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“We Serve” Change the World”

Hello fellow District 2-A1 Lions,

I am hoping that we start seeing some cooler temperature soon and even more important some rain.

This is clearly one of those years for the record books. We are now two months into this new Lions year, and I hope that you and your club are doing well. Hopefully your club is looking into some new service projects and adding some new members to help work them. I think of these new service projects bringing in new members like the whispered voice in the 1989 Kevin Costner movie, Field of Dreams, “If you build it they will come”. Think of this as that “little whisper” in your head to promote new club projects and when you’re talking to your friends, family, and coworkers, ask them to join your club or help with a project. We are the ones that will need to make these changes in our clubs that will affect our communities and the world. As in our International President Dr. Patti Hill’s new slogan “Changing the World” and we can Change the World through our Service Projects by helping others.

Our District meeting is coming up soon and we would like to have all our clubs represented at this meeting. The meeting will be in Midland on Oct 13th and 14th. The 13th will be Bingo night and finger foods and then the general meeting and lunch on Saturday. You can find the registration form in this newsletter or on our district website. Our hosts for the meeting will be the “Magnificent” Midland West Side Lions Club.

At this meeting, we will have a special session on Club Service projects. We will have a few special presenters discussing actual service projects and then we want to hear about your club’s service project(s) or perhaps a future one that is planned for your community. This way we can all learn from each other and hear some new ideas and different approaches that we can take back and share with our clubs. You are a key person for this meeting, and I sure hope that you can come join us. We will have fun, eat some good food and learn some more ways to fulfil our Lions motto **WE SERVE!**

Upcoming Events on the Lions Club Activity Calendar (see full calendar in this newsletter)

September- Encourage Peace - Get started with Peace Poster Contest kit and Peace Essay. The last day to order the kit is Oct 1st. <https://www.lionsclubs.org/en/start-our-approach/youth/peace-poster>

October: October is World Sight Day- go to Lions International and see project ideas for Vision. <https://www.lionsclubs.org/en/start-our-global-causes/vision>

November: World Diabetes Day is November 14th, go to Lions International and see project ideas for diabetes. <https://www.lionsclubs.org/en/start-our-global-causes/diabetes>

Changing the World,
Lion Chris Maxwell

**Save the Date
District Meeting
Midland
Oct 13 and 14th**



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MISSION 1.5 CHALLENGE ACCEPTED!

Lions International wants to grow our association by the year 2026-2027 to **1.5 million** Lions and that will be serving at least **1 billion people**. By increasing our membership, we can serve more people, grow our clubs, build new clubs, and really show everyone why Lions matter. **Ask someone to join your club TODAY!**



Club Activity Calendar

You are invited to use this calendar to help plan and share service, fellowship and management activities with your club. All activities below are ideas to consider. Review the resource and edit the ideas to make this organizational tool work for you!

July	August	September
Start your club year with a celebration that includes recognition of incoming and outgoing officers	August 12 is International Youth Day. Host a social event like "Lion Day in the Park" with activities for young people.	Involve a local school in Lions' mission to encourage peace. Get started with a Peace Poster kit and Peace Essay rules.
Build your club committees and ensure future Lion leaders are in them.	Identify learning needs and wants in your club. Talk to your district GLT about their training schedule and how best to provide.	Tailor your club meetings to fit your club members. Find a fun exercise to get started in Your Club, Your Way!

October	November	December
October is World Sight Day. Start on our Vision webpage to find service project ideas and planning tools.	November 14 is World Diabetes Day. Visit our Diabetes webpage to learn how your club can help fight this global epidemic.	December 5 is International Leo Day. Partner with your Leo club on a holiday project. Don't have a Leo club? Start one!
Re-engage inactive members by sharing the service activities your club has planned and ways they can contribute.	Involve your whole club in identifying opportunities for improvement through the Club Quality Initiative	Thank your club leaders on reaching the half-year milestone! Share your club's accomplishments and plans.

