

# LIONS DISTRICT 2-X2

## NEWSLETTER

#### The Governor's Corner

Keep the Pride - Serve



DG Glenda addressing district Lions, at the Cabinet meeting hosted by Waskom Lions, October 26, 2019

November is the month of Thanksgiving. I'm thankful for all our members and the selfless service they are providing to others. As a result of this service, our numbers are increasing, and our drops are decreasing. Lions are making a difference. This month we'd like to welcome our newest club, Harrison County Hispanic Lions Club based in Marshall. Welcome to our Lions family! A big thank you also goes to Lion Nancy VanAlstine for helping organize this club.

Our cabinet meeting last month was hosted by Waskom Lions Club. They did a great job in setting up and hosting the meeting. Thank you so much. Please plan on attending our Mid-Winter Cabinet meeting January 11 in Tyler. We'll be hosting our youth contestants and families. Our service project will be bringing canned goods for the East Texas Food Bank. We'll also be having an activity in which members build a display out of the canned goods.

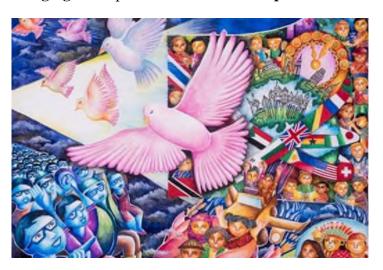
Happy Thanksgiving to all. District Governor Glenda Boggs "Keep the Pride – Serve"

# Peace Poster Contest Deadline November 15<sup>th</sup>!!!

All Peace Posters need to be delivered to Lion Dani Doty or DG Glenda\* or brought to **Community Connections** in Longview, **501 Pine Tree Road** on the night of the judging, Monday night, **November 25**<sup>th</sup>.

Posters need to be there no later than 5:30 PM

**Judging** of the posters will start at **6:00 p.m**.



\*Delivery Addresses are:

Dani Doty 6844 Periwinkle Road Ore City, TX 75683

Glenda Boggs 6322 Green Hills Road Gilmer, TX 75645

Students ages 11, 12 or 13 as of November 15 are eligible to participate in the International Peace Poster Contest. Entries not meeting the deadlines above will be disqualified.

Lion Dani Doty is our District Peace Poster Coordinator. Give her a call (903-790-3264)

# **Waskom Cabinet Meeting Highlights**



Lion PDG Brian Whitenack receives a rare Chevron for his 40 years of service as a Lion.



Lion PDG Wayne Barton received his chevron for 25 years of service as a Lion.

## Membership:

Congratulations to the following clubs on net membership growth: Paris Founders is in the lead with +7, followed by Henderson and Jefferson at +4, Tatum Ladies have added 13 new members since charter night (now at 55 members), Judson +2, Pittsburg, Linden, Kilgore, Tatum, Windom, Winnsboro, White Oak and Yantis-Lake Fork with +1. Way to go, clubs!

## \*\*Guiding Lions Still Needed\*\*



Lion PDG Lynn Nacol trained 7 Guiding Lions at the Waskom Lions hosted cabinet meeting but we still need more, as we continue to grow new clubs and to help struggling clubs.

Have you thought about serving other Lions? Have you heard about the Guiding Lions? If so, do you know a Guiding Lion?

The Certified Guiding Lions Program is designed to assist clubs that are newly chartered, established or designated as priority clubs.

- Guiding Lions assist a club to:
  Be successful in its first two years of
  - Orient and train club officers and members
  - Motivate and support club growth and development
  - Locate resources available to assist the club

#### Some clubs in our district need your help

To learn more about the program,

Contact Lion PDG Lynn Nacol at (903) 657-9416

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# Cabinet Meeting Service Project Results:



The district collected new or gently used clothing for Waskom ISD to provide to students in need.



DG Glenda
presents an
emotional Lion
Lois Triebenbach
with the New
Voices Certificate
for Leadership
from Lions
International
President Choi

## **Save the Dates!**

Upcoming Events

#### January 11, 2020 3rd Cabinet Meeting

Host: Tyler Lions Club Theme: Serving with Pride

(Bring a poster collage showing your club's service

projects.)

#### Service Project:

Bring canned goods for the East Texas Food Bank to help restock after the holidays.

