

District 2-T3

June 2022



GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

Dear Lions of District 2-T3,

There is no finish line. However, Lion Ralph McCain's year as Governor of District 2-T3 will begin on July 1 and mine will end.

We have lofty goals for the current year. We want a net gain of 70 members for our district. As I write this, we have a net loss of 4 members for the year. However, we have gained 18 members so far in June. Keep up the good work. If you have prospects who are ready to join, by all means, welcome them in and report them on MyLCI.

I am grateful for the Lions who have come forward to help with GMA-Global Membership Approach. Continue that work. I intend to remain right there with you. My vision is to build a district-wide team, along the lines of how West Texas Lions Hearing, Inc. has formed. With that kind of positive energy devoted to forming new clubs and strengthening existing clubs, membership growth will become a continuing reality. Already, El Paso Special Needs has reformed as Heroes of El Paso Lions Club. Look for great things from them.

We have met most of our service goals, having surpassed our goals (see actual numbers in parentheses) for number of projects reported on MyLion (almost 500), our goals for number of people served (almost 72,000) and hours of service (over 10,000). A great year. About twice as many clubs have reported service on MyLion during the current year than did last year. However, we are still short of 20 clubs reporting. In fact, we still have 20 clubs that have NOT reported a single service project on MyLion. I know you are serving your community – please report it. A couple of clubs are within one of reporting service in all five global cause areas. Please take another look at MyLion.

Donations to LCIF are still about \$5,000 short of our goal. However, something very gratifying has happened: several clubs that had not been giving to LCIF made significant contributions or they have significantly increased their contributions. I'll take that any year – more clubs supporting the primary charity of Lions International. Thank you. Continue the good work.

By and large, we have met our other goals, from training, to making our district meetings available both online and in person, and we have worked together to solve problems with technology as they have come to our attention. Many hands have made the work light.

Goals are just numbers, what I am proud of is you, the Lions of District 2-T3 who have done so much and done it with so much joy.

Sincerely honored to be yours,

District Governor Frank Heslin

District 2-T3



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District 2-T3 Clubs (33 Clubs)

Alpine	Iraan
Andrews	Kermitt Downtown
Crane Noon	Marfa
El Paso Centennial	McCamey
El Paso Del Norte	Monahans
El Paso Downtown	Odessa Ante Meridian
El Paso Executive Women	Odessa Basin
El Paso Five Points	Odessa Downtown
El Paso Mountain	Odessa Falcon
El Paso Sun City	Odessa Grandview
El Paso United	Odessa Professionals
El Paso Upper Valley	Odessa Westside
Fabens Cotton	Pecos Downtown
Fort Davis	Sanderson
Fort Stockton	Van Horn
Heroes of El Paso	Ysleta
Horizon Eastlake	

Governor's Charities

Texas Lions Camp	\$10 per member
Lions Club International Foundation	\$3 per member
Texas Lions Foundation	\$3 per member
Leader Dog	\$3 per member
World Services for the Blind	\$3 per member
Diabetes Awareness	\$3 per member
West Texas Lions Eye Bank	\$4 per member
TLERC (Eyeglass Recycling)	\$4 per member
WTLEHF (Eye Health Foundation)	\$3 per member
*WTLH (West Texas Lions Hearing, Inc.)	\$2 per member
Texas Lions Museum	\$2 per member

Giving to each of these charities will cost a club \$40 per member. However, a club will be considered 100% by choosing to give at least \$20 per member to its choice from the Governor's Charities list at the requested levels. Giving to all these charities at the requested levels will be considered 200%. I believe that each of these charities is worthy of our generosity. For that reason, a very generous gift of more than the requested amount to any charity will not be considered for a club's 100 or 200% award unless the club also gives the requested amount to each of the other charities.