January	February	March
January 13 is Melvin Jones' birthday. Honor his legacy with an open forum night to identify community needs for service.	February 15 is Childhood Cancer Day. Show how your club cares for children with a Valentine themed fundraiser	March 8 is international Women's Day. Host a Women's Symposium or a meeting topic on growing women Lion leaders.
All club events are great opportunities to get your club known. Our Marketing Communications Guide has ideas and resources to help.	Lions are people who care. Make sure your fundraiser invites all who attend (and those who don't) to become Lions.	Form your Nomination Committee to begin preparing for club officer elections.

April	May	June
April 22 is Earth Day. Find service ideas to protect and restore the environment through our Environment webpage .	May is world Hunger Day. Start on our Hunger webpage to identify ways to serve in providing access to nutritious foods.	June 7 is Lions Clubs Birthday! Hold a party to appreciate your club members and celebrate your club accomplishments.
Join Lions worldwide in welcoming new members to their clubs. Celebrate Worldwide Induction Day on last Saturday of April.	Elect club officers for next year, so they can learn their positions and develop plans for your club's future achievements.	With your club's excellence in membership, service, leadership & organizational excellence and marketing communications, apply for the Club Excellence Award .

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Youth Exchange Student Landen Dickens

Youth Exchange Trip to Italy by Landen Dickens

This past July, I had the incredible opportunity to participate in the Lions Club Youth Exchange program, which led me to the captivating region of Puglia in Italy for an enriching three-week experience. Nestled in the southeastern part of Italy, Puglia is famously referred to as the "heel" of the boot-shaped peninsula.

For the majority of my stay, I became a member of a welcoming host family, which included two brothers and a sister. The youngest brother, Mauro, who was seventeen, brought an enthusiastic energy to our outings, while the eldest brother, twenty-one, added depth to our conversations with his diverse perspective. Living in the small town of Canosa, I was immediately struck by the strong sense of community that permeated every street and interaction. Walking alongside Mauro through the town's winding alleys, it became evident that the bonds he shared with his friends and neighbors were deeply rooted. The town seemed to come alive during the evening as we joined a group of about 30 teens, experiencing the tightly bonded social life that Canosa offered. Beyond the nights, the days were filled with exploration and learning. The host family and I embarked on journeys through museums that held echoes of history, visited ancient temples, and indulged in gelaterias. These shared experiences not only deepened our connection but also allowed me to truly absorb the rich culture of Puglia. One of the most moving aspects of life in Southern Italy, particularly in Canosa, was the emphasis on tradition and family. The daily occurrence of gathering around the table for lunch underscored the importance of family bonds in the community. In Canosa, the pulse of life is synchronized with the heartbeat of family unity. Family fuels Canosa.

After my two-week stay in Canosa, I headed to a much larger and more industrial town by the name of Trani. There I embarked on a one-week "camp" with other kids from all over the globe. Together we visited cities throughout all of Puglia including Andrea, Bari, Gravina, and the breathtaking 2019 European capital of culture Matera. These cities all demonstrated the Italian's affinity for preserving and expanding upon architecture created long ago. Each of these cities are formed around buildings and structures that can even predate Roman times. Learning and exploring through what makes these cities unique such as the underground houses of Gravina gave me further insight into the ingrained beliefs that are spread throughout Southern Italy.

This experience gave me a newfound perspective on other parts of the world that otherwise, I would never see. In addition to learning about Italian culture, I was able to share some parts of American and specifically Texan culture sharing all about things such as high school, football, and even Barbeque. If I had to take away one thing from my stay, it would be that kindness is the universal language. If you are willing to be kind and patient you can develop a connection with just about anyone no matter what language they speak.

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Lions Youth Exchange Trip to Belgium by Ezekiel Bajomo

“Avancez s'il vous plait!”

After 16 hours of grueling travel from Midland, Texas, these were the first words that greeted me in Brussels, Belgium, as I wearily advanced through customs.. Using my limited grasp of the French language that I gained through Duolingo, I successfully navigated through the dominantly Francophone airport. Soon after, I was warmly greeted by the Deviaene family– the first hosts to welcome me to the foreign country, marking the beginning of my exciting journey.

