May Day. We were given the task of greeting the audience as they came in through the doors. We pointed them to the direction of where they were to sit. Key Club was instructed to pick up any trash that were seemingly obvious near the entrance. The smiles and cheerful eyes of the audience were contagious, with their loud booming claps and voices as they cheered on the performers. As soon as the crowd left, we grabbed our plastic bags, brooms, and dustpans and headed for the bleachers. We separated ourselves in groups of twos and started to pick up any trash. Although we were initially told to just clean during the duration of the show, our club stayed to further help out with the breakdown of everything. We broke down the chairs and aided with the breakdown of the stages. It was such a great and momentous feeling to help out with our school, showcasing all the wonderful cultures and identities that our small town consists of. We were all proud that we got a part in helping with it all, despite only being there to greet and break down!



This is Me Concert Help Out

Tammy Lam



Farrington High School had a student production put on by their choir and piano class on May 10, 2018 and the coordinators of the event sought help from Key Club to facilitate the show. We Key Clubbers were given the task of welcoming and ushering guests, and handing out informational pamphlets about the performances.



After the doors and admission closed, we were allowed to watch and enjoy the concert as well. This project was meaningful and enjoyable because we as a club were able to help our fellow students take the stage and also give back to the community that raised us. Key club stresses large networks and being part of an international organization, as the name communicates, but I think these moments on the local scale are just as important and meaningful to the spirit of Key Club.



YMCA Clean Up with Roosevelt

By: Christine Quinto

On May 12, 2018, our members went out to the Nuuanu YMCA to clean up the area such as their field and grassy areas near the parking lot. While cleaning we learned that we had to be conservative of someone else's things because the person lived on the property. Since there was 3 schools in total, Roosevelt, Kalani & Farrington, we tried our best to split ourselves among the groups so that we can get to learn about everyone. For each group, there was one helper from YMCA to help us with the cleaning. We raked, pulled out the weeds and picked them up to put them in the trash bags. Every now and then there was chip bags, soda cans & plastic so we cleaned that up too. To end off this clean up, we took a group photo and ate snacks for breakfast and pizza for lunch. I realized that I was not the only one that enjoyed this service project & interclub. Everytime we have a interclub, our inclusiveness begins to raise higher. To me this service project was meaningful because despite the vog and heat of that day we all came out to help our community.



Kiwanis Family Dance

By: Aileen Salacup

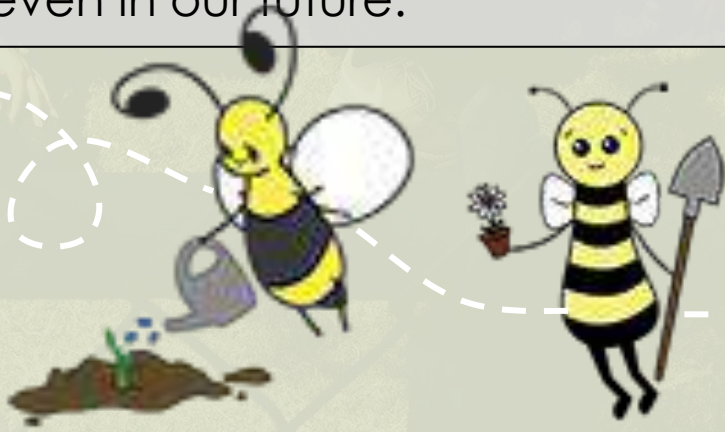


On May 18, 2018, Farrington Key Club, volunteered at Hongwanji Jikoen Temple for Kiwanis Family Dance. During this service project members have fun dancing with everyone. The point of this service project is to dance with people who have special needs. For example, we did the Hokey Pokey dance with everyone. We made a really big circle with everyone and danced together. One of our first time members on Kiwanis Family Dance said, "I enjoyed interacting with others through way that is not common like dance." Not only we meet new people, we also have fun with our members. After the dance, members also help with the cleaning. Members help with wiping the tables and they also sweep the floors. After cleaning up, members get the chance to meet new people from other schools. This service gave us the wonderful extravagant opportunity to help those in need. They truly touched our hearts as we danced the night away, their wide smiles touching our souls deeply.

