

LIONS OF TEXAS 2-A2

Chisholm Trail

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From District Governor Rod Chisholm

My fellow Lions!

You know, kids say funny things in Bible studies. Their elders, it turns out, are just as funny, as these announcements in church bulletins attest:

--Mr. Peabody has accepted the position of church warden. We could not get a better man.

--Our choir sang in a broadcast from Minneapolis. It was nice to hear them and realize they were nearly a thousand miles away.

--Our church rummage sale is a good opportunity to get rid of anything not worth keeping but too good to throw away. Bring your husband.

--Ladies Bible Study will be held Thursday morning. All ladies are invited to lunch after the B.S. is done.

Mark you calendars:



2-A2 District Governor
Lion Rod Chisholm

--**Thursday, November 18th...Charter Night** for our newest **Lions Club in Castroville!** This is a big deal and I ask as many clubs in the vicinity to plan to attend this gala. Every Lions remembers his/her Charter date for their respective club (mine was way before I was born, but I note the date anyway). So please check out the invitation page in this newsletter and plan to attend. The main speaker is **PID**

Mike Butler, who has taken time out of his busy world-wide campaign to attend this gala. We are touched by Lion Mike's devotion to the clubs in his home district.

--**July 4th thru the 8th...Lions International Convention!**

Speaking of Lion Mike, the only way he can garner votes at the convention is for each club have a representative in Toronto to vote! Absentee ballots are not allowed. Each club has at least one vote...and for those clubs with 38 members, then they get 2 votes...similarly those clubs with 63 members are authorized three votes! It's imperative that each club designate their delegate and then, in turn, have that delegate reserve a spot....besides, it is a lot of fun! The resignation form is in this newsletter.

--**Saturday, November 9th...Veterans Day Parade in San Antonio** beginning at noon.

For years Lions have been par-

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ticipating in this parade, and this years parade will include the **Texas Leo Council**, who will be joining the team with songs and enthusiasm! **LaVernia Lions Club** will be providing a float for those who wish to ride rather than walk the parade route. As for me, as a Vietnam Veteran, I look forward to marching in this parade.

Questions? Call Vice District Governor Sam Pantusa, as he has all the answers!

--**January 17-18...Mid-Winter Convention in Eagle Pass. The Eagle Pass Border Club** along with the **Eagle Pass Evening Club** promise a fun-filled weekend. The youth contests will be held on Friday, with the winners announced at Friday evening's social. It is during this evening that candidates should indicate their intentions to run for specified offices. Saturday's Cabinet Meeting

will be held in the morning, followed by a terrific lunch and speaker. Plan to attend this one!

--Speaking of District Cabinet meetings, I want to express my sincere appreciation to **Helotes Lions Club** and the three **Kerrville Clubs** for sponsoring the first two Cabinet Meetings. Both were spectacular, if I may say so myself. I am in your debt.

--One of the duties of a District Governor (or his team of Vice District /Governors) is to visit each and every club in the District. I'm enjoying this process, as I get a chance to get to know intimately each and every Lion in the District. If your club can discern a good date for me to visit, kindly call me at 212-757-3381...thanks.

One more item...Thanksgiving is just around the corner. You know what Thanksgiving is, dontcha? It

sort of the speed bump that warns you that Christmas is coming.

Thanksgiving is a relative experience. You provide the dinner and it's amazing how many relatives you experience.

This may sound strange, but at the end of Thanksgiving dinner, I also give thanks for what I am about to receive - Tums and Mylanta and Roloids.

There's a very valid reason why you overeat at Thanksgiving. It's at least seven months before you have to put on a bathing suit.

I'm just glad that Pilgrims weren't vegetarians. Can you imagine going out into the woods and shooting a zucchini?

Happy Thanksgiving!

Rod Chisholm



Mary Geraldine MacGillivray, lovingly known as Gerri, passed away peacefully Friday, Oct. 4, 2013 in, San Angelo. Lion Gerri was a Member of the Del Rio Host Lions Club and will be greatly missed.



A little TLC can go a long way.

Denny's is proud to support the Texas Lions Camp (TLC), a non-profit residential camp in Kerrville, TX for children with special medical needs.

Join us for a Benefit Night, the **first Wednesday of each month**, from **4pm - 8pm, June 5th - December 4th**. We'll donate 10% of your check (pre-tax) to support this worthy organization.



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From First Vice President Lion Sam Pantusa



Dear Lions,

We are looking forward to those that can be with us in the VETERANS Day PARADE in San Antonio on Saturday Nov. 9.



Thanks again to the La Vernia Lions for all the work that goes in to providing their float for us to use. This year we are expecting some LEOS from around the

State to march with us and hopefully add a little music to our contingent.

As always, for any details contact Lion Sam, see contact info at bottom.

BIG THINGS HAPPENING with STRIDE FOR SIGHT.



Go To <http://kidsightrun.org/> and see the website that Lion Floyd Daigle from La Vernia with an assist from Lion Maxine Garza from Stockdale have started to build. That's March 29, 2014 at Helotes, BUT, we can now say that thanks to the efforts of Lion President Derek Casillas of Del Rio San Felipe and Lion Mando Landeros of Sabinal, WE WILL ALSO HAVE COINCIDING 5Ks GOING ON AT THE SAME TIME ON THAT SAME SATURDAY in Del Rio and at the HOG FEST in Sabinal. Over time we hope to be able to also have similar runs in other towns in our District to once again have a real DISTRICT WIDE Event. Thanks to Lion Diane Anderson from Helotes, Lion Johnny Villalobos, Jr. of WestSide, Lion Dave Splitek of Founders, and Lion Cecilia Nobles of Hill Country Retreat, who are also serving on our run Committee.

Ticket Stub Information:

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Address: _____

Sold by: _____

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One - \$50 Gift Card for First Ticket Drawn*

\$100.00 per ticket

Checks to be made payable to
Lions Sight Research Foundation

for information contact Lion Sam Pantusa
(210) 326-3915, spantusa@yahoo.com

AND DON'T FORGET, your last big chance at the Mid Winter conference before the Convention to tell us which number is your LUCKY NUMBER between 1 and 150 so you can be the big

From First Vice President Lion Sam Pantusa

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winner of the SUPER GAS & EATS RAFFLE. Tell your friends and neighbors!

We'll reserve that LUCKY NUMBER for YOU before SOMEBODY ELSE GETS IT!

WE ARE IN SEARCH OF SPONSORS FOR THE RUN. If you have folks interested like Lion Roger Smith who is talking to a Sports Bar client about being a sponsor and providing a booth and coupons to stuff in our Goodie Bags, just HOLLER at Lion Sam.

No doubt that the Holiday Season is the biggest time of the Year for

Those Very Special Service Projects that all of our Clubs do each year, that special time for family to come first, when Lions are there to bring a little sunshine and hope, when we can see a little gleam in the eye just passed the tears. This is our time. Enjoy that feeling of self-fulfillment. You deserve that lump in the throat and the pride in your heart as you visualize the effect that you can make in others lives. Who says that we are not compensated for our time and effort and all the caring?

