



Lions Clubs International District 2-A1

November-December 2024

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New Years in a new beginning for District 2A-1. Yes, we had several setbacks with several clubs closing, but we should not get discouraged as we are gaining new members and the clubs that did close many of the members transferred their membership. We are a very strong District, and I have faith in our clubs as we work together, we will grow and will "MAKE OUR MARK" IN THE COMMUNITY. As there is a song "I Will Not be Defeated", that's District 2A-1.

Many of you have been doing great service projects this year, especially around the holidays, helping many people out who were in need. That's what we do "WE SERVE". Thank you for all that you are doing. I'm very proud of this District and proud to be your Governor. Without all your help I could not have done any of this. Thank you.

Clubs again work toward your Club Excellence Award. You worked for it, and you deserved it. Many of you qualify.

Eye glass recycling, if anyone can come and help out for a few hours or even stay the night at the mobile home that is only \$15 a night and ladies, you can go shopping afterwards.

Zone leaders, I know some of you have been busy visiting your clubs. Some of you have big areas to cover. Thank you for all you are doing. It is not going unnoticed. I plan on visiting more clubs after the first of the year.

It seems like I just started my work as Governor, and it is almost half over. Time is going by swiftly. I want to thank all of you for being behind me and helping me. If you have any ideas please get in touch with me, as I'm always open to new ideas.

Remember to register for the Mid-Winter Conference in Sonora. Note Change of Date. Come and have some fun and good fellowship.

HAPPY NEW YEAR GOD IS GOOD

ALERT Russell High 902 E. 3 rd Street Sweetwater TX 79556		EST RESULTS FOR DISTRICT 2-A1 EACE WITHOUT LIMITS	
Cell: 325-236-5512 <u>Rlynnhigh@gmail.com</u> <u>CHAPLAIN</u> PDG Frank Berthold	We had such a wonderful turnout from our clubs and lots of student participa- tion this year. Not sure about the past, but since my involvement in this project, this was a record number of entries. We had a total of eleven entries and six Lions clubs represented.		
1212 Rita Circle San Angelo TX 76905 Cell: 325-486-0038	All of the entries were beautiful, and you could tell the students spent a lot of time on them. This of course made the contest difficult to choose a winner.		
Email: fbert0038@aol.com DIABETES AWARENESS Jeanne Hernandez	We had over ten judges and they were instructed to judge the posters based on the following criteria and using a scale of 1 to 10 (1=poor and 10=Excellent):		
	Artistic Merit	Creativity/Originality	
	Adherence to the Theme	Overall impact/lasting impression	
DIRECTORY	The final scores were very close	. Excellent work by the students to say the least!	
Chris Maxwell	Here are the top three winners	for 2024:	
408 CR 109 Sweetwater TX 79556 Cell: 325-665-0127 Work: 325-235-4276 Email: <u>cmax-</u>	First Place (\$150): Jody Taylor Saint Ann's – Midland Midland Northside Lions Club		
well@eljentechnology.com	Second Place (\$75): Katherine	Drach	
DISTRICT ADMINISTRATOR Ben Barkley 1504 Crescent Dr. Sweetwater TX 79556 Ph: 325-235-9150 Email: <u>bbar-</u>	Trinity School- Midland Midland Northside Lions Club Third Place (\$50): Genesis Barr		
kley104613@tstc.edu DISTRICT CONVENTION Chris Maxwell, Robert	Sweetwater Middle School Sweetwater Lions Club		
Moore	Other Entries: (not in order)		
DISTRICT INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY Wynn Alston 1354 Tres Rios Dr San Angelo TX 76903 Home: 325-651-4102 Email: <u>kwal-</u> ston@verizon.net	Kataleya Hernandez, Big Spring Jr High, Big Spring Centennial Lions Club Zoey Sikes, Colorado Middle School, Colorado City Lions Club Kyndall Bustamente, Junction Middle School, Junction Lions Club Emily Chapparo, DeZavala Elementary, Midland West Side Lions Club Tomiwa Adewole, Midland Charter Academy, Midland West Side Lions Club Frederick B Stevens, Bowie Fine Arts, Midland Northside Lions Club Chikezie Odukwu, Bynum School, Midland Northside Lions Club		
DISTRICT PEACE POSTER CONTEST Chris Maxwell 408 CR 109 Sweetwater TX 79556 Cell: 325-665-0127 Work: 325-235-4276 Email: cmax- well@eljentechnology.com	Aryanna Ponce De Leon, Goddard Jr. High, Midland Northside Lions Club Thanks to our clubs for supporting this project. Please make sure to publicize your local winners and invite the students and parents to your clubs. We sent Jody Taylor's artwork on to the State competition, and we should be hearing the results very soon. Keep your fingers crossed! Lion Chris Maxwell		