After exchanging pleasantries, I dove right into my cultural immersion by trying flavorful cuisine, exploring beautiful landscapes, and surveying extravagant architecture. I particularly enjoyed walking the medieval streets of the city of Tournai with Rishi, another exchange student from India, and his host siblings. We spent the rest of the week sunbathing on Knokke Beach and visiting neighboring European tourist attractions like the Eiffel Tower, The Louvre, and Arc de Triomphe in Paris, France. These experiences taught me how to slow down and live in the moment, especially in a time when everything is fast-paced and hectic.

My second week in Belgium was spent with the gracious Boxus family. Together, we first traversed the self-proclaimed “smallest city in the world,” Durbuy, where we enjoyed delicious Belgian waffles and strolled along the river. Next, I was able to witness an award ceremony for my host sister at the University of Liege, the premier university for engineering in the nation. Later that day, I was given a short tour of the modern university’s facilities and dormitories. It was exceptionally enlightening to see the various similarities and differences between Belgian and American universities. While the infrastructure of both countries’ universities is wholly the same, the process of getting accepted into one is vastly different. For Belgian universities, all it takes is an exceptional result on a singular exam, while American schools are holistic and weigh many factors about an applicant.

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Youth Exchange Student Exekiel Bajomo continued

After the week concluded, it was now time to spend my final 2 weeks at camp in Beersel, Belgium, with 33 other international students from 19 different countries. Some highlights from the camp included celebrating Belgian Independence Day (July 21st) in Brussels, attending the Gentse Feesten (Ghent Music Festival), and hosting a Charity Day with kids from a local foster home. Even with our differences in language, culture, and tradition, our camp quickly became a tight-knit group with a very strong rapport. I learned of the influential value of friendships and gained the ability to foster relationships with people from different walks of life and countries. While borders and seas separate us, our shared moments of laughter, understanding, and compassion demonstrate that our common humanity united us in ways that transcend geographical boundaries. As we bid each other farewell, I carried with me not only memories and souvenirs from this life-changing trip but also a profound realization that our bonds were a testament to the potential for harmony in our diverse world.



Club News

Mason Lions Club

A special presentation at the Mason Lions Club by the two past District Governors of the club today. Our meeting bell, which is getting along in years was accidentally damaged by another group using the venue where we meet. The logo is completely missing and the bell, what is left of it, is being held together entirely by gravity.

So Past District Governor John Gammill and Past District Governor Joel Kuykendall decided to purchase a new bell and present it to our club in gratitude for supporting them during their governor years.

The following inscription was engraved on it:

To the Mason Lions Club

Thank you for your support

PDG John Gammill 2014 - 2015

PDG Joel Kukendall 2021-2022

We serve

DG Joel presented it to PDG John who is also Club President this year.



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Club News Continued

Midland Tall City Lions Club

Midland Tall City is hosting their 46th Annual Shopping Spree, please support them by contacting
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Midland West Side Lions Club



Bingo at Manor Park



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Texas Lions Camp – Where Dreams Come True



TLC a place on a hill
Where “All Can Do”,
A magical place
Where my dreams come true!

This is the poem from a young camper. She wrote it as a Lion was driving her home from camp many years ago and sent it back to her counselor. I saw the counselor sitting on a bench reading the letter with tears in her eyes and she shared it with me. There's more to that story, which I'll share with you when I come to your District, which I hope to do this year at some point; but just as it did for this counselor, these 18 little words help us remember why we do what we do at TLC when we get bogged down in meetings, fundraising and all we have to do to make sure these kids' dreams do come true.

I want to thank all of you – the Lions of Texas – for giving me the honor of serving as your Chairman for our camp this year. At our board meeting on August 5th, I challenged your District TLC Team (the 4 Camp Directors from your District – your District Governor, Immediate Past District Governor, and your 2 elected Directors) to accomplish 3 special things for TLC in this our 75th Anniversary year.

With COVID basically over as a pandemic, we finally had kids back on campus as a group, but there weren't nearly enough of them. So, the **1st challenge** is to increase the campers you send in 2024 over what you sent in 2023 from your club. As the year goes on, I will try to give you some new ideas on recruiting campers in this era of privacy and, sadly, fear. Because of all the horrible things going on in our world, parents are reluctant to send their kids to a place they have never been, but it can be done.