[Note: During the cabinet meeting clubs will compete for the most creative display]

#### April 3-4, 2020 District Convention

Host: Longview Lions Club Theme: Celebrating the Pride

(Time to celebrate our accomplishments for the year.)

#### Service Project:

Make goody bags for Texas Oncology Center. Bring lap blankets, hand sanitizer, hand lotion, chap stick, pens, crossword puzzle books, Sudoku, hard candies, etc.

### **Contacts for the Spot Vision Screener**

Longview area: Glenda Boggs glendak@etex.net 903-746-4135 Henderson area: Lynn Nacol

nacoll@suddenlink.net 903-657-9416

Jefferson area: Wendy Looney

wendylooney@yahoo.com 903-926-1469

Ore City area: Dani Doty

mariposad82@aol.com 903-790-3264 Sulphur Springs area: Carlos Amaya

carlos.alvarezamay@yahoo.com 903-348-7109



November 10, 2019

#### **District Social Media Info**

**<u>District Facebook Page</u>**: District 2-X2

("like" this page)

**FB Page Admin:** Becky Perkins Whitenack (like my page so you can tag me in your post)

Email: bcbeckyw@aol.com

**Text:** 903-235-5850

If you have club activities, meetings, club info that you want posted on FB "like" both the District and my FB page.

I may not see every club post each day, but if you tag me, I have a better chance of seeing it and posting it to the District Page.

Many Clubs have FB pages. pick a city and look them up. Great way to get new suggestions for projects and fundraisers. If you have questions, please reach out to me anytime.

#### Website:

Lion Derrick Menefee from the Big Sandy Area Lions Club is our website guy.

Please send him articles, pictures, flyers, etc. on your club to be posted on our District webpage.

Contact Lion Derrick:

lion derrick@myDLM.com

#### **District Newsletter:**

PDG Paul Boggs is handling the monthly newsletter. Send him your upcoming events and recap of activities each month to <a href="mailto:daddyrabbitp@gmail.com">daddyrabbitp@gmail.com</a> Send articles by 25th of the month for next monthly newsletter.

### **Other FB Pages of Interest:**

Texas Lions Camp Lions of Texas Lions Club International Lions International President

#### **Websites:**

District: e-district.org/sites/2x2

State: texaslions.org

International: lionsclubs.org Lions Camp: lionscamp.com

Show your Lion Pride all year by wearing your Lion vest, pin, shirts and caps.

# Time is quickly approaching for our district youth events.



I need to know if and how many participants your club is going to enter in the contests so I can determine how many judges we will need. Please let me know if you are having entries (one or more). Remember, the club pays \$25 for each

district entry. The district winners will be sponsored in the state judging by the district and the district will pay all entry fees.

The categories are:
Diabetic Awareness Essay
Drug Awareness Speech
Most Outstanding Youth

Specific contest rules can be found at <a href="texaslions.org">texaslions.org</a> under programs. The district contest will be held on <a href="January 11">January 11</a> at the Midwinter Cabinet meeting in Tyler and all contestants must attend.

Please let me know if you are having contestants as soon as possible.

Lion Lois Triebenbach,

Zone Chair, Zone 5

(903) 374-5243 or triebenbach.lois@gmail.com

# Service Project for Mid-Winter Meeting



Bring canned goods for the East Texas Food Bank

# **20<sup>th</sup> Annual Texas Lions Leadership Forum**

The 20<sup>th</sup> Annual Texas Lions Leadership Forum will be held in Austin, at the Crowne Plaza North Central hotel on March 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> ,2020.

The 1st 100 Lions, who have never been elected to be a vice governor or higher, and fulfill the rest of the requirements, will have their lodging paid for the night of March 7th by the Institute!! This is a great opportunity to learn and fellowship with Lions from across our great state of Texas!

\*\*\*The registration form and instructions are attached to the end of this newsletter. \*\*\*

Note: This edition of the newsletter has some new "attachments:"

**Texas Lions Camp Appeal** 

Registration Forms Packet (9 pages) for the Texas State Lions Convention in Longview, May 14-17, 2020

Reminder for all Lions Clubs to complete the online IRS Form 990-N by Nov. 15<sup>th,</sup> if your club has \$50,000 or less than in receipts. This is very important!

