



# PAW PRINTS of 2-S2

Official Newsletter of Lions Clubs International District 2-S2



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## CALENDER OF EVENTS

July	18	First Cabinet Meeting
July 30 - Aug 1		Council of Governors Meeting Kerrville, TX
August	5	PSC Meeting
Sep	2	PSC Meeting
Sep	24 - 26	USA/CANADA Leadership Forum
Oct	7	PSC Meeting
Oct	10	Second Cabinet Meeting
Nov	7 - 14	LCIF Cruise 2009

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### Thoughts from the DG ----

*Charles "Chuck" Martin - District Governor 2009-2010*

Lion Sandy and I have just returned from the International Convention in Minneapolis where I was officially installed as your District Governor. We look forward to serving this wonderful District in the year ahead. I want to thank every Lion in this District for showing your support by electing me as your District Governor for the coming Lions' year.

I want to personally thank Immediate Past District Governor Barron Cagle and his lovely bride, Karen, for all of the hard work they did in making District 2 S-2 the BEST District in the State of Texas last year. We lead the state in membership growth and were second in the number of clubs formed during the year. You have done a wonderful job with your leadership to bring the District to where we are today. You have left some very big shoes to fill. This year's team is dedicated to continue the growth of this District during the coming year.

Incoming International President Eberhard Wirfs has chosen the theme of "Move to Grow". He is asking each Lion to stretch – "in our dreams, our plans, and our ACTIONS. If we move, we will expand and enhance ourselves and the communities we serve". He is asking us to think ahead. With the advent of the position of Second Vice District Governor, we are "growing" our leadership team. Our Association draws its roots from the past. We have a sturdy foundation. We must now look ahead to the future. To do this, we must dream, and bring these dreams to reality.

During the year, we will be asked to work in our communities. How many clubs can stand up and say they have done a community service project where their members have gone into their local community to paint or repair a house, clean a park, clean a roadside?? Many of our clubs purchase eyeglasses for needy school children. Most of the time, we do not ever meet the child. By doing a service project in your community, you will be able to personally meet the people you help.

As always, membership is a key to our continuity. Without new members (and clubs), we cannot sustain our Association. Please remember Immediate Past International President Al Brandel's theme that each new member brings two more hands for service. Always be on the lookout for quality prospective members. If anyone knows an area where we can form a Lions club, please contact PDG Fred Wuensche. Also please remember that Retention is a big key to your community service. Don't lose the knowledge and service of Lions that are members of your club. Keep them active and involved.

Lion Sandy and I look forward to working with every member of our District in the coming year. We want to leave this District in better shape than we found it (an old Boy Scout motto from the days when my boys would go camping). With your help, we can.

***Thought's from the First Vice District Governor:***

**Texas Hold 'Em**

District 2-S2 ends the 2008 - 2009 Lions years with a net positive membership growth of 134 Lions in the District, ending with a total membership of 1866. Congratulations to all!!

IPDG Barron, the MERL Team, 2nd VDG Rick, and I have all vowed to make this next Lions year even better for DG Chuck. We need the assistance of every Lions Club in the district to make this a reality and we invite you to join us. Every club should have a Membership Chair and we expect every club to conduct a membership drive in the fall and next spring. Need some help and guidance?? Just ask – we can teach your members how to ask someone to join your Lions Club and get a positive response. We CAN grow your membership ... remember, success comes in CANS! But membership growth is not just about numbers ... it's about two more hands to do community service!

We also have to hold on to our current Lions as best we CAN. One of the best ways to do that is through service, service, and more service. Need a project? One idea might be to provide a free vision screening one Saturday in your community and yes, we CAN help. It's actually rare that a Lion quits because they are too busy – it's typically because they don't feel needed or useful. Let's make sure we are meeting the needs of our membership.

We will not only grow, but we'll hold 'em, too.

***First Vice District Governor Glen Starr***

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***Thought's from the Second Vice District Governor:***

**IT'S GOING TO BE AN EXCITING YEAR!**

The coming Lions year is going to prove to be a fun, enthusiastic and electrifying time. District Governor Chuck has made fun and enjoyment one of his directives for the next year. It is my privilege, as your Second Vice District Governor, to serve as Convention Chair and District Contest Chair...YES!...we are bringing back the District Contest. First Vice District Governor Glen and I are working on the format for the new and improved contest. While there will be many holdovers from past contests, such as points for visiting other clubs (my personal favorite!), points for attending District functions such as the President's and Secretary's Council, points for having programs at your meetings and so on. We are working on some new ideas also. You will be hearing much more about the contest from your Team Leaders in the coming weeks.

