

2024-2025



District 3-NW
Governor
Sharyl Pickens
405-314-5437
sharylpickens@
sbcglobal.net

to stay home. We will miss her and wish her all the best during this challenging time. However, we are confident that Lion ID Dawson will challenge and inspire us!

I hope to visit with you all at convention.

*In service,
DG Sharyl :)*

NW DISTRICT LIONS -

As we prepare for our upcoming district convention, I want to say thank you to all the club officers. What noble service you render! Supporting your club in leadership is what makes the Lions world go 'round.

Volunteerism is in short supply these days. Oklahoma Lions are showing what this saying really means: **"Where's there's a need, there's a Lion"**.

I received chevrons a couple weeks ago - I will be making visits this spring to deliver. I look forward to celebrating your years of service within your clubs!

Entering membership details and service hours into the Lions portal is the not-so-glamorous part of Lionism. But it is so important! Kudos to secretaries, presidents, service chairs, and others who religiously document club activities. We are the number one service organization in the world and want to retain that title!

And at our **convention in Stillwater., February 21**, we will honor a few of those dedicated individuals. Thank you for submitting names and details highlighting efforts. We look forward to sharing well-deserved awards!

Our guest speaker has changed - International Director Debbie Dawson, from Canada, who will be speaking to us. Debbie Cantrell, who was scheduled to attend, has had a health issue that causes her

The Cushing Lions convened for lunch at Steer Inn Restaurant today, lion President Jason Thibodeau initiated the meeting at noon, followed by the pledge and a prayer. Subsequently, Lion of the Day Russell Moyer introduced his guest and our speaker, Kay Mills, Mills, the Executive Director of Love Inc. in Cushing, she discussed the various services offered through love Inc., including classes and workshops. love Inc. is offering a Faith and Finance



Class on February 3, 2026, and also hosts Grief Share, a support group for those grieving, on Tuesdays, for further information, please contact them at 1 -918-22S-112S. On a final note, long-time Lions member Russet! Thurman resigned his membership due to ongoing health issues. We will certainly miss his presence at our meetings and his



many contributions to the club. We love you Russell!

Ponca City Noon Lions

We had a great meeting today inducting 3 new members! We sorted glasses to take to the state office and members brought their LCIF



jars in. Those who participated collected their change during December until today, Everyone who brought change in had their name put in for a drawing. Congratulations to David Bakert! He will



have the S350 we collected donated to LCIF in his name!! New members inducted are Theresa Grantham (Rusty Magers is her sponsor), Ha Iona Ariel (Katrina Sinor is her sponsor) and Flo Drake (Debbie Woodruff is her sponsor). Welcome!!! We are so happy to have you!!



North Enid had a Student of the Month From Chisholm High School! Congratulations!



Perkins Lions Club #1918 presented the January Fine Upstanding Young American to Dyanara Brito at P-T High School today. We congratulate her on being chosen. On hand to present the award was Lion Rhonda Hover and Lu Galavan.

Applications due for State Posts

The Governors-Elect for 2026-2027 will accept applications for the posts of Council Chair, Vice Council Chair, State Secretary, State Treasurer, and Parliamentarian from all eligible Ok Lions until April 14. Send applications to the state office at 4123 N.W.10th, Ok City, OK 73107 Candidates will be interviewed at the state convention. (MD 3 Constitution Article IV Section 2)

Oklahoma Lions State Constitution Proposed Revision



There will be changes proposed to the Oklahoma Lions state Constitution this April, 2026 at the State Convention. Our goal is to have all clubs certified for delegates to vote based on good standing with Ok Lions and LCI. Click on this Link below to view the proposed changes.

[2025-2026 Ok Lions CONSTITUTION AMENDMENT 1.docx](#)

[2025-2026 Ok Lions CONSTITUTION AMENDMENT 2 reformat.docx](#)

[2025-2026 Ok Lions AMENDMENT 1 OF BY-LAWS reformat.docx](#)

The Ok Lions Eye Bank also has proposed changes listed here: [Amendment to const.by laws Sep25](#)

If for some reason you can not get the link to work the changes are located:

[Www.oklionsfoundation.org](http://www.oklionsfoundation.org)

Go to the Resource Page and scroll down.





BBQ Dinner

5:30-7:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 6
Stillwater Community Center
315 W. 8th Avenue

50% of proceeds to benefit 



A great meal for a great cause!