# Club News Cooper Lions



**Cooper Lions:** Calling All Veterans!! As a huge thank you for your sacrifices and service we would like to serve YOU!



Yum! Flipping Sausages to go with the Pancakes

## **Club News**

# **Big Sandy Area Lions**



The month seems like a blur. So many things happened! We received a dashing, revved-up vehicle from DUG members in Hawkins. It debuted in the Hawkins Oil Festival Parade and garnered lots of attention. Also, our parade entry won 1<sup>st</sup> place. Double attention for our LIONS! At the same event, we sold baked potatoes and chili as a fundraiser. This month, we bagged 50 lbs of beans and 50 lbs of rice and donated it, along with more than 200 other food items to a local food assistance ministry. At the end of October, some of our members took clothing items to the District meeting in Waskom while others remained in Big Sandy to conduct VISION screening and assist with the Carter Blood Drive at the Big Sandy Pecan Festival. Whew! Onward to November. [BSALC Lion Lizabeth Elkins]

#### **Gladewater Lions**



Gladewater Lions held free vision screenings for area children at the Emergency Services Fall fest on Sat., Oct. 26. They also had a fun fishing booth and ring toss for the kiddos as well! It was a great night for all.

## **Judson Lions**



Several members partnered with SWEPCO and students from LeTourneau University for Made A Difference day. SWEPCO picked Heartisans Marketplace in Longview to help with this yearly event. Everyone came together to clear grass, lay ground cover and spread rocks for a picnic area. They built picnic tables and flower benches, along with lots of cleaning and painting in various areas of the shop. Heartisans helps unemployed ladies with training to find a new job. They have a marketplace where they make and sell lots of different items to help fund their facility and training. Great Gifts. Check them out in Downtown Longview.



LETU Students working on this service project.

## **Gilmer Lions**



The Gilmer Lions float won second place in this year's Yamboree Parade



Morgan Hughes, Queen contestant and daughter of Gilmer Lion Vici Wolfe, represented the Gilmer Lions

# **Gilmer Lions** Service Project

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# **Longview Lions**



Longview Lions Fundraising during the Highway 80 Sale



At this point, the fundraising became a Service Project: whatever was left was **FREE** 

# **Tatum Ladies Lions Club**



DG Glenda presented Lion Ruby Kinsfather, Tatum Ladies Lions Club, with a New Voices Certificate of Recognition in Marketing from International President Choi, a rare and prestigious award.



Members collected many boxes of eyeglasses!!!

## **Tyler Lions**



Tyler lions Ron Boyda (Air Force), Earl Smith (Navy), Bill Dipprey (Army) and Charlie Fink (USMC) riding the Lions Float in the Veterans Day parade at Watkins Logan Veterans Home.



Tyler Lions club President Lauretta Smith & Director Leticia Hallmark assist members of the AKA Sorority in collecting donated eyeglasses

## **Jefferson Lions**



Lion PDG Paul Moore and Lion President Wendy Looney were recognized by District Governor Glenda Boggs. Lion Paul for his hard work and creativity in marketing Lions Clubs and Lion Wendy for her hard work and dedication in leading the the Jefferson Lions Club.

Lions: Please remember that all Lions clubs, districts and multiple districts that have annual gross receipts of less than US\$50,000 and do not have to file Forms 990 or 990-EZ must file the e-Postcard (also known as 990-N). If your Lions club, district or multiple district has a foundation, which is a separate legal entity, the appropriate form will need to be filed as well.

All filers must register at IRS.gov prior to filing their next Form 990-N. This is a one-time registration if the designated Lion files annually. If the designee changes from a prior year, the new designee must register with the IRS.

Please refer to the following chart regarding annual filing requirements:

2018 Tax Year*	Form to File
Gross receipts normally \$50,000 or less	990-N
Gross receipts greater than \$50,000 and less than \$200,000,	990-EZ or 990
and total assets less than \$500,000	
Gross receipts \$200,000 or greater or total assets \$500,000 or	990
greater	

The e-Postcard is due by the 15th day of the fifth month after the close of your tax year. Lions clubs operate on a fiscal year, July 1-June 30, and the e-Postcard is due by November 15 each year. Please note that an organization cannot request an extension for filing the Form 990-N.