Kanoa Street & Pua Lane Community Clean Up

Florie Primero

Our Key Club members took the chance on Saturday, May 19 to help keep our environment safe and clean by volunteering for the Kanoa Street and Pua Lane community clean up. We were provided hats, water, and food to make sure everyone was hydrated and filled with energy. Our advisor suggested we also clean up Ka'iulani Elementary School. We were glad to be able to contribute in helping a community be a safe and clean place. It was a struggle working in the hot sun but knowing we were doing something for the safety of our people, we had smiles on our faces throughout the hard work. I enjoyed seeing how much garbage we picked up and seeing how clean the place was right after. The police officers and adults who were with us gave us words of wisdom that will for sure stick to the hearts of our volunteers. They mentioned how it won't matter what your title is, whether you're a police officer, doctor, etc. What matters is what you have done for the safety of our people. The good things we continue to learn, do, and pass onto others. This clean up was a fun experience and we hope to continue serving our communities even in our future.





Beach Clean Up with Maryknoll

By: Giovanna Mae Taong

This month of May had Farrington Key Club's first official interclub was with Maryknoll Key Club. We decided to do a clean up at Ala Moana Beach starting at 9 o'clock in the morning to 12 o'clock in the afternoon and with all that we gave ourselves a treat for all the hardwork, a picnic until 1 o'clock in the afternoon. We had a lot of gloves and trash bags so that we could pick up rubbish around the rocky area of the beach where a lot of wastes were washed up shore. We also decided to split up into at least 8 groups, some went by the shore and some went to the park, by the time we were done we had at least more than 20 bags or so. The service project was a great way to interact with the other clubs since it took a lot of teamwork and strength for the work to be done. Also, it was really important because we did a favor to our environment since many of the marine life has been harmed by our waste, either the species would consume plastic or be caught into one. In my opinion, I learned that there is so much to do for the environment and a beach clean up would be a big project so I decided that our club should do more of this service project more often. Maryknoll Key Club was a really club to be with and I would like to have more interclub event with them in the future.

Bank Of Hawaii Family Sunday

Bernadette Castillo

On May 20, 2018, Farrington Key Club was honored to volunteer at Honolulu Museum of Art where the event Bank of Hawaii Family Sunday was held at. Farrington Key Club paired up with some of Farrington's National Honor Society at the drawing contest station. For the drawing contest we basically explained to them next month's theme, Okinawan Culture, and have them draw anything that represents the theme. We made some examples to show to the kids and there were some pictures that shows the culture. There were also some Farrington Key Club with Kalakaua's Builders working in the kitchen. What they had to do was help clean the tables, serve food, and do some errands asked. Family Sunday is really fun and I am glad that Farrington Key Club volunteers every month. It was fun seeing families come and spend some valuable time together. Also, to see kids have fun and not spend time inside the house with electronics. I think Family Sunday brings families together and spend time away from electronics and enjoy the day. We, Farrington Key Club, are honored to experience and see it happening at this service project.





Bee A Reader

By: Isabella Asuncion

On May 24, I was given the opportunity to tag along with another key club member, Gio Taong, to the Kalihi-Palama Public Library Bee A Reader program. Every Tuesday and Thursday from 2 to 3:15 PM, Farrington Key Club members are encouraged to attend Bee A Reader, a program where high school students read to children at local libraries. With the help of the kids, Key clubbers pick out a selection of books and then sit down in a designated area to begin reading. I didn't know what to expect but when a library worker gave Gio a gift stating that a student she regularly read to gave it to her to give to Gio, I knew that this program was making an impact in these kids lives. After getting settled and picking a few books before kids began coming in, a 2 year old girl and her mother came into the children's section. We went through several books, the girl flipping the pages and us pointing out colors and animals she recognized. After a few books, she lost interest so we played with puzzles that taught about animals and shapes. Reading and playing with her not only helped the young girl learn, but is as well. We learned how to better communicate and interact with people of all ages.



