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Lions Clubs International

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE
Together we can with
International President,
Brian Sheehan

Dear Lion,

We accomplish amazing things together every day because of what you give. And while giving takes many forms, one of the best is your ongoing support of Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF). Because that's how we ensure that our biggest projects succeed. And like all things Lions, it starts with you and your club.

The work of LCIF is so important. And you can be a part of it by making a donation, by applying for a grant to take on even bigger projects, and by sharing your LCIF stories and videos. Because the more that our communities know about LCIF, the more our foundation can magnify our service at home and around the world. We're all working together to make a big difference. And when we all give a little, we can accomplish so much.

Make a great day,
Brian Sheehan
International President

DG Dutch Visits Las Cruces Sunrise Club

On 18 Aug 22, DG Dutch visited the Las Cruces Sunrise Club. He made two presentations:

Lion Jack Thomas chevron letter for 40 years as a Lion; Lion Sim Middleton for Zone Chair pin for last year and chevron letter. Also three other Chevron letters were left with Lion President Jack Thomas for presentation at a later time - Lion Chuck, Lion Vick, and Lion Juan.

CONGRATULATIONS to All!!!!!!

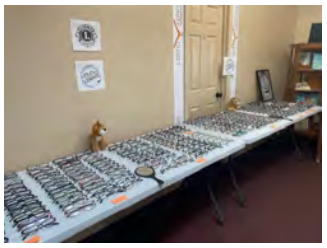
Provided By Lion Susie Brusuelas

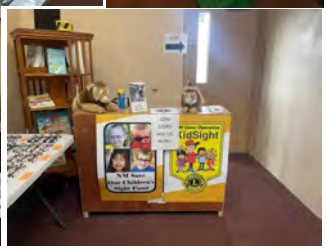
Dona Ana Council of Lions Clubs & Essilor Vision Foundation

Changing Life Through Lenses Free Glasses Day Held

Many thanks to Lion Brenda Dunn for coordinating this event and calling for volunteers to help from 10:00 to 4:00 pm or in donating food & refreshments for the volunteers. DG Dutch was on the premises along with Lion members from La Mesa, Las Cruces Host, Anthony, Las Cruces Sunrise, Las Cruces de Noche, Albuquerque Breakfast, and Los Leones de Mesilla. Volunteers from Humana, Sarah Vinyard & Brandon Cunningham from the Ophthalmology Association, Burrell College of Osteopathic Medicine and Vanessa Escolero Burrell LMSA, President and here team were on hand also. It was estimated 200 people were helped with free glasses that day. It was indeed a Great Day to be a Lion!!!

Provided by Lion Brenda Dunn





Sandia Mountain Lions Club News

Sandia Mountain Lions Club members met September 6 at Los Vecinos Community Center with one prospective member present along with 17 Lions. The Club unanimously approved going forward with plans for a Valentine's Dance in February. Stay tuned for more details and get ready to bring your partner and join us.

On September 9, in 10 Lions service hours, members picked up 13 garbage bags of trash along a mile of Old Rt. 66 in Tijeras.

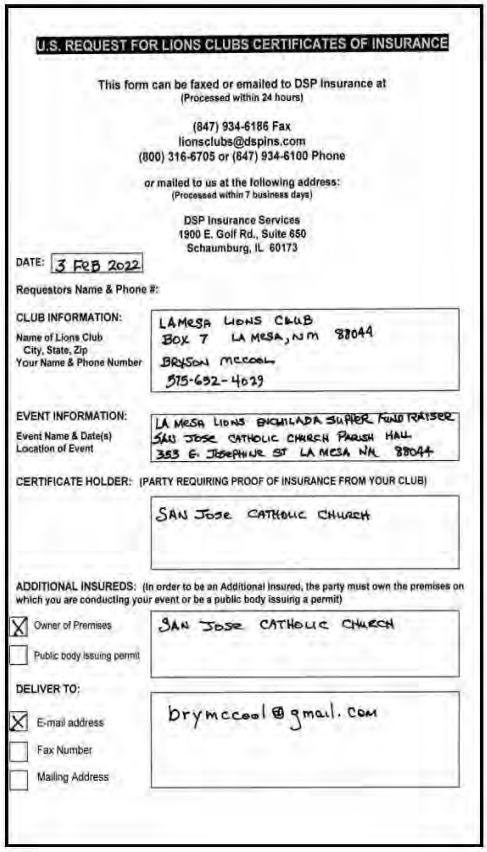
Provided by Lion Gerry Jones

New Method of Applying for LCI Insurance Certificate

As you probably know, when a Club has a fundraising or community service event at a location that requires proof of insurance, you can apply for that insurance certificate from LCI. The process recently changed. If you are not aware of the change, following are the steps for the new procedure.

1. Go to the www.lionsclubs.org website.
2. Click on "Resources For Members" at the top of the screen. On the dropdown menu click on "Resource Center."
3. In the Keyword Search box, enter "Insurance" and tap the Search button.
4. On the resources that show, click on "View" for the "Certificate of Insurance Request Form - US" and the form (as shown below) should download. You may have to click on Open File in the Downloads window.
5. Print out the form and fill in the required information for your event.
6. Do one of the following:
   - ~ Scan the finished form in and email it to lionsclubs@dspins.com
   - ~ Fax the finished form to 847-934-6186
   - ~ Mail the finished form to:

     DSP Insurance Services
     1900 E. Golf Rd., Suite 650
     Schaumburg, IL 60173
7. If you need additional liability insurance, download the "Additional Liability Insurance" form from the Resources and follow steps 5 and 6.



U.S. REQUEST FOR LIONS CLUBS CERTIFICATES OF INSURANCE

This form can be faxed or emailed to DSP Insurance at (Processed within 24 hours)

(847) 934-6186 Fax
lionsclubs@dspins.com
(800) 316-6705 or (847) 934-6100 Phone

or mailed to us at the following address: (Processed within 7 business days)

DSP Insurance Services
1900 E. Golf Rd., Suite 650
Schaumburg, IL 60173

DATE: 3 FEB 2022

Requestors Name & Phone #:

CLUB INFORMATION:
Name of Lions Club City, State, Zip Your Name & Phone Number: LAMESA LIONS CLUB BOX 7 LA MESA, NM 88044 BRYSON MCCOOL 575-652-4029

EVENT INFORMATION:
Event Name & Date(s) Location of Event: LA MESA LIONS ENCHILADA SUPPER FUND RAISER SAN JOSE CATHOLIC CHURCH PARISH HALL 333 E. JOSEPHINE ST LA MESA NM 88044

CERTIFICATE HOLDER: (PARTY REQUIRING PROOF OF INSURANCE FROM YOUR CLUB)
SAN JOSE CATHOLIC CHURCH

ADDITIONAL INSUREDS: (In order to be an Additional Insured, the party must own the premises on which you are conducting your event or be a public body issuing a permit)
☒ Owner of Premises — SAN JOSE CATHOLIC CHURCH
☐ Public body issuing permit