And as always WE ARE WE ASK that you take pictures and some video of your doing your good work. IF YOU HAVE IT

WE WANT TO SHARE IT WITH EVERYBODY.

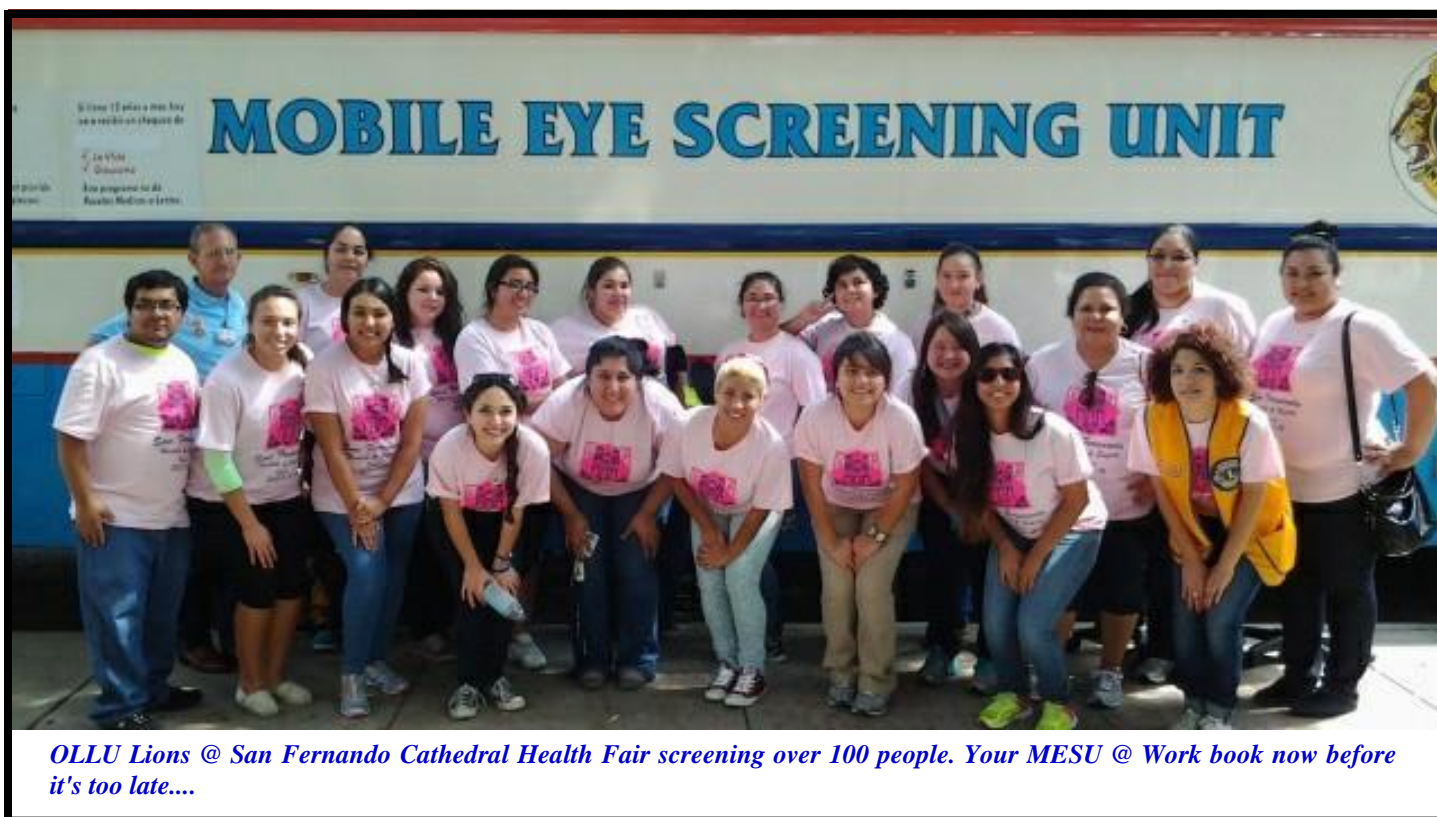
Wishing each of you in your Family of Club Members and, most especially, to You and Your Loved Ones, a Very Blessed Thanksgiving. May all that you hope to be near, be able to be with you, and all those that you are missing be with you in spirit and love. HAPPY THANKSGIVING.

It's Great to Be A LION!!!
It is a privilege to serve with you.

Thanks for listening.

1st VDG Sam

Lion_Sam_spantusa@yahoo.com
210 326 3915



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PID Lion Mike Butler for Second International Vice President Insert



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PID Lion Mike Butler
for
Second Vice President
of
Lions Clubs International

Registration for International Convention • Toronto • July, 2014



97th Annual Lions Clubs International Convention Friday, July 4 – Tuesday, July 8, 2014 • Toronto, Ontario, Canada Convention Registration and Hotel Reservation Form

Deadlines:

- **May 1, 2014:** Deadline for advance registration and hotel reservation. Registrations after this date will be processed in Toronto.
- **May 1, 2014:** Deadline to receive a refund for a registration cancellation. • **May 16, 2014:** Deadline to receive a refund for a hotel room cancellation.

REGISTRANT INFORMATION *Please type or print name as it appears on passport/photo ID.*

First Name _____ Family (Last) Name _____ Badge/Call Name _____
 Address _____ City _____ State/Province _____
 Postal Code _____ Country _____
 Daytime Phone _____ E-mail _____

Lion: Club No. _____ Membership No. _____ District _____ Title _____ Lion Lioness

COMPANION: First Name _____ Family (Last) Name _____ Badge/Call Name _____
 Lion: Club No. _____ Membership No. _____ District _____ Title _____ Lion Lioness Guest

CHILD: First Name _____ Family (Last) Name _____ Age _____ Alpha Leo
 CHILD: First Name _____ Family (Last) Name _____ Age _____ Alpha Leo

This is my/our first LCI convention. Not my first convention, I've attended _____
 Letter of Invitation (If a visa is required for your country of origin) [Club number must be provided above to verify membership]
 The plenary sessions are presented in English with simultaneous translation Will you require a headset? No Yes

PACKAGE A: *Includes convention registration for each registrant listed above plus one (1) hotel room serviced by shuttle buses during convention.*

Before December 31: Reservation in delegation hotel
 After December 31: I prefer my delegation hotel
 Prefer hotel based on: room rate of _____ location near convention center

Arrival date _____ Departure date _____ Number of Guests in Room: _____ Number of Beds Needed 1 2

Special Requirements: Non-smoking Wheelchair Accessible Other _____

** The Hotel deposit is US\$225 for a standard room and US\$350 for a suite. The hotel deposit is not the rate but reserves the room. Your deposit will be credited to your hotel bill at checkout.*

PACKAGE B: NO ROOM REQUIRED *(Registration only for each person listed above.)*

OPTIONAL TICKETED EVENTS *I/we plan to attend the following event(s): (Must be registered to attend)*

EVENT	DATE/TIME	SEE	QUANTITY	AMOUNT DUE
Membership Key Award Ice Cream Social (Key holders only)	July 6/ 15:00-17:00	US \$25	_____	\$ _____
Melvin Jones Fellow Luncheon	July 7/ 13:30-15:00	US \$60	_____	\$ _____
District Governor/Past District Governor Banquet	July 7/ 20:00-22:00	US \$100	_____	\$ _____

PAYMENT: Full payment is required with this form. • US currency only. Checks and money orders must be drawn on US banks.
 • Only Visa, MasterCard, American Express & Discover cards accepted. • Contact LCI for wire transfer instructions.