Contributions to these charities is over and above the billed dues to the same charities. Please make separate checks payable to each selected charity and present at a cabinet meeting or mail to:

District 2-T3, 500 Thunderbird Drive, Unit 74, El Paso, TX 79912

In District News

Next Fiscal Year's **EXCITEMENT** already scheduled***

SAVE THE DATES – District 2-T3

1st Cabinet Meeting – Pecos, Texas

Thursday, July 28, 2022 – Board Meeting by Zoom

Friday, July 29, 2022 – Social

Saturday, July 30, 2022 – Meeting

Mid-Winter Conference – El Paso, Texas

Thursday, January 26, 2023 – Board Meeting by Zoom

Friday, January 27, 2023 – Social

Saturday, January 28, 2023 – Meeting

2nd Cabinet Meeting – TBD

Thursday, October 27, 2022 – Board Meeting by Zoom

Friday, October 28, 2022 – Social

Saturday, October 29, 2022 – Meeting

District Convention – Odessa, Texas

Tuesday, April 25, 2023 – Board Meeting by Zoom

Friday, April 28, 2023 – Social

Saturday, April 29, 2023 – District Convention

***Subject to Change

DON'T MISS YOUR OPPORTUNITY TO PLACE YOUR AD IN THE 2022 – 2023 DISTRICT DIRECTORY

Place a club or committee promotional, personal, special event/occasion, in honor of, celebration, or your companies service and information print ad now.

Advertisement sales will close soon on July 9th, 2022 (time-sensitive due date)

Send your email to <mailto:annjeannette.norch@gmail.com or district2t3@gmail.com

Prices:

Full color page \$150.00

Half color page \$75.00

Quarter color page \$50.00

What a great way to support our District and still benefit from the contribution. Win-Win!

*Serving a Mission to strengthen communities and support those in need,
District 2-T3 announces the following Leadership positions of
Elected Cabinet Members and Appointments*

2022 – 2023 Cabinet Board Members

Name	Position	Club
Ralph McCain	Governor	Odessa Downtown
PDG Frank Heslin	Immediate Past District Governor	Monahans
Patsy Achim	1 st Vice District Governor	El Paso Five Points
Amit Rangra	2 nd Vice District Governor	Alpine
Annette Norch	Cabinet Secretary/Treasurer	El Paso Downtown
Candy Schoen	District Region Zone Chairperson-West	El Paso Downtown
Aaron Urias	District Region Zone Chairperson-East	Odessa Professionals
Betty Spencer	Zone 1A Chairperson	El Paso Sun City
Priscilla Tarango	Zone 1B Chairperson	El Paso Centennial
Ellen Springfield	Zone 2A Chairperson	Odessa Downtown
Michael Pearson	Zone 2B Chairperson	Andrews Downtown
David Vargas	Zone 3A Chairperson	Odessa Professionals
John Sutterfield	Zone 3B Chairperson	Alpine

2022 – 2023 Operational Committees

PDG Kathy Summers	Global Leader Team Coordinator	Andrews Downtown
Maria Salas Mendoza	Global Service Team Coordinator	El Paso Executive Women
Rose Lucero	Global Membership Team Coordinator	El Paso Executive Women
Brian Carter	Marketing / Survey Monkey	Heroes of El Paso
PDG Javier Morales	Honorary Committee of PDG's	Odessa Downtown
Diane Cherry	District Convention Chair	Odessa Downtown
Anna Bela Doporto	Newsletter Editor	El Paso Centennial
Janet Arenivas	Grant Hunter	Odessa Downtown
PDG Pete Francis	Tail Twister	Andrews Downtown
Susan Custer	Tail Twister Assistant	El Paso Sun City
Sammy Carrejo	Texas Lions Museum	Ysleta
PDG Gil Blancas	Constitution and By Laws	El Paso Five Points
Skip Ashton	Chaplain	Odessa Downtown
Ruth Rivas	Social Media – Facebook & Instagram	El Paso Centennial
Sherry Williamson	Information and Technology / Website	Odessa Downtown
Doug Roeber	Nominations and Elections	Monahans

2022 -2023 Service Committees

PDG John Feighery	Global Membership Approach Chairman	El Paso Downtown
Diane Cherry	Texas Lions Camp Director – East	Odessa Downtown
Carrie Quicho	Texas Lions Camp Director – West	El Paso Executive Women
Manuel Martinez	Childhood Cancer Chair	Alpine
Emma Montoya	District Peach Poster Chair	El Paso Centennial
Susan Driscoll	Texas Lions Eyeglass Recycling Center Chair	El Paso Downtown
Frank Ramirez	West Texas Lions Eye Health Foundation Chair	El Paso Del Norte
Anna Bela Doporto	West Texas Lions Hearing, Inc. Chair	El Paso Centennial
PDG Avinash Rangra	LCI Chair	Alpine
PDG John Feighery	TLF Chair	El Paso Downtown
Jazmine Arenivas	Leader Dog	Odessa Grandview
Robert Roeber	Vision Chair	Monahans
Cindi Alvara	Fitness and Diabetes	Ysleta
Maria Ecklund	Opportunities for Youth	Odessa Grandview
Diane Cherry	Hunger Chair	Odessa Downtown
Ellen Springfield	Hunger Chair	Odessa Downtown