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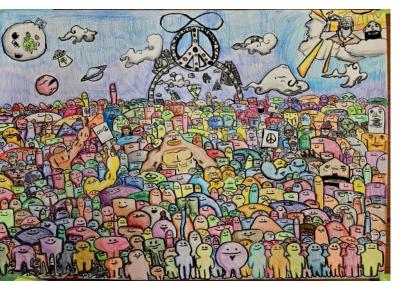
3rd Place

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Peace Poster

We Serve



1st Place



2nd Place



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Club News

Mason Lions Club



A very proud day for the Mason Lions Club. Today our club made a \$10,000 Memorial donation to the Texas Lions Camp in Kerrville, in memoriam of the late Mason Lion and Club Past President Patrick "Pat" Reardon of Mason.

Lion Pat was a kind and generous Lion, who had a great fondness for the Texas Lions Camp and the children we serve. Lion Pat was a long time Century Club member and very generous donor to both the camp and the local Mason Lions Club.

I had the great honor to introduce today Lion Steven King Senior Vice President of TLC and his awesome wife Lion Karen-Ann King RN President of Summer Camps at TLC who were on hand to receive the donation.

From left to right: Carol Reardon wife of Pat Reardon, PDG Joel Kuykendall, Lion Steven King, Boss Lion Tom Canfield President of the Mason Lions Club and Lion Karen-Ann King RN.

Carol Jean Reardon gave a very moving and emotional talk about Pat and his activities in Lionism

The Mason Community has shown great support for the Texas Lions Camp in 2024. This donation coupled with another \$15,000 donation earlier in the year brings our special giving to the camp up to \$25,000 for 2024. This does not include regular dues or Century Club donations. Which Mason Lions have also been great at supporting.

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Yours in Service Lion Joel L. Kuykendall PDG 2-A1, 2021-2022 Elected TLC Director 2-A1 (East) 325-218-2512 We Serve Around the Clock, Around the World TAIL TWISTER Kathy McConnell 307 Thomas Street Midland TX 79703 Cell: 432-638-1070 Home: 432-520-5651 Email: katmc307@aol.com

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Club News continued

Tall City Lions Club



The assistance manager of Super Mercado drew the winning ticket on November 23, 2024. The winner was (Lorna) no last name was on ticket she was contacted by phone and was presented with a \$300.00 check; she did not want her picture taken.

We thank members from all Midland Lions club for purchasing Tickets.

Photo By William M Merritt

Junction Lions Club



Junction Lions Club hosted their annual Santa in the Park community event on Friday, December 6 under the holiday lights in the city park. There was free hot coco and cider, a goody bag for each child, and free pictures with Santa.

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Colorado City Lions Club



Christmas Party









Club News continued

Big Spring Centennial Lions Club

The Big Spring Centennial Lions club stayed busy this fall through the Christmas holiday! Our club did two vision screenings, one for Forsan ISD, and one for Grady ISD. We really enjoy seeing all the students and being able to get them the help they may need.



Our club participated in the Peace Poster contest, but only Big Spring Jr. High had students to contribute artwork.

Thank you Big Spring Jr. High and their Art teacher Ms. Kincaid, for participating! Thank you to Lion Andrea Oyler for being the Peace Poster Chairperson and organizing this event!



Our club also held a very successful annual "Beef Box Raffle" fundraiser. Our winner was Ms. Alicia & family!

We also donated candy and participated at the fall festival for New Hope Christian School. We additionally held a bake sale.

We participated in the annual Christmas Tree Forest at The Heritage Museum.

Our club also provided eyecare/glasses for three clients.