REGISTRATION FEES	Adult	Child (17 and under)
Early (before 31/Dec/2013)	US\$110	US\$10
Regular (1/January through 31/March/2014)	US\$150	US\$10
Late (1/April/2014 – onsite)	US\$170	US\$10

Package A:	Package B:
Registrations: US\$ _____	Registrations: US\$ _____
Ticketed Events: US\$ _____	Ticketed Events: US\$ _____
Hotel Deposit: US\$ <u>225.00</u>	
Total Due: US\$ _____	Total Due: US\$ _____

Check Bank transfer/deposit (copy must be attached to this form) Visa MasterCard American Express Discover

Your name as it appears on the card _____ Credit card must be in the name of the registrant.

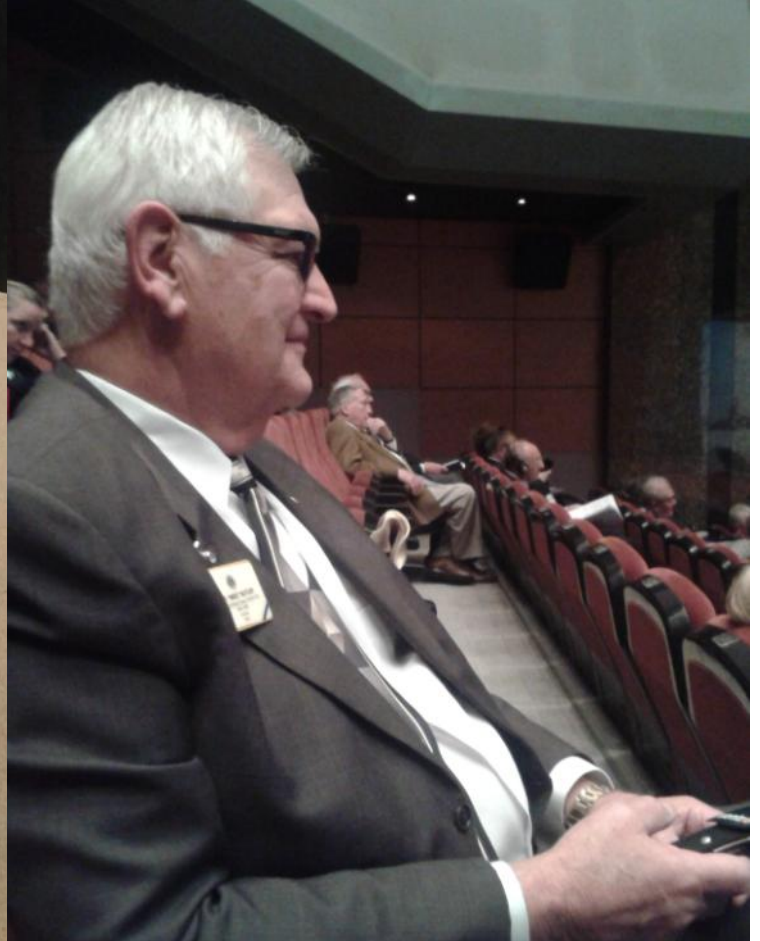
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Signature _____

Mail form and payment to: Lions Clubs International Attn: Convention Division • 300 West 22nd Street • Oak Brook, IL 60523-8842 USA
 Credit Card and Bank Transfer Payments can be faxed to: (1-630) 571-1689 (If you fax, please do not mail original)
 Questions? Email us: registration@lionsclubs.org • Allow 4 weeks for processing and mail delivery of your confirmation.

Please note: Lions Clubs International will be documenting the international convention for promotional purposes. Your participation may be filmed or photographed at this event. Your registration is your consent for use of these images by Lions Clubs International.

PID Lion Mike Butler campaigning in Istanbul, Turkey




PID Lion Mike Butler for Second International Vice President Insert



Thank You, MD-8!

The Lions of Texas, MD-2, offers our sincere thanks to the Lions of Louisiana for their **Endorsement of PID Lion Mike Butler** for the office of Second Vice President of Lions International in the year 2014.



Thank You MD-7!

The Lions of Texas MD-2 would like to thank the Lions of Arkansas for their **Endorsement of PID Lion Mike Butler** for the office of Second Vice President of Lions International in the year 2014.

The Lions of Texas MD-2 would like to take this opportunity to thank the Lions of Oklahoma for their support and unanimous endorsement of **PID Lion Mike Butler** for the office of **Second Vice President of Lions International** in the year 2014



About Lion Sheryl



- Lion Sheryl is a member of the Kerrville Sunrise Lions Club and has served all offices of her club;
- Served as District Zone Chair and Region Chair;
- Was a 100% President in Lions year 2005-2006;
- District Cabinet Secretary in 2005-

- 2006;
- Awarded Lion of the Year in District 2-A2 for 2005-2006;
- Lion Sheryl is a Progressive Melvin Jones Fellow;
- A committed Lion since 1995, Lion Sheryl comes from a Lions family—her father was a Lion for 63 years and served as District Governor and her mother served as a Lioness for 45 years and became a Lion in 2013;
- Married to PID Mike Butler since 2009;
- Lion Sheryl is currently the buyer and merchandising manager for a large furniture store in Kerrville and was an independent Interior Designer for over



PID Mike Butler visits with friends in Istanbul.

PID Mike Butler Visits South Texas



PID Mike Butler was the guest speaker for the Donna Lions Club in Donna, Texas.

Donna Lions Club appreciates and thanks PID Mike Butler for making the long trip to address our club and other Lions. Present at the meeting were members of the Hidalgo Lions, Edinburg Early Risers, Edinburg Lions and Mission Lions Club. PID Mike Butler proceeded to give a great talk about Lionism. He talked about membership, history of Lions when and by whom it was started and where it originated. He also talked about the importance of attending Leadership Training, Orientation, Zone and Cabinet meetings and International Conventions. He mentioned of getting involved within our community, state and world wide.

PID Mike expressed his experience of being a Lion. He also reminded us of him running for Lions Club International 2nd Vice President. All Lions present are happy for him and of course showed their support for him.

Pictured are District 2-A3 2nd VDG Juan Lopez introducing PID Mike Butler and Donna Lions Club President David Chavez presenting PID Mike Butler a Certificate of Appreciation and a little donation for his campaign. Pictured below are (left to right) IPDG Cesar Montelongo, District Treasurer Ron D'Adrea, PDG Joe Trevino, Donna Lions Club President David Chavez, PID Mike Butler, District 2-A3 2nd VDG Juan Lopez and Zone Chairman Raul Leal.