Please start making plans NOW for the Mid-Winter Conference on January 23 and the District Convention on April 30 and May 1. Both of these events are going to be the best we've had in many years! The Mid-Winter will be styled after the USA/Canada Forum and will include break-out sessions on everything from how to get a camper, leadership seminars, membership and retention, and many more fun and informative topics. We have asked Trish Wilson from the Texas Lions Camp to be our speaker. The venue for this event is still being determined. We do, however, have the venue for the District Convention secured (well, it should be secured by the time you read this). We will be meeting at the Hilton Houston Westchase on Westheimer just off the Beltway. This hotel has facilities that knocked the socks off of your District Governor and me when we visited it a few weeks ago along with Lion Emee. They are going to keep the room rates the same as last year! This is a major discount for that hotel! The banquet rooms and the hospitality rooms are absolutely gorgeous! We are also planning some exciting themes and entertainment for the convention. I hope you all are looking forward to a fun and fulfilling year as much as I am. Thank you for allowing me to serve you.

***Second Vice District Governor Richard "Rick" Reynolds***

## **Just Imagine the feeling.....** (Thoughts from the Camper Transportation Committee)

As Lions in District 2-S2, when we find and sponsor a camper to the Texas Lions Camp, we get that warm and fuzzy feeling that we crave to satisfy our need to serve others. But, once we sign-off on the application, we tend to forget about it and go on doing other things to serve.

We never give a second thought to the long-lasting effect we have on a child when we sponsor him or her to the Texas Lions Camp. We never stop to think that once we have mailed in the application a lot of different things begin to happen for that camper. Every day until the application is approved, the child waits and watches the mail box to see if he/she will be accepted. We never give another thought to the anxiety the child may suffer while waiting for word – especially if he or she is a first-time camper. We never give another thought to what they are thinking about being away from Mom and Dad and Home for a whole week.

For the first time, this year we thought about it. And that is when we, on the Camper Transportation Committee, realized we can and do play a major role in our campers' experiences.

While we wrestled with thoughts of discontinuing our project of providing bus transportation to the children of District 2-S2 because it is very labor-intensive and always falls on just a few Lions to get the job done. And while we wondered what we were doing wrong because we have very few Lions who are interested in "joining the bus brigade", we realized that it is our fault that no one comes to help because we have not told you about the wonderful opportunity we have to experience what a child going to our camp is experiencing.

We have the opportunity when we chaperone children on the bus going to camp to 1) anticipate along with them the experiences they will have; and 2) wonder if they are really going to have as much fun as people say they will have. The bus ride becomes for the camper, part of the camping experience....they reunite with many of the campers they met last year, or they begin to make new friends among the other campers on the bus, and they start to get answers to their questions. Some of the campers cry because they are leaving Mom and Dan behind, some are happy because they are leaving Mom and Dad behind, and some are "just plain scared". Once we drop the campers off in Kerrville, we worry about whether they will make it for the whole week and whether they are going to be homesick and cry all week, and whether they will be there when we come to pick them up on Saturday.

But when we arrive on Saturday, we realize we didn't have to worry. They rave about the really good time they had and many cry because they don't want to leave their new friends and counselors behind. On the ride home, we get to observe, first hand, the change in their personalities, their increased self-confidence and their new feeling of accomplishment. You get to see their awards (every camper gets one). We get to talk to the camper....the one who has never been out of his wheelchair, and he tells you his most favorite activity at camp was the "dance" on Thursday night.

Yes, it is a lot of fun to watch and learn with our campers. We had several Lions and non-Lions who came along to chaperone campers this year and experienced first-hand our campers' experiences.

The Camper Transportation Committee would like to thank them. We sincerely hope they enjoyed and learned while helping. And we hope they know how much we appreciate their "helping out". They are:

**Lion Jim Groves (New Waverly Lions Club) and his daughter, Debbie.** For the past several years, these wonderful Lions have driven all the way from New Waverly early Sunday morning to help with the loading process and to make the trip to Kerrville with us (a 14-hour day for them).

**Lion Archie Heugatter (Houston Spring Branch Lions Club).** Lion Archie has helped us for years and, although he is not as active as he once was (retired and gone fishin'), he is our go-to guy when we are desperate. I called Archie home from his fishing camp to help us out on Saturday. He put everything on hold to do so and we will owe him forever.

**Lion Winnie Baul (Houston Space City Lions Club).** For the past three years, Lion Winnie has been our

“cootie checker”. She ensures that none of the campers have lice in their hair; if they do, they can’t go to camp. Lion Winnie also always makes at least one trip with us to help with the campers. Since she is a school nurse, she has a lot of good knowledge.