Graduation Set Up

By: Maynhel Cabaya

On May 25, Key Club helped out with graduation set up for their very own 2018 senior class. We set up 68 chairs and placed them in rows aligned at the gym. Each chair was faced to where the seniors were seated. We had to make each row straight and spaced out. One of the struggles were spacing out the chairs because we had to space them in a way where parents can get through their seat as others are sitting. We had to re-adjust multiple times along with other organizations. We got it all spaced out at the end where all spaces and rows were similar to each other. We also picked up any trash behind the bleachers and around the gym using gloves, broom and a trash bag. There were many other people helping out so along with helping there was some socializing. We got to meet other people from different organizations who helped out. An enjoyable part was putting up vendor signs and spray painting lines on the grass to make a box as a way to show the space vendors have. We would try to make it straight and pretty much the same for every space. This was fun because as a club we stayed together till everyone was done. We would joke along the way but we were getting things done and bonded as a club.



Graduation Help Out

By: **Maynhel Cabaya**

Key club helped with senior 2018 graduation at their very own Farrington High School on May 26, 2018. We helped by ushering parents and welcoming them into the gym along with collecting purple tickets they had to get into the gym. We had to kindly hold off parents from getting inside the gym. We had to watch closely on who was coming in and who was coming out. Also, some key club members were holding balloons for parents because balloons and big things weren't allowed in the gym. Key Club members would put it under under a tent secured, with their name on it to identify a persons belonging. We broke down tents. During the night, we had to grab brooms, dustpan , rubbish bags, and gloves, and rakes to clean up in front of the school along with the amphitheater. Some members raked confetti off the grass and others picked it up with their gloves and into the trash. An enjoyable part of the graduation was of course seeing seniors up one by one as their name gets called and diploma handed to them. Inspiration sparks seeing the class of 2018 proud and although it was a stressful day, it was nice seeing the class of 2018 graduate happy and proud.



Avalon Arts and Crafts

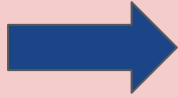
By: Hazelle Baptista



On May 27, four of our members came to Avalon Care Center to do arts and crafts with the elders. This month's arts and crafts had to do with painting on plates. When we went upstairs, I showed the patients an example of what to paint on the plate. The patients thought it was really cute and it honestly made my day. After showing the elderlies an example, they started painting their own masterpiece. One of our members, Benedict, helped Aunty Cynthia, one of the patients, to also paint a tiger. I can say that our members and the patients really had fun painting because that day brought a lot of laughter and joy. I, Hazelle Baptista, on the other hand, talked to Aunty Lita. She painted in peace and wasn't bothered to whatever noise was heard. Aunty Lita drew flowers and a fictional painting of a beautiful woman. One of our members asked if she went to school to Farrington and so the patient started singing the Alma Mater, which was really cool to hear and see because after all these years, she still remembers how to sing the Alma Mater. After hearing her sing, I thought to myself, "when I'm old, I hope to still remember the Alma Mater because Farrington will always have a special place in my heart."

JUNE UPCOMING EVENTS

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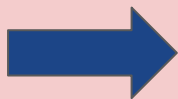
Children's Literature Hawaii Conference