PID Mike Butler In Singapore





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**Delivered to Windcrest and brought to your home or office.
(Sorry only available in the San Antonio area):**

Item #	Description	Price
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W-3	28" Mixed Evergreen Wreath	\$ 32.00
G-3	Western Cedar Garland (1)	\$ 21.00
C-5	Centerpiece	\$ 18.00
W-2	22" Noble Fir Wreath	\$ 22.00
B-2	Red & Gold Pre-Tied Bow	\$ 3.00
N-7	Holiday Cones	\$ 8.00
D-1	Decoration Set	\$ 20.00

Gift box delivery – price includes shipping to your family and friends (or yourself, if you live outside the San Antonio area).

Item #	Description	Price
C5M	Gift Centerpiece	\$ 35.00
W4M	22" Mixed Evergreen Gift Wreath	\$ 40.00
EGM	Evergreen Gift Set	\$ 73.00
N7M	Cone Gift Basket	\$ 34.00
W3M	28" Mixed Evergreen Gift Wreath	\$ 43.00
G3M	Western Cedar Gift Garlands (2)	\$ 43.00

To see items go to:

<http://www.sherwoodforestfarms.com/fundraising-products>

To order call Lion Marlene at 210-393-7383 or by email at

marpatton@aol.com

THANK YOU FROM THE WINDCREST LIONS CLUB!



Lions Clubs International
FOUNDATION

You can help protect a child's sight – it's as easy as taking a picture. Throughout October, Lions celebrate World Sight Day (October 10th) and the "Sharing the Vision" global service action campaign. This year's World Sight Day theme is universal eye health and the importance of making a "pledge" to maintain your eye health and have a regular eye exam. LCIF partner Johnson & Johnson is celebrating World Sight Day with Lions by promoting eye exams and raising money for our shared initiative, [Sight for Kids](#). The Sight for Kids program was selected by Johnson & Johnson (J&J) as one of a select few charities to benefit through their free [Donate a Photo](#) mobile application.

Now through November 30th, 2013, you can help provide a vision screening and save a child's sight simply by uploading a photo. For every photo donated via the app to Sight for Kids, J&J will donate \$1 towards Sight for Kids screenings.* Since 2002, Sight for Kids' mission has been to remove barriers to eye care for children in the most underserved areas across Asia – providing eye exams, glasses and treatment. To date, Lions and Sight for Kids have screened the vision of **nearly 18 million children**. Consider donating a photo each day for Sight for Kids to help Lions protect a child's sight... It's as easy as downloading the free mobile app and taking pictures! **How to Get Started**



Download the FREE "Donate a Photo" app for your Apple or Android device by searching for it in [iTunes](#) or [Google Play/Android](#).

1. Once downloaded, follow the easy, in-app steps to set up an account and profile.

Choose LCIF's cause: "[One Photo helps protect a child's sight... with Sight for Kids.](#)"

1. Take a picture – any photo will work but "selfies" and "eye selfies" are preferred! Or choose a photo from your device's library or album.

The entire setup process should only take around two minutes. Your photo will be displayed like this:

Thank you for your support and for protecting children's sight! Photo Guidelines Users can donate up to one photo a day, every day, to the Sight for Kids cause through November 30, 2013. Any appropriate photo helps, but Lions are hoping to share photos of faces or eyes to raise awareness about the importance of accessible eye care



and eye exams. Are you planning a project or event for Sharing the Vision month and World Sight Day? Be sure to tag photos with the hashtags **#lionsclubs** and **#eyepledge** on Facebook and Twitter. We will share select photos through the Lions Clubs International official [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#) pages. The Donate a Photo app is available in the United States only. No matter where you live, be sure to get the word out about Lions Sight for Kids program and the importance of eye exams for our children. Photos shared are not used for any commercial purposes. **Disclosure: You can donate a photo to one cause, once a day. For every photo donated to Sight for Kids, Johnson & Johnson Services, Inc. will donate \$1 to that cause. You can donate photos to Sight for Kids until November 30, 2013 or until it reaches its goal of \$30,000, whichever comes first. Sight for Kids will receive a minimum of \$15,000.*



San Antonio Region 20 Lions Club



TROOPS IN AFGAHANSTAN NEED OUR HELP MORE THAN EVER!

If your club would like to join us in collecting these items, please contact us at kbook0@hotmail.com

If you have any questions, you may email us at the email address above or call us at 744-2080.

Yours in Service,
Lions Ken and Debbie Book
SA Region 20 Lions Club

The SA Region 20 Lions Club is collecting items to send to the remaining troops serving in Afghanistan! As the withdrawal of troops from Afghanistan begins, the U.S. government is scaling back on rations & supplies.

We are asking you to join us by collecting the following items between October 21 and November 15, 2013.

The following items are in the greatest need:

- Toothbrushes, dental picks and toothpaste**
- 3 or 4 blade disposable razors (because sand, wind & sun makes their faces rough)**
- shaving gel in tube from Dollar Tree (no aerosol cans)**
- beef jerky, protein bars**
- band aids, antibacterial & antifungal creams**

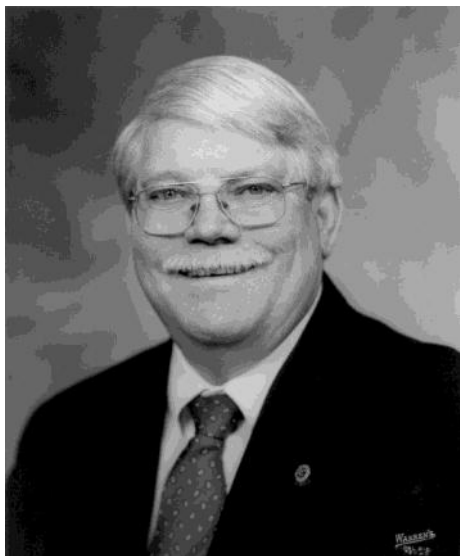
The Troops also like to receive letters from you, your family, and any school children. If you write a letter of appreciation, please seal in an envelope and place in the boxes.

Please help by doing your part to support these brave men and women who are sacrificing so much to help innocents in this region of the world and to further secure our freedoms here at home.

Thank you for caring!
SA Region 20 Lions Club



From SVDG Jim Weed



Fellow Lions,

I've been thinking of the Leo program the past few weeks. The Texas Leo Council <http://texasleos.org/> is meeting in San Antonio November 8th and 9th. They have a full agenda to go along with the Leo Council meeting: officer training; project planning and management; and leadership and team work activities. The event has been planned by and will be presented by the Leos. There will be a few Lions around to provide support, but it's the Leos' show.

The keynote speaker is Lion Jee-Ho Kang, a member of the University of Texas at Austin Campus Lions Club. Lion Jee-Ho was

a Leo in high school and started the campus club at UT Austin. Three other Lions from UT Austin will be joining the discussion about the transition from Leo to Lion.

With so many of the youth in our communities grabbing the headlines for all the wrong reasons, the Leo Club program gives us Lions the opportunity to show our young people a better, more productive way to garner headlines and serve their community. A properly organized Leo club gives the Leo Club members the opportunities to develop skills in leadership, teamwork, organization, planning and a long list of other skills needed to be a successful adult.