If you do not file, you risk losing your tax-exempt status. Any Lions club that fails to meet its annual reporting requirement for three consecutive years will automatically lose its tax exempt status. A club may <u>apply</u> for reinstatement of its tax exemption even if it originally fell under a group exemption.

Every club and/or district (single, sub- and multiple) must have an employer identification number (EIN), even if it will not have employees. The EIN is a unique number that identifies the organization to the Internal Revenue Service. To apply for an EIN, you should obtain a Form SS-4 and its instructions from the IRS. You may also apply for an EIN online, by telephone (1-800-829-4933) or by fax (fax number at the location accepting applications from your state). It is important that clubs and districts use the correct EIN for their annual filing.

For frequently asked questions about tax issues and regulations affecting Lions clubs and leadership, visit the <u>Lions Tax FAQ</u>. Visit <u>www.irs.gov/eo</u> for complete details and to sign up for Exempt Organization's free email newsletter, *EO Update*, to receive up-to-date information posted on the charity pages of irs.gov.

Legal Division
Lions Clubs International

<sup>\*</sup> Prior to December 31, 2010, gross receipt limits for filing the 990-N was \$25,000.



Date: October 16, 2019

Contact: Milton L. Dare, FACHE Director of Development & Major Gifts 830-896-8500/mdare@lionscamp.com

#### 26<sup>th</sup> Annual Harry Wickersham Golf Tournament raises more than \$265,000

James Avery Artisan Jewelry presents \$100,000 challenge grant check

Kerrville, Texas – Lions of Texas and friends of Texas Lions Camp celebrated raising more than \$265,000 from the 26<sup>th</sup> Annual Harry Wickersham Golf Tournament. John McCullough, CEO of James Avery Artisan Jewelry®, participated in the announcement and presented the \$100,000 challenge grant check during the closing Friday Awards Night ceremonies at Texas Lions Camp (TLC) in Kerrville.

"The Harry Wickersham Golf Tournament began more than 25 years ago and is a vital part of our annual fundraising program to raise funds to help children with disabilities, vision-hearing impairment, Down syndrome, cancer and Type 1 diabetes attend Texas Lions Camp at no cost to their family," said TLC President & CEO Stephen Mabry. "TLC is deeply grateful that James Avery Artisan Jewelry agreed to offer a Challenge Grant of \$100,000 which provided an incentive for family, friends and other businesses and corporations to step up and offer pivotal donations of more than \$165,000."

John McCullough, CEO of *James Avery Artisan Jewelry*® noted, "James Avery was pleased to continue our partnership with Texas Lions Camp by offering the challenge grant in recognition of their 70 years of service and commitment to helping children with special medical conditions throughout Texas."

According to Mabry, "Reaching this historic milestone of \$265,000 through the Wickersham Golf Tournament was only made possible as a result of the dedicated efforts of Texas Lions and our many friends who made personal commitments while garnering more than 550 donations to the effort. These funds have already been put to work helping Texas children as Texas Lions Camp hosted 1,512 children during the Summer of 2019 at no charge to them or their families."

About James Avery Artisan Jewelry®— James Avery is a vertically integrated, family-owned company located in the heart of the Texas Hill Country and offers finely crafted jewelry designs for men and women in sterling silver, 14K and 18K gold, gemstones and leather wallets—designed by their own skilled artisans in Kerrville, Texas. The multi-channel retailer has 92 James Avery stores in five states. James Avery jewelry is also available in more than 220 Dillard's stores in Texas and in 28 additional states, two airport stores in Austin and Houston and nationwide through JamesAvery.com. James Avery crafts jewelry in four Texas workshops— one each in Comfort, Fredericksburg, Hondo and Kerrville. For more information, visit JamesAvery.com or facebook.com/JamesAvery.

**About Texas Lions Camp, Inc.** - Texas Lions Camp, Inc. provides, without charge, a camp for children who are physically disabled, have Down syndrome, cancer or Type 1 diabetes from the State of Texas, regardless of race, religion, or national origin.

The organization was chartered as a nonprofit corporation on April 4, 1949 by the Lions Clubs of Texas and is recognized as a non-profit corporation, under 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The Camp is accredited by the American Camp Association and is licensed by the Texas Department of State Health Services. In addition, the organization is recognized with a Four-Star rating for Accountability and Transparency from Charity Navigator.