The **2nd challenge**, which I'm sure you'll hear more about from your District TLC Team in your District meetings and Governor's newsletters, is for your District to do some special District-wide project, as a birthday present for TLC. Think outside the box, have some fun and promote the Texas Lions Camp, the hidden gem of Texas Lionism.

The **3rd challenge** is to get on board with our “**Sign Up, Step Up, Catch Up**” Century Club campaign, which your Governor has been working on with his entire MD2 State Council since he became a 2nd Vice-Governor. If you have personally been putting off joining, now's the time to start. I don't deny it, I personally procrastinated for 30 years, thinking \$10/mo. would just about kill me; guess what? It didn't and I also discovered after a couple of years it didn't kill me to step up another level. (I've asked your newsletter editor to include the campaign flyer and Century Club form in this newsletter.)

Your District TLC Team has to have your help if your District is to meet these challenges. I personally hope to help give you the information you need to meet these challenges and others that we face at TLC in future newsletters.

Our new International President's theme (Patti Hill) is “**Changing the World**”. Every time you help send a child to TLC you do just that. You change their world by making their dreams come true, which gives them a new confidence to go forward to make even bigger dreams come true as they grow into adults. I challenge you to go make that **TLC magic** happen for some children this year.

Lion Tom Blase, Chairman of the Board, Texas Lions Camp

Texas Lions Camp



Sign Up, Step Up, Catch Up



For Century Club - It's "Service from the Heart"

If you aren't a member of the TLC Century Club, please "Sign Up"; if you are a member, consider "Stepping Up" to the next level; and if you were a member but dropped out, consider "Catching Up" (i.e., come back in).

What is Texas Lions Camp Century Club? It's an individual annual giving program, and as such, it is giving from you own heart, independent of Club budgets or fund raisers. It is one of the life bloods of our operating budget, that in normal times sends up to 1500 children with special needs to Texas Lions Camp each summer, and yet less than 5% of Texas Lions are members.

Who can be a Century Club Member? Anyone can be a member. You don't have to be a Lion. It can be family or friends. You can even be a non-Texan, but it is our Texas Lions who are the backbone of the Century Club.

What does it cost to be a member? You can give your gift annually, or you can give monthly. A Bronze member is \$100 (\$10 if monthly); Silver is \$250; Gold \$500; Diamond is \$1,000; & Ambassador is \$5,000. Membership automatically renews each year, so members should join with the intention of making their same gift each year or even increasing their level.

How do I enroll or Step Up? Go to www.lionscamp.com, click on "Get Involved" and go to "Donate Now". There you will find "Ways to Give". Click that open and select "Century Club". If you scroll down, you will see the option to enroll online or to download and print out the form to send to the Camp directly.

Sign Up, Step Up, Catch Up is a drive to beef up our Century Club membership for the Texas Lions Camp, as a birthday present to Texas Lions Camp on it's 75th Anniversary in 2024. Today we have half the number of Texas Lions, supporting twice the number of campers at over twice the cost, as we did some 30 years ago. If we reach our goal of an increase of **\$60/mo. among the members of EACH club in Texas**, we will generate an additional of **\$575,000 ANNUALLY**, which would generate 15% of our operating budget, and help us keep serving our special children into the future.

A \$60 increase from the members of each Texas Club is doable. "Signing Up" as a new Bronze member is a \$10/mo. increase (\$100 if pd. ann.); a new Silver is \$21/mo. (\$250/yr.); a Gold is \$42/mo.(\$500); etc. Likewise, "Stepping Up" from Bronze to Silver is an \$11/mo. increase; Bronze to Gold is a \$32/mo. increase; going from Silver to Gold is a \$21/mo. increase, etc.

\$575,000/year – now that's some 75th Birthday present!