Most Leo clubs are based in middle school or high school, but there are clubs with no school affiliation. So if your club can't get support from your local school you can still sponsor a Leo club. I recently reached out to the home school community and asked if anyone home schooling would be interested in getting their kids involved with the Leo program. The response has been positive and I'll be talking with

some of the support groups soon to give them more information about Leos.

Having a strong, vibrant Leo program as one of your Lions club projects can provide a great service to your community and since Leos come with parents or guardians in their lives it gives us the opportunity to meet potential new Lions.

For more information about Leo clubs in District 2-A2 contact one of our district Leo club chairmen, Lion Ken Sievers kennethsievers@hotmail.com or Lion Johnny Staha johnnystaha@yahoo.com.

For information and registration details to attend the Leo Council opening session Friday night, November 8th with keynote speaker Lion Jee-Ho or to attend Leo club advisor training on Saturday, November 9th, contact the MD-2 Leo Club Chairman, Lion Liz Bumguardner, 512-203-5972 or email liz.bumguardner@gmail.com.

Yours in service,

2nd VDCJIM

Mike's Our Man!

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Veterans Day Parade in San Antonio



Come join your fellow Lions and Leos to participate in the Veterans Day Parade in San Antonio November 9.

We will gather at 10:00 AM at the Christopher Columbus Italian Society Hall located at 201 Piazza Italia in San Antonio. This located at Martin Street and Santa Rosa just off IH 10 / IH 35 intersection. The Hall is next to San Francesco diPaolo Church. There is plenty of free parking.

We will be shuttled to the parade kick off location.

The parade steps off at 12 Noon. The parade route is about 1 ½ miles long and will take until about 2:00 PM to get back to the picnic (yes, there is a picnic after the parade).

Wear your vests, hats, shirts, caps and bring anything that lets the folks know you are a Lion. Vets are welcome to wear uniforms, etc.

Please bring lawn chairs for the

picnic. The picnic, with hamburgers and hot dogs, will be at the Christopher Columbus Italian Society Hall. We'll be collecting \$5.00 per person to help pay for the picnic.

Contact 1st VDG Sam Pantusa and let him know the number of walkers that will be participating from your club and those that wish to ride the LaVernia Lions float.

Lion Sam can be reached at 210-326-3915 or email span-tusa@yahoo.com

Thanks for helping us fly the Lions Colors and let our community know we are here.

Involve a U.S. Veteran Program

U.S. veterans have made so many great contributions and sacrificed so much to serve our country. With many service members being honorably discharged from the military, this is a good time to provide them with an opportunity to get involved in their communities. The Involve a U.S. Veteran Program provides qualifying veterans the opportunity to continue serving in a different way as Lions.

Benefits of Involving Veterans

Many veterans want to find a way to give back, and they have a lot to offer your Lions club, including:

- The ability to turn plans into action and get the job done
- Practical skills and leadership skills
- Innovative ideas
- Dedication, loyalty and commitment

Understanding the importance of teamwork

Involve a U.S. Veteran Program Qualifications

Ask now! The program is available to the first 5,000 certified U.S. veterans and runs from July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2015.

Qualifying veterans receive an entrance or charter fee waiver when joining a Lions club. Qualifying veterans include retired U.S. military personnel (i.e. Air Force, Army, Coast Guard Services, Marines, National Guard, Navy or Reserves) or those honorably-discharged from these services. Veterans can be certified by completion of the [Involve a U.S. Veteran Program Certification Form](#).

On the following page is the Certification Form that goes with your MMR when adding a new Veteran Member. There is also a flyer that explains the program.



Lions Clubs International

INVOLVE A U.S. VETERAN PROGRAM

Involve a veteran today and build a better world for people in need.

U.S. veterans have made so many great contributions and sacrificed so much to serve our country. With many service members being honorably discharged from the military, this is a good time to provide them with an opportunity to get involved in their communities. The Involve a U.S. Veteran Program provides qualifying veterans the opportunity to continue serving in a different way as Lions.

Benefits of Involving Veterans

Many veterans want to find a way to give back, and they have a lot to offer your Lions club, including:

- The ability to turn plans into action and get the job done
- Practical skills and leadership skills
- Innovative ideas
- Dedication, loyalty and commitment
- Understanding the importance of teamwork

How Serving with Lions Benefits Veterans

By providing opportunities for veterans, Lions can help get them involved in their communities. Consider adopting new projects in your community that appeal to veterans:

- Making and sending care packages overseas
- Organizing a book drive for military children with the USO
- Reading to patients at a local VA Hospital
- Donating backpacks and school supplies to military families
- Fundraising for wounded warriors

Involve a U.S. Veteran Program Qualifications

Ask now! The program is available to the first 5,000 certified U.S. veterans and runs from July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2015.

Qualifying veterans receive an entrance or charter fee waiver when joining a Lions club. Qualifying veterans include retired U.S. military personnel (i.e. Air Force, Army, Coast Guard Services, Marines, National Guard, Navy or Reserves) or those honorably-discharged from these services. Eligible persons may still be enlisted in the National Guard or Reserves.

Veterans can be certified by completion of the Involve a U.S. Veteran Program Certification Form.

Membership and New Club Programs Department
 Lions Clubs International
 300 W. 22nd Street Oak Brook, IL 60523 USA
 Phone: 630.203.3846
 Fax: 630.571.1691
 Email: memberprog@lionsclubs.org





INVOLVE A U.S. VETERAN PROGRAM CERTIFICATION FORM

The Involve a U.S. Veteran Program offers qualifying U.S. veterans the opportunity to receive an entrance or charter fee waiver when joining a Lions club. Complete and submit this form for qualifying U.S. veterans joining a new or existing Lions club.

Veteran First Name: _____ Veteran Last Name: _____

Lions Club Name: _____ Member Number (if existing): _____

Lions Club Number (if existing): _____ District: _____

Veteran Email: _____

U.S. VETERAN CERTIFICATION*

Please check at least one form of credentials used to verify U.S. veteran status:

- DD Form 214 - Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty
- State or County Veterans ID card
- Department of Veterans Affairs ID card
- State Driver's License designating veteran status
- VFW Card
- American Legion Membership Card

MILITARY BRANCH

Check which branch of the military the veteran was a part of:

- Air Force
- Army
- Coast Guard
- Marines
- National Guard
- Navy
- Reserves
- Other/Unknown

* Please do not send copies of the above to LCI

CLUB SECRETARY OR DISTRICT GOVERNOR SIGNATURE

By signing this form, I certify that I am the current club secretary or district governor and have verified the above member is a U.S. veteran.