**Lion George Malone (Houston Space City Lions Club).** Lion George, too, has traveled to camp on the bus with us to help with the campers for several years.

**Lion Margie Perkins (Houston Space City Lions Club).** Lion Margie made her second trip to camp on the bus with us this year. We hope she comes back for another trip next year.

**Lion Steve Hand (Houston Sports Lions Club).** Lion Steve helped on the bus several years past, and decided to come back again, for a round-trip this time. What we call a round-trip is joining us for a trip to take campers to camp on Sunday and then the next Saturday to pick up those campers for their return home. Lion Steve was a natural with the campers; he developed a real fan club with both the girls and the boys.

**Lion Jeffrey Boules (Houston Sports Lions Club).** Lion Jeffrey is a fairly new Lion and a great organizer. Although he has been to camp before to feed the campers on a Friday and attended the Awards Ceremony, we believe he enjoyed a whole new aspect of the camping adventure from interacting with the campers on the bus. They certainly listened to him and “straightened up” when he asked them to.

**Lions Kevin and Laurette Bienvenu (Houston Copperfield Club).** Lions Kevin and Laurette are new Lions who have never been to our camp before. They were wonderful with the campers and an asset to our Team. We will be forever indebted to them for making the trip with us. They have promised to come back next year.

“And, our “thank you” list would not be complete unless we listed **Ms. Darleane Warren, Lions Community Relations Coordinator with the Lions Eye Bank of Texas.** Darleane has been making our trips to Kerrville on the bus for two years now and she is an old pro by now. She relates well to the campers and she is a whiz with the paperwork.

Our THANK YOU’S would not be complete without telling you about **Mr. Russell “Rusty” Roberts.** His “real job” is working with **LifeGift** (you will remember that he was the **Executive Direction of the Lions Eye Bank** for several years). But, we are lucky to know Rusty because he drives buses as a hobby, and he drives the Camp Bus free of charge, although he is contracted to a viable bus company and could command good pay. He has done this for the past three years. In addition to driving the bus, Rusty helped with the campers, operated the wheelchair lift for those campers in wheelchairs, transferred them from wheelchairs to seats, and loaded luggage and equipment to just name a few of the things he does for us.

Handicapped Camping Season is over for this year. We have added to our lasting memories and have also added some funny stories that we can tell. Invite us to visit your club if you want to hear them. And, consider joining us next year for a trip to camp.....you will be glad you did.

***PDG Margaret Badeaux and Cabinet Secretary Betty Ezell.***

We would be remiss if we did not thank our “ground crew”.....

Lion Pat Macken (Houston Memorial Lions) Lion Liz Mason (Houston Southwest Lions) and Lions Donald and Ronald Landers (Houston Spring Branch Lions) for their assistance in loading and unloading the bus for our trips. We also want to thank our newly-elected Director, Mark Roth, who met us at the picnic area outside of Luling on our last Sunday to help with the 35 campers and seven wheelchairs.





Houston Royal Oaks Lion's Club  
May 16, 2009  
Helped provide 32,396 meals  
houston foodbank  
Filling pantries. Filling lives.



Texas Governor Rick Perry delivers a luncheon speech Wednesday at the Conroe Noon Lions Club meeting.

## ***Closing thoughts from the Past District Governor ....***

Your newsletter editor, Lion Terry Landers, has honored me asking for one “last” article. (Truth be known, he had one extra page to fill!) Nonetheless, I have no qualms in taking one more opportunity to say “Thank you Lions of District 2-S2. I’m proud of having had the opportunity to serve as your District Governor.”

Lion Karen and I visited most, not all, 2-S2 Clubs during our year of service. On every occasion, we were greeted with warmth and enthusiasm. District 2-S2 Lions are among the nicest, most energetic, people one could hope to be present with. The service you provide to those in need in your communities is just amazing.

We’ve just returned from the Lions Clubs International Annual Convention in Minneapolis. As is always the case, Texas was well represented. MD-2 Lions are always “stand outs” with our western hats, vests, bolo ties and jeans. The Lions of Minnesota, Manitoba and western Ontario were wonderful hosts. We were all “wowed” by past Secretary of State General Colin Powell’s speech and entertainment by “The Beach Boys”. If you’ve never attended a Lions Clubs International Convention, please add a future convention to your “bucket list”. You’ll not regret it.