Service is more than something we do. It's who we are.
International President, Douglas X. Alexander

Thank you for your leadership and support. Your selfless commitment with District 2-T3 as a Volunteer Leader is truly incredible. Your generosity means the world to the people "We Serve".



Some of District 2-T3 members in attendance at the MD-2 State Convention in Abilene, Texas.



West Texas Lions Hearing, Inc. Receives Allocations

The WTLH, Inc. is proud to announce the allocations of a LCI Global Action Team Grant and a donation from the Odessa Downtown Lions Club.

District Governor Frank Heslin proposed and submitted the application of a success story, featuring the accomplishments of the WTLH, Inc.

Lions Club International GAT made the announcement on June 20, 2022 that WTLH, Inc. had been selected as one of the recipients amongst many entries.

Insight on the importance of hearing health,

the Odessa Downtown Lions Club has made a substantial donation enabling the organization to purchase a new audiometer used in perform hearing screenings. The audiometer is designated to serve the east side of our District.

"We just want to thank LCI GAT and the Board of Directors and membership of the Odessa Downtown Lions Club for their generosity. Our sincere appreciation for making this happen. We invite all clubs to assign a representative to this cause worthy organization." Lion Anna Bela Doportto, President.

In Club Lion News

El Paso Five Points Lions Club "Pride at Work"

Sixteen boxes of 23 ingredients were packed in preparation for the cooking Class for Kids with Diabetes. With the help of new EPDT Lion Diane, Lion [Candy Schoen](#), Lion [Carlos Kaplan](#), PDG John Feighery and Upper Valley Lion Cynthia everything went smoothly. It takes a Pride of Lions to make a project a success!!



Odessa Downtown Lions Club "Philanthropical Lions"



Monetary donation made by Lion Sherry Williamson on behalf of the Odessa Downtown Lions Club to MEALS ON WHEELS.

Monahans Lions Club "Sweet and Cool"



The Lions Club mingled and treated residents at the Focused Care at Monahans Nursing Home to sweetness and snow cones.

El Paso Del Norte Lions Club "Honoring Young Leadership"



We Serve



Lion Boss Frank Ramirez and Lion Raul Rosales awarded Robbie Dickerson with a plaque congratulating him on making Eagle Scout of Troop 279. Only 4% of enrolled Boy Scouts become Eagle Scouts. What a great accomplishment.

El Paso Executive Women Lions Club "Borderless"



Food for 20 deported Veterans and their families.



You can help by supporting these great causes and fellow Lions



TEXAS PRIDE

2-Person SCRAMBLE Format
Desert Pines Golf Course
Fort Stockton, Texas
July 16, 2022



Format: Scramble Saturday

Times: 11:00 am Tee Time Saturday

Entry Fee: \$150 per team (food, soft-drinks, and water on the course).

Payback: Cash payback depending on number of entries and flights.
If a full field of 40 Teams - 1st \$450, 2nd \$350, 3rd \$250, 4th \$100

Carts: Private carts are welcome. Rental carts available, must contact pro-shop at (432)336-2050 and please indicate choice below.

How To Enter: Contact the Desert Pines Golf Shop at 432-336-8713 or Sam Calderon III at 432-290-0749 or deliver entry form to Golf Shop.