Thank you to Connie & Mike Shaw with the Coahoma Lions for their help with providing eye glasses to these clients as well!

Our club prepared Christmas cards for all of the veteran's at Lamun Lusk Veterans' Home, and hand delivered them. They were all so very gracious.

Lastly, our club had our Christmas Party at La Mission, December 14, we had a fun time and great fellowship!

We wish all the Lions a happy and successful year!

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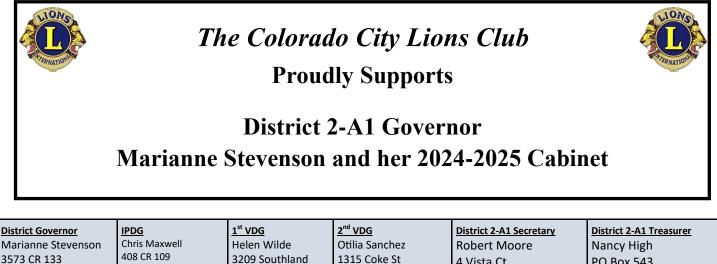
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Breakfast With Santa









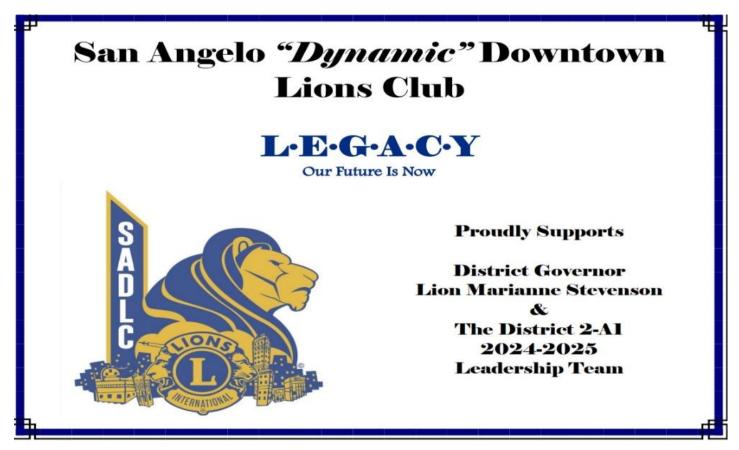
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Club News continued Ballinger Breakfast Lions Club



Picture from the youth hunt sponsored in October by the Concho River Municipal Water District. There were seven kids from a youth home in East Texas along with their sponsors. Darlene Kelly and I served hamburgers with all of the trimmings and cookies for lunch on behalf of Ballinger Breakfast Club. We served around 25 all together. Darlene and I are at the far right in the picture.

Picture by Ballinger Breakfast



Club News continued

San Angelo Downtown Lions Club

"Tis the season to be jolly", but unfortunately, not everyone has the means to provide for their family. As the San Angelo "Dynamic" Downtown Lions Club, "We Serve!"; celebrating the miraculous season that is Christmas by providing baskets of food to 100 needy families within our community. As chairman of our 14th annual Christmas Basket Project, I want to thank my fellow Lions, LEGACY members & guests for a roaring good job! -Boss Lion Joe Guerra- <u>#LEGACY</u> <u>#OurFutureIsNow</u> <u>#JoinUs</u>













Club News continued

Midland West Side



November Food Boxes





December Food Boxes





November Bingo at Manor Park



December Bingo at Manor Park



Midland West Side picks 3 families from Angel Tree

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Midland West Side continued



Lion Jenn with Peace Poster Entries



Taken from an article written by B. Kay Richter, published in the Midland Reporter Telegram December 3, 2024

In Midland, she is a member of the Midland West Side Lions Club, as well as being a member of the Midland Hispanic Republicans and Midland Women's Republican group.

Midland County appoints Yadi Billeck to succeed retiring Judge David Cobos, starting February 2025. Billeck (right) is pictured here with her husband. Courtesy Photo/Yadi Billeck

Club News continued San Angelo Lions Charites



San Angelo Lions Charities has a VISION SCREENING TEAM that is made of Lions from different clubs. Those who take the training and have the time go out to schools, day cares, private and parochial schools all over the Concho Valley. Last year we screened over 3700 children out of the office in San Angelo.