Club Secretary or District Governor's Name (Please Print): _____

Club Secretary or District Governor's Signature: _____ Date: _____

SEND THIS FORM WITH CHARTER OR MMR PAPERWORK, OR DIRECTLY TO:

Accounts Receivable and Club Account Services Department
Lions Clubs International
300 W. 22nd Street
Oak Brook, IL 60523 USA
Fax: 630-571-1683
Email: accountsreceivable@lionsclubs.org

Eagle Pass • Mid Winter Conference Registration

DISTRICT 2-A2 MID-WINTER CONFERENCE

January 17 & 18, 2014

EAGLE PASS INTERNATIONAL CENTER FOR TRADE

3295 Bob Rogers, Eagle Pass, Texas 78852

REGISTRATION FORM

Name: _____

Lion - Office Held: _____ Spouse Guest

Name: _____

Lion - Office Held: _____ Spouse Guest

Club Name: _____

City: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: (Home): _____ (Cell): _____

Quantity

Amount

_____ **Early Registration:** Lions, Spouse and Guests - \$15.00 ea. _____

(On or Before January 5, 2014)

NOTE: Late Registration: \$20.00 after January 6, 2014

(Includes Friday Social, Hot Breakfast & Lunch)

Please mail completed registration form with payment, payable to:

Eagle Pass Border Lions Club
c/o Mireya Hernandez
P. O. Box 7403
Eagle Pass, Texas 78853
Cell Phone: 830-968-7249

Contact Numbers:
President Rewa Seth 830-776-2603
Secretary Lizz Gonzalez 830-968-6797

Friday Registration: Starts at 4 p.m. at the Holiday Inn Express

Friday Social: 7:00 p.m. at the Holiday Inn Express

Saturday Registration: 8:00 a. m

Business Meeting – Saturday, January 18, 2014 @ 9:00 a.m. at the International Center

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Eagle Pass • Mid Winter Conference Registration

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for Trade . Lunch to be served immediately after the Business Meeting

Reserve your lodging directly with:

<p>Holiday Inn Express 2007 N. Veterans Blvd Phone: 830-757-3050 Rate: \$89.00 per night book before Dec 28</p>	<p>La Quinta 2525 E Main St Phone: 830-773-7000 Rate: \$85.00 per night</p>
<p>Quality Inn 1973 N. Veterans Blvd. Phone: 830-758-1234 Rate: \$69.99 per night</p>	<p>Maverick Inn 1711 Main St. Phone: 830-757-1711 Rate: \$59.00 per night</p>
<p>Microtel 2352 El Indio Hwy Phone: 830-776-5673 Rate: 69.99 per night</p>	<p>Town Place Suites Marriot 2033 N. Veterans Blvd. Phone: 830-757-0077</p>
<p>Hampton Inn 3301 Main St Phone: 830-757-5565</p>	<p>Knights Inn 2297 Del Rio Hwy Phone: 830-773-1811</p>
<p>Motel 6 Lakeside 2338 E. Main Phone: 830-757-8100</p>	<p>Casino Hotel Bar & Grill 183 FM 2030 Phone: 830-758-0725 Or 830-758-0744</p>
<p>Lucky Eagle Casino Phone: 830-773-2255</p>	

SEE YOU IN EAGLE PASS!

From District Chaplain Lion Doug Thomas



Accept, O Lord, our thanks and praise for all that you have done for us. We thank you for the splendor of the whole creation, for the beauty of this world, for the wonder of life, and for the mystery of love.

We thank you for the blessing of family and friends, and for the loving care which surrounds us on every side.

As the weather turns cooler and the leaves change color we realize that fall is here and Thanksgiving Day cannot be far behind. At this time of the year we need to pause in our busy schedules and give thanks for all the blessing we have received. As we do this I want to share with you *A General Thanksgiving* from the Episcopal Book of Common Prayer:

We thank you for setting us at tasks which demand our best efforts, and for leading us to accomplishments which satisfy and delight us.

We thank you for also for those disappointments and failures that lead us to acknowledge our dependence on you alone.

Above all, we thank you for your Son, Jesus Christ; for the truth of his Word and the example of his life; for his steadfast obedience, by which he overcame temptation; for his dying, through which he overcame death; and for his rising to life again, in which we are raised to the life of your kingdom.

Grant us the gift of your Spirit, that we may know Christ and make him known; and through him, at all times and in all places, may give thanks to you in all things. *Amen.*

May you have a blessed Thanksgiving,

Doug Thomas

District 2-A2 Chaplain



In memory of Lion Dureen McCain,
who passed away Saturday, October 12, 2013.



*And while she lies in peaceful sleep
Her memory we shall always keep.*

Castroville Lions Club



ANNOUNCING
the
CHARTER NIGHT BANQUET
CASTROVILLE LIONS CLUB

Monday, November 18, 2013

to be held at

The Alsatian Restaurant

1651 US Hwy 90 West Castroville, Tx

Located at The Hotel Alsace & Spa

<http://www.thehotelalsace.com/location.htm>

Social - 6:30pm

Dinner – 7:00pm

Keynote Speaker

M. P. "MIKE" BUTLER

PAST INTERNATIONAL DIRECTOR

RSVP by November 11

Cost -- \$ 20.00 per person

Lion President Brenda Kempf

(830)538 -3142 or 1-800-778-6775

email - brenda@castroville.com

Castroville Area Chamber of Commerce

PO Box 572 - 1115 Angelo Street Castroville, TX 78009

Checks to be made payable to North SA Hills Lions Club

for other information 1st VDG Lion Sam Pantusa

email – spantusa@yahoo.com



Lions Clubs International FOUNDATION

Dear Lions, This month, I was able to celebrate World Sight Day in Australia, and I am proud of the sight-saving efforts that Lions continually put forth. But, I am also proud of how much we do in other areas of service. More and more, Lions are be-



coming known as people who can provide basic assistance in the hours and days [following a disaster](#), as well as relief and rebuilding in the months following. As we come upon the [one year anniversary of a superstorm](#) that hit the United States, that and other disasters like the Japan tsunami and the Haiti earthquake are great examples of Lions' immediate response, compassion and support at work. Two weeks ago, Lions responded immediately to a destructive cyclone in India. LCIF awarded a US\$100,000 major catastrophe grant to Multiple District 322. Lions will use some of the funds to purchase short term relief items including blankets, food, water, and medical supplies. The remaining financial support will be used for reconstruction efforts within areas that were completely destroyed. To assist with disasters like this, I encourage you to consider [making a donation](#) to the Foundation for disaster relief, which is Melvin Jones Fellowship eligible. In response to another recent tragedy, Lions in Kenya acted quickly when the horrific mall shooting occurred in Nairobi. Within an hour of the attack,

Lions were volunteering at the M. P. Shah Hospital, where people who had been injured were provided with medical aid. And Lions' hard work did not go unnoticed - the President of Kenya visited the hospital and thanked the Lions for their support and being the first to respond. It would be impossible to list all of the amazing Lions' disaster relief efforts from around the world - I see examples posted online every day. You are giving people hope following tragedy, and rebuilding communities together through your support, through your use of [LCIF emergency grants](#) and through your contributions to our Foundation. I thank every one of you for your dedication to helping others in times of need. Sincerely, Wayne A. Madden Chairperson, Lions Clubs International Foundation

LCIF Grants Awarded During the October



2013 Board of Directors meeting in Port Douglas, Australia, 51 Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF) grants were awarded total-

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ing US\$2,443,541. Among many projects, [these grants](#) support Lions' efforts to build playgrounds for children who are disabled; purchase ophthalmological equipment for local hospitals; conduct medical and dental missions; purchase low vision aids; and much more. Lions will touch the lives of an estimated 4.7 million people through these grants, assisting those in need both locally and globally.