—Entry Form (please fill out completely)—

Please tear and submit with Payment to: Sam Calderon III, PO Box 1462, Fort Stockton, TX 79735

Player #1 _____ Cell # _____
Email _____ Home Course _____
Player #2 _____ Cell # _____

432-299-1777



432-336-5955



432-336-5633



432-336-8531



Check one please: Rental Cart Needed: _____ Bringing Own Cart: _____



School Uniform Swap (Intercambio de Uniformes)

Sponsored by
Valeria Lions Club
Five Points Lions Club
Executive Women's Lions Club

**Saturday July 23, 2022
8am - 12pm**

Eastlake High School
13000 Emerald Pass Ave.
El Paso, TX 79928
(Horizon)

Turn in clean used uniforms for a credit slip or donate outgrown uniforms to other students. Drop off now for 1st choice (couches will go first).
Traiga sus uniformes usados (limpios) y reciba un vale de credito, o puede donar los uniformes para otros estudiantes. Traigalos lo más pronto posible para que tenga mejor elección.
(los vales seleccionan primero)

National Self Storage
10550 N. Loop Dr.
Boscon, TX 79607
915-858-0000

Triple threat cheerleading
6800 Commerce Ave
El Paso, TX 79915
Drop off 5:30 to 8

Liberty Tax
700 N. Zaragoza Ste A11
El Paso, TX 79907
Monday, Tuesday
and Saturday 10-4
Thursday 1-7

Xtreme Core Fitness
125 N. Kincaid Ave. Ste I
Horizon City, TX 79628
915-303-5388
Mon - Fri 8am - 9pm

Progressive
11930 Vista del Sol, Ste A
El Paso, TX 79906
915-855-2996

Farmers Insurance
Elizabeth Correa Agency
14200 Ashford St. Ste. A-1
Horizon City, TX 79628
915-500-5140
Monday - Friday 9 - 5










El Paso Five Points Lions Club "Setting Precedence"

Thank you, El Paso Five Points Lions Club, for your donation to Underserved Communities Foundation. We are excited to welcome El Paso Five Points Lions Club members as Founding Members of UCF!





45th Annual Lions Fourth of July Parade


**45th ANNIVERSARY
PEOPLE'S PARADE**

We Serve


Parade starts at Hankus High School, Montwood & Lee Trevino.
The Parade will start at 9am.
Montwood to Varbrough, North to Alburn Avenue
then to Alburn Park.

Annual Birthday Celebration of Our Nation

Parade Grand Marshal
To Be Announced



Gloria Diaz
915-731-1549
Chairperson



Sponsored by the EL PASO DEL NORTE LIONS

UNIFORM SWAP



BACK-TO-SCHOOL
AN EVENT AT ASCARATE PARK
July 23, 2022 9:00am-12:00pm



SAVE THE DATE AND SAVE YOUR UNIFORMS

MOB is partnering up with the El Paso Downtown Lions Club to do a uniform swap at MOB's annual FREE Back-to-School event. Gather your uniforms and stay tuned for more information!

JOIN US for more activities

- Food Trucks
- Physiks
- Vendors
- Haircuts
- STEM Area
- Kid Zone
- Obstacle Course/Jumping Selson

MOB's Back-to-School event, located at the Ascarate Pavilion, is a great way to check off all your to-dos before school starts.

VENDOR AND SPONSOR OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE
MOMSONBOARDUNITE@GMAIL.COM

IT TAKES A MOB






Attention Odessa

1st Annual Lions Clubs of Odessa Fourth of July Parade
When: Monday Fourth of July at 10 am
Route: Odessa College to 9th street
Registration info parade@odessalions.org or call 432-335-0234

Parade Grand Marshall
Melissa Padilla GoodNoe
Master Sergeant US Air Force









**District 2-T3
2021-2022 Budget**

Income

Expenses

Updated 6/26/22

	Item	Budgeted	Income to Date	Notes
1	Initial Operating Fund - Beginning Balance	\$16,638.52	\$16,638.52	
2	District Admin Dues (5.5 x 725) x 90%	\$3,588.75	\$3,184.50	
3	State Admin Dues (7 x 725) x 90%	\$4,567.50	\$4,053.00	
4	State Convention Fund (.5 x 725) x 90%	\$326.25	\$293.10	
5	State Promote Texas Fund (.5 x 725) x 90%	\$326.25	\$293.10	
	Tail Twister Income (\$400 x 4)			
6	District Meeting - Odessa, Texas	\$400.00	\$886.12	
7	District Meeting - Alpine, Texas	\$400.00	\$805.00	
8	Mid-Winter Conference - El Paso, Texas	\$400.00	\$771.00	
9	District Convention - Monahans, Texas	\$400.00	\$1,815.27	
	Cabinet Meetings (40 x \$30) Reg/Food			
10	District Meeting - Odessa, Texas	\$700.00	\$1,963.57	
11	District Meeting - Alpine	\$700.00	\$1,625.00	
12	Mid-Winter Conference - El Paso, Texas	\$1,000.00	\$3,582.14	
13	District Convention - Monahans, Texas	\$5,000.00	\$5,583.11	
14	District Directory	\$100.00	\$30.00	
15	District Directory Ads	\$500.00	\$725.00	
16	State, District, and (free) Personal Pins	\$1,000.00	\$2,158.50	
17	Opportunity for Youth/Peace Poster donations from clubs	\$700.00	\$175.00	
18	Contributions: Hotel tax money, OFY	\$3,000.00	\$0.00	
	TOTAL INCOME	\$39,747.27	\$44,581.93	