To do this we have special "SPOT" or Welch Allyn Vision Screening Cameras. To our dismay one of the two cameras we have decided it was time to quit working this year and the other one is having a few problems as well. We are in the middle of screening for the year!!

To make a long story short these cameras run into thousands of dollars and we are desperately trying to come up with the money to replace them. After several years of faithful usage, we cannot complain. The cheapest one we have found is almost \$8000 currently. There are other products out there, but none that we feel will give us the end product that is expected from our teams and furnished by to the persons we serve.

We are trying not to cut the services we offer out of our office to those who walk in the door for assistance but in order to purchase at least one camera and have the other repaired we may have to do so. We offer services to adults as well as children, but NO CHILD IS EVER TURNED AWAY as long as they are age 17 or under, or still in school.

Yes, it is close to the holidays but if you have the inclination to assist in purchasing a camera, regardless of how much you can afford, drop it by our office at 27 West Concho, San Angelo, TX 76903 or mail it to that address. All funds will go to San Angelo Lions Charities. Just make sure to note if this is a donation towards the purchase of a new camera so the funds will go into the proper account.

THANKS FOR ANY DONATION YOU MAY GIVE.

Vision Screening

Good morning to all those participating (or wanting to participate) in the Lions Vision Screening Program. We hope you had a wonderful Christmas and the beginning of a wonderful New Year. This is a reminder that <u>I need your December VISION Screening report no later than Wednesday January 8th</u> as I need to turn this info into the State Director the evening of January 9th to be presented at the COG meeting in early February. If you have already sent me the information, Thank you.

Our State Director of Screening has sent the message below:

"We are looking forward to starting off the year 2025 with a big LionsUSA splash!

Our goal is to make a huge nation-wide impact by performing Lions vision screenings in as many of our communities as possible during the week of **January 12-19, 2025** as we celebrate the birthday of our founder Melvin Jones.

Imagine the difference that can be made for the visual needs of our preschool and school age students!

Imagine the public awareness of Lions in our communities when we do this collectively all across our nation! "

I am hoping that each club will be able to participate in one or more screenings during the week of January 12-19th so that District 2A-1 will be well represented in this endeavor. I realize that many of us have screened most of our available resources but MAYBE you can find at least one more!

The San Angelo Team is currently working on 4 screenings for that time frame and we need many more from the outlying clubs. Working together we can move mountains and serve many. WE SERVE.

With the holidays over I will be working on getting State Certification Classes set up for those who have let me know they are interested in new or renewal certifications. I do need a list of names and email addresses AND what area you reside in, not just a statement that we have some who are interested.

For those out in our Eastern region I have a contact in Austin that I am hoping I can set up a class for your area so you would not have to travel so far to attend.

NO classes have as yet been scheduled but hopefully maybe in February or March.

If you have questions, or comments, please email me or call the office. If you call my cell, and I do not recognize the number, I probably will not answer.

Thank you

Lion Sandra Freeman

District 2A-1 Vision Chair

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LIONS EDUCATING & GUIDING AREA CHILDREN & YOUTH



Without a past & the present, you have no future. And that's exactly who we are! Our emblem is a Lion facing the past with pride & another facing the future with confidence. And then, there's us - the present. Melvin Jones, the founder of Lions, paved the way for its members to follow & build on. That was his legacy that continues to live on through us to this day. But, what about ours? Let us pave our own way by educating & guiding our youth towards a bright future. And that, my fellow Lions, will be our L.E.G.A.C.Y.!

Eligibility & Requirements:

-Any & all youths ages 6 to 17 -Signed application by youth's guardian -Youth must be accompanied by an adult to any & all events

Scholarships:

-1 point for attending meetings -3 points for participating in fundraisers & service projects, etc -5 points for inviting & bringing a fellow youth -10 points for sponsoring a fellow youth to join

> Points begin to accrue on July 1 & end June 1* Winners will be invited to & announced at the Club's annual Installation Banquet in June. 1st Place - \$1,000.00** 2nd Place - \$500.00 3rd Plce - \$250.00

Incentives:

-Periodical mailings with a schedule of events -Birthday card & other mailings *Youths must accrue a 25-point minimum to qualify for scholarships. **If tied, prize monies will be combined & divided amongst winners.