There's a saying at TLC that "ALL CAN DO". Yes, Texas Lions, \$60/mo./club. **WE CAN DO IT.**

Aug., '22

Texas Lions Camp

Century Club

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The Century Club is an annual opportunity to personally participate in giving to Texas Lions Camp and the programs it has established to provide at no cost a quality summer camp experience for Texas children with physical disabilities, type-1 diabetes and cancer. An individual, couple, family or business can be a Century Club member by giving annually or monthly at whatever level you desire. Choose the level and how you'd like to make your payments whether lump sum or monthly through automatic draft. Automatic bank draft can be set up simply by filling out the information necessary on the form below and including a voided check. All Century Club members will receive an inscribed plaque, patch and a lapel pin. Each year a new medallion for your plaque will arrive once your annual membership renewal is paid. At the end of 10 years membership, a new plaque will arrive along with your eleventh year medallion. Fill out the form below with the level you'd like to start with and send it with your payment to Texas Lions Camp at the address given above. For any other questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

For: _____
(print name exactly as it should appear on plaque) All monies from Century Club go to the TLC General Fund.

Donor: _____ **Ship Plaque to:** _____

Address: _____ **Address:** _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip:** _____ **City:** _____ **State:** _____ **Zip:** _____

Email: _____ **Email:** _____

Club Name: _____ **Method of payment:** Check Credit Card

District: _____ **Phone:** _____ Automatic Draft

Support Levels

(please check appropriate choice)

- Bronze Level ___ Single annual gift of \$100 or ___ \$10 monthly automatic draft
- Silver Level ___ Single annual gift of \$250 or ___ \$21 monthly automatic draft
- Gold Level ___ Single annual gift of \$500 or ___ \$42 monthly automatic draft
- Diamond Level ___ Single annual gift of \$1,000 or ___ \$84 monthly automatic draft
- Ambassador Level ___ Single annual gift of \$5,000 or ___ \$420 monthly automatic draft

Bank Draft information

Instructions for monthly Automatic Draft: 1. Enter amount of monthly automatic draft below. 2. Sign and date all lines marked with an X. 3. Attach a voided check with this form

The Texas Lions Camp:

I have given order to (Financial Institution): _____ to honor for you as they become due, on my monthly drafts and charge same to my account with this financial institution. This authorization will remain in effect until revoked by me in writing.

Amount of monthly automatic draft: \$ _____ Please sign and date below—use signature(s) required on your account:

X _____ X Date ___/___/___

X _____ X Date ___/___/___

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Sight Preservation Chairperson

Greetings to the Lions of District 2A-1 My name is Lion Sandra Freeman of the Concho Pearl Lions Club in San Angelo, Texas. I want to thank DG Chris for his faith in appointing me as the District Sight Preservation, Awareness and Action Chairperson.

We all know that SIGHT is a very important part of Lionism. I would like to challenge each and every club to make your community even more aware that we are here to assist with sight problems. It is imperative that we reach out to day cares, private schools, parochial schools, schools, head start programs and anywhere else that will let you to do vision screenings. We have approximately 50 school districts in our District that can be contacted, not including the day cares, etc in those same towns. I have a printed list of all licensed days care facilities for EACH county and we have thousands of children to reach for vision screening.

Did you know that:

- Up to 1 in 17 preschool-aged children, 1 in 5 Head Start children, and an estimated 1 in 4 school-aged children has an undetected and untreated vision disorder that can interfere with their ability to develop properly and perform optimally in school. Vision disorders that are not found and treated early can interfere with learning.
- Vision problems can cause behavior problems
- How many small children know they have a problem?? Many times parents are so busy they do not recognize that there is a problem with their child's vision. We can screen those children age 6 months and up and hopefully correct problems before they can no longer be corrected.


I need from all Lion's clubs in District 2A-1:

1. **By August 31st** I need an accounting of all the camera's we have in District 2A-1....Type of camera, serial numbers, who is in charge of them; where are they; do they work, etc
2. **A monthly email** sent to me (sdrrf@aol.com) with your
 - A. No. of Events / No. of Screenings
 - B. Children Screened / Children Referred/ % Ref
 - C. Adults Screened / Adults Referred / % Ref.

