



**Special points of interest:**

- **Webpage:** Is available for Social Media access
- **Quarterly:** TK Foundation Newsletter will be published
- **Honorary Mentioned** for Mr. Randolph Kinsey See (page 2)
- **Announcements:** See (page 3)

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TARENCE KINSEY FOUNDATION (NON-PROFIT) ORGANIZATION

# TK Foundation Newsletter

## Top Story: *“Who we are” as a Foundation.*

**Tarence Kinsey Foundation (Non-profit) Organization, Tampa, Florida** was established on 21 September 2009, for the purpose of establishing and supporting community projects, especially those involving our youth and their families in Tampa Bay community and surrounding areas.

**1. Mission:**

Our mission is to empower and motivate our youth by developing and fostering goal setting accountability and social responsibility skills. We will instill a **“Yes I Can”** Commitment to achievement with focus on academics, health, physical fitness and career preparedness

**2. Goal:**

Is to increase the

amount of kids we help every year by providing more college scholarships, mentoring programs, life skills events, and additional educational and athletic resources to help better the lives of our youth.

**3. Vision:**

Our ultimate vision is to enrich the quality of life for our

youth and families. We have a strong focus on helping kids understand their potential, proper decision making and community to family.

**Mentoring Program:**

Is a program within the TK Foundation called **“Circle Me”** with the mission of improving the social, moral, physical and mental well being of young teens. We impart information and skills that educate, promote leadership, accountability, health and wellness. Our aim is to circle the individual with love and support help to enrich his or her quality of life.

Our goal is to ensure that every teen reach their highest potential.



Circle Me for Kids

## Story Headlines:

**“Circle Me” Meeting-** at the W. E. Davis Boys & Girls Club for the monthly Mentoring Program. The topic of discussion for **April 2014** will be **Adversity** and how to overcome it. **May 2014** will focus on preparing for **College**, college survival skills and money management. **Seniors** have been receiving acceptance letters from various colleges such as St. Leo University, FAMU and Johnson & Wales University.

However, Seniors have *not* chosen a college of their choice at this time. The **“Circle Me”** Program continue to provide support and assistance for all Senior mentees as they continue to... make huge decisions during this crucial times in there lives, by continuing to further there secondary education.

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## Staff & Members:

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EXECUTIVE ADMINISTRATOR	Ms. April Y. Williams
TREASURER	VACANT
<b>**Honorary Chairman**</b>	Mr. Randolph Kinsey

"A Mother's peace of mind; a son's dream pursued".

## Anniversaries-Birthdays: (April - June 2014)

### April:

### May:

28 May B-day **Keywana Seay**

### June:

30 June Retirement - Anniversary after servicing **24+** years in the United States **"Army"** **"Uncle Nump"**

## TK's Health & Wellness Corner: Tips

### Leading a Healthy Life:

**Six** steps to living long and staying healthy...

- Give your body the energy it needs.
- Stay physically active.
- A healthy mind is apart of healthy body.
- Keep your mind and body

free of harmful drugs and alcohol.

- Practice safe living habits.
- Get regular health care (check-ups).

\* Remember your body needs proper nourishment and rest to stay strong and healthy.

## Sport Activities:

**A look back at 2001-02:** Mr. Tarence A. Kinsey, Jr. was a Senior at Jefferson High School. Mr.



Mr. Tarence A. Kinsey Jr.

Kinsey was named **"Player of the Year"** by Florida Dairy Farmers Association and one of the **six** finalist for **Mr. Florida Basketball**. Also selected for the FL-GA All-Star Game...

## Community (SPONSORED) Activities:

The Tarence Kinsey Foundation of Tampa, Florida, will host a **Fundraiser Event** for **“Circle Me”** at Publix Food Market in the Tampa Bay area with more to follow.

### TK Foundation 1st Annual Fashion Show.

Mr. Kinsey and staff will host there First ever Fashion Show Charity Fundraiser. All proceeds benefit the TK Foundation Non-profit Organization for the Tampa Bay Community and surrounding areas. The event will be on **2 Aug 2014** at the University Area Community Development Center, with more to follow.

**“TK” & Friends Pro Basketball Camp** scheduled for **21-22 June 2014**, at Jefferson High School, ages are from **10-12** on day one and **13-18** on day two with more to follow.

**TK Foundation # 1 Fan Contest:** For those of you who follows TK on social media such as, facebook, instagram or twitter. You will still have a great opportunity to win a signed

autograph items from TK himself. The TK Foundation will have more contests in the future, so continue to monitor all social media under the TK Foundation.

TK Foundation **2nd Annual Fund Raising Dinner** has been set for **12 Jul 2014** at The Tampa Club, starting at **6:00 p.m.**



Tarence Kinsey madness for the game in Serbia

## Monthly-Quarterly Meeting & Announcements:

**Board of Directors**—will meet on **12 April 14** for the next **Quarterly** Board Meeting.

**Jefferson Senior High School** has announced: **Mr. Tarence Kinsey Jr.** Jersey and Number will be retired at the end of the **JHS** Basketball season. Date and time to be announced.

**20 April** is Easter Sunday, **April** month of the Military Child and Stress Awareness.

**11 May** is Mother’s Day.

**15 June** is Father’s Day and Men’s Health Month.

## Sponsor’s & Supporter’s:

### Sponsor’s:

- Distinguished “DGs” Gentlemen (*Veterans of Saudi Arabia*)
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- Silver Forest Studios
- Seven Marketing + PR

### Supporter’s:

TK Foundation would like to express our deepest appreciation for your generous contributions (**donations**) in support of the TK Foundation. Thanks!

“STOP”

and take a moment to thank God...

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*“Who we are”*



*Annual Celebration Dinner  
2013*

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## “Circle Me”

In 2013-2014, the TK Foundation continue to provide support and assist students on continuing to prepare for their futures and furthering their education.