

Key Club recognized at convention

by Tara Cox

Eleven RCHS Key Club members traveled to Gatlinburg, Tennessee for a three day convention March 31 through April 2.

The biggest surprise of convention was the three awards they earned.

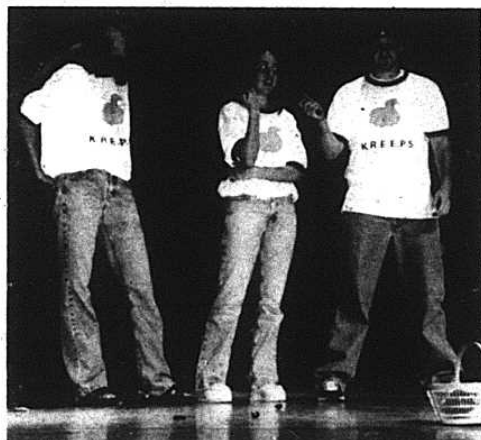
These awards include Dues on Time, Membership Development, and a trophy for 3rd place in Achievement for the Silver division (35-60 members).

Also at convention, they voted on next year's district officers and club officers were trained for their respective positions.

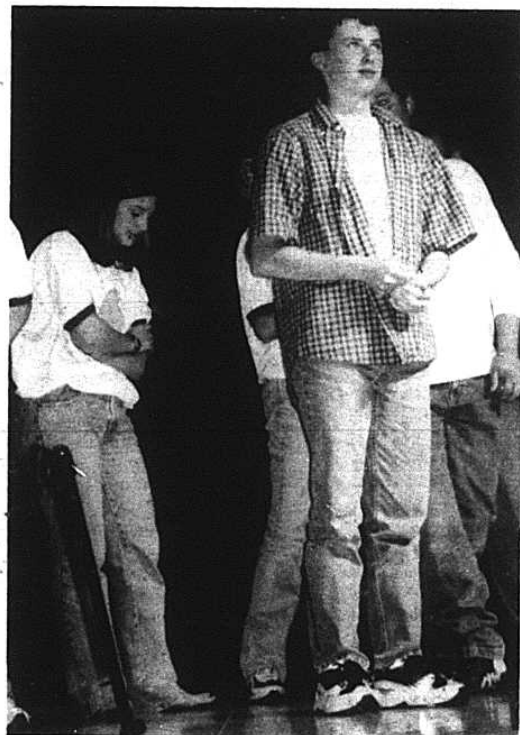
Mr. Gary Tillery, Key Club faculty sponsor and Global Issues teacher, was one of the advisers.

"It was a very enjoyable trip. All of the participants learned very important information and became much more knowledgeable of the Kentucky-Tennessee Key Club District," said Mr. Tillery of the trip.

This was the club's first participation in district convention, and members are already planning to attend next year's convention.



KREEPS (Kids Reaching Everyone Everywhere Providing Solutions) performed in front of almost 400 students Tuesday, May 16. The troupe encourages sexual abstinence through skits and music that illustrate the dangers of pregnancy and sexually transmitted diseases. The group, which is comprised of students from Ms. Allene Cornelius' Honors English III, also performed for a group of young children in Jackson County. Above are Katy Powell, Lindsey Parsons, and Josh Lyons. At right: Ashley Lawson and Travis Burton, freshman.



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