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Dear PBKACA member:

Please join your fellow Chicago-area key holders for another exciting year by renewing your PBKACA membership for 2010. Over the last year, our activities included:

- Awarding our fourth \$5,000 PBKACA scholarship to Derrius Quarles, a Morehouse College student whose inspiring life story was featured in a front-page article in the *Chicago Tribune*
- Honoring Rick and Deann Bayless, owners of Frontera Grill, at our Annual Dinner and Scholarship Benefit
- Presenting a behind-the-scenes look at Chicago's Burnham Plan centennial celebration at our Annual Meeting
- Offering a wide variety of programs, including regular meetings of our book, film, and theater groups
- Organizing meetings of our young professionals group

Please renew your membership now by updating the form on the back of this page and sending it with your \$35 check (or more if you wish). You may also renew and charge your dues on our website, www.pbkaca.org. Your financial support is essential to our Association, allowing us to:

- Expand our membership initiatives as we try to reach out to all 15,000 key holders in the Chicago area
- Support the costs of publication and mailing occasional pieces, including our informative newsletter
- Publicize and implement our Chicago Public Schools scholarship program

Please remember that we are a completely separate entity from the national Phi Beta Kappa Society. If you paid dues to the national society, you are not automatically a member of the Chicago Association, which means we rely largely on membership dues to support our Association.

Thank you for your generosity, and we look forward to hearing from you in 2010!

Warmly,

Judi Strauss-Lipkin
President, PBKACA

P.S. Make the most of your membership and get involved!

"...to inspire enthusiasm for pursuits of the mind..."