For more information, contact Lion Joe Guerra at jguerra@ctwp.com or Lion Kim Floyd at kimberly.floyd13@gmail.com

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District 2-A1 Newsletter and Website Sponsors

The District needs your support for 2024-2025.

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: Double Business Card Size: Quadruple Business Card Size:	 \$50 (approx. size: 2" x 2.75") \$100 (approx. size: 2" x 5.5") \$150 (approx. size: 4" x 7.25") 			
Contact Name:				
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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 Jan 10 and 11, 2025 Sonora, TX

Meeting will be held at the Church of the Good Shepherd, 319 W. Mulberry St., Sonora, TX

Registration is \$40 per person

Name

Club Name _____

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Club Name

Please make check payable to:

Sonora Downtown Lion's Club

Mail to: P.O. Box 822 Sonora, TX 76950

To RSVP or for more information, contact: Pam Munn, Secretary 325-206-0051 <u>pmunn@henrypetroleumllc.com</u> or Carl Teaf, President 325-226-3471

Friday Night 6-8PM Bingo & Snacks

Hotel Information (Prices used from their website)

Super 8 by Wyndham (King bed or multiple beds \$95) 325-387-2551 1009 N. Crockett Ave Sonora, TX 76950	\$90 night	Quality Inn \$100 night (King or 2 doubles for \$110) 325-387-5800 311 US 277 Sonora, TX 76950
Econo Lodge (King or 2 doubles for \$68) 325-387-3516 1312 N Service RD Building A Sonora, TX 76950	\$64 night	Americas Best Value Inn & Suites \$89 night (King or 2 Queens w/ kitchenette) 325-387-9111 270 US 277 Sonora, TX 76950



AGENDA 2-A1 MID-WINTER CONFERENCE Sonora, TX January 10-11, 2025



Friday, January 10, 2025

6:00pm - 8:00pm Bingo and Snacks

Saturday, January 11, 2025

- 7:30am 8:45am PDG Meeting
- 8:00am 9:00am 9:00am - 9:20am Call to order Prayer – PDG Frank Berthold Pledge of Allegiance to the U.S. and Texas Flag- 2nd VDG Otilia Sanchez Introductions: 1st VDG Helen Wilde Welcome – Host Club Sonora Lions Club – President Carl Teaff

9:20am – 9:40am Officer's Report: District Governor – Roll Call of Clubs Secretary – Lion Robert Moore Treasurer- Lion Nancy High Old Business / New Business Parade of Checks (100% Charities)

9:40am - 10:45am Committee Reports / Introduction (3-4 minutes each)

- 1. Zone Chairs 1-65. GLT9. Leader Dogs for the Blind13. Diabetes2. Youth Exchange6. GST10. Vision Screening14. Newsletter3. TLERC7. GMT11. Texas Lions Camp15. WTLEBA
- 4. Texas Lions Foundation 8. Lions Club Int'l Foundation 12. Peace Poster/Opport. Youth

10:45am – 10:55am	Tail Twister / Raffle
10:55am – 11:10am	15-minute Break/Socializing
11:10am – 11:25am	Canine Companions – Lion Jerry Campbell
11:25am – 11:45am	Reading of Resolutions
11:45am – 12:00pm	Tail Twister / Raffle
12:00pm – 12:40pm	Lunch (don't miss last chance to check on your silent auction bid)
12:40pm - 1:20pm Key	note Speaker: Lion Whitney Livingston Texas Lions Museum Curator and Lions MD2 Secretary
1:20pm – 1:30pm	Tail Twister and Silent Auction Results

1:30 pm Adjourn Safe Travels Home

*Please note times may vary

Texas Lions Camp



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 <u>EACH</u> 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:	- All monies from Century Club go to the TLC General Fund.			
(print name exactly as it should appear on plaque)				
Donor:	Ship Plaque to:			
Address:	Address:			
City:State:Zip:	City:State:Zip:			
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Silver Level Single annual gift (
Gold Level Single annual gift of Single	of \$500 or\$42 monthly automatic draft			
Diamond Level Single annual gift of S	of \$1,000 or\$84 monthly automatic draft			
Ambassador Level Single annual gift of Single annual gi				
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:				
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