What: Help with selling shirts

Time: 1st shift - 10:30 am - 12:30 pm
2nd shift- 12:30 pm - 2:30 pm

Where: Chaminade

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Kiwanis Family Dance

What: Dance with special people

Time: 6:30 pm - 9 pm

Where: Hongwanji Jikoen Temple

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Hawaii Nature Center

What: Clean up the area

Time: 8:30 am - 11:30 am

Where: Hawaii Nature Center

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BOH Family Sunday

What: Arts and Crafts with kids

Time: 9 am - 2 pm

Where: Honolulu Museum of Arts

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Avalon Arts and Crafts

What: Arts and Crafts with elders

Time: 2 pm - 4 pm

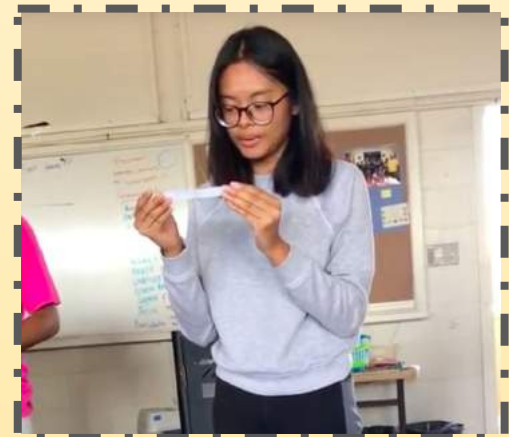
Where: Avalon Care Center

Spotlight On Service

May Initiative- Project Eliminate



On May 7, 2018, during the general meeting, Chairpersons Dominic Arzadon and Glorie Anne Calipjo held a Maternal Neonatal awareness activity. On this activity, the members played different games which led them to pop balloons. Inside the balloons are facts about MNT. When the members popped the balloon, they read the Maternal Neonatal Facts inside. This enabled them to learn more about the tetanus, its effects, and how the Kiwanis Family are involved with eliminating this disease.



Some of the facts are about the symptoms of Maternal Neonatal Tetanus, the effects to the mothers and babies and Kiwanis's aim to raise funds.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Regional Training Conference (RTC)

When: September 1-2, 2018

Time: 8:00 am - 8:00 am

Where: 'Iolani High School

Hawai`i Convention (HCON)

