



## Lions District 2-A2

"Starting 101 in 2-A2"

April 2018



### DISTRICT CONVENTION

We have a great District Convention coming up in just a couple of weeks. There will be something for everyone. Friday starts off with the State Eye Chart Certification Class from 9:00 a.m. to approximately 2:00 p.m. at the La Quinta Inn & Suites. Those of you who wish to register for the class, please contact Lion Janie Garza to make a reservation. You will need to bring your SPOT certification certificate with you to be presented to the State Trainer. **If you cannot find your SPOT certification, please contact Lion Janie Garza immediately at [jgarza070@gmail.com](mailto:jgarza070@gmail.com) for a replacement SPOT Certificate.**

Friday's activities continue with the Opportunities for Youth contests that are being held from 12:00 noon until 3:30. The Opportunities for Youth Contest Banquet and the announcement of the scholarship winners begins at 6:30. It will feature young people who are at the threshold of their futures.

After the banquet, hospitality rooms will be open.

Saturday is packed with events. The Cabinet meeting in the morning begins at 9:00 a.m., then followed by the Awards Luncheon with our guest speaker Lions MD-2 State Council Chair Rick Talbert. Afternoon activities include voting for next year's District Officers, LSRF Board of Directors, the Human Needs Board of Directors and the Human Needs Charter Revision – and don't miss the ice cream social!

Another event you won't want to miss is the Fellowship and Hall of Fame Banquet Saturday evening. We will be inducting two of our outstanding Lions into the Herb Petry Hall of Fame, and our special entertainment by Richard Turner will amaze you!

The Convention is April 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> at the La Quinta Inn & Suites, 4431 Horizon Hill Blvd., San Antonio. **More details of the Convention will be in several Flash News announcements in the next two weeks, and the Registration Form is also included in this newsletter.**

### CONVENTION VOTING DELEGATES

How many voting delegates can you have at the convention? As per LCI:

*The International By-Laws, Article IX, Section 3 provides for the qualification of delegates to the District Convention as follows:*

*Each chartered club in good standing in the association and its district (single, sub and multiple) shall be entitled in each annual convention of its district (single, sub – and multiple) to one (1) delegate and one (1) alternate for each ten (10) members who have been enrolled for at least one year and a day in the club, or major fraction thereof, of said club as shown by the records of the international office of the first day of the month last preceding that month during which the convention is held, PROVIDED, however, that each such club shall be entitled to at least one (1) delegate and one (1) alternate, and FURTHER PROVIDED, that each district (single, sub - and multiple) may, by express provision in its respective constitution and by - laws, grant full delegate status to each past district governor who is a member of a club in such district independent of the club delegate quotas herein above specified. Each certified delegate present in person shall be entitled to cast one (1) vote of his/her choice for each office to be filled by, and one (1) vote of his/her choice on each question submitted to, the respective convention. The major fraction referred to in this Section shall be five (5) or more members. Any club which is newly chartered, and any other chartered club which takes in new members prior to the convening of any such convention, shall have its delegate quota determined on the basis of members*

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Continued from page 1 *who have been enrolled in the club for at least one year and a day as shown on such record date in the records of the international office. Delinquent dues may be paid and good standing acquired up to fifteen (15) days prior to the close of credential certification, as such closing time shall be established by the rules of the respective convention.*”

## **MEMBERSHIP**

As of this writing on March 26<sup>th</sup>, the District is **-86** in membership. Wow, that’s a lot to make up in just three months.

There are 17 Clubs that are even in their membership. That’s OK. Even though some Clubs added new members to replace those they lost, we hope they will continue to recruit.

35 Clubs are in the negative, and about half of them did not recruit any new members to replace those dropped.

On the bright side, 13 Clubs have done very well gaining new members to replace those dropped plus adding more. I felt that they should be recognized. They are:

Helotes +1	Center Point +2	Eagle Pass Evening + 5	Del Rio Host + 6
S.A. First Ladies +1	George West +2	S.A. Edgewood + 5	S.A. Windcrest + 6
Utopia +1	Leakey +2	S.A. Northside + 5	
	S.A. Highland Hills + 2		

And the leader of the pack is **POTEET with +17 and no drops**. How does Poteet do it? They have several events during the year, and they let the public know (verbally) that they could use help. When the public sees what the Lions do and how the proceeds are disbursed, then they are more apt to help.