This information will be passed to our STATE Vision Chairperson who will give a report at the COG meetings. This information was requested by 7-2-2023 for the 1st COG meeting but I had no numbers to give at that time.


3. Who has had hands on training with the camera
4. Who has certification certificates to do Vision screenings
5. Who is STATE certified
6. I need a copy of ALL certifications

TIMES ARE CHANGING LIONS. LCI WANTS TO KNOW WHAT WE ARE DOING!!



We Serve

SAN ANGELO LIONS CHARITIES
EYEGGLASS RECYCLING CENTER
 27 WEST CONCHO
 SAN ANGELO, TX 76903
 SANDRA FREEMAN – sdrrf@aol.com
 District 2A-1 Sight Preservation, Awareness and Action Chairperson
 325-227-4350 TUES/WED 9:00AM-1PM
Lionscharities.org THURS Noon-3:00PM





District 2-A1 Newsletter and Website Sponsors

The District needs your support for 2023-2024.

Please help support the District Governor Team, District 2-A1, and a chance to give your club some exposure by advertising in the 2023-2024 District publications (Website and Newsletter).

We need your support more than ever!

Please purchase your space as soon as possible by completing this form and sending it with your check to the District Treasurer.

Ad Cost:

Business Card Size: \$50 (approx. size: 2" x 2.75")

Double Business Card Size: \$100 (approx. size: 2" x 5.5")

Quadruple Business Card Size: \$150 (approx. size: 4" x 7.25")

Contact Name: _____

Club Name: _____

Email Address: _____

Phone number: _____

Note: We can help design your ad for you or you can include a copy of your card/ad as you would like it to appear. If you would like us to design, please give us an idea of what you want:

Please help with Ad

Ad Enclosed (pdf format)

Please mail or email this information to the following

Lion Nancy High

P.O. Box 545

Sweetwater, TX 79556

Email: nncyhigh@yahoo.com

Cell Ph: 325-236-5460



2-A1 District Meeting October 13 and 14, 2023 Midland, Texas

Hosted by the Midland West Side Lions Club

The meeting will be held at the Homewood Suites by Hilton, 1401 Tradewinds Blvd in Midland.

Advanced Registration is \$30 per person (\$35 at the door)

Name _____ Club Name _____

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Advanced Registrations can be made by calling Lion Kathy McConnell, 432-638-1070 or by mailing checks to the Midland West Side Lions Club, P.O. Box 5536, Midland, TX 79704.

Any questions please contact Lion Felis Subia, 432-238-3452 (felissubia@yahoo.com) or Lion Donald McConnell, 432-413 3935 (donald_mccconnell@outlook.com)

Tentative AGENDA

Friday Night 6-8pm

(Bingo including finger foods)

Saturday

- 7:30-8:30 am Registration and PDG Meeting
- 8:45-10:45 am Business Meeting
- 10:55-11:45 am Service Project Round Table Discussion with Clubs
- 11:45-12:45 pm Lunch

LODGING

Homewood Suites by Hilton	Courtyard by Marriott (Next Door)
Rate \$94 + tax per night	1505 Tradewinds
Mention being a Lion for this special rate	432-689-9400
432-699-4144	

Looking forward to seeing you in Midland!

MIDLAND WEST SIDE LIONS



BUSTING HUNGER!

SPORTING CLAY SHOOT

**BENEFITING FAMILIES IN NEED
DURING THE HOLIDAYS**

**SATURDAY OCTOBER 7TH
@ MSA SHOTGUN RANGE**

**1 PERSON ON EACH TEAM OF 6 WILL
WIN A GUN!**

Bring your friends, WIN and support Busting Hunger!

GUN BOARDS, RAFFLES & MORE

EVENT SCHEDULE:

8:30am Registration / Breakfast Burritos

9:30am Safety Briefing & Shoot Begins

11:30am Lunch, Prize Drawings & Giveaways

CONTACT: SCOTT BRITTON 325-340-7472

Bustinhunger@gmail.com

Sponsors Needed!

