

March Newsletter

A MESSAGE FROM THE EDITOR

Hello Mar Vista,

February has gone by and March has come. Yes, February was the start of Key Club's dry season but there were a few events that kept the club going.

In this issue, the Beach Clean-Up is addressed and the monthly DCM's at the Family House of Pancakes are, too. These events are provided so that members can feel that the club isn't fading or running dry.

Also, since the

senior officers are no longer in power and are soon going to be leaving us, recruitment is key. As a club we should try to find out new ways to attract members with creative ideas because participation is the glue that runs this whole ship.

Thanks for reading,
Celine Calpo

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**RECRUIT,
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UPCOMING EVENTS!

DCM – Family House of Pancakes – March 6th

RECENT EVENTS

Picture of the Month



MVH's Key Club and Chula Vista's KIWINS joined forces to help clean Imperial Beach.

Letter from the President

Hey Mariners! Thank you for the great year as Key Club president. Even though I will still be a part of Key Club after DCON, it's still sad to leave my position as president, but handing the baton over to the new officers is reassuring to me; I know that once I and my fellow senior officers leave the club will still thrive.

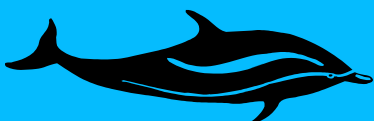
I do have some advice to give to the club in general before I graduate: participation is what keeps the club fun and alive. Do whatever you can to bring in new opportunities and expand our club. Don't hesitate to contribute ideas and make memories.

Thank you for a great year,
Mariko Nakawatase
President

Announcements

- The next DCM is March 6th at the Family House of Pancakes! Feel free to join other Key Clubs in D11!
- Feel free to offer ideas for our club.
- Recruit people from our school!

KEY CLUB



BEACH CLEAN-UP

The beach clean-up was a combined effort featuring our key club and Chula Vista High's KIWINS. Both of our clubs gathered at Imperial Beach at one in the afternoon one fine day and tidied up the beach.



Kevin Borges, along with some friends from Chula Vista, shows that he's excited to clean up the beach.

Happily, there wasn't much trash to collect except for a few cigarettes and some big items.

This event was not only an effort to help our community but an opportunity to make new friends that aspire to be leaders and help others just like us. KIWINS members from Chula Vista were very entertaining to have

and they showed love for our beach that could be considered as equal to ours.

Remy D'Agnillo, our tech editor, had a great time talking to her friend Luis from Chula Vista and gave him a big hug at the end of the clean-up.

Matilda Moreno, our newly elected secretary, stated that she "couldn't wait for another activity with Chula Vista" and made sure to get acquainted and mingle with everyone from the other club.



Megan Laccone and Matilda Moreno show off the trash they managed to collect at the beach.

After the clean-up, members of Mar Vista High's Key Club all walked to Mariko Nakawatase's house and participated in a bonding activity.

Walking was half of the activity, but the more important half consisted of the club members watching a thriller called "Red State." Then, members dispersed and some went to Tapioca Express to support San Ysidro's Key Club with their fundraiser there.

The Beach Clean-Up and the bonding activity were successful attempts to put away Key Club's dry season and keep the club on a roll. Perhaps next month more events will take place and even more participants will show up.



Mariko N. and Cynthia K. (from Chula Vista) participate in the beach clean-up.