Recruitment is not difficult. In fact, it’s actually selling Lionism. If selling is out of your comfort zone, then just speak from your heart. Communicate about how you feel about being a Lion and how Lionism is making a positive difference in your community and the world.

The District is 4 members shy of establishing a new Club in Bandera. LCI provides many different brochures and “selling points” for membership recruitment; however, we found that in Bandera, what the Lions can do locally is the best selling point. The Texas Lions Camp (TLC) and its benefit to the children and their families is a great talking point. Also the District’s Lions Sight Research Foundation emphasis on the Low Vision center at the UT Health Science Center, the Mobile Eye Screening Unit, and the Kid’s Sight vision screening with the SPOT enhances what Lions can do for your local community. These District entities carried more weight with the Bandera community than the LCI brochures. The public will relate to what is local and not as often to international. Tell them what their community based Lions Club can do for them and their community and you will have much greater results.

And sometimes it is as easy as asking “Have you ever considered being a Lion?” Don’t be afraid of the word NO. You will hear it much more often than YES, but you will never hear YES unless you ASK. One YES will lift your heart, your pride, and your Club more than you can realize.

## ***SEE YOU AT THE DISTRICT CONVENTION***

Lion Don Kirchhoff  
District Governor, 2-A2





It's GREAT to be a LION!

We had our S.O.S. on Comanche Park in San Antonio; it was nice to see a lot of fellow lions coming together for a great cause! My wife and I had a great time from doing the Zumba, walking (beautiful trail) all the way to presenting the recognition medal awards! Congrats to all the winners! Special Thanks to all the sponsors and the Lions that put the event together! C U All next Year!

I would like to encourage all our District Zone Chairs to encourage their clubs in their zone from Lion Presidents all the way to Lion Members (1,700 members strong and counting) to come and have a Great Time at OUR DISTRICT CONVENTION in April in San Antonio. (check out our news flash letter for more details)

I encourage you to keep checking for our updates in our websites for Great information that is given to us; some that we can put to Great use in our Clubs! Our [district2a2.org](http://district2a2.org) website page has links to Lion's websites.  
THE POWER OF WE; WE SERVE!

What might be impossible for others; we can make it possible thru Lionism!

FVDG Roberto Castillo

## DISTRICT CONVENTION APRIL 13 & 14 DELEGATE CERTIFICATION

It is required of Club Presidents and Secretaries to provide certification of the credentials of their voting Club Delegates and Alternates. Clubs can certify who their delegates and alternates are by letter signed by either President or Secretary.

PDG Cal Lawson and Lion Joyce Lawson are responsible for verification of the credentials of Club Delegates.

EARLY DELEGATE CERTIFICATION can be accomplished by forwarding the verification letter to be received prior to Convention by:

E-Mail - [jlawson6@satx.rr.com](mailto:jlawson6@satx.rr.com) or

snail mail - PDG Cal Lawson, 6802 Blue Lake Dr., San Antonio, TX 78244

A CLUB DELEGATE CERTIFICATION TABLE will be located adjacent to Convention Registration at Convention on: Friday 3:00 pm - 6:00 pm and Saturday 7:00 am - 9:00 am.

Note: Without the properly signed verification letter, Delegate Certification can only be done at Convention, by direct authorization by the Club President or Secretary.

The Constitution provides for appropriate calculation of the number of Club Delegates as follows:

One delegate for each 10 members (with a year and a day of membership), plus an additional delegate for fraction of 5 members. i.e., 10 members=1 delegate, 15 members=2 delegates, 20 members=2 delegates, 25 members=3 delegates, etc. If you are unsure of number of delegates authorized for your club, or any other questions regarding voting,

For further information, feel free to call PDG Lion Cal at 210-661-3577.



# LIONS OF TEXAS ENDORSE 3<sup>RD</sup> VICE PRESIDENT CANDIDATE IN KERRVILLE, TEXAS



The 2017-2018 Council of Governors (pictured above) voted to endorse Past International Director Brian E. Sheehan, from Bird Island, Minnesota, for the position of 3<sup>rd</sup> Vice President of Lions Club International. He will be seeking this office at the upcoming International Convention in Las Vegas in the summer of 2018. PID Sheehan also addressed the Past District Governors Association and Texas Lions in attendance at the Saturday evening banquet. His message of "T.E.A.M.", Together Everyone Achieves More, was the focus of his speech.



