

Calling All Accessibility Ambassadors!

An Exclusive Service Reward Opportunity for California Lions & Leos

Lions for Access Club Banner Patch

California Lions Clubs are invited to step forward, lead with purpose, and be **recognized for meaningful accessibility service** through the **Lions for Access Club Banner Patch** program.

This limited-time service reward honors clubs that are actively improving access, inclusion, and opportunity for people with disabilities — or intentionally including individuals with disabilities in their service projects.

About the Award

The **Lions for Access Club Banner Patch** will be awarded to:

- **The first 45 California Lions Clubs**, and
- **The first 5 California Leo Clubs** in MD4

that successfully meet all outlined criteria.

This is a first-come, first-recognized opportunity.

Qualifying Projects

Service projects that:

- Serve **people with disabilities, and/or**
- Intentionally **include individuals with disabilities** as participants, leaders, or partners in service

Criteria for Earning the Patch

1. Service Activity Reporting

- Report on a **Lions for Access-branded** service activity in the Lions Portal

- Activity title **must begin with:** *“Lions for Access”*
- Include a **screenshot** from the Lions Portal

2. Branded Marketing Evidence

- Submit a screenshot or photo of:
 - A social media post **and/or**
 - Photos from the service event
- Must include:
 - The **Lions for Access logo** *and/or*
 - **#LionsForAccess**

3. Application Submission Guidelines

- Only the **primary sponsoring/organizing Lions or Leo Club** may apply
- **One application per club**
- Continue sharing the Lions for Access-branded service throughout the year
- Include:
 - Club name
 - Contact person’s information
 - District number
- **All requirements must be completed and submitted by June 30, 2026**

Submission Instructions

Send all required documentation to Lion Jennifer Gass:

LionsForAccess@gmail.com

Subject Line: **“Lions for Access Banner Patch”**

Why It Matters

By participating, your club carries forward **Helen Keller's call to action** and strengthens the Lions mission — **serving as Knights of the Blind and Champions of Access for the next 100 years.**

This is more than a patch.
It's leadership.
It's visibility.
It's service that opens doors.

Lead with Access. Serve with Purpose. Be Recognized.

Lions for Access begins with you.

Questions: Lion Jennifer Gass LionsForAccess@gmail.com

Lions for Access Toolbox /resources

https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1IQtC70X5_kEQDrQaLB140rP4MUHAUTDj?usp=sharing



<https://californialions.org/lions-for-access>

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