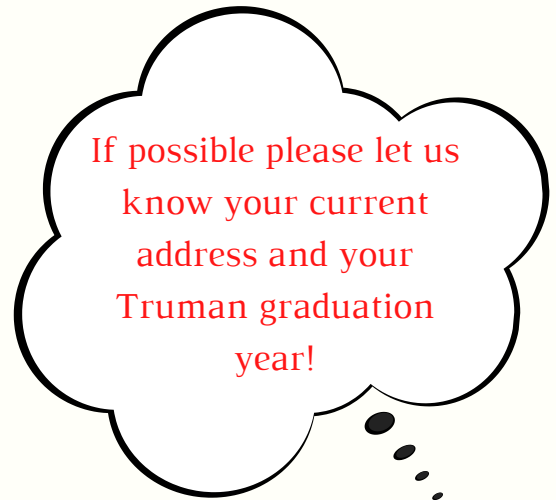


# CARDINAL KEY

Truman State Cardinal Key Monthly Newsletter 2022



## Position Spotlight

Kara Pruet and Kaeden Noland are our lovely homecoming chairs! Kara is a senior with a double major in Communication disorders and Psychology. On campus, she is also involved in COTA and Alpha Gamma Delta. Kara's favorite part of being homecoming chair was seeing everything come together on the day of homecoming. She loved seeing all of CK together and the school spirit. Kara also loved being homecoming chair with Kaeden and getting to know her. The entire planning process was a joy and she loved that she helped create homecoming for us this year! Kaeden is a junior majoring in Communication disorders with a minor in disability studies. She is also involved in Delight on campus. Kaeden's favorite part of being homecoming chair was getting to work with her co-chair Kara and committee to create a fun week for all of CK.

Hannah Kirchner (HanK) is our JDRF chair! She is a senior majoring in Sociology and minoring in Spanish. On campus, she is also involved in Campus Christian Fellowship (CCF). Her favorite thing about being JDRF chair is that she enjoys meeting many different individuals and their families with Type-1 diabetes and learning about their stories. She says it has been rewarding knowing that all of our hard work through fundraising and service is going to directly benefit so many people!

## Alumni Spotlights

### Mickie Schmidt

Year Initiated: 1998

Favorite CK Memory:

Her senior year her roommates were all in Cardinal Key as well and they have stayed close throughout the years.

### Ama Idun

Year Initiated: 2016

Favorite CK Memory:

Her favorite memory was sitting on her twin-sized bed in her apartment writing the weekly CK emails with her CK President.

### Kristin Korneliusen

Year Initiated: 2002

Favorite CK Memory:

She enjoyed the retreats and felt fortunate that she was able to plan a few as the Vice President.



# WHAT HAPPENED IN CK THIS MONTH?

We started October off strong with our first event being White Rose! A handful of CKs headed out to help with installing insulation, pick fruit, stack wood, and collect some kindling. It was such a great experience and we cannot wait to go back in the Spring!

We had such a great time participating in the Homecoming Festivities in Fabulous K-Vegas this year!

Our lovely Abby Sauer (Vice President) made homecoming court and we loved supporting her.

Throughout the week we participated in the Cornhole Tournament, Trivia, the Scavenger Hunt, watched Lip Sync, and a handful of Cardinal Keys volunteered at the Golden Alumni event. Saturday was the big day and we started bright and early with the 5k. After the 5k, we headed to Franklin Street for the parade, then went to the tailgate! We had such amazing food at the tailgate as well as great company. After the tailgate, we headed over to Stokes for the football game and enjoyed cheering on the Bulldogs to victory over S & T. To end our night, we headed to the lovely Kaeden's house for the pajama dessert party. It was a fun night filled with laughter and conversation with each other, and we loved that some of our alumni were able to make it!

Cleaning the street with Blue Key has been a fun monthly event we've enjoyed doing this semester.

Since both Cardinal Key and Blue Key have adoptive streets, we alternate each month on which we clean. Sadly, this street clean up is the last one of the semester due to the cold weather, but we can't wait to continue it next semester!

As the month came to a close, we celebrated Special Men's Day by serving at the Salvation Army and

Community Mission and bowling! The amazing Morgan (our Social Chair) did such a great job planning the event with her committee and it was a great success. We loved serving with our special men and ending the day with bowling at Leisure World. Cardinal Key is thankful for all of the special men in our lives and thankful they were able to join us for a day!