Photos Top-Left to Bottom-Right: PID Brian E. Sheehan and ID Sam Lindsey and the 2<sup>nd</sup> VDGs of Texas; PID Sheehan and ID Lindsey presenting PCC C. Lee Smith with the Ambassador of Goodwill Award; PID Sheehan; PID Sheehan and ID Lindsey and the 1<sup>st</sup> VDGs of Texas; PID Sheehan and ID Lindsey with Council Chair Rick Talbert.

PID Sheehan has over 25 years of experience in Lions at the local, district, multiple-district and international levels. He served as District Governor in 2004-2005, Council Chairman in 2005-2008, International Director at 2011-2013, Chairman of the Finance and Headquarters Operation Committee in 2012-2013, Board Appointee of the Executive Committee from 2012-2013, Member of the Long Range Planning Committee in 2012-2013, LCIF Trustee in 2014-2015, Member of the Constitution and By-Laws Committee in 2014-2015, and Lions University Coordinator in 2014-2016. He serves on various community organizations and is a successful entrepreneur and businessman. He is married to his wife, Lion Lori and they have four children.

22nd Annual

# DAN GATEWOOD MEMORIAL GOLF TOURNAMENT



## Kerrville Host Lions Club

*Proceeds Benefit  
Texas Lions Camp Special Needs Children  
and Other Lions Club Projects*

4 Person Scramble Tournament Limited to 24 Teams

— Saturday, April 21, 2018 —

### SCOTT SCHREINER GOLF COURSE, KERRVILLE TEXAS

**Check in Begins at 11:30 AM**  
**Shotgun Start at 1:00 PM**

*Entry Fee includes:*

*Green Fees, Cart, Range Balls, Lunch, and "Goody Bag"  
Pizza after Golf Tournament provided by*

**Broken Stone Pizza Co.**

Prizes	
1st Place Team - Low Gross .....	\$600 Cash
1st Place Team - Low Net .....	\$600 Cash
2nd Place Team - Low Net .....	\$500 Cash
3rd Place Team - Low Net .....	\$400 Cash
Worst Score Prize	Gift Certificate at Pro Shop



**\$ PUTTING CONTEST \$**  
*\$5 per putt Winner Receives \$5 per putt*  
**\$ \$ CASH PRIZE \$ \$**  
*\$ \$ \$ \$*



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**\$750**
- Silver Sponsor \_\_\_\_\_  
**\$500**
- Bronze Sponsor \_\_\_\_\_  
**\$225**
- Hole Sponsor \_\_\_\_\_  
**\$125 Ea. or 2 for \$200**
- Individual Player \_\_\_\_\_  
**\$100**
- TOTAL ATTACHED** \_\_\_\_\_

**Platinum Sponsor** - Includes 2 teams of 4 players each, *your banner* displayed in the Pro Shop area, course signage, and recognition in press releases and radio spots

**Gold Sponsor** - Includes 1 team of 4 players, *your banner* displayed in the Pro Shop area, course signage, and recognition in press releases and radio spots

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**Hole Sponsor** - Entitles sponsor to a Hole Sponsor Sign

Checks payable to: *Kerrville Host Lions Club  
P.O. Box 290972  
Kerrville, TX 78029-0972*

For More Information: Dodie Pressler (830) 864-4637 — Kendall Davison (830) 257-7877



# Lions District 2-A2

## "Starting 101 In 2-A2"



### District 2A2 Convention , San Antonio, Texas – REGISTRATION FORM

**APRIL 13 & 14, 2018**

**La Quinta Inn & Suites Conference Center - 4431 Horizon Hill Blvd. - San Antonio, Texas 78229**

**Reservations: Blocked Room Rate is \$95.00 per night.** Reservations will be made by: **no later than 03/14/2018.** Any rooms not reserved by this date will be released by the hotel for sale to the general public. Room rates are net, non-commissionable/commissionable and quoted exclusive of local and state taxes, currently 16.75% per room. Published rack rate for our hotel is \$159.00. **RESERVATION METHOD: Individual Call In**

Reservations will be made, modified, or canceled by individuals calling the hotel directly at **210-525-8090** or by **calling Central Reservations at 1-800-531-5900** and, in either case, referring to the group and meeting name (**Lions International District 2-A2 Conference**). Reservations must be made on or before the cutoff date. All rooms shall be available for check-in by 3:00 PM with a check-out time of 12:00 PM.

