

Leadership Training Opportunities for SLP Leaders

Additional education and leadership opportunities are available to Service Leadership Program (SLP) members outside of their individual club or program. To fulfill the mission of each program—developing leaders through service—it's important that a variety of opportunities are provided to our SLP members.

Here is a list of potential opportunities for each of the programs. Your best point of reference, though, is your district administrator.

Aktion Club

- **Annual Aktion Club Training and Leadership Conference (TLC)**, often held in conjunction with the Kiwanis International Convention.
- **Co-sponsored events with district CKI and/or Key Club.** Contact your district's CKI and Key Club administrators to find out what's currently offered and how members of Aktion Club can participate.
- **Kiwanis International and District Conventions**

CKI

- **Division council meetings.** Division council meetings are conducted at least quarterly. All CKI members are invited to this training event. To learn more, check out your district's CKI Web site or contact circlek@kiwanis.org.
- **District conventions.** District Conventions are conducted in each district in February. At these events, members have the opportunity to improve their skills through team-building activities, workshops and officer positions at all levels. For more information, contact your CKI district administrator, refer to the conventions page at www.circlek.org or email circlek@kiwanis.org.
- **International convention.** International convention is conducted each summer, sometimes in conjunction with the Kiwanis International Convention. Participants can learn from compelling keynote speakers, tour the service fair and network with other CKI members to discover great service projects. Check out www.circlek.org/convention for information about the service fair and the convention service projects.
- **Large Scale Service Project.** CKI members from around the world join together to participate in three days of service projects and a day of fellowship. The projects are new each year, so check out www.circlek.org for more information. The LSSP is held right before the CKI Convention, thereby allowing participants to also have that experience.
- **Leadership Academy.** CKI Leadership Academy is a six-day event focusing on the E6 framework created by Brendon Burchard, author of *The Student Leadership Guide*. Facilitators walk students through the steps to envision, enlist, embody, empower, evaluate and encourage. Students learn that true leadership is based on servant leadership, which requires leaders to put the needs of others first, and to realize that no matter whether or not you have a title, there is always a need for service to one another and to the world. To learn more, visit www.circlek.org/leadershipacademy.
- **Additional district training.** The training opportunities in each district vary, so please refer your district administrator to learn about unique trainings for members & advisors.

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Key Club

- **Division council meetings.** Key Club lieutenant governors convene district council meetings at least quarterly. All Key Club members are invited to these training events. To learn more, check out your district's Key Club Web site or contact your Lieutenant Governor.
- **Club officer training conferences.** Either district or regional training conferences are conducted to prepare club officers for their leadership positions. To learn more, check out your district's Key Club Web site or contact your Lieutenant Governor.
- **Fall/spring rally.** These motivational/social events unfold in most Key Club districts. To learn more, check out your district's Key Club Web site or contact your Lieutenant Governor.
- **District conventions.** Each district also conducts a convention in the spring for the Key Clubs within their region. At district convention, district officers are elected, club officers are trained and individual clubs are awarded for their dedication to service. For more information about your district convention, check out your district's Key Club Web site or contact your Lieutenant Governor.
- **Key Leader events.** Key Leader weekends are designed to offer leadership growth opportunities to Key Club and non-Key Club members. For more information about Key Leader, check www.keyleader.org or call the Kiwanis International Office, 317-875-8755, ext. 124.
- **International convention.** Every summer, Key Club International celebrates a year of service at its Key Club International convention. Over 1500 students and advisors gather together to introduce new programs, present awards to outstanding clubs, conduct the organization's business, attend educational workshops and elect international officers for the upcoming year. Contact your district governor for more information or email keyclub@kiwanis.org.
- **Additional district training.** The training opportunities in each district vary, so please refer to the district Key Club Web site or contact your Lieutenant Governor to learn about unique trainings for members and advisors.

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Builders Club

- **District training programs.** To determine what district training programs are available, contact your district administrator.
- **Key Club division council meetings.** These training events occur at least quarterly in each district. Contact your district's Key Club governor to determine how Builders Club members could benefit from this experience. To learn more and contact your district's Key Club governor, check out the district's Key Club Web site.
- **Key Club officer training conferences.** Either district or regional training conference prepares club officers for their leadership positions. Contact your district's Key Club district administrator to determine how Builders Club members could benefit from this experience. To learn more, check out your district's Key Club Web site.
- **Partnering with local Key Club or CKI for training.** Contact your neighboring Key Club or CKI club and identify ways their members could provide training and leadership opportunities for your Builders Club members.
- **Key Leader.** For graduating eighth graders, Key Leader weekends offer leadership growth opportunities. For more information about Key Leader, check www.keyleader.org or call the Kiwanis International Office, 317-875-8755, ext. 124.
- **Additional district training.**
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K-Kids

- **Co-sponsored events with district CKI and/or Key Club.** Contact your district's CKI and Key Club administrators to find out what is currently offered and how members of K-Kids Clubs can participate.
- **District training programs.** To determine what district training programs are available, contact your district administrator.

In addition to the above suggestions, you and your SLP club can explore other trainings such as Boys and Girls Club conferences, after-school enrichment programs for adults/parents, leadership development training through community centers or student council trainings. If you or your Kiwanis club wants to offer district or regional trainings, you are encouraged to coordinate the opportunity with your district administrator and/or Service Leadership Programs coordinator.