When: March 1-3, 2019

Time: 6:00 am - 12:00 pm

Where: Hawaii Prince Hotel,
Oahu

MAY AWARDS



Member of the Month:
Benedict Daniel Ramos



Officer of the Month:
Florie Primero



Member inclusiveness Award:
Benedict Daniel Ramos



Officer Inclusiveness Award:
Aileen Salacup



Most Improved Member Bee:
Jake Llanto



Most Improved Officer Bee:
Dominic Arzadon

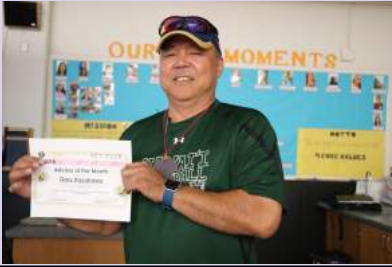


Member Leadership Award:
Jessa Llamas



Officer Leadership Award:
Aileen Salacup

MAY AWARDS



Advisor of the Month:
Gary Hayawaka



Most Spirited Member:
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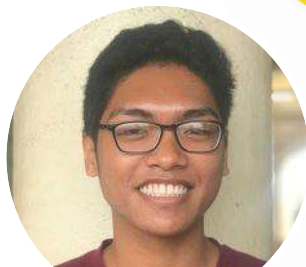
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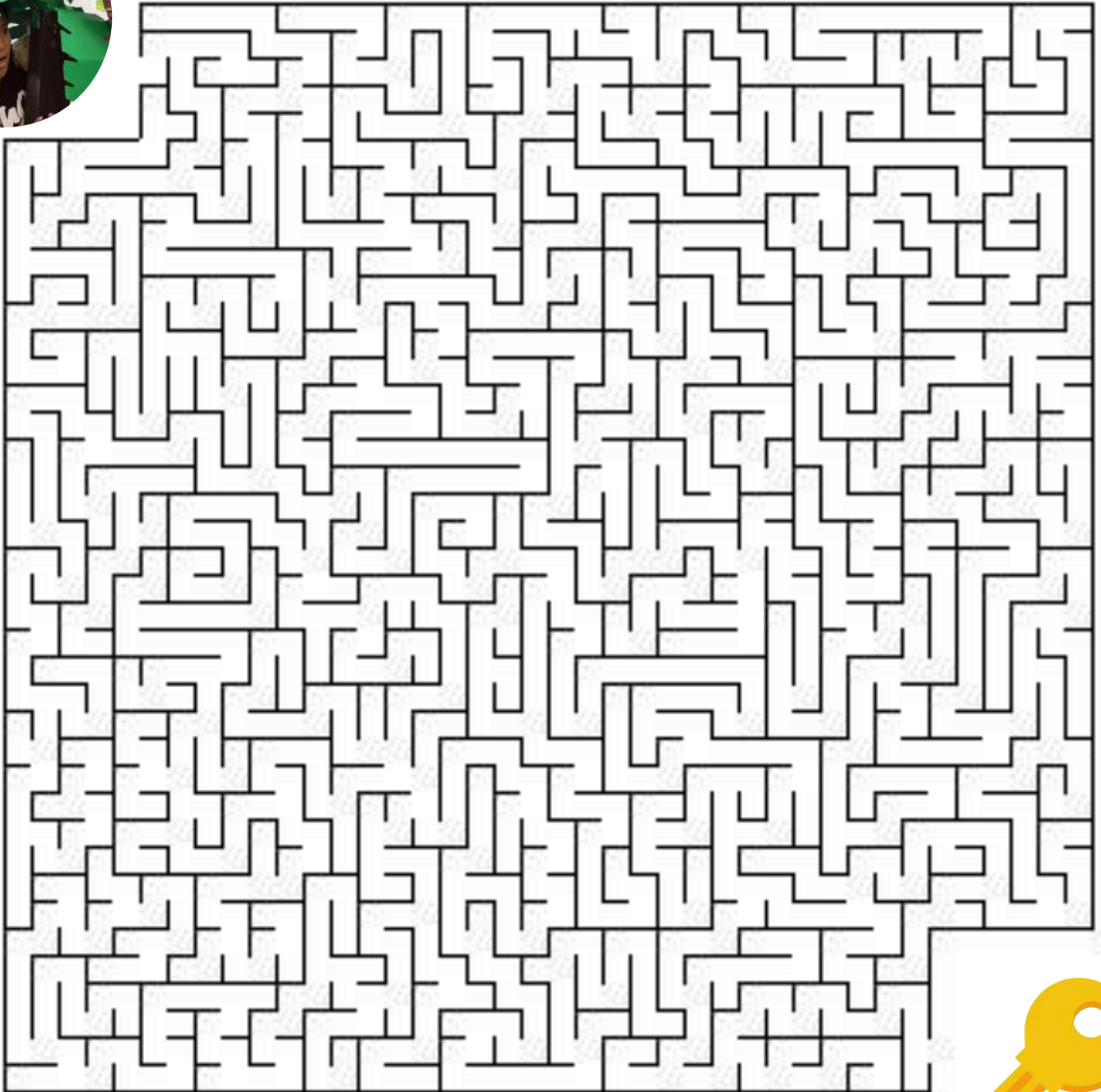
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“Key”ping it Fun!



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lost her key. Help her find it!

VP Message

Greetings Governors,

Mother Teresa once said, "Give your hands to serve and your hearts to love." As an active member of Key Club since freshman year, I have had the passion and love of serving and making impacts in my community. I believe that all of you can have the same passion as I have. My name is Jovince Echalar, Farrington Key Club Vice President of Membership. Summer is here, which means that be prepared to transition into a new year of learning and service. If you have time, don't forget to attend our service projects during the summer. Thank you to all of you who attended the "Key-ping It Warm and Sunny" Social. I hope you had fun and met new people. As the VP of Membership, I will try to provide each member the best Key Club experience. I want all of you to serve the community with heart while having fun and joy. I am super proud of what we have accomplished as a club even if the term just started 2 months ago. I believe that with all of your effort and enthusiasm in volunteering, we will create a great Farrington Key Club! As bees, let us fly together and pollinate the world so that it can bloom elegantly. As Maños, let us swim together for a better community. As governors, let us emphasize together our motto, "Enter to learn, go forth to serve.", because together, we can make a difference.

With ambitious passion of service,
Jovince Echalar



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