On a positive note, it was my great pleasure to hand over the business of District 2-S2 to Lion Charles “Chuck” Martin. Lion Chuck is eminently qualified to guide us through the 2009-2010 Lions year. I know that you’ll support his efforts with the same energy and enthusiasm that I enjoyed. We’ve had two successive years of growth in 2-S2! Please dedicate yourselves to Lion Chuck’s programs, and to those of Lions Glen Starr and Rick Reynolds (First and Second Vice District Governors) to make District 2-S2 one of the strongest and most giving in Texas.

**ROAR! WE SERVE.**

*Lion Barron Cagle Immediate Past District Governor*



## **PAWPRINTS of 2-S2**

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August -June, 2009-2010.

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These Ad's are business card size 3 1/4 inches by 2 inches,

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## **LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL**

Is Your Club Making News?

Whether a community project or a global effort, Lions are regularly in the news.

Lions Clubs International is always looking for Lions in the headlines. Please e-mail them the story or a description of the coverage you received so they can share your media exposure with other clubs.

mailto:pr@lionsclubs.org

### **Public Relations for the Lions of Texas**

**MD2 Texas**

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<http://md2pr.org/doing.html>



# *Roth's Ramblings*

## **Our World Needs Leaders . . .**

Who use their influence at the right times for the right reasons;  
Who take a little greater share of the blame and a little smaller share of the credit;  
Who lead themselves successfully before attempting to lead others;  
Who continue to search for the best answer, not the familiar one;  
Who add value to the people and organizations they lead;  
Who work for the benefit of others and not for personal gain;  
Who handle themselves with their heads and handle others with their hearts;  
Who know the way, go the way, and show the way;  
Who inspire and motivate rather than intimidate and manipulate;  
Who live with people to know their problems and live with God in order to solve them;  
Who realize that their dispositions are more important than their positions;  
Who mold opinions instead of following opinion polls;  
Who understand that an institution is the reflection of their character;  
Who never place themselves above others except in carrying responsibilities;  
Who will be honest in small things as in great things;  
Who discipline themselves so they will not be disciplined by others;  
Who encounter setbacks and turn them into comebacks;  
Who follow a moral compass that points in the right direction regardless of the trends.

## **. . . Lionism Provides Meaningful Leadership Opportunities**

### **The Ten Keys to Leadership:**

- (1) **Influence** – it is the very definition of Leadership
- (2) **Priorities** – the progressive realization of goals
- (3) **Integrity** – builds trust, has high influence value and a solid reputation
- (4) **Creating Positive Change** – the Leader must be an agent for change
- (5) **Problem-solving** – a good judge of a Leader is in the size of the problems he or she tackles
- (6) **Attitude** – Leadership has less to do with “position” and more to do with “disposition”
- (7) **Develops others** – look for opportunities to build up other people
- (8) **Vision** – the indispensable quality of Leadership
- (9) **Self-discipline** – the price tag of Leadership
- (10) **Team Building** – winning teams pick good people and play to win.

Think about some of the Leaders in our District. In each effective Leader, you can see many of these Leadership Keys in their every day work in their respective home Clubs and in the District. Consider, the next time you reach out to recruit new members, that you are offering not only an opportunity to participate in many meaningful outreach programs that serve the blind and disabled. Your Club also provides a fertile opportunity, particularly for younger professionals, to learn Leadership skills that will serve them well in their careers, as well as enhance their ability to be of service to their communities.



# HUMBLE NOON LIONS CLUB 8<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL CHILIFEST



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# CAR SHOW

OCTOBER 10, 2009



HUMBLE CIVIC ARENA



<http://www.humblenoonlc.com>

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## 22nd Annual Lions International Peace Poster Contest

# The Power of Peace



*Sponsor a Lions International Peace Poster Contest and join clubs worldwide in sharing children's visions of peace with your community.*

### How the Contest Works

Lions clubs sponsor the contest in a local school or organized youth group. The contest is open to students 11-13 on November 15, 2009. Participating students are asked to create posters visually depicting the contest theme, "The Power of Peace."

One winner for each contest sponsored by a club is chosen to advance to the district governor for judging. On the district level, one winner is selected to go on to the multiple district competition and from there one winner is forwarded to International Headquarters for the final judging. Entries are judged at all levels on originality, artistic merit and portrayal of theme.

During the final judging, 23 merit award winners and one grand prize winner are chosen to represent the many entries submitted from around the world.

### Awards

Artists of posters advancing to the final international judging are recognized as follows:

- **International Grand Prize Winner** receives a trip to the award ceremony at Lions Day with the United Nations in New York City, New York, USA (subject to change). At the ceremony he/she will receive a cash award of US\$2,500 (or local equivalent) and an engraved plaque. Two family members (one being the winner's parent or legal guardian) and the sponsoring Lions club president or a club member (