Unique Outreach with Lions Quest in Norway

In Norway, the Sandnes Lions and the Sandnes Ulf professional soccer team have partnered to bring [Lions Quest](#) and soccer into classrooms. In January 2012, the soccer team



agreed to become Lions Quest ambassadors in local schools. Players teach a 60-minute session to fifth graders about bullying, decision making, saying no to drugs, and working to achieve goals.

"It means so much to the students when we visit their school," said player Bjørnar Holmvik. "It's great that we have such a good curriculum for them." To further promote the program, Sandnes Ulf players wear a Lions Quest Norway logo on the back of their jerseys, a Lions Quest billboard is displayed at the field, and a short Lions Quest video is played on the big screen during a match break. The Sandnes Ulf players have visited more than 10 schools, and they have plans to visit 20 by the end of 2013. You can read more about the Sandnes Lions Quest program in the [September issue of LION Magazine](#). (Photo courtesy of Trond Rekstad)

Donate a Photo This October, Lions Clubs International has encouraged Lions to "Share the Vision" through a Global Service Action Campaign. In addition, LCIF partner Johnson & Johnson (J&J) launched its #EyePledge campaign, raising awareness of the importance of eye health through the use of photos and social media. To further the impact of an #EyePledge, participants can use J&J's free [Donate A Photo smart phone](#)



*Participants can donate a photo to one cause, once a day through the Donate a Photo app. For every photo donated to Sight for Kids, Johnson & Johnson Services, Inc. will donate US\$1 to that cause. You can donate photos to Sight for Kids until November 30, 2013 or until it reaches its goal of US\$30,000, whichever comes first. Sight for Kids will receive a minimum of \$15,000.



Converse Lions Club: Night in 'ol Converse



Northside Lions work the beer booth - only booth they knew anything about. Lion President Joe Srubar, Lion Les Barnes, Lion Emil Moczygamba and Lion Joe Scholwinski.



PDG Howie Marbach to Lion Les Barnes, "What do you mean, NO SHINER BOCK?"

Texas Lions Leadership Forum

FOURTEENTH ANNUAL TEXAS LIONS LEADERSHIP FORUM
 and
LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL REGIONAL LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE
 Hilton Austin Airport
 March 1 (start 11:30 a.m) and 2 (end 2:15 p.m.), 2014

REGISTRATION

All who attend must register

Registration must be for the event package. It is not possible to register for individual meal functions.

Note: Please include 2nd registrant only if the mailing address is the same. If not, please use a separate form.

1st registrant

Name: _____ Lion Yes No **Member #** _____

Phone: _____ E-mail _____

2nd registrant

Name: _____ Lion Yes No **Member #** _____

Phone: _____ E-mail _____

Address: _____

City/State _____ Zip code: _____

Club: _____ District _____

Highest Lion office held, 1st Registrant _____

Highest Lion office held, 2nd Registrant _____

Are you staying at the Hilton? Yes No In whose name is the reservation? _____

Make checks to: **Texas Lions Leadership Forum**
 Mail to: **Frances Cherry** Phone: 915-584-0130
 6216 Caprock Cell: 915-494-4425
 El Paso, TX 79912 pdgcherry@yahoo.com

Forum registration before 1/31/14 # _____ @ \$50.00 = _____
 Forum registration after 1/31/14 # _____ @ \$75.00 = _____
No registration after February 23 or at the site

Reserve your lodging directly with:
Hilton Austin Airport Hotel
 9515 New Airport Dr. (at Bergstrom Intl Airport)
 Austin, TX 78719
 Telephone: 800 - 584 - 5091
 Rate: \$102.00 per night, single or double. The reservation deadline at this rate is **February 14**. Reserve and guarantee your room **now**.

The first 100 Lions registering, who have never been elected to a position of Vice Governor or higher, will have their March 1st lodging paid by the Institute.
 Even those who qualify for this paid lodging must make, and guarantee, their reservations with the Hilton Austin Airport Hotel. A charge will be made to the credit card of those not attending who do not cancel lodging through Frances Cherry (915 494 4425 or 915 584 0130)

- Each registrant: select six sessions
- 1 Club & district protocol
 - 2 Club issues & opportunities
 - Club meeting management
 - Club success
 - Diversity & inclusion
 - Extension
 - Future vice governors
 - LCI MD history
 - Leadership fundamentals
 - Lion fundamentals
 - Membership fundamentals
 - Mentoring
 - Motivating club members
 - Personal mission statement
 - Public speaking
 - Set & reach club goals
 - Social media & Lionism
 - Structure & organization
 - Time management
 - Working in teams
 - Personal mission statement
 - Leaderdogs for the Blind*
 - Lions Clubs Int'l Foundation*
 - Texas Lions Camp*
 - Lions Eyeglass Recycling*
 - Texas Lions Foundation*
 - World Services for the Blind*

*Indicates presentation in only one abbreviated session.

Win Two Nights for Two!

during the District Convention

April 11-12, 2014

At the Holiday Inn

San Antonio Airport

For tickets contact PDG Saul alicesaullopez@sbcglobal.net or call 210-5229267 or Lion Del De La Rosa 210-674-0406

Tickets also available at

Tickets \$20

Second
Cabinet Meeting
Kerrville
October 5, 2013

Midwinter
Conference
Eagle Pass
January 17-18, 2014

Drawing will be held at the Midwinter Conference

Room reservations are now opened to the Lions for District Convention; room rate is \$92.00+taxes.

Online reservation www.holidayinn.com/redirect? Group Code LIO

210-349-9900 toll free 1-877-834-3613

District 2-A2 Mid-Winter Conference



January 17 & 18, 2014
EAGLE PASS INTERNATIONAL CENTER FOR TRADE
3295 Bob Rogers, Eagle Pass, Texas 78852



REGISTRATION FORM

Name: _____

Lion - Office Held: _____ Spouse Guest

Name: _____

Lion - Office Held: _____ Spouse Guest

Club Name: _____

City: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: (Home): _____ (Cell): _____

Quantity

Amount

_____ **Early Registration:** Lions, Spouse and Guests - \$15.00 ea. _____
(On or Before January 5, 2014)

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(Includes Friday Social, Hot Breakfast & Lunch)

Please mail completed registration form with payment, payable to:

Eagle Pass Border Lions Club c/o Mireya Hernandez
P. O. Box 7403
Eagle Pass, Texas 78853
Cell Phone: 830-968-7249

Friday Registration: Starts at 4 p.m. at the
Holiday Inn Express
Friday Social: 7:00 p.m. at the Holiday Inn
Express

Saturday Registration: 8:00 a.m.
Business Meeting – Saturday, January 18,
2014 @ 9:00 a.m. at the International Center
for Trade

Holiday Inn Express
2007 N. Veterans Blvd
Eagle Pass, TX
Phone: 830-757-3050
Rate: \$89.00 per night

Quality Inn
1973 N. Veterans Blvd.
Phone: 830-758-1234
Rate: \$69.99 per night

Microtel
2352 El Indio Hwy
Phone: 830-776-5673
Rate: 69.99 per night

La Quinta
2525 E Main St
Phone: 830-773-7000
Rate: \$85.00 per night

Maverick Inn
1711 Main St.
Phone: 830-776-5481
Rate: \$59.00 per night

Alamo Heights High School Leo Club Charter Night

The Alamo Heights Lions Club
Announces the
Charter Night Banquet
Of the
Alamo Heights High School Leo Club