Name & Title	Club Name	Delegate: YES ___ NO ___
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Address	City	Zip Code	Email Address_
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**EARLY DEADLINE for DISCOUNT PACKAGE - Form & Payment rec'd NLT FRIDAY, Mar. 30, 5:00pm\_**

ITEM / EVENT	EARLY by March 30	After March 30 NLT April 11	# Tickets	Cost
Discount Package—Includes Registration and ALL Meals		\$ 105.00/ea.		
Friday—April 13 Opportunities for Youth Banquet		\$ 37.00/ea.		
Saturday—April 14 - Light Breakfast Hotel Guests have comp. Breakfast, incl.		Free with Registration		
Saturday—April 14 Awards Luncheon		\$ 34.00/ea.		
Saturday—April 14 Fellowship and Hall of Fame Banquet		\$ 42.00/ea.		
Registration Fee — for those not purchasing Discount Pack- age; Youth Banquet Guests or Fellowship / Hall of Fame Banquet Guests		\$ 20.00/ea.		
NOTE: Indicate any Special Dietary Issues.		<b>TOTALS</b>		

Make Checks Payable to District 2-A2 and  
 Mail to Lions Convention c/o LSRF 4502 Centerview, Suite 120, San Antonio, Tx 78228  
 For Information call Lion Sam Pantusa 210 326 3915 or email spantusa@yahoo.com



## **2017 – 2018 DISTRICT 2-A2 CONVENTION**

**La Quinta Inn & Suites Conference Center/ Medical Center - San Antonio, Texas**

### **General Schedule**

#### ***Friday, April 13, 2018***

*9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. State Certification Vision Screeners*

*12:00 Noon – 3:30 p.m. Opportunities for Youth Contests Interviews, Judging*

*12:00 Noon to 6:00 p.m. Registration*

*3:00 to 6:00 p.m. Delegate Certification*

*3:30 to 5:00 p.m. L.S.R.F. Board Meeting*

*6:30 p.m. Opportunities for Youth Banquet Contest Announcements*

*Hours preceding and following Youth Contestant Banquet Visit Candidate Hospitality Rooms*

#### ***Saturday, April 14, 2018***

*7:00 to 9:00 a.m. Registration*

*8:00 to 9:00 a.m. Coffee, Juice, Pastries*

*9:00 a.m. Business Session with Memorial Service and Candidate Nominations*

*12:30 to 2:00 p.m. Awards Luncheon Guest Speaker – PDG Rick Talbert MD-2 Council Chair*

*2:00 to 3:30 p.m. Election Voting*

*2:30 to 3:30 p.m. Ice Cream Social*

*6:30 p.m. Fellowship and Hall of Fame Banquet Special Presentation -- Richard Turner  
MD-2 Texas Lions Hall of Fame Presentation  
District 2-A2 Herb C. Petry, Jr. Hall of Fame Inductions  
Lion of the Year and other Special Recognitions  
Passing of the Gavel*

*Hours preceding and following Fellowship Banquet Visit Candidate Hospitality Rooms*

**ONLINE REGISTRATION at [lionsregistration.org](http://lionsregistration.org) For Hard Copy REGISTRATION FORM Click here\_\_\_\_\_**

**For INFORMATION Contact:PDG Sam Pantusa, Chairman at 210 326 3915 or email [lrsf.sam@gmail.com](mailto:lrsf.sam@gmail.com)**



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### **MENU SELECTIONS**

***Luncheon and Banquet Services provided by Catering by Rosemary, Inc., The RK Group***

***Friday, April 13 – Opportunities for Youth Banquet***

Four -leaf Salad, Carrots, Cucumbers, Tomatoes, Cheddar Cheese and Choice of Two Dressings

Entrée: Chicken Piccata

Roasted Garlic Mashers      Green Beans

Dessert: Double Chocolate Cheese Cake

With Raspberry Sauce

Coffee and Iced Tea with Lemon Wedge

***Saturday, April 14 – Continental Breakfast*** served prior to Business Session

Coffee, Juice, Pastries for attendees not staying with LaQuinta

Note: For those Reserving Rooms with La Quinta, Breakfast is included /provided in Room Reservation

***Saturday, April 14 – Awards Luncheon Buffet***

Caesar Salad with Croutons and Aged Parmesan

Entrée Choices:

