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In Remembrance of Pearl Harbor, Keiser University to Kick-Off Holiday Toy Drive Benefiting Operation Homefront

Event Details:
This Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day, Keiser campuses statewide are partnering with Operation Homefront to make the holiday season a little brighter for the children of military families.

Children will enjoy a visit from Santa Claus, a coloring station to create holiday wishes for service members and Veterans, cookies and milk, refreshments, and other activities to be announced. Members of the Armed Services and community leaders are expected.

The event is free of charge and guests are asked to bring a new, unwrapped toy for a child of a member of our military in need. The toy drive continues on campus through Dec. 20.

Event Date & Location:
Daytona Beach Campus—1800 Business Park Blvd at 3:00 p.m. (386-276-5060)
Fort Lauderdale Campus, Graduate School & Online Division—1500 NW 49th Street at 3:00 p.m. (954-776-4456)
Fort Myers Campus—9100 Forum Parkway at 3:00 p.m. (239-277-1336)
Jacksonville Campus—6430 Southpoint Parkway at 3:30 p.m. (904-296-3440)
Lakeland Campus—2400 Interstate Drive at 7:30 a.m. (863-682-6020)
Melbourne Campus—900 South Babcock Street at 4:00 p.m. (321-409-4800)
Miami Campus—2101 NW 117th Avenue at 7:30 a.m. (305-596-2226)
Orlando Campus—5600 Lake Underhill Road at 3:00 p.m. (407-273-5800)
Pembroke Pines Campus—1640 SW 145th Avenue at 3:30 p.m. (954-431-4300)
Port St. Lucie Campus—10330 South US 1 at 2:30 p.m. (772-398-9990)
Sarasota Campus—6151 Lake Osprey Drive at 3:30 p.m. (941-907-3900)
Tallahassee Campus—1700 Halstead Blvd. at 2:00 p.m. (850-906-9494)
Tampa Campus—5002 West Waters Avenue at 3:00 p.m. (813-885-4900)
West Palm Beach—2085 Vista Parkway at 6:00 p.m. (561-471-6000)

Operation Homefront: A 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, Operation Homefront was formed in February 2002. It was developed to support the families of deployed service members immediately following 9/11. Operation Homefront is headquartered in San Antonio, Texas, and has evolved into a major nonprofit.

The target population is American military personnel and/or their families who have unmet needs due to financial hardship, death, injury, or physical or mental detriment as a result of service in Iraq or Afghanistan.

Keiser University: A private, not-for-profit university serving nearly 18,000 students pursuing doctoral through associate degrees on 15 campuses, internationally and online, Keiser University employs over 3,500 staff and faculty.

Keiser University is accredited by the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools to award certificates and degrees at the associate, baccalaureate, masters, and doctoral levels.
Sixty-two percent of KU students graduate in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) and healthcare fields, providing the talented workforce necessary for Florida to compete globally.

Keiser University's educational reach extends globally through its international programs, including the Latin Division, a cooperative agreement in the Eastern European nation of Moldova, and a campus in Shanghai, China.

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