

PAST PROGRAMS



Kathleen Cicchese, Key Club Lt. Governor for Division 29-A, addressed the club on November 4th. Division 29-A is comprised by the Key Clubs at the following high schools: Fitch, New London, Waterford, Montville (Kathleen's home club), East Lyme, Lyme-Old Lyme and Ledyard. All of the clubs, except for Ledyard, are sponsored by the Kiwanis Club of New London. Kathleen's enthusiasm and enjoyment of Key Club was evident throughout her presentation. She discussed her participation at Key Leader last spring in Sandwich, MA and how that inspired her to step up and attend the recent Key Leader in Pittsfield, MA as a student facilitator. Kathleen has also attended the New England Key Club District Convention last spring in Springfield, MA and the Key Club International Convention last summer in Dallas, TX. She has been in contact with all the clubs in the division and has been encouraging them to take advantage of all the opportunities that Key Club has to offer. Kathleen has been a wonderful conduit to our Key Clubs and has encouraged full participation in joint projects, such as Bell Ringing and Thanksgiving Dinner with the Salvation Army and the Kiwanis Family Nite at the New England Revolution featuring David Beckham, which she attended this past summer. The photos, submitted by **Rich**

Cheatham, feature President-elect Rich making a presentation to Kathleen after her address above, and below our group at Key Leader in Pittsfield, MA from left to right: Emily Story, Ashley Vivencio, Cassie Hill, Molly McKenna from Fitch, and Kathleen Cicchese.



Art Costa, Founder and Acting Chair of New London Local First (NLLF) addressed the club on November 11th. New London Local First is a network of locally owned, independent businesses formed in 2007 to build a strong New London economy and a vibrant community. Annual membership is \$100. Supplementing his remarks with a PowerPoint presentation, Art outlined the economic benefits of supporting local business and the multiplier effect.

GUESTS

Lauren Chiaramonte, Vice President of the Mitchell College Circle K Club, joined the club for lunch November 4th.

April Barber was a guest of **Marty Olsen** on November 11th for our regular meeting.

ODDS & ENDS



Ed Brailey, in photo, shared an Official Statement he received recently from Governor M. Jodi Rell highlighting his work on behalf of Alpha One, which is a debilitating respiratory illness. Ed has also volunteered to be the Kiwanis Advisor to Lyme-Old Lyme High School Key Club. Photo submitted by **Rich Cheatham**.

The club thanks **Rich Cheatham** for providing transportation to and from Pittsfield, MA to Key Leader for our five students the weekend of October 23-25.

Congratulations to **John Russell** (G) and **Marty Olsen** (R) who were elected to the New London City Council on November 3rd.

Sherry Lombardi is seeking committee members to help form and coordinate the 2010 Golf Tournament. She can be reached at 437-0293 or slombo@msn.com.

Sam Christy has volunteered to coordinate the club's RIF program for 2010.

Saturday, December 5th: Trauma Day at the **Kiwanis Pediatric Trauma Institute** (KPTI), Tufts Medical Center, Boston, MA, 10:00 AM-2:00 PM. Tour the hospital and learn about our signature program in New England. Seeing is believing!!

NOVEMBER PROGRAMS

MARTY OLSEN: CHAIR

November 18: **Honorable Emmet L. Cosgrove**, Judge, NL Judicial District Courthouse

November 25: **Margaret "Peg" Ackley**, Chief of Police, New London, CT

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Mid Winter Training Conference: Crowne Plaza, Worcester, MA, March 5-7, 2010

Kiwanis International Convention: Las Vegas, NV, June 24-27, 2010

DRAWINGS

November 4: **Bill Everett** donated \$2 to the *Chris Vallas Emergency Relief Fund*
November 11: **Gordon Jackson** donated \$2 to the *Chris Vallas Emergency Relief Fund*

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Waterford High School Key Club
East Lyme High School Key Club
New London HS Key Club



Fitch High School Key Club
Lyme-Old Lyme HS Key Club
Montville High School Key Club

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UPCOMING PROJECTS WITH THE SALVATION ARMY

Wednesday, **December 16th**, Christmas Party with children from the Salvation Army Youth program as guests.

Saturday, **December 19th**, Bell Ringing at the Crystal Mall, Waterford

OBJECTS OF KIWANIS

- ❑ **To give primacy** to the human and spiritual rather than to the material values of life
- ❑ **To encourage** the daily living of the Golden Rule in all human relationships
- ❑ **To promote** the adoption and application of higher social, business and professional standards
- ❑ **To develop**, by precept and example, a more intelligent, aggressive and serviceable citizenship
- ❑ **To provide** through Kiwanis clubs, a practical means to form enduring friendships, to render altruistic service and to build better communities
- ❑ **To cooperate** in creating and maintaining that sound public opinion and high idealism which make possible the increase of righteousness, justice, patriotism and good will.



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