Penne Pasta with Chicken Alfredo

Fussilli Pasta with Bolognese Meat Sauce

Antipasto Platter of Grilled Vegetables and Cheese

Italian Bread Display with Pesto and Olive Oil

Dessert: Tiramisu

Coffee and Iced Tea with Lemon Wedge

***Saturday, April 14 – Fellowship / Hall of Fame Banquet***

Caesar Salad of Crisp Romaine Hearts, Bailed Tomatoes with Classic Caesar Dressing

Entrée: Boneless Braised Ribs served with Au Jus

Roasted Garlic Mashers      Grilled Seasonal Vegetables

Dessert: Berry White Cheese Cake with White Chocolate Raspberry

Coffee and Iced Tea with Lemon Wedge

Please notify us if Special Dietary Issues are to be brought to the attention of the caterer.

For Information call Lion Sam Pantusa 210 326 3915 or email [spantusa@yahoo.com](mailto:spantusa@yahoo.com)



Seeing is believing, but for **Richard Turner**, a world-renowned card mechanic who is blind, and the wide range of audiences he performs for, that isn't the case. One of the **most renowned card magicians of all time**, Richard Turner astounds audiences around the world with his legendary sleight of hand. What they may not even realize--and what makes his achievements all the more amazing--is that

**he is completely blind.**

### ***RICHARD will be PERFORMING at the DISTRICT 2-A2 CONVENTION April 14, 2018***

Charting Turner's colorful life from his tumultuous childhood to the present "**Dealt**", his recently released **movie**, reveals how through determination and force of will, he overcame seemingly insurmountable obstacles to rise to the top of his profession. It's both a tantalizing, up-close look at the secretive world of magic and a candid, awe-inspiring portrait of a man who lives beyond his limitations. Review of DEALT, Rotten Tomatoes

Turner, 63, lives in San Antonio and is regarded as one of the best-known card mechanics and up-close magicians in the world. Turner's magic touch, candid humor and sheer performance skills can awe just about anyone, from movie stars and Fortune 500 CEOs to friends, troubled teens and some of the best in the magic and gambling industry. His balance of finesse, control and power with a deck of cards is unbelievable, regardless of his lack of vision. "Richard can do things with a deck of cards no other person on the planet can do," said Bruce Samboy, former director of iNew York's state division of gambling regulation. "Picking up a deck of cards in front of a guy like that is like going to the driving range with Tiger Woods."

**Although Turner is blind, most people who see him perform do not know because it is not discussed and he learned through theater classes how to appear as if he is looking directly at someone when speaking based on sound. Turner contracted a retina degeneration disease when he was 9, and his sight quickly diminished. "One day I could see the chalkboard, the next day I couldn't," said Turner, who retained blurry peripheral vision for a few years but eventually lost all functionality of his eyes.**

In his late teens, Turner began using drugs and, as he describes it, heading down a dangerous path "mostly because I was feeling sorry for myself" because of losing his sight. Turner was pulled out of the downward spiral by a karate teacher and a church, and after a few years, he got hooked up with Dai Vernon, who is one of the most well-known and influential magicians in the 20th century. He has performed a number of times at the Magic Castle in Hollywood and at Billy Bob's Texas in Fort Worth, and he had a seven-year residency during the 1990s at Fiesta Texas, as well as thousands of other venues across the world. Turner also has a passion to perform for military troops and troubled youths, which he does for free. Turner was cast for a role in the 2011 award-winning feature film "Tree of Life," in which he swindled Brad Pitt at a card table. When he accepted the role, he said the director didn't know he was blind... "When I got on set, I told him: 'I can do anything you want me to do with the cards, you're just going to have to show me where the table is,'" he said.