SPONSOR LEVELS

- **Platinum Sponsor : \$4000**
2 Teams of 6, Carts, Premium Banner & Signs
- **Gold Sponsor : \$2000**
1 Team of 6, Carts, Premium Banner & Signs
- **Gun Board Sponsor : \$1500**
1 Team of 6 / Recognition & Signs
- **Club House Sponsor : \$650**
Banner & Sign
- **Team of 6 Shooters : \$1200**
- **Individual Shooter : \$200**
- **Carts (Seats 2) \$85**

LIMITED CARTS AVAILABLE

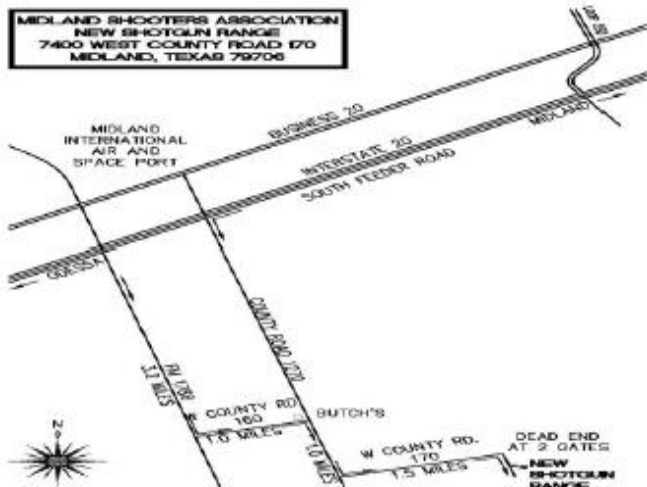
Team Registration: _____
 Sponsorship Level: _____
 Company Name: _____
 Team Captain: _____
 Phone Number: _____
 Email: _____
 # of Shooters: _____ @ \$200 _____
 Carts: _____ @ \$85 each _____

Check Enclosed _____ (Payable to
 Midland West Side Lions)
 Credit Card: VISA MC AmEX
 Name on Card: _____
 Card#: _____
 Billing Zip: _____
 Exp: _____ CVV Code: _____

<https://midland-west-side-lions-c.square.site/#vhQw>

Mail or Email Registration & Payments:
 Midland West Side Lions Club
 P.O.BOX 5536, MIDLAND, TX 79704

MIDLAND SHOOTERS ASSOCIATION
 NEW SHOTGUN RANGE
 7400 WEST COUNTY ROAD 170
 MIDLAND, TEXAS 79706



Or pay online @



MIDLAND SHOOTERS ASSOCIATION
 SHOTGUN RANGE
 7400 W. County Road 170
 Midland, TX 79706
 (432) 310-4722

Llano Lions Club



LLANO LIONS CLUB



"SPORTING CLAYS FOR A CAUSE"

HOSTED BY THE HISTORIC
INKS RANCH
LLANO, TEXAS

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2023

7:30 A.M.: CHECK IN-COFFEE AND DONUTS
8:30 A.M.: SAFETY MEETING
9:00 A.M.: SHOTGUN START
12:00 P.M.: LUNCH AND AWARDS

BENEFITING
LOCAL LLANO LIONS CLUB COMMUNITY CAUSES

ENTRY FEES
INDIVIDUAL SHOOTER - \$150
TEAM OF FOUR SHOOTERS - \$600
LEWIS CLASS SYSTEM - CASH PRIZES
SHOOTERS SHOULD BRING THEIR ATV TO NAVIGATE THE COURSE



REGISTRATION CONTACT: JOE JOHNSON
JJOHNSON@LLANONATIONALBANK.COM 325-669-7757
SPONSOR CONTACT: RICK TIFFIN
RCTIFFIN@VERIZON.NET



Directions:

Inks Ranch is located approximately 20 miles South of Llano, and just North of the Enchanted Rock State Natural Area. From Highway 16, South of Llano, near Oxford Cemetery, head West on County Road 113 for 5.7 miles. Next, take a left on County Road 113-A for 4.3 miles to Inks Ranch Road. Continue on Inks Ranch Road until you reach the designated parking areas. Look for signs along the way.