More than 74,000 Texas children with special medical conditions have attended the program since TLC was founded more than 70 years ago in 1949. Through this mission, TLC's goal is to introduce children to the "Can Do" philosophy and position them to step into their calling with maximum personal growth and self-esteem.

To learn more about contributing to the work of Texas Lions Camp, please visit <a href="www.lionscamp.com">www.lionscamp.com</a> or email Milton L. Dare at <a href="mailto:mdare@lionscamp.com">mdare@lionscamp.com</a>. If preferred, you may also call 830-896-8500 for more information.

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#### **Photo Cutline:**

James Avery Artisan Jewelry CEO, John McCullough (second from left) presents a \$100,000 challenge grant check to representatives of Texas Lions Camp at the closing Friday Awards Night at the TLC Amphitheater to (from left to right) TLC President & CEO, Stephen Mabry, Corporate Sponsorship Committee members, Lion Randy Sepulvado and Lion Ann Ward, Golf Tournament Chair Lester Frantzen, Golf Tournament Committee Chair Michael Morgan, and TLC Chairman of the Board, John Eads.

# 2020 MD-2 Lions State Convention



May 14-17, 2020 Holiday Inn Infinity Event Center 300 Tuttle Circle Longview, TX 75605



Name and Title				District	(	Club	
Name and Title (second attendee)							
Address			_ City		_State	Zip Cod	e
Phone		email					
		Early Registration Through Feb. 15, 2020	Discount Registration Through April 15, 2020	Registration After April 15, 2020	Total Number of Tickets	Total Cost	All Hotels \$99.00 + tax Rooms held
Registration		\$25.00	\$25.00	\$30.00			until May 1.
Meal Package		\$175.00	\$195.00	\$215.00			Holiday Inn Convention
Thursday Night Carnival/Fish Fr Convention Park		No charge	No charge	No charge			Convention Center 903-663-6464
Individual Meals person:	s per						Candlewood Suites
Friday Kick-Off Breakfast		\$20.00	\$25.00	\$30.00			903-663-9751
Hall of Fame Luncheon		\$30.00	\$35.00	\$40.00			Youth Events
PDG Banquet/No Ceremony Dinne		\$35.00	\$40.00	\$45.00			LaQuinta Inn & Suites
Saturday Texas I Foundation Brea	Lions	\$20.00	\$25.00	\$30.00			903-236-0000
Opportunities for Youth Luncheon	r	\$30.00	\$35.00	\$40.00			Staybridge
Council of Gove Banquet		\$45.00	\$50.00	\$55.00			Suites 903-212-3800
Please check	interest	(	Optional Tours				G
Thursday Casino Run	\$25.00	Friday Bear Creek Smoke hous & Historica	se	Saturday Downtown Longview		)	Courtyard by Marriott 903-230-2700

Make payment online at texaslions.org

Or

Send payment to (check payable to District 2-X2 State Convention Fund, credit card # with expiration date & security code)

PDG Becky Whitenack 903-758-5058 <u>bcbeckyw@aol.com</u>

131 Garfield

Longview, TX 75602

Golf Tournament Thursday

Price: \$75.00

Proceeds go to TLERC

Contact Wayne Barton wayne.barton@sjscpa.com 903-570-5247



# 2020 MD-2 Lions State Convention



May 14-17, 2020 Holiday Inn Infinity Event Center 300 Tuttle Circle Longview, TX 75605

Registration Form – Lu	ıncheon \$30.00 per person	
(for use by <b>non-Lion</b> family members. Pleas	se 🗸 check the box below as ap	pplicable)
"Texas Hall of Fame" Luncheon Friday, May 15, 2020, 12:00	"Opportunities for Yo Saturday, May 16, 202	
Name of Hall of Fame Honoree	Name of Youth Contestant	District #
Names of Paying Guests	(non-Lion family members)	
1		
2		_
3		_
4		_
5		_
Total Amount Conta	act Information: email	
Paid by: Check	phone	
Credit Card	r	

Send payment to (check payable to District 2-X2 State Convention Fund, credit card # with expiration date & security code)

