



GOLDEN KEY INTERNATIONAL HONOUR SOCIETY

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THE UNIVERSITY OF MEMPHIS

Quote for the month:

"Always do right—this will gratify some and astonish the rest."

—Mark Twain

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Welcome back to campus!

June Social Event



On July 13, 2007, The University of Memphis Chapter of Golden Key sponsored a skating night for several cottages from the Tennessee Baptist Children's Home. The kids had a great time skating and racing each other along while enjoying some pizza and sodas during a break. At the end of the night, they



Special points of interest:

- * Student Involvement Fair Appreciation
- * Tutoring Opportunities

told us that they would like to do another skate night sometime. The University of Memphis Chapter looks forward to doing more skate nights and other events with the Tennessee Baptist Children's Home. The more volunteers we have, the better the events are, so be



watching for upcoming events to get involved in! Thank you to Ms. Diane Chavers, an honorary member, for making an appearance at this event. Also, thank you to East End Skating Center for allowing us to treat these children to a fun night!



June Service/Literacy Event



The University of Memphis chapter of Golden Key hosted



annual event was a great success this year. Thank you to all who purchased Best Book in Town coupon books



learn to in order to make this a literacy-focused event. They also participated in many exhibits, including check writing, human body, and grocery

a group of children from Tennessee Baptist Children's Home to a day at the Children's Museum of Memphis. This



as your contributions largely funded this event. At the event, the children were encouraged to read, ask questions, and



shopping. The kids all had and showed appreciation for our ser-



2007 Golden Key International Conference

The 2007 Golden Key International Conference was held August 1-5 at Hyatt Regency in Atlanta, Georgia. Over 500 Golden Key members from all over the world attended the event.



ter's Gold Status award. The chapter was able to discuss many ideas with other chapters, and new sister chapter relationships were established. The conference had many special speakers and had numerous workshops. All delegates enjoyed a special bowling night sponsored by the Princeton Review. This conference marked the 30th anniversary of Golden Key!

August 3. Make plans now to attend.

Our President also represented US Region 2 on the

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INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE
31 July-3 August 2008 New Orleans, Louisiana



Chapter President Matthew Teal received our chap-

Next year's International Conference will be in New Orleans, Louisiana July 31-



Council of Student Members at this conference and will continue to serve in that position until June of 2008. If you have any issues you want international office to consider, please let Matthew know.



Student Leadership Summit

Anna Miles, Zach Nahmias, Shannon Hayes, and Matthew Teal all attended the 2007 annual Student Leadership Summit. This was an opportunity to meet leaders from other campus organizations. Alicia Golston, an honorary member and our co-advisor, gave an effective presentation

during this summit. All participants were encouraged to be better leaders on campus and in the community. The food was excellent. All Golden Key student member attendees received 10 points for attending this event. It was a neat time to meet new people and learn new ideas about

how to make your organization better. I encourage all officers and dedicated general members to attend next year's event.

Here's what is coming up

Membership Drive—From now until Induction, the chapter will be conducting its membership drive. Forms have been submitted to the registrars office, and the invitations will be out soon. Please encourage all your friends that have a 3.4+ GPA to be looking for something in the mail from Golden Key or for an e-mail. Word of mouth is the best way to attract new members. Please help us get the word out about Golden Key.

Can Drive—the chapter will conduct a one-week can drive sometime during September. Plans are being made to make this a collaborative event with some of our Golden Key sister chapters. More details will follow. We are hoping that every Golden Key member, alumni member, advisor, and honorary member will get involved in some way. All proceeds will benefit local charitable organizations.

Movie Night—this event is scheduled for October 13th at TBCH. The time and the exact cottage has not been established. This event is open to all members, and more information will be provided closer to the event.

TBCH Open House—Volunteers are needed for the annual TN Baptist Children's Home Open House. The event lasts from 9 AM to 4 PM. If you are able to volunteer during any of that time, please let us know so we can get you on the list. This event does count as a service event. Guests are welcome to help as well.

Induction Ceremony—November 18th from 3-5 PM at Rose Theatre. Reception to follow. Location to be determined. More details to come.

Honorary Member Social/Reception—November 18th from 2:30-2:50 PM. This is an opportunity for our honorary members to fellowship with each other and enjoy light refreshments. Location will be on or near campus. More information to follow.

If you have any events you would like the Golden Key community to know about or participate in, please notify our one of our officers.

Thank you to Shannon Hayes (General Member), Dottie Patrick (Secretary), Kei Wong (Alumni Member), Matthew Teal (President), and Tommy Goering (Prospective Member) for helping at our 2007 Student Involvement Fair table August 27th.

Holiday Party with TBCH—The annual TBCH Christmas party will be held Friday, December 14th, from 6-8 PM at the Davis Cottage. We are looking for committee members to help us make this event successful. More information will follow.

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Fall Tutoring Opportunity Available

The United Methodist Neighborhood Center at 3000 Walnut Grove is asking all Golden Key members, alumni, and honorary members in the Memphis area to volunteer a few hours of their time. The GK chapter can tutor refugee children from Uganda. This program is located on the third floor. The program will last the entire semester. For more information, please contact an officer.

We're on the Web!!

<http://memphisgk.com>

That is right our Golden Key chapter is now on the web. We have purchased a new domain name and have completely updated the website. The website will be updated at least weekly. If you have any ideas for new pages, please let Matthew (mteal@memphis.edu) know. We would love to hear your ideas. If you have any pictures, please forward them to Matthew. If you would like to join our website committee, please contact Matthew. No website experience is required. For now, enjoy the website!

Mid-Year Officer Elections

The chapter will be conducting its mid-year officer elections in September. Any student member can apply for a position. Any alumni members who would like to serve in an auxiliary position are encouraged to apply. No leadership experience is required to apply, and we have positions available for both full-time and part-time students, both graduate and undergraduate. If you have any questions, please visit <http://umdrive.memphis.edu/mteal/public/GoldenKey/ChapterOfficerDuties01SEP06.doc> for more information about officer positions. Currently, we need individuals to serve as:

Social Director

Historian

Service Director

Newsletter Editor

Contact Matthew (mteal@memphis.edu) with your questions or if wish to apply for a position.

Officer of the Month

Congratulations to our August officer of the month, ***Ms. Dottie Patrick!!***



Dottie is our secretary and social director. Dottie has become very active in the chapter and goes beyond her required duties.

Recently, Dottie has helped at our Student Involvement Fair table. We are thankful for Dottie's commitment to the University of Memphis chapter.

When you see Dottie on campus, be sure to thank her for all her hard work and faithfulness to Golden Key.

Member of the Month

Congratulations to our August member of the month, ***Ms. Shannon Hayes.***

Shannon has gone beyond the general expectations of general members. Not only did she



assist at the Student Involvement Fair, she also brought a guest to help the chapter. Shannon also attended the 2007 Student Leadership Summit and received credit for attending that event. Shannon will be recognized at our next general

Did you hear? Golden Key now invites graduate students with a 3.5 GPA for membership.

If you haven't yet, check out the new CareerLink option on Golden Key's International website (www.goldenkey.org)

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Golden Key T-Shirts Are on Sale!

Help support your local chapter, so that we can continue to provide support to our community, and provide you with awesome events by purchasing a t-shirt.

T-shirts are \$10.00 each and come in blue or gold. You can request S M L and XL. Bring a guest to a Golden Key event, and the price is \$5.00 each.

Remember, you receive points each time you wear a Golden Key t-shirt to any event we sponsor. Those points can lead up to prizes and money.

T-shirts are available at general members meeting, or you