Midland Tall City

MIDLAND NORTHSIDE LIONS CLUB



20th annual

ROAR WITH

LAUGHTER

hilarity revue



Hispanic Cultural Center
1311 E. Wadley, Midland

7:30 p.m. Saturday, October 21, 2023



Featuring

Patsy Allen & Dana Ritter,
Bronson Chadwick, Chris Crawford,
Hispanic Cultural Center dancers,
David Hurta, Doug Lunsford,
Dr. Robert McGuire, Phil Newell,
Mark Singh & *The Silent Heckler*,
John Wojtkun, Jr. and Aaron Battles as Emcee.



A family show, mainly original, and uproariously funny!
Standup comedy, jokes, juggling, singing, dance and magic.

Door Prizes & Refreshments	TICKETS (\$20 EACH) AVAILABLE AT	Sponsorships
	Liberty Tax Service, 1000 N. Midkiff Abacus Computers, Claydesta Center Jewelry Pagoda (kiosk), Midland Park Mall Pristine Organic Cleaners, all three locations Texas Roadhouse, 4512 Loop 250 Frontage Road	Platinum \$1,000 Gold \$500 Silver \$250 Call 694-1990 or 940-3640

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Sweetwater Car Show 2024



**6TH ANNUAL
SWEETWATER LIONS CLUB**
2024 Cruise & Car Show



Nolan County Courthouse & Downtown Area

Cruise
March 8, 2024
Car Show
March 9, 2024
Sweetwater, Texas

BEST IN SHOW CAR: \$1000

BEST IN SHOW TRUCK: \$1000

BEST CHEVY, BEST GM, BEST FORD, BEST MOPAR, BEST PAINT

1ST: \$500, 2ND: \$250, 3RD: \$100

\$250 BEST ENGINE, \$250 BEST INTERIOR

BEST MOTORCYCLES: 1st: \$300, 2nd: \$150, 3rd: \$50

& CUSTOM TROPHIES

Classes: 1st & 2nd Place Plaques for Every Class

*Pre-1930's * 1930's * 1940's* 1950's * 1960's**1970's * 1980's * 1990's *

*2000 & Newer**Special Build * Original Cars * Ford Muscle* *Chevy Muscle*

*Mopar Muscle * GM Muscle * Rat Rods * Hot Rods * Imports*

*Street Rods: Fenders * Street Rods: Non-Fender * Work in Progress *

*Military or Special Interest * SUV * Tri 5's * Corvettes * Jeeps * Dirt Track*

*Lowriders * Young Guns 18 & Younger * Kid's Class: Pedal Cars & Rideons*

*Original Trucks * Custom Trucks 1980 & Older * Custom Trucks 1981 & Newer *

*Stock Motorcycle * Custom Motorcycle * Custom Modified Motorcycle*

Sweetwater Car Show 2024

<https://www.sweetwaterlionsclub.com/lion-s-club-car-show-1>

For more information: Contact Crystal Rea (325) 242-3149

Pre-Registration: Bundle - Cruise & Car Show \$40

Pre Registration: Car Show Only \$25

Day of the Show \$30



Local Shopping, Vendors, Food Trucks, DJ, Raffle Items,
Door Prize Drawings, Shuttle Bus to & From the Roundup
Big Cash Awards, & Custom Trophies

All during the

Sweetwater Jaycees World's Largest Rattlesnake Roundup

March 8th, 2024

4:15pm Cruise Registration @ Higginbotham Brothers

1210 Broadway

6:00pm - 7:30pm Cruise Downtown Sweetwater

7:45pm Awards @ Sonic Drive-In @ 706 E Broadway St

March 9th, 2024

7:30am Car Show Registration @ Marqueza Special Event Center 301 Oak St

8:45am Welcome Ceremony & National Anthem

9:00am Show Begins

1:00pm Pedal Car Races & Hot Wheels Races

First Financial Bank - Parking Lots at 3rd & Locust

3:00pm - Raffle Drawings & Awards Begin



<https://www.facebook.com/SwaterLionsCarShow>

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