	State Convention Fund	Income	Interest to Date	Total Funds
1	CD	\$21,000.00	\$263.88	\$21,263.88
2	Savings	\$741.50	\$0.13	\$741.63

	Possible Grants	Budgeted	Paid Out	Available funds
1	PR Grant Funds	\$1,666.66	\$2,765.11	-\$1,098.45
2	Membership	\$500.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

	Item	Budgeted	Expense to Date	Balance
1	State Admin Dues (725 x 7)	\$5,075.00	\$4,901.75	\$173.25
2	State Promote Texas Fund (725 x .5)	\$362.50	\$350.13	\$12.37
3	State Convention Fund (2 years)	\$700.00	\$700.00	\$0.00
4	District Directory	\$300.00	\$450.00	-\$150.00
5	District Pins (300)	\$555.00	\$0.00	\$555.00
6	State Pins (200)	\$206.00	\$0.00	\$206.00
7	District Awards	\$1,200.00	\$304.79	\$895.21
	District Meeting - Odessa, Texas			
8	Facilities/Food/Expenses	\$700.00	\$647.80	\$52.20
	District Meeting - Alpine			
9	Facilities/Food/Expenses	\$700.00	\$1,550.00	-\$850.00
	Mid-Winter Conference - El Paso, Texas			
10	Facilities/Food/Expenses	\$1,200.00	\$2,524.97	-\$1,324.97
	District Convention - Monahans			
11	Facilities/Food/Hotel/Honorariums	\$5,500.00	\$3,348.85	\$2,151.15
12	GLT Training	\$1,000.00	\$572.08	\$427.92
13	GMA Travel, etc	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$0.00
14	International Convention IPDG	\$1,000.00	\$0.00	\$1,000.00
15	Office Expense/Printing	\$500.00	\$401.63	\$98.37
16	Virtual Meeting/Technology Expenses	\$1,000.00	\$849.55	\$150.45
17	Bond Insurance	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$0.00
18	Opportunity for Youth	\$1,450.00	\$0.00	\$1,450.00
19	Peace Poster	\$1,300.00	\$1,300.00	\$0.00
20	Camp Director East	\$500.00	\$500.00	\$0.00
21	Camp Director West	\$500.00	\$155.15	\$344.85
22	Governor Expenses	\$500.00	\$0.00	\$500.00
23	Travel - Secretary/Treasurer	\$1,000.00	\$918.12	\$81.88
24	Travel 1st VDG	\$500.00	\$0.00	\$500.00
25	Travel 2nd VDG	\$500.00	\$493.85	\$6.15
26	Contingency	\$2,000.00	\$1,310.19	\$689.81
27	Cabinet 2022-2023	\$10,398.77	\$0.00	\$10,398.77
28	TOTAL EXPENSES	\$39,747.27	\$22,378.86	\$17,368.41

	District Fundraiser	Collected	Paid Out	Funds Available
	LA Hurricane Donations	\$3,673.80	\$3,673.80	\$0.00

	Campaign 100 Pledge Form	Received	Mailed
	Private Donations	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00

	Texas Lions Camp	Received	Mailed
	Private Donation	\$100.00	\$100.00

Helpful Links:

Texas Lions Eyeglass Recycling Center (TLERC): www.txlerc.org

Texas Lions Camp: <http://lionscamp.com>

MD-2 Lions of Texas: <http://texaslions.org>

Lions Club International (LCI): <http://lionsclubs.org>

LCI Member Portal: <https://mylci.lionsclubs.org/Home>

District 2-T3 Web: <http://www.e-district.org/sites/2t3/>

District 2-T3 Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/lionsdistrict2t3>