DELIVER TO:
☒ E-mail address — brymccool@gmail.com
☐ Fax Number
☐ Mailing Address

Provided by Lion Bryson McCool

11TH ANNUAL

Las Cruces
HOST LIONS

TRAP SHOOT TOURNAMENT

IN OUR COMMUNITY - FOR OUR COMMUNITY

SUPPORTING LIONS' CRANE READING FOUNDATION,
LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIPS,
EYE EXAMS FOR CHILDREN,
CHILDREN BATTLING CANCER & OTHER LOCAL PROGRAMS

SATURDAY OCTOBER 1, 2022
Registration: 8:00-8:30 AM
BUTTERFIELD SHOOTING RANGE

$50/PERSON
$250/TEAMS
(WE CAN PLACE YOU ON A TEAM)
LIGHT BREAKFAST
INCLUDED W/REGISTRATION

50 SHOT TOURNAMENT,
PRIZES, RAFFLE TICKETS,
DOOR PRIZES &
OTHER SHOOTING EVENTS

REGISTRATION
W/CHECKS TO:
HOST LIONS CLUB C/O EAGLE SECURITY
510 W AMADOR AVE
LAS CRUCES, NM 88005

MORE INFO:
FACEBOOK: @lascruceslionsclub
EMAIL: Eestrada@higginbotham.net
PHONE: (575) 644-9745

STATEWIDE FIRE RELIEF PROJECT CHALLENGE

To: All Lions in Multiple District 40

From: Jane Wells, GST District 40N

Re: Proposed Second Distribution to Victims of Hermit's Peak/Calf Canyon Fire

The wildfires this year in Mora and North Las Vegas were devastating. LCIF gave us a $10,000 grant and our officers did a terrific job doing a distribution of food, hygiene items and clean products in July.

I was reminded of the Cerro Grande Fire in Los Alamos which took the homes of my neighbors, friends and colleagues. So much was the same. Both were controlled burns in late April that became wildfires in early May and in both the feds promised to "make people whole". But there was a key difference, in Los Alamos most people who lost their home were employed at the labs, the county, the schools, etc. They had an income stream while they were rebuilding. This year's fires affected many small farmers, ranchers, artists and artisans. They lost their livelihoods as well as their homes. What we gave was desperately needed and much appreciated, but it was a very small start.

I remembered how difficult the winter after the fire was for the people who were still wading their way through red tape to rebuild.The Albuquerque Northeast Lions Club agreed that we could use $5000 of our legacy from PDG Miriam Stucker to do a second distribution but asked me to try to get contributions from other clubs and individual Lions. So we are asking.

Some Los Vegas relief workers are preparing a wish list for us. Socks and gloves are at the top of the list. DG Dr, Linda and Treasurer Christie recommended that we order on Amazon and have them delivered directly to Neighbors Helping Neighbors and that we order within a month Please call me with questions about in-kind contributions, volunteer needs, etc.No matter how much or little we raise, all of it will be spent on those who lost their homes.

Contributions should be made out to 40N and sent to me or Christie Boyer.

Yours in Lionism,
Jane
jwellsnm@gmail.com, 505-440-9655

NEW MEXICO LIONS ARE INVITED TO JOIN THE 2022 FOOTBALL FRENZY AND RAISE COMMUNITY SERVICE FUNDS AGAIN!

After a covid +year of hunkering down, Santa Fe Capital City Lions through the Silver Hill Lions Club are again offering the opportunity to New Mexico Lions to raise community service funds. Your club will get $5 for each ticket sold.

Tickets sold for $20 worth of 17 weeks of football fun without knowing anything about football will raise $5 for each ticket sold for your club. ($20 gets 17 weeks of opportunities or $1.18/week for the whole season!) The games begin September 11, 2022, and end January 1, 2023.

$770 per week will be won for teams totals from highest to ninth highest ($200, 100, 50, 35, 30, 25, 20, 10 and 5) and wait - also for the lowest team scores ($100, 50, 40, 30, 25, 20, 15, 10 and 5). Your teams have 18 chances to win each week.

HOW:1-32 Teams are coded by name and number on the side of the card. Each card lists your five teams per week on the bottom. You can follow the scores for your week's teams on the bottom of the card. You can add them up yourself with your teams' scores, but even easier, you can check the winners by using your Ticket# on the card purchased at www.silverhilllionsclub.org ***or calling 301-778-4993.***

Please contact Lion Rose Himrod if your club or individuals want any cards: 505-231-2246 cell or text preferred. All stubs need to be returned to Lions Himrod, 2583 Calle Delfino, Santa Fe, NM 87505, by September 1, 2022 to get all name and address data to Silver Hill Lions that generate checks for winning team card holders.

Checks for $15 per/card should be made out to the Santa Fe Capital City Lions Club; $5 per card sold may be immediately retained by the Club Treasurer for your charitable projects and activities fund.

Thank you for participating in our fund raiser!

Provided by Lion PDG Rose Himrod

Campaign 100: LCIF Empowering Service

Greetings Fellow Humanitarian,

On behalf of the Lions of the world and Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF), we want to thank you for your outstanding commitment to Campaign 100: LCIF Empowering Service.

It was our sincere pleasure to announce at the 104th Annual Lions International Convention in Montreal that we successfully reached – and even exceeded – our campaign goals.

Because of your leadership and support, LCIF raised a total of US$325 million during this historic campaign.

We are grateful to each and every one of you for everything you have done to make this campaign so successful. We could not have accomplished this amazing milestone without your hard work and dedication. This success is a reflection of your leadership and humanitarian spirit.

Throughout your years of service to this campaign, your leadership and example helped ensure that LCIF can continue empowering those serving to improve health and well-being, strengthen communities, and protect the vulnerable in the years and decades to come.

Even during the course of the campaign, the impact of Campaign 100 was felt globally through:

- New grant programs in Childhood Cancer and Hunger to improve quality of life for those in need
- Mobilized the Refugees and Displaced Persons fund to provide safety and security for those fleeing their homes during immensely challenging times
- Increased ability for LCIF to quickly award grants in times of disaster and during global crises like the COVID-19 pandemic
- Continued support for the world's youth through Lions Quest programming and grants
- Innovative grant projects to protect and restore our environment to improve the well-being of all communities
- Lives changed for the better – many even saved – because of Lions' service in vision, diabetes and other humanitarian efforts globally

We should all be very proud of what our organization was able to accomplish because of LCIF and Campaign 100.

Let us not forget that the needs of the world continue to grow, and we must build on this campaign success to ensure the future of our foundation's ability to magnify our service to those in need around the world for generations to come.

We thank you for your continued support, and look forward to working with you in service in the years to come. While the campaign is coming to an end, our work together as Lions empowered by LCIF continues.

