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KEEN Club: A Volunteer's Perspective

One of KEEN's high school coaches shares her thoughts in this thank you letter.

Thank you so much for letting me become a member of KEEN Club. I loved every aspect of it. I think it is a wonderful program. I know people look at disabled children as different and sometimes weird. But the reality is they are no different from anyone else.

KEEN Club opened my eyes to new horizons and experiences I am blessed to have experienced. I have a new, fresh way of looking at the world and the things around me and never taking anything for granted. This program is amazing. It provides fun for kids who might be looked at as different or weird and they are exactly the opposite. I loved the kids so much, they were so funny and brought me so much joy to see having fun. I think that this establishment for kids is absolutely wonderful in every way, shape, and form. Thank you again for everything you do for these kids and letting me partake in the KEEN Club.

I wanted to let you know that I was only absent on January 26 because I had to attend a christening for my cousin's baby. I also have and am keeping in touch with Sam, my athlete. We hung out last week and went to the park and played. Thanks for introducing me to Sam. I hope that we can keep in touch with the program and the athletes. Would it be possible to send or email the list of names and emails for the coaches so that we can all keep in touch?

Thanks again, Claire