

2023-2024



**3-NW District  
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**Membership**

**Goal:** My goals for our district were to add 46 new members with 20 members dropping. Both of these numbers were low; therefore, were met. All thanks to you!

**Date:** Saturday, June 1, 2024

**Time:** 9:00-12noon

**Place:** Orlando United Methodist Church – 305 N 5<sup>th</sup>, Orlando OK  
\*This training is in-person and online

**District Cabinet Meeting**

**Date:** Saturday, June 15, 2024

**Time:** 10:00am – 11:00 am

**Place:** Lions Meadows of Hope – Perkins Campus  
**Host Club:** Stillwater Noon Lions Club

**District “Kiss the Pig” – Membership Drive**

**Date:** Saturday, June 15, 2024

**Time:** 11:30pm – 1:00 pm

**Place:** Lions Meadows of Hope – Perkins Campus



**KISS THE PIG**

Luncheon begins at 11:30 followed by “Kiss the Pig” Event

**Attire:** Western

**Guest Speaker:** Kathy Donahue  
**Host Club:** Stillwater Noon Lions  
Registration form and information at [https://www.e-district.org/sites/district\\_3\\_nw/calendar.php](https://www.e-district.org/sites/district_3_nw/calendar.php)

**Lions Meadows of Hope Golf Tournament**

**Date:** Monday, June 17, 2024

**Time:** 9:00 am

**Place:** Stillwater Country Club



**Hello again, my dear friends and fellow Lions!**

I pray that this month’s newsletter finds you enjoying great health and blessings, and your Lions Club is continuing to do incredible things within your community. I can hardly believe that my year serving as your District Governor is coming so quickly to a close! It seems like it was just the other day, I was standing at our International Convention in Boston being officially inducted as your District Governor. Now, many miles, meetings, emails, and several monthly newsletters later, this Lion year is ending. I wish to share this year’s goals and insights for the 2023-2024 year.

Currently our district has 40 clubs with 988 members. I have my final club visit June 1 with the Morrison Lions Club.

LCI Insights reports our district has added 101 new members and dropped 107 members. It also reports 40% of our clubs reporting their service projects with 228 activities, serving 31,535 and 4,813 volunteer hours. LCI Insights also reports our district had \$13,823.00 donated to LCIF.

As for training, our district completed club officer training, club chairperson training, zone chair training and leadership training.

**New Club Extension Goal:** In May of 2023, my goal was to add at least 1 new club. During my term our district had more interest in developing branch clubs, which we are still working towards completing.

**Service Projects Goal:** My goals for service projects were 100 activities, serving 10,000 with 5,000 volunteer hours. I believe before my term is completed; we will surpass all these goals.

**Leadership Training Goal:** My goal for training was to have 50% attendance for each of the training courses. With the new Lions Portal, I believe our club officers and district leaders will attend more training sessions.

**LCIF Goal:** Our district goal for LCIF donations was \$26,730.00 for the Lions year; however, we came up a bit short of this goal. I feel our district will continue to strive to meet next year’s goal.

As we close out the year, I encourage all club secretaries to input their club officers on the new Lions Portal. Should you need any help or instructions please reach out to me, DGE JD Koch or District Administrator/Secretary Sheila Stone. Again, thank you for letting me serve our **GREAT** District.

I thoroughly enjoyed visiting and serving with the clubs and their members and learning more about their projects. We truly have an amazing district and am excited to see how we will continue to grow. I wish DGE JD Koch and 1VDG Sharyl Pickens a great year serving our district in the coming year. In Service and Friendship,

*Kim Coleman  
District Governor 3NW*

**DATES TO REMEMBER**  
**2024-2025 Club Officer Training**

## Club News

### Cushing Lions Club



On Tuesday, May 7, 2024, Cushing Lions club members, along with employees from the

Cushing hospital, and local police and fire officials assisted with Junior Olympics at O'Dell Field.

Olympian winners were given medals to commemorate the event. But all athletes were offered an assortment of mini candies (bars), oranges, bananas, and bottled water. The club also donated to the Laverne Volunteer Fire Department due to the recent Wildfires. Thank you for your donation!



### Fairview Lions Club



The Fairview Lions Club presided over 30 Lions and 1 guest

during their May 15th meeting. Lion Bill McCue utilized a Q&A about America.



The club provided burgers, hot dogs and pulled pork sandwiches on May 3, 2024. Funds support local projects.

### Jet Lions Club

The Jet Lions club provided scholarships for (2) Seniors of the Timberlake Regional School District.

### Laverne Lions Club

The Laverne Lions club presented (2) \$1,000.00 scholarships to Laverne Seniors, Angela Creed, and Mia Ovalie.

On May 18<sup>th</sup>, the club's BINGO night was the initiation of a Progressive Blackout game.

### Lomega Lions Club

1VDG Sharyl Pickens visited the club last month, where they finished up their Lomega Lions Ladies night with guest speaker Mike Sanders from the Oklahoma Broadband. They celebrated Lomega Seniors, Trevor Lenz, and Monse Rivera for being students of semester. They are still helping with and housing their local food bank

### North Enid Lions Club

The North Enid Lions club provided (4) \$1,000.00 scholarships to area students from Chisholm High School and Enid High School. Lion Charles "Chuck" Osgood was awarded the District 3NW Lion of the Year award. North Enid Lion



CUB, Audri Coleman was awarded the MD Peace Poster award for 2023-2024" Dare to Dream".



### Perkins Lions Club

**Congratulations** to the Perkins Lions club on recruiting **10** new members. A few years ago, the club was looking to fold; however, with much success the club is now able to serve their community with a more positive impact!

### Ponca City After 5 Lions Club

The Ponca City After 5 Lions club provided snack sacks for the community of Barnsdall after the devastating tornado last month.



Members of the Ponca City After 5 Lions club provided cards and stuffed animals to residents of Shaun Manor in celebration of Mother's Day.



### Prague Lions Club

Congratulations to the Prague Lions for celebrating 75 years!! Thank you for all you have done and will continue to do for the Lions! (Continued See Page 8)