With sincere gratitude,

Dr. Jitsuhiro Yamada

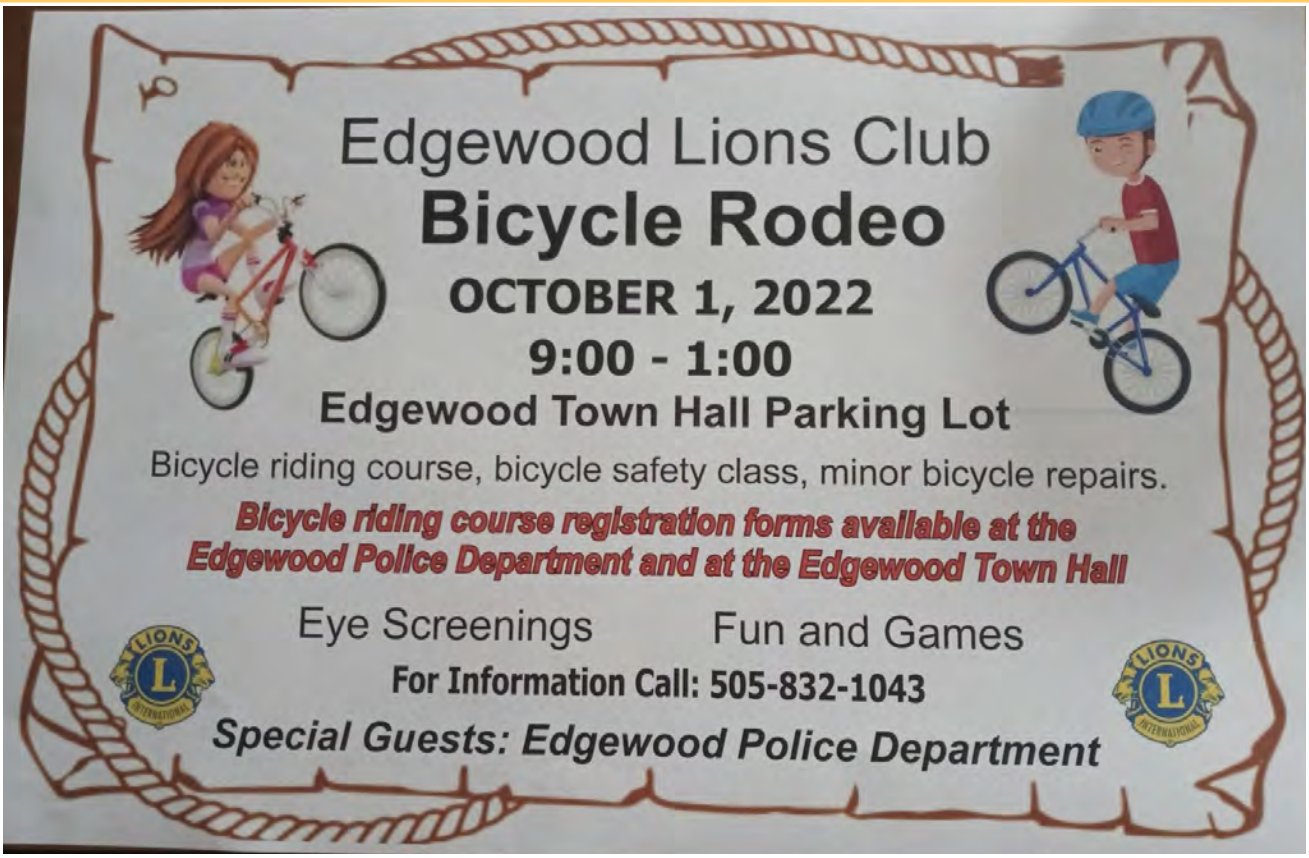
Past International President

Campaign 100 Chairperson

J. Frank Moore III

Past International President

Campaign 100 Vice Chairperson



Lions,

Please send Lion's Roar articles to me @ jjlong@sandia.gov by the 13th of each month to be published on or around the 15th.

Thanks!
Jennifer

Edgewood Lions Club's 15th Annual

Holiday Arts & Crafts Show

October 29th, 2022

9:00am-4:00pm

Edgewood Middle School

17 Venus Rd.

Free Admission

Asking for donations of a jar of peanut butter to benefit Bethel Storehouse and the East Mountain Food Pantry

Silver City Lions Club News

On 1 Sep 2022, the Executive Director/CEO of the Silver City Grant County Chamber of Commerce, Mr. Romeo Cruz, presented a plaque to the Silver City Lions Club for their July 4th community involvement. In attendance at the Appreciation luncheon were: Lions Garry & Pamela Stanker, Lion Erin Shepard, Dir C of C, Lion President Ansel Walters, DG Dutch, Lion John Chess, and Zone Chairperson, Lion Peter Momsen. Congratulations to the Silver City Lions Club!

Provided by Lion Susie Brusuelas

From LCIF Chairperson Douglas X. Alexander

Greetings Lions and Leos!

As you continue helping the world in times of great need, remember that Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF) is here to support you in serving your communities. LCIF awards grant funding that empowers us to make the greatest impact, both locally and globally. In reading this month's newsletter, I know you will feel inspired and motivated to serve by both doing AND giving. Thank you for joining us as we build on the success of Campaign 100 by continuing to support LCIF through a donation or pledge and by spreading awareness of the great things made possible through our global foundation. As the needs of the world continue to grow, LCIF remains committed to helping us take our service even further.

Edgewood Lions Club News

The Edgewood Lions have been working hard and having fun. We participated with the Albuquerque Uptown Lions Club Bowling, Edgewood Rich Ford Anniversary, Harvest and Wool Fest at Wild Life West. Now we are busy getting ready for a Bicycle Rodeo, Craft Show, Kid Sight Screenings, Senior Health Fair Eye Screenings in Rio Communities (Belen NM), Diabetes Expo, and a Food Drive. Boy, October and November are booked full. Can't think of that old saying Idle Hands are the Devil's Workshop or something like that, but we are not idle and we are keeping busy serving our community, state and Lions.

Provided by Lion PDG Deborah Bryan

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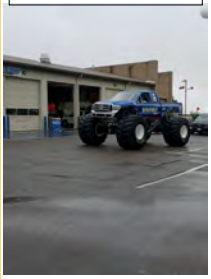


Club at Rich Ford, Lions PDG's Debbie, Frank, Lions Kenny, Bill Moffatt, KR, Brian, Linda, and Bill Bryan.

Edgewood Lions Bowling team L/R: Lions Jen, Thao, Su, Vivian, (rear) Lion Ted.

IN MEMORIAM

William "Bill" McKinney

28 November 1951- 8 September 2022

William "Bill" McKinney joined the La Mesa Lions Club in October 2014. Soon after, he became very involved in all the Club community service and fundraising projects and served as a Club Director (2015-16), Club President (2016-17) and D40S District Governor (2020-21). In 2020, Lion Bill received the Melvin Jones Fellow Award which is the highest award a Lion can receive from their Club.