Tuesday, December 3, 2013

To be held at

Earl Abel's Restaurant

1201 Austin Highway, Suite 175

Terrell Plaza Shopping Center

San Antonio, TX

210-822-3358

Meet and Greet 6:30 PM • Dinner 7:00 PM • Cost \$15.00

Guest Speaker

PDG Lion Ernesto "T.J." Tijerina

Induction of Charter Members

Installation of Club Officers

RSVP by November 26, 2013

Please make Checks payable to Alamo Heights Lion Club and

Mail checks to P.O. Box 6196, San Antonio, TX 78209-0196

Lion Faye Evans
alamohgtslions@gmail.com
210-385-3161

For Additional Information
1st VDG Lion Sam Pantusa
spantusa@yahoo.com

Alamo Heights High School Leo Club Charter Night



Shown at left is the proud principal of the Alamo Heights High School, Dr. Foster, holding the clubs charter.



At right are the members of the Leo Club showing their charter along with their advisor, second from left.

Kerrville Host Lions Club

Lions Rick and Barb, of Kerrville Host Lions Club, present the winners of the 2013 Rifle Raffle with their prize. Thanks to everyone who helped support the Lions with the purchase of their ticket (s).

(Editors note: does this pose look just a little strange to anyone else? Looks a little like a hold-up to me!)



Second Cabinet Meeting in Kerrville



Second Cabinet Meeting in Kerrville



Lions Club MD-2 State Convention May 15th-19th, 2014



On a Carnival cruise through the Western Caribbean, you'll discover what turns a smile into a giggle into all-out laughter. Because sunshine, pristine beaches, and a swim with dolphins are bound to make anyone deliriously happy.



WESTERN CARIBBEAN SAILING

CARNIVAL TRIUMPH®

On CARNIVAL TRIUMPH, you can accomplish it all--fun, adventure, and relaxation. From mini golf and other City Sports Park activities to spectacular stage shows, an onboard friendly casino, and your Carnival Comfort Bed, every moment is a cause for celebration.

DayOfWeek	PortName	ArrivalTime	DepartureTime
THU	GALVESTON, TX		4:00 PM
FRI	FUN DAY AT SEA		
SAT	COZUMEL, MEXICO	9:00 AM	5:00 PM
SUN	FUN DAY AT SEA		
MON	GALVESTON, TX	8:00 AM	

Starting Rate Inside Cabin: \$590 plus \$50 Convention Fee, includes \$25 NON-REFUNDABLE cabin deposit per person, based on double occupancy.



Past District Governor
Lewis H. Gardner
Council Chairman 2013-14
MD-2 Texas



Mason Evans Travel
122 West Way, Suite 203
Lake Jackson, TX 77566
(979)297-2443
robin22@sbcglobal.net
Agent Lion Robin Renner

*Carnival reserves the right to re-instate the fuel supplement for all guests at up to \$9 per person per day if the NYMEX oil price exceeds \$70 per barrel.
*Cruise rates are per guest, based on double occupancy, capacity controlled and cruise only. Restrictions apply. All rights reserved. Ships' Registry: The Bahamas and Panama.
*Cruise rates are in US Dollars. Government taxes and fees are included in the per guest rate. Includes gratuities.



LIONS CLUB MD-2 STATE CONVENTION

MAY 15TH-19TH, 2014

Name: _____

Date Of Birth: ____/____/____

Convention Attendee (Please Check One): ____ YES ____ NO

Name: _____

Date Of Birth: ____/____/____

Convention Attendee (Please Check One): ____ YES ____ NO

Name: _____

Date Of Birth: ____/____/____

Convention Attendee (Please Check One): ____ YES ____ NO

Name: _____

Date Of Birth: ____/____/____

Convention Attendee (Please Check One): ____ YES ____ NO

Home Telephone: () ____ - ____ Cell:: () ____ - ____

SELECT CABIN AND CATEGORY SPACE

____ Inside Cabin Category 4B: \$590.00 per person

____ Inside Cabin Category 4C: \$595.00 per person

____ Inside Cabin Category 4D: \$600.00 per person

____ Inside Cabin Category 4E: \$605.00 per person

____ Oceanview Cabin Category 6B: \$640.00 per person

____ Oceanview Cabin Category 6C: \$645.00 per person

____ Balcony Cabin Category 8B: \$720.00 per person

____ Balcony Cabin Category 8C: \$725.00 per person

____ Balcony Cabin Category 8D: \$735.00 per person

Deposit \$ _____

Installments ____ Y ____ N

Paid In Full ____ Y ____ N

Third and Fourth Passengers Categories 4B-4E: \$270.00 per person

Third and Fourth Passengers Categories 6B-6C: \$290.00 per person

Third and Fourth Passengers Categories 8B-8D: \$310.00 per person

Payment Form: Check Cash Amount Paid: _____

(circle one) Credit Card Number: _____ Exp: _____

Billing Address: _____

NON-REFUNDABLE DEPOSIT OF \$25.00 PER PERSON IS DUE TO RESERVE SPACE ON THE CRUISE FOR DOUBLE CABINS. TRIPLES AND QUADS WILL REQUIRE FULL DEPOSIT OF \$125.00 PER PERSON TO SECURE CABIN.



NOVEMBER 2013



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	
Lions Diabetes Awareness Month						1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
← Faculty Development Institute (Istanbul, Turkey) →		← OSEAL Forum (Singapore) →					
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	
→				World Diabetes Day	← Emerging Lions Leadership Institute		
17	18	19	20	21	22	23	
(New Zealand) →					Application deadline for Lions Quest grants to be reviewed at the January 2014 LAC		
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	
				<i>Happy Thanksgiving</i>	Deadline for Family Membership Certification Forms		

The Lions of Texas have a race of their hands. You can help in TWO WAYS: First and foremost register for the International Convention in Toronto, Canada and go and vote! And/or, second, help defray the cost of the campaign with a monetary donation.

Make your check payable to: Mike Butler Campaign

*Mail to: PDG Sam Lindsey, Campaign Treasurer
P.O. Box 1100
Hilltop Lakes, TX 77871*

This race will be won, but only with your support. Thank you in advance for your efforts. Toronto will be a great place for the next big Texas Victory. See you in Toronto!

The Lions of District 2-A2 Newsletter, *The Chisholm Trail*, is published monthly. If you have stories, upcoming events or photos to submit, all are welcomed. Please do not send scans, as they do not reproduce well. You may send items digitally to dvanwinkle@stx.rr.com, or mail them to :

Lion Wendy Van Winkle
106 Espuela Drive
Del Rio, TX 78840

You can always reach me at 830-703-0996.

Editing a publication is a bit like working a jigsaw puzzle. You need all the pieces in front of you before you can begin putting them all together. In this spirit, I ask that you get all information to be published submitted by the 27th of each month.

If you have any suggestions, call me at the number above. If you have any complaints, contact Governor Rod...

Thank You!