PDG Becky Whitenack 903-758-5058 <a href="mailto:bcbeckyw@aol.com">bcbeckyw@aol.com</a>
131 Garfield

Longview, TX 75602



# Ads State Lions Souvenir Book 2019–20 MD2 State Convention

## Sizes of Ads

Full Page - \$240.00 Half Page - \$120.00

Quarter Page - \$80.00 Business Card - \$40.00

Inside Back Page - \$400.00 Back Cover - \$500.00

All ads in color Deadline, April 30, 2020

Send your information to PDG Leon VanAlstine (903-926-6320) leon\_vanalstine@yahoo.com

Name	
Club	
Ad size	
Payment	Ad mailed or emailed

Convention to be held May 14-16, 2020, in Longview at Holiday Inn

# **Show Your Pride**

for your Lions Club, Business, Special Individual, Special Event

# Thursday, May 14, 2020 Optional Day Visit



A Day in Paradise at the "ville"

Just a Short Bus Ride



ALC: A TOP OF THE PARTY	Opportunities:
	☐ <b>*</b> Gambling Demo/coupon
	Special Spa Package
	Champagne/Chocolate Pairing
	*Light Lunch
	Boardwalk Shopping
	Bass Pro Shop Fishing Demo
	Style Show
	Barksdale Air Force Museum
Check your 5 preferences and write	your contact information:
Name	Ēmail

# Friday, May 15, 2020, Optional Day Visit

Morning will find you in

Historical Jefferson



**Excelsior House Hotel, 1850** 



Jay Gould's Private Rail Car,



House of the Seasons, 1860

Shopping

Lunch and entertainment at

# BEAR CREEK

AWARD-WINNING PREMIUM SMOKED MEATS SINCE 1943



With
Longhorns
Turkeys
And
A
Wild West
Shootout



The Shoults Family with Rachel Ray

Shopping





General Store with 5 cent coffee



Did I say, Shopping?

# Saturday, May 16, 2020 Optional Day Visit Getting to Know Longview, TX

# Gather downtown to visit:

Gregg County Historical Museum, 214 N. Fredonia

Longview Museum of Fine Arts, 215 E. Tyler

Longview Arboretum, 706 W. Cotton









**TLERC** 

### **SIGHT:**

There's No Better Gift!

# Mail Hole Sponsor Form and Check to:

Texas Lions
Eyeglass Recycling
Center

2550 Flynt Ave Midland, Texas 79701 432-683-3611 tlerc@gmail.com

# 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Texas Lions Eyeglass Recycling Center 2020 Vision Golf Tournament

# All Proceeds Benefit Texas Lions Eyeglass Recycling Center

TLERC is tax exempt under IRS code 501(c)(3). Donations are tax deductible; see your tax professional for details.

May 14, 2020 8:00 am Shotgun Start Oak Forest Golf Course Longview, Texas

## Sponsor One or More Holes

For a one time donation of \$100 per hole, individuals, clubs, associations and businesses may sponsor one hole or more. All sponsors of the tournament will be recognized on location and on the Texas Lions Eyeglass Recycling Center website:

https://tlercmidlandtexas.org/

Please make checks payable to TLERC.

# Lions Clubs of Texas MD-2 Texas Lions State Convention 2020 – Longview Texas

**Thursday May 14, 2020** 

# 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Texas Lions Eyeglass Recycling Center **2020 Vision** Golf Tournament

Player 1: Name		Handicap	Team	
Address	City _		State	Zip
Email	Phone	Club or	Sponsor	
Player 2 Name		_ Handicap	Team	
Address	City _		State	Zip
Email	Phone	Club or :	Sponsor	
Player 3: Name		Handicap	Team	
Address	City _		State	Zip
Email	Phone	Club or :	Sponsor	
Player 4: Name		Handicap	Team	
Address	City _		State	Zip
Email	Phone	Club or s	Sponsor	
D		C D.I		
Player Fee	75 x Number	of Players	=	