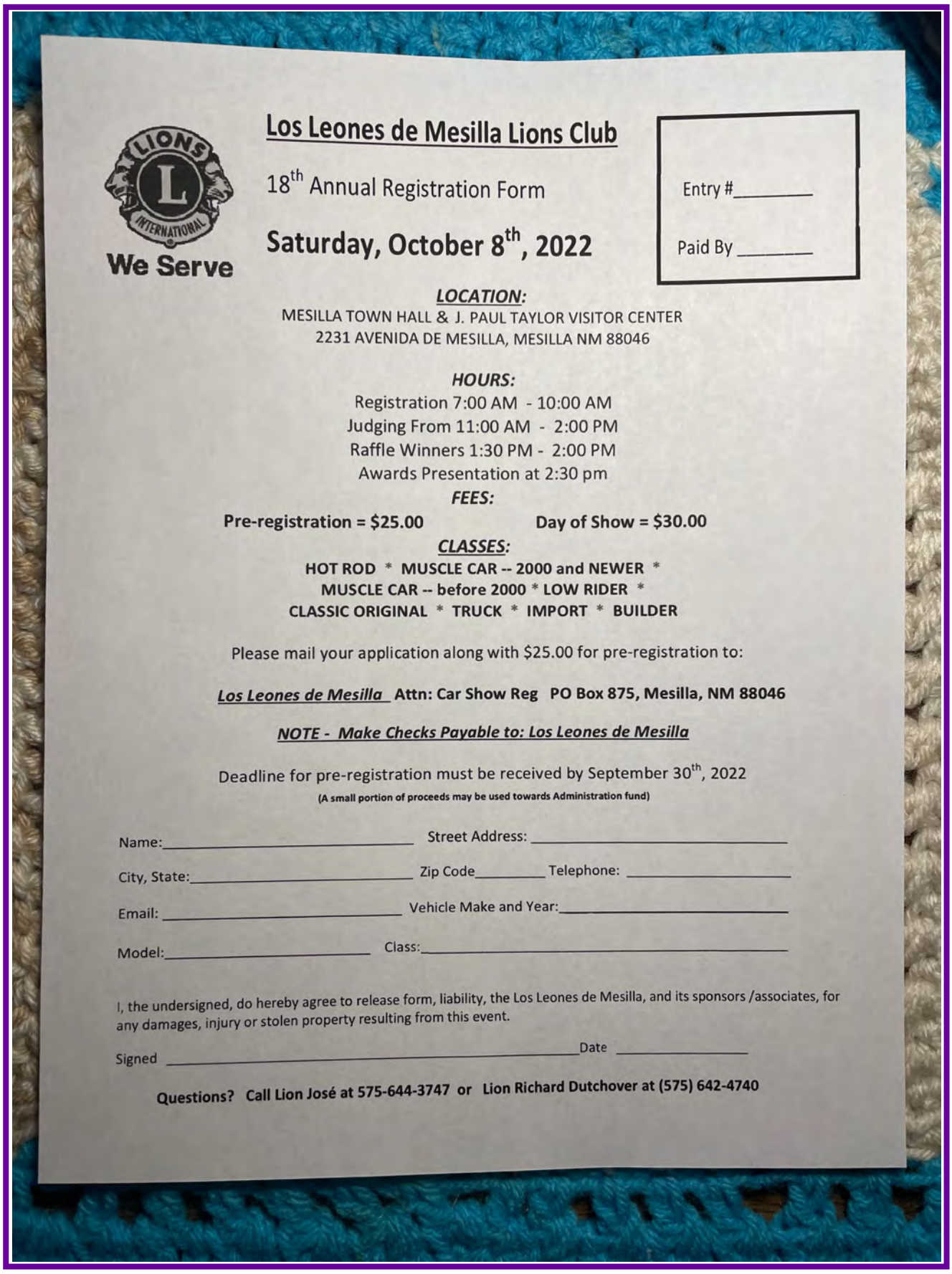
Ralph Waldo Emerson once stated that, "Enthusiasm is one of the most powerful engines of success. When you do a thing, do it with all your might. Put your whole soul into it. Stamp it with your own personality. Be active, be energetic and faithful, and you will accomplish your object. Nothing great was ever achieved without enthusiasm." These words so reflect Lion Bill's philosophy of life and especially that of being a Lion. His unrelenting enthusiasm and sincere passion for Lionism were contagious if you were ever around him. After talking with him, you were always fired up and ready to do more.

Lion Bill was a man of extraordinary wisdom. "A big man is one who makes us feel bigger when we are with him," a quote by John C. Maxwell, so well describes how he dealt with his fellow Lions. There was always a "job well done" compliment for anything you had recently done and a verbal expression of how important you were to NM Lionism. He truly appreciated everything NM Lions were doing to make their communities better.

Lion Bill was dealt a devastating hand of being diagnosed with ALS. However, his positive attitude and sense of humor during his last days revealed the true temperament of this courageous man. Lion Bill's legacy will be a guiding light for our future endeavors as Lions. While he will be sorely missed, our sorrow will be eased by the many fond memories he left us. Farewell dear friend and fellow Lion.

La Mesa Lions

18th Annual
CAR SHOW
OCT: 8TH 2022
SETUP & REGISTRATION
7:00AM-10:00AM
JUDGING BEGINS
11:00AM
AWARDS PRESENTATION
2:30PM
MESILLA TOWN HALL J. PAUL TAYLOR VISITOR'S CENTER 2231 AVENIDA DE MESILLA MESILLA NM 88046
MUSIC | FOOD | VENDORS
50/50 RAFFLE
Classes and Best of Show Awards:
● CLASSIC ● ORIGINAL ● IMPORT ● HOT ROD
● MUSCLE CAR BEFORE 2000 ● BUILDER ● LOW RIDER
● MUSCLE CAR 2000 AND NEWER ● TRUCK
OPEN TO ALL Vehicles
PRE-REGISTRATION FEE $25.00/DAY OF SHOW $30.00
Proceeds Benefit the Community Of Mesilla & Lion's Projects Such as: School Reading Programs, Scholarships, Prevention Of Blindness, Diabetes Awareness, Eye Glasses. A small portion may be used for administrative purposes.
FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL JOSE M. PENA 575-644-3747 OR RICHARD DUTCHOVER 575-642-4740
FIRST 100 RECIEVE FREE T-SHIRTS



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Los Leones de Mesilla Lions Club

18th Annual Registration Form

Saturday, October 8th, 2022

Entry #_____

Paid By _____

LOCATION:

MESILLA TOWN HALL & J. PAUL TAYLOR VISITOR CENTER
2231 AVENIDA DE MESILLA, MESILLA NM 88046

HOURS:

Registration 7:00 AM - 10:00 AM
Judging From 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Raffle Winners 1:30 PM - 2:00 PM
Awards Presentation at 2:30 pm

FEES:

Pre-registration = $25.00 **Day of Show = $30.00**

CLASSES:

HOT ROD * MUSCLE CAR -- 2000 and NEWER *
MUSCLE CAR -- before 2000 * LOW RIDER *
CLASSIC ORIGINAL * TRUCK * IMPORT * BUILDER

Please mail your application along with $25.00 for pre-registration to:

Los Leones de Mesilla **Attn: Car Show Reg PO Box 875, Mesilla, NM 88046**

NOTE - Make Checks Payable to: Los Leones de Mesilla

Deadline for pre-registration must be received by September 30th, 2022

(A small portion of proceeds may be used towards Administration fund)

Name:_____ Street Address: _____

City, State:_____ Zip Code_____ Telephone: _____

Email: _____ Vehicle Make and Year:_____

Model:_____ Class:_____

I, the undersigned, do hereby agree to release form, liability, the Los Leones de Mesilla, and its sponsors /associates, for any damages, injury or stolen property resulting from this event.

Signed _____ Date _____

Questions? Call Lion José at 575-644-3747 or Lion Richard Dutchover at (575) 642-4740

Together, you and LCIF can make a difference.

Your donation will empower service for generations to come. Each and every gift helps strengthen communities, offers help to families and children in need and lets us respond quickly to disasters.

Every donation makes a difference, no matter the amount. So be part of something big.

lionsclubs.org/donate

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NEW MEXICO LIONS DIABETES AWARENESS PROGRAM
STATEWIDE STRIDES CONTEST AT THE HEALTH FAIR

SAVE THE DATE AND PARTICIPATE IN NATIONAL DIABETES AWARENESS MONTH!

11/5/2022

WHAT: **The 4th Annual Contest will be at a Strides Walk.**

WHERE: **Santa Fe Place Mall, 4250 Cerrillos Road, Santa Fe, NM 87507.**

WHEN: **SATURDAY, November 5, 2022, 10-4 pm**

WHY: **ANNUAL COMMUNITY HEALTH FAIR WITH A FOCUS ON DIABETES PREVENTION**

CONTEST DETAILS: **As usual, 1st, 2nd and 3rd Place winners in both 40 North and 40 South will receive $100, $75 and $50 respectively. Again, awards are designated for their clubs Melvin Jones Fellowship Budgets that benefit LCIF. Winners will be determined by the most registered (since everyone can't be there) or participating in each club. Details and Registration forms will be forthcoming.**

HOW YOU CAN PARTICIATE OR SUPPORT LIONS AND DIABETES AWARENESS:

1) **Space in the mall will be set aside for clubs to set up recruitment tables. Members can staff the tables and provide information highlighting the club's community activities and LCI info and membership applications.**
2) **Design a strides event (yoga, dance, biking, swimming, hiking…) for your community! Bring it home! Plan what works for your community!**

The goal of the diabetes awareness strides contest is to get us off the couch and on our feet. The goal of the health fair is to provide information and resources to prevent diabetes and/or live with diabetes! President Bobby Richardson and the NMLAP Board thank you for your support! Save the Date!

NEW MEXICO LIONS DIABETES AWARENESS PROGRAM

Volunteers Needed

We are currently looking for clubs who have great commitment to help us for our charity works.

We need help with:

- Rounding up donations for raffle giveaway for participants
- Strides Walk Volunteers
- Silent Auction / Raffle Donations
- Taking inventory
- Setting up tables & cleanup
- Event Security Guards

If you think that you're club is wiling to help us for our charity works.

COME JOIN US

BENEFIT:

- Lions program table
- Breakfast and Lunch
- Event T-shirt

EVENT REGISTRATION / TIME:

November 5th | 8:AM to 4PM

(505) 450-3806 OR (505) 385-4209

MORE INFORMATION

www.facebook.com/New Mexico Lions Diabetes Awareness Program

STRIDES
FOR DIABETES AWARENESS™

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 5, 2022
SANTA FE PLACE MALL

Let's Walk

Join the Fight Against Diabetes!

Walk Time:
10:30 A.M.
1:00 P.M.
3:00 P.M.

By working together, we can make an impact on the diabetes epidemic. Help reduce the prevalence of diabetes and improve the quality of life for those diagnosed.

REGISTRATION INFO CALL
JANE WELLS (505) 440-9555
JANNETTE DUDLEY (505) 259-07448
WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/
NEW MEXICO LIONS DIABETES AWARENESS PROGRAM

NEW MEXICO LIONS DIABETES AWARENESS PROGRAM

CONTACT: LINDA CUENCO
(505) 385-4209
Mylinda.nmlion@gmail.com
Or
JANICE SELLS (505) 301-7081
luckynjanice@yahoo.com

5th ANNUAL

HEALTH & WELLNESS FAIR/EXPO

Saturday, November 5th 2022

Santa Fe Place Mall
4250 Cerrillos Road
Santa Fe,
NM 87507

9:00 a.m| 4:00 p.m.

Let's Walk

STRIDES FOR DIABETES AWARENESS

Join the fight against diabetes!
Walk times:
10:30 AM
1:00 PM
3:00 PM

Registration info call:
Jane Wells (505) 440-9555 or
Jannette Dudley (505) 259-0748

NM Lions Operation KidSight

Get Free Screenings & Information

- Wellness Walk
- Professional Guest Speakers
- Glucose Testing, A1C Testing
- UNM Pharmacy Vitals Check
- Lion's Kidsight & Adult Eye Screenings
- Blue Cross Blue Shield Van
- Vitalent Blood Bank & Blood Drive
- Health & Wellness Vendors
- Silent Auction
- 50/50 & Other Raffles
- Kids Face Painting
- JUG Band

By working together we can make an impact on the diabetes epidemic, help reduce the prevalence of diabetes and improve the quality of life for those diagnosed.

For more information:
www.Facebook.com/NewMexicoDiabetes AwarenessProgram

BlueCross BlueShield

United Blood Services

vitalant

New Mexico Diabetes Advisory Council

STRIDES FOR DIABETES AWARENESS

NEW MEXICO LIONS DIABETS AWARENESS PROGRAM

Wellness Walk
Glucose Testing
A1C Testing
BP Check
Blood Drive
Silent Auction
Blue Cross Blue Shield Van
Vitalent Blood bank
KidSight Program
Scavenger Hunt
Silver Sneakers

5TH ANNUAL NMLDAP HEALTH & WELLNESS FAIR EXPO

Let's learn all about safety, health, and fitness!

SPEAKERS
OPTOMETRISTS
CARDIOLOGIST
DENTIST
RENAL MEDICINE
DIABETES EDUCATORS

4250 CERRILLOS ROAD SANTA FE, NM 87507
SATURDAY NOVEMBER 5, 2022
9:00 A.M.- 4:00 P.M.

We're bringing you this year's biggest health fair!
Make sure you don't miss out on all the excitingactivities and freebies!

CONTACT: LINDA CUENCO (505) 385-4209
JANICE SELLS (505) 301-7081

Las Cruces Sunrise Lions Club News

The Las Cruces Sunrise Lions Club will host their Fall Gun show on October 22-23, 2022 at the Las Cruces Convention Center. Doors open to the public at 9 am both days and closes at 5 pm on Saturday and 3 pm on Sunday.

The Club hosted its first gun show in the spring of 1987 and has hosted 2 shows per year since except for 2020 and 2021 when we sponsored one each of the 2 years due to COVID restrictions. The gun show is our signature fund raiser that supports many local programs and several Lions Club International programs. Over the past 69 shows, the Club has netted $662,000 which has largely stayed in the Las Cruces community. The Club organizes and promotes our show, so all net proceeds goes to local and international programs.

Since 2004, Sunrise Lions Club has conducted a sports camp (Survivor Camp) for hearing impaired youth which has become our primary service project. Sight is a signature program of Lions Club International. The Sunrise Lions Club provides funds for eye exams and glasses locally for those in need. We also make financial contributions to Kids Sight Program that provides eye exams in local elementary schools.

The Club initiated the Lions Club scholarship at NMSU which continues to provide financial support to students visually impaired. Other local recipients of funds from Sunrise Lions include Cowboys for Cancer, Community of Hope, Gospel rescue Mission, Mayors Top Teens, Make –a-Wish, Crane Reading Program, Veterans programs and many others. Recently, we participated in the Dona Ana County Little Libraries program. Club members prepared the materials needed to construct 40 little libraries and assisted the assembly teams. We recorded about 180 Lion hours for this project. The Sunrise Lions appreciates the support of the community and other local Lions Clubs with our gun show and Survivor Camp. The Sunrise Lions Club welcomes Hal Coffman as our newest member.

Provided by Lion Tim Ross

Albuquerque Breakfast Lions Kidsight Screening

The Albuquerque Breakfast Lion's Club says: "We will always find a way to do a screening." Lion Carol and Lion Rita have noticed that many of the Preschool staffs have changed since Covid entered our world. They do not generally understand our lighting needs. So when the Venetian blinds are no longer on the windows or there are not enough garbage bags to provide light reduction and the closets are packed to the ceiling and have no electrical outlets, there is another mainstay. The "john" holds our printer. The tiny table used by 2 to 5 year old's fits quite well. You always have the light switch at your fingertips!!! We send a big Thank You to all our Kidsight Screeners for a job well done. P. S. You never know where You will be doing your best work!

Provided by Lion Rita Graham

RONALD MCDONALD HOUSE PULL TAB COLLECTION STILL ON-GOING!

The closest for 40 north is 1011 Yale, NE, Albuquerque. Bring them to the next district or multiple meeting and Santa Fe Capital City or an Albuquerque Lion Club will deliver them for you. This article is from their website, modified for New Mexico.

And Hey! For such an easy club project, get double credit on your club activities report to LCI—Helping youth as well as the environment by recycling! They help with everyday expenses, but service is provided to children by helping their parents.

SFCC Líons Tom, Connie and Rose delivering tab tops to Ronald McDonald House were led by the late Lion Sara Filemyr who was hugged by Ronald who awaited them at the door.

Provided by Lion PDG Rose Himrod

Taos Lions ER Companion

The ER Companion forms on the following three pages are something the Taos Lions came up with.

This was the brainchild of Lion Bill Waugh. Lion JoAnne Fortier, who is a nurse practitioner, thought this was a great idea and followed through with it. With the guidance of Lion Sid Barrett, Lion Joanne wrote up these forms. Wouldn't this be great for all of our clubs would take part in this.

The purpose of this is, if there is a member in your club or a friend that has no family close and there is an emergency, the ER Companion (Buddy) has a copy of these forms that they will have at the ER so the buddy can have the patients info, and be there to ask and answer questions for the patient and have the instructions from the doctor to relay to the patient after release.

I believed this is a project that all of us could participate in. We all know a fellow Lion or have a friend or neighbor that we could help using these forms.

Submitted with permission of the Taos Lions Club by PDG Deborah Bryan

TIPS TO GET THROUGH AN EMERGENCY ROOM VISIT
(For patients, ER companion or POA/Health Proxy)

Only use the ER if it is a true life-threatening emergency; utilize your primary care provider, if possible, as they may be able to direct your care to a specialty clinic or Urgent Care, avoiding the ER altogether*

Many people need assistance AFTER an ER visit. Many patients do not fully understand their diagnosis or treatment plan upon discharge which can negatively affect patient outcomes and continuing care. Patients and/or their ER companion can help prevent "ER confusion" by following some basic guidelines.

BRING A BUDDY!

- This person will help ask questions and gather information if you are too unwell to do so.
- This person should be ready to listen and record the details of your visit such as tests, diagnosis, new medication list, and any follow up notes
- This person should assist in calling/informing your POA, Health Proxy or family members.

REMEMBER:

- Be patient! Patients in the ER are treated based on severity; be prepared for a long wait (bring a book or electronic device). If you have a choice, try to go during the week 7A-3P (when people are most likely to be in school or at work). If symptoms worsen while you wait, tell an ER staff member.

HOW CAN YOU BEST ADVOCATE FOR YOURSELF, (or HOW CAN YOUR ER COMPANION BEST SUPPORT YOU) ONCE YOU ARE IN ER

- **Succinctly** tell the staff why you are there. If this is an on-going medical problem, what made you come to the ER this time?
- Don't exaggerate symptoms
- Be prepared to answer: What makes your symptoms worse? What makes them better? What have you tried to improve your symptoms?
- Be prepared to tell you story over and over. Be patient and keep telling it thoroughly. Each person needs to hear the whole story; don't assume information is being communicated from one provider to the next.
- You or your ER Companion are the best source of information for the event leading to the ER visit so be forthright with any additional information you think is pertinent

WHAT TO BRING (Medical History Sheet)

- A list of all allergies including medications, food, latex etc...
- A CURRENT medication list.
- All doctor/provider information and ICE (In Case of Emergency) contact information
- ID card and insurance information
- Living will/POLST (Physicians Orders for Life-Sustaining Treatment)

MOST IMPORTANTLY: SPEAK UP and ASK QUESTIONS!!!!

- Play nice: advocating for self or others does not include aggressive behavior or language; be firm and persistent but keep your cool.
- Make sure you know exactly what the plan is before leaving the ER. Read the discharge summary before you leave and ask for clarification if it is not clear. You should understand:
    - Reason and results (if available) of tests performed
    - Diagnosis and Treatment Plan
    - New medication
    - What symptoms would cause you to return to the ER?
    - What is the follow-up plan? i.e. Do I need to see my own doctor? If yes, so I make the appointment? Do I need to return to ER on a certain date? Go to physical therapy? See a specialist? etc.

EMERGENCY ROOM COMPANION AGREEMENT

Please fill out the form below to include your name and the names of those whom you would like to accompany you. Please designate at least two separate parties as one may not be available.

I hereby designate the following persons to accompany me to the EMERGENCY ROOM in the event that I am taken there, and to stay with me while I am there. In accordance with HIPAA, I authorize all hospital and emergency room personnel to disclose my protected health information to these persons as necessary to keep them informed of my current condition. This authorization is valid unless and until I choose to revoke it.

I understand the role of the ER Companion is supportive only. The ER Companion has no authority to make health care decisions for me. The companion may help with contacting my family members and health care agents. The companion is present to ensure my comfort, assist me in gathering medical information from the ER staff, and voicing my concerns and questions.

I, _____ , request the following
PRINT NAME
people be informed that I am in the EMERGENCY ROOM and to accompany me there.

NAME	PHONE NUMBER
1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	

_____ _____
Signature Date

_____ _____
Witness Date

*Please keep this form in a place that is known by the ER Companion
*Please bring BOTH pages to the ER

MEDICAL HISTORY

Patient Name

Address

E-Mail **Phone Number**

Physician Name *and/or* Medical Practice Name

Address

E-Mail **Phone Number**

MEDICATION ALLERGIES:

1. Reaction:
2. Reaction:
3. Reaction:

MEDICATIONS and associated diagnosis: (names, dosage, frequency)

1.
2.
3.
4.
5.

If you have more than five medications or medical diagnosis, please continue on back or add another page

INSURANCE INFORMATION:

Primary Insurance Policy Number Group number (*if applicable)*

Secondary Insurance Policy Number Group number (*if applicable*)

AGENT for HEALTH CARE DECISIONS (Power of Attorney and/or Health Care Proxy):

NAME Phone Number

NAME Phone Number

NEXT OF KIN:

NAME Phone Number

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PATIENT INITIALS: _____

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AdultSight Eyeglasses Program

Statewide, Lions are still able to help people in their communities with glasses despite the current Covid-19 environment we are living in!

Here is the AdultSight Eyeglasses application that can be given out to community members statewide that have current prescriptions. If they do not have a current prescription have them add "Need Eye Exam" to the bottom of the application and we will refer qualified applicants to the closest participating office for their eye exam and glasses through the VSP Gift Certificate program. All applications for assistance should be returned to the Central Office in Las Cruces for processing if your club does not have the financial means to help them.

For eyeglasses only requests, if your club has the Changing Life Through Lenses sample frame kit we will contact you after processing each of your referrals applications with the next step in the process for you to help your referral.

If your club does not have the frames kit we will either arrange to send a loaner frames kit to you/your club that will need to be mailed back to the Central Office when the selection has been made. Then you can set up a meeting with your referral for them to choose their frames or we can email frames pictures to your referral to choose their frame by picture alone.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact Lion Brenda Dunn at the Central Office at 575-525-5631 or nmlionskidsight@gmail.com or Lion Rita Graham at 505-688-1916 or spectaclewhiz@aol.com.

Provided by Lion Brenda Dunn

New Mexico Lions AdultSight Eyeglasses Program

1501 N. Solano Drive Las Cruces, NM 88001 575-635-8148 Fax: 575-524-1699

Eye Glass Application

Please Answer Every Question: (if it does not apply mark "no," "NA," or "none") otherwise forms will be returned, thus causing delay. If applicant is a minor or is living with and/or supported by parents, data required pertains to both the parent/guardian and applicant. The New Mexico Lions Eye Bank will not assume any financial obligation or responsibility until this application has been approved by a designee of the Eye Bank and/or Board of Directors.

Please Print Legibly

First Name:_____ Last Name:_____ Phone #: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State:_____ Zip Code: _____

Sex: _____ Age:_____ Date of Birth:_____ Married:_____ Single:_____

Number of Dependents: _____ Email: _____

Name of Parent/Guardian if Applicant is a Minor: _____

First time application for Eyeglasses or Eye Exam to the New Mexico Lions Eye Bank? YES or NO

Name of Employer: _____ Dates of Employment: _____ to _____

If no income, how are you supported? _____

_____

Are you on Medicare/Medicaid or do you have any other medical/hospital insurance? YES or NO

If Yes, name of the company: _____

Annual Income		Assets	
Applicant Salary	$	Amount of ALL Mortgages	$
Spouse Salary	$	Bank Accounts - Checking	$
Parent/Guardian Salary	$		
Social Security	$		
Disability Pension	$		
Retirement Pension	$		
Welfare Assistance	$		
Other Income	$		
Total NET income (yearly)	$		

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

YOU MUST HAVE A CURRENT EYE GLASS PRESCRIPTION (Less than one year old)

Attach a COPY of your Eyeglass Prescription. (Must be less than 1 year old)

EVERY BLANK MUST BE FILLED IN OR APPLICATION WILL BE AUTOMATICALLY DENIED

With our membership in decline, LCI has a program for all of us to utilize. What a fantastic incentive for recruiting new members into your club. What a wonderful thing for LCI to do to bring in new members an d to honor our Veterans, and Active Duty Military.

Provided by Lion PDG Debra Bryan

Involve a Veteran Program

Service to others has many faces.

Those who serve their country have made great contributions and great sacrifices. Lions Clubs International recognizes the commitment and passion of these individuals. As a way of welcoming them into the global family of Lions, the organization offers veterans and active duty service members an entrance or charter fee waiver when joining a Lions Club.*

Lions International provides opportunities for leadership, personal fulfillment, and relationship building through community and global service activities, easing the transition to civilian life and connecting individuals who share similar life experiences.

Veterans and active duty service members have incredible experience to offer any Lions Club they join, or any new club they bring together. They don't just know how to get the job done - they know how to do it with teamwork and strong leadership. Their adaptability and practical service experience can create tangible contributions to their community, continuing the momentum of a life led in service to others.

Lions International is a place where kindness matters, and the 'Involve a Veteran' program offers servicemen and women the opportunity to be a part of our global service mission.

**See Veteran Program Qualification Criteria and Certification Form for complete details.*

Lions Clubs International

For questions about the Veteran Program, please contact:
Membership Development Division
Lions Clubs International
300 W. 22nd Street, Oak Brook, IL 60523 USA
membership@lionsclubs.org

Involve a Veteran Program

Fact Sheet

Lions Clubs International offers an entrance/charter fee waiver to qualifying veteran and active duty military/armed forces service members.

1. This program will be eligible to the first 5,000 certified veteran or active duty service members from all Lions constitutional areas and will run through June 30, 2021.
2. Eligible persons for this program include active duty, retired and honorably discharged service members - including National Guard and Reserve personnel who were called to active duty for other than training - of governmentally recognized service branches from countries within Lions' scope of service (see Lions Clubs International Board Policy).
3. The **Involve a Veteran Certification Form** must be completed by the district governor or club secretary of the appropriate district of club. The form must be submitted to Lions Clubs International's Accounts Receivable and Club Account Services Department when reporting a new member using: MyLCI, Report of Charter Members for new clubs, or EMMR (Electronic Monthly Membership Report) for existing clubs. All information requested must be provided to avoid certification and processing delays. The fee waiver will be processed as a credit on the Lions club billing statement upon receipt of the certification form.
4. Clubs are encouraged to sponsor or defray club, district and multiple district and/or international dues for any eligible service member needing financial assistance.

Frequently Asked Questions – FAQ

? Where can I obtain an Involve a Veteran Certification Form?
- The Veteran Certification Form can be downloaded from the LCI website or requested by emailing membership@lionsclubs.org

? Can existing Lions benefit from the Veteran Program?
- No, the program is an incentive for new members to existing or new clubs.

? Can a members eligible for the Veteran Program also take advantage of other Lions discount programs?
- Yes. As an example, a new member can qualify for both a charter/entrance fee waiver under the Veteran Program as well as a student dues discount if they meet the eligibility requirements for both programs.

Questions? Contact:
Membership Development Division
Lions Clubs International
300 W. 22nd Street, Oak Brook, IL 60523 USA
Email: membership@lionsclubs.org
Search: www.lionsclubs.org 'Veteran Program'

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Involve a Veteran Program

Qualification Criteria

Eligible persons for the **Involve a Veteran Program** membership benefit may receive an entrance or charter fee waiver when joining a Lions club.

The entrance or charter fee waiver is available for up to 5,000 qualifying members.

Eligible persons for this benefit include active duty, retired and honorably discharged military service members - including National Guard and Reserve personnel called to active duty for other than training - from governmentally recognized service branches serving in countries or territories listed in Lions Clubs International's Board Policy.

The benefit runs through June 30, 2021.

Certification Form

An **Involve a Veteran Certification Form** must be submitted to Lions Clubs International's Accounts Receivable and Club Account Services Department when reporting a new member using: MyLCI, Report of Charter Members for new clubs, or EMMR (Electronic Monthly Membership Report) for existing clubs. All information requested must be provided to avoid certification and processing delays.

The fee waiver will be processed as a credit on the Lions club billing statement upon receipt of the certification form.

Certification of Members

The district governor or club secretary is responsible for collecting, reviewing and maintaining copies of verification documents provided by the military service member. Documents provided should satisfy qualification criteria. Copies of verification documents **SHOULD NOT** be sent to LCI, but may be requested.

Definition

Military service is service by an individual or group in an army or other militia, whether as a chosen job or as a result of an involuntary draft, and for purposes of this benefit includes those individuals committed to ***Lions Clubs International's Purpose and Code of Ethics.***

For questions, please contact:
Membership Development Division
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Visit lcif.org to donate online and to learn about other ways to donate.

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Zip/Postal Code_____ Country_____

Email _____ Phone _____

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☐ My/Our gift is to remain anonymous.

_____

Signature Month/Day/Year

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Send donations to:
Lions Clubs International Foundation | Department 4547 | Carol Stream, Illinois 60122-4547 | USA

For more information call 630.203.3836 or email **donorassistance@lionsclubs.org**.

LOOKING FOR A NEW COMMUNITY SERVICE?

Advertising the availability of talking prescription labels and large print meets one of our Lion missions. Brochures and sample letter for Eye Care Specialist's and more info available at 1-800-890-1180 or Lion Trish Bissell at 941-702-6608.

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Kidsight & Smith's Community Rewards Program

Hello Lions of New Mexico!

We hope this email finds you all well.

We have just enrolled the New Mexico Lions Operation Kidsight, Inc. (NPO #24950) in the Smith's Community Rewards Program.

For those of you that shop at Smith's Food and Drug Supermarket we would greatly appreciate you taking the time and register/create an account online at the following link https://www.smithsfoodanddrug.com/topic/community-rewards-3 and help us raise money for the foundation. **You do need to have a Smith's Rewards Card** to register and you can obtain that card at the **customer service desk** in your local store. Purchases will not count for us until your card(s) are registered!

Latest Kidsight Update: Over 33,000 kids and counting have been screened this year!

Thank you in advanced for your participation. As everyone knows, every penny counts to help the next child receive vision care and glasses!

Provided by Lion Brenda Dunn

Lions Do Have a Resource Both For Recycling Hearing Aids and Referrals for Hearing Aid Assistance

DIRECTOR TAMMY LITTS IS AVAILABLE TO SPEAK AT MEETINGS AND PROVIDE INFORMATION ABOUT THE CENTER LOCATED AT 9500 MONTGOMERY BLVD, NE SUITE 215. SHE CAN BE REACHED AT 505-247-4224. She worked with Lion Ellie and the Transitional Leos in the past.

RECYCLING - The Center checks hearing aids first to see if they can be cleaned and used as loaners to clients waiting for hearing aids. If not, they are sent to a company named Starkey who saves parts for requested repairs.

HEARING AID BANK - The Albuquerque Speech Language and Hearing Center 's Hearing Aid Bank (HAB) is designed to assist people with limited resources to obtain entry level digital hearing aids at a reduced cost. The program is made possible, in part, by funding from United Way of New Mexico and is available to anyone in the State, not just Albuquerque. They received $41,000 from United Way in 2012-2013.

(Capital City Lions have made a referral to a low income Santa Fean. She is calling the Center for an application form. She will also submit an application to our club using our eye exam and glasses form and will keep us informed as to her success.)

Provided by Lion Rose Himrod

New Mexico Lion Diabetes Awareness & Smith's Community Rewards Program

The New Mexico lions Diabetes Awareness Program (NMLDAP) is now supported by Smith's Community Rewards Program. Our non-profit organization number is 96006.

To register online: www.smithscommunityrewards.com customers must have a registered Smith's "rewards" card to link to our organization. If a customer does not have a "rewards" card they are available at the service desk at any Smith's or on an on-line Smith's account entering their "rewards" card number and choosing the organization they would like to support through their shopping.

Step by step enrollment instructions can be found at: www.smithscommunityrewards.com. All participants must swipe their "rewards" card when shopping for each purchase to count.

Thank you for your supporting The New Mexico lions Diabetes Awareness Program.

New Mexico Lions Operation Kidsight, Inc. has joined the AmazonSmile program

If you make purchases through Amazon you can now go to Smile.Amazon.com and get the same items and the same prices but Amazon will donate money to Kidsight for eligible purchases.

How does AmazonSmile work?
When first visiting AmazonSmile, you will be prompted to select a charitable organization we ask that you choose New Mexico Lions Operation Kidsight the list of organizations. In order to browse or shop at AmazonSmile, customers must first select a charitable organization. For eligible purchases at AmazonSmile, the AmazonSmile Foundation will donate 0.5% of the purchase price to the customer's selected charitable organization.

We appreciate your ordering through Smile.Amazon.com going forward and giving to Kidsight.

If you have any questions feel free to give me a call.

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Important Dates:

October 8, 2022	2nd 40N Cabinet Meeting	Moriarty
October 29, 2022	2nd 40S Cabinet Meeting	Ruidoso
November 12, 2022	2nd MD40 Council Meeting	Moriarty
January 14, 2023	3rd 40N Cabinet Meeting	Moriarty
January 28, 2023	3rd 40S Cabinet Meeting	Ruidoso
February 18, 2023	3rd MD40 Council Meeting	T or C Moose Lodge
March 18, 2023	40N District Convention	Moriarty
March 25, 2023	40S District Convention	Ruidoso
May 5-6, 2023	MD40 State Convention	Gallup, NM
July 7-11, 2023	LCI Convention	Boston, MA

MD40 Club Charter Anniversaries

Raton	September 1945
Taos	September 1927
Santa Fe Host	September 1927
Santa Fe Quota Branch	September 2020
Socorro	September 1947
Roswell Downtown	September 1927

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