**Now Turner incorporates his card tricks into a motivational speech he gives around the world for audiences from financial firm Morgan Stanley to local schools. Richard's story is captured in his recently released movie. Graham Weston, one of the founders of Rackspace, is executive producer of the film, and Luke Korem of Austin is the director. "If you were to write a Hollywood script, this would be it, but the difference is that his life actually did happen, he is a real character," Korem said. "His life is sort of like the magic that he performs: You can't explain it. ... People are going to be scratching their heads the whole time saying, 'I can't believe this guy exists.'" Kolten Parker mySA Express News**



**LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL  
DISTRICT 2-A2**

**Agreement**

**The State of Texas**

\_\_\_\_\_, hereinafter called the representative, representing  
Name of Person

\_\_\_\_\_ does hereby purchase an ad from \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of School, Business or Individual Name of Member or Contestant

representing the Lions of District 2-A2. The size and cost of the purchased ad is:

(Check one)

- \_\_\_\_\_ Full Page \$ 125.00
- \_\_\_\_\_ 1/2 Page \$ 75.00
- \_\_\_\_\_ 1/4 Page \$ 40.00
- \_\_\_\_\_ Business Card \$ 25.00

and the representative does hereby promise to pay to the order of the Lions of District 2-A2 the sum of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ on or before April 5, 2018. Said Ad will appear in the Lions International District 2-A2 Convention Souvenir Book to be distributed among the Lions of south central Texas and within the business communities that make up this district. The Convention Souvenir Book will be distributed on April 13 – 14, 2018.

The information on said Ad is attached hereto, printed below or on the back of this page.

Signed on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Representative of Business, School or Individual

\_\_\_\_\_  
Lions Club Member or Contestant

**ALL PROCEEDS FROM AD SALES BENEFIT THE DISTRICT 2-A2 YOUTH SCHOLARSHIPS  
AND OTHER SERVICE PROGRAMS IN OUR DISTRICT**

**The District 2-A2 Global Action Team will hold 4 contests this year.  
The contests will run from July 1, 2017 to June 15, 2018.**

**Lion Membership Contest**

**Top three (3) Highest Lion Members that sponsor New Members.**

**Award: your choice .....**

- ~ Texas Lions Foundation Silver Plate Award
- ~ Texas Lions Camp Life Membership Award
- ~ District 2-A2 Lions Sight Research Foundation Special Recognition Award

**Lions Club Membership Contest**

**Top three (3) Highest Lions Clubs with the highest membership net gain.**

**Award:**

- ~ Club Membership Banner Patch Award

**Lions Club Retention Contest**

**Top three (3) Highest Lions Clubs with the highest retention of Club Members.**

**Award:**

- ~ Club Membership Banner Patch Award

**Zone Chairperson Membership Contest**

**Top two (2) Highest Zone Chairpersons with the highest membership net gain in their Zone.**

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For additional information or questions contact:

**PCC Ernesto "T.J." Tijerina**

(210) 414-3319

[tjtijerina@gmail.com](mailto:tjtijerina@gmail.com)



Hill Country Retreat  
**LIONS CLUB**  
Spring Festival



**Vendors • Food • Music • Kid Zone**  
**May 19, 2018**

**The Pavilion**

National Shooting Complex  
5931 Roft Road  
San Antonio, TX

**9:00 AM to 5:00 PM**



[www.hcrlionsclubspringfest.com](http://www.hcrlionsclubspringfest.com)



**Free Vision Screening**  
Proceeds benefit Lions charities

# SA AREA FAMILY LIONS CLUB



## Texas Hold'em Poker Tournament FUNDRAISER



### *The Lions Club Benefits:*

1. *Texas Lions Camp - for disabled children*
2. *Eye sight - providing eyewear and exams for the needy in our community*
3. *Leader Dog for the Blind and many more service projects!*



Buy 1 seat for \$35 or 2 seats for \$60.00. Donation Includes:

1. *Food and beverages, BYOB*
2. *Seat in the Texas Hold'em Tournament*
3. *Prizes for poker tournament winners*

*\*1st place winner picks prize of their choice, followed by 2nd place winner, 3rd winner, etc.\**

*Limited number of seats available.  
Make checks payable to:  
SAAFLC*



**Location: IBC Bank, 8650 Fredericksburg Rd, SA, TX 78240**  
**Saturday, July 28th at 3pm**

*Contact Info: Lion President Bruce Rivera @ 210-842-6304  
or email at [uss17@yahoo.com](mailto:uss17@yahoo.com)*



**THANKS TO ALL**

For the tremendous level of PARTICIPATION IN THIS YEAR'S  
**STRIDE FOR SIGHT 5K on SATURDAY MARCH 24**  
**OVER 500 PARTICIPANTS THIS YEAR**

CHECK OUT THE DISTRICT FACEBOOK PAGE FOR PHOTOS AND  
 TAKE A LOOK AT ALL THE INDIVIDUAL PICS AT <http://picti.net/yz5kg>



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