## Remit Player/Team Fee to:

Wayne Barton 821 ESE Loop 323 Suite 100 Tyler, Texas 75701

# 1st Annual Texas Lions Eyeglass Recycling Center Golf Tournament

Oak Forest Golf Course, Longview, Texas

May 14. 2020

Held in conjuction with 2020 MD2 Lions State Convention

#### **Sponsorship and Player Fees:**

Player Entry Fee	\$	75	
Team Entry Fee (4 players)	\$	300	
Hole Sponsorship	\$	100	
Putting Green Sponsor	\$	200	
Driving Range Sponsor	\$	200	
Recycling Champion Sponsor	\$	500	
Includes 2 players			
Recognition in on-site signage			
Recognition in on=site printed material			
Option to place company promotional items in ditty bag			
Knights of the Blind Sponsor	\$	1,000	
All Benefits of Recycling Champion sponsor	•	,	
Includes 4 total players			
Company name on TLERC website			
Company name in Post-Tournament recognition			
Helen Keller Sponsor	ċ	2,500	
All Benefits of Knights of Blind Sponsor	Ą	2,300	
Option to display company banner			
Company Logo on TLERC website			
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2020 Vision Sponsor (1 available)	\$	5,000	
All Benefits of Helen Keller Sponsor			
Company reconized in State Convention Brochure			
Naming rights tournament			
Option for two teams of 4 in tournament			

For sponsorship, Mark desired level and mail form with check to:

For questions or more information contact Wayne Barton:

Texas Lions Eyeglass Recycling Center 2550 Flynt Ave Midland, Texas 79701

or call 903-597-2021



wayne. barton@sjscpa.com

#### TWENTIETH ANNUAL TEXAS LIONS LEADERSHIP FORUM

#### **Crowne Plaza North Central** 6121 North I-35 - Austin, Texas

March 7 (start 11:30 a.m) and March 8 (end 2:15 p.m.), 2020

Registration -All who attend must register Registration must be for the total event package. It is not possible to register for individual meals.

Separate registration form is required, even if lodging together.				
Are you a first-timer – Never attended this Forum beforeYesNo				
Name:	Lion □Yes □No Member#			
Phone:	E-mail			
Address:				
	Zip code:			
Club:	District			
Highest Lion office held				
Are you staying at the Crowne Plaze? Yes □ No □ If yes, name on reservation?				
	If have not been Vice Governor or above			

Make checks to: **Texas Lions Leadership Forum** Mail to: **PDG Keith Murray** (979) 492-7310 8251 Ranchview Dr #3096

Irving, TX 75063 kd.murray@tx.rr.com Forum registration by 2/12/20 #\_\_\_\_@ \$75.00 = \_\_\_\_ If have been Vice District Governor or above Forum registration by 2/12/20 # \_\_\_\_\_ @\$100.00 = \_\_\_\_\_ All registrants after 2/12/20 # @150.00 -

Reserve lodging at the Crowne Plaza Austin North Central, 6121 North I-35, Austin, TX. The Lions Clubs International rate must be requested. To reserve, telephone 877-227-6963 or telephone the hotel direct at 512-323-5466.

Rate: \$109 per night, single or double. The hotel reservation deadline at this rate is February 3, 2020. Complete your registration, and reserve and guarantee your room now.

The first 100 Lions registering, who have never been elected a Vice Governor or higher, will have their March 7, 2020 lodging paid by the Institute. Even those who qualify for this paid lodging must make, and guarantee, their own reservations with the Crowne Plaza Austin North Central and complete all parts of the Institute evaluation. A charge will be made to the credit card of non-attendees who do not cancel lodging through Keith Murray (979)492- 7310. Free lodging eligibility will occur only if Registration, with payment, is received within ten days of making the hotel reservation.

Please select 6 choices.+

Indication of choices are used for scheduling purposes – Participant may change to other choices. Sessions subject to change

- □ LCI Resources
- ☐ Service Issues Opportunities
- □ Effective Meeting Management
- ☐ Member Diversity & Inclusion
- □ Texas Lion history
- ☐ Global Action Team District

And club

- □ Lion fundamentals
- ☐ Club Membership Recruitment and satisfaction
- Motivating club members
- □ Set & reach club goals
- □ Social media & Lionism
- ☐ Structure & organization
- □ Leading Volunteers

Service entities invited to provide a display.

Leaderdogs for the Blind Lions Clubs Int'l Foundation Lions Eyeglass Recycling Texas Lions Camp Texas Lions Foundation World Services for the Blind