

January 9, 2024

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313 114th St #20
Lubbock, Texas 79423

Dear Educator:

I am the Chair for the Opportunities for Youth Scholarship program for the Lions Club in our District. This is an annual competition for Juniors and Seniors in High School. On the District Level, scholarship awards are:

- \$1000 for First Place
- \$ 500 for Second Place

These three contests are:

- Diabetes Awareness Essay Contest
- Drug Awareness Speech Contest
- Outstanding Youth Award Contest

Whoever wins at District level will progress to State Level and compete for additional contest awards of:

- First Place Winner - \$3000 Scholarship
- Second Place Winner - \$2000 Scholarship
- Third Place Winner - \$1000 Scholarship

Each student may compete in two contests, should they so desire. You will find the following information attached

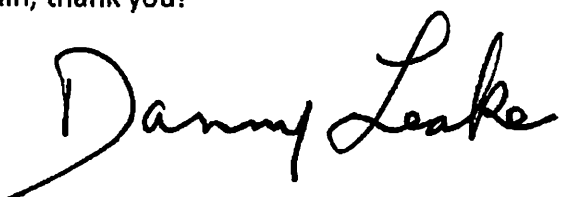
- Diabetes Awareness Essay contest information
- Drug Awareness Speech contest information
- Outstanding Youth contest information
- Application form

Please ensure that each student reads and is aware of both their responsibility and the judging criteria on each contest. So, please make them aware of date, time and place of contest which is:

- Date - March 2, ~~2023~~ 2024
- Time - Begins at 9am, so please plan to arrive a little earlier
- Place - St Luke's SW.....5805 98th St, Lubbock, Texas (on the corner of 98th and Frankford)
- They can also access the information at Texaslions.org

Thank you in advance for your assistance in ensuring students receive this information. Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at 806-794-2708.

Again, thank you!





District 2-T2 Lions Opportunities for Youth Contestant Application

Check the contest for which this application is being submitted

Diabetes Awareness Essay Drug Awareness Speech Outstanding Youth

Contestant's Full Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email Address: _____ Home Phone: _____

Birth Date: _____ Gender: Male Female Cell Phone: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Parent Email Address: _____ Contact Phone: _____

School Currently Attending: _____ City: _____

Current Classification: Junior Senior Expected Year of Higher Education Enrollment: _____

Name of University/College You Plan to Attend: _____

Major _____ Minor _____

Sponsoring Lions Club: _____ District: _____

Club Contact: _____ Contact Phone: _____

District Contest (DC) Coordinator Danny Leake DC Coordinator Phone: 806-794-2708

Club Contact Email: _____ DC Coordinator Email: Danny.Leake@LionsClub.org

We certify the statements in this application are correct. We have reviewed a copy of the Policies and Rules for the Contest and promise to comply with them. We consent that all materials, creations, concepts, likeness, designs, posters, ideas, and intellectual rights and property used mentioned, spoken and written for, or in connection with this contest are the property of the Texas Lions MD-2 and may be published and used for any purpose selected by the Texas Lions MD-2 Council of Governors.

Contestant Signature: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Check List

- Two (2) high quality wallet/passport size photographs (such as a current school picture) that are of the head-and-shoulders, glossy and in color. Photos not meeting this requirement will not be included in contest souvenir booklet.
- Completed and Signed contestant code of conduct, chaperone guidelines and medical power of attorney.
- Diabetes Awareness Essay: Four (4) copies of Contestant Application, four (4) typed double spaced copies of essay.
- Drug Awareness Speech: Four (4) copies of Contestant Application, four (4) typed double spaced copies of speech.
- Outstanding Youth: Four (4) copies of Contestant Application, four (4) typed double spaced copies of essay, four (4) typed copies of biographical information statement, community service, leadership experience/participation experience, four (4) copies of the three (3) letters of recommendation; one (1) certified high school transcript plus three (3) copies.

February 15, 2024

Attach application to all required documents and mail no later than ~~March 2, 2024~~ to:

PDG Danny Leake.....3913 114th St #20, Lubbock, TX 79423 Phone: (806) 794-2708

(Please call Lion Danny if you have not been contacted within four(4) days of mailing)

The contest will be Saturday March 2, 2024 @ St Luke SW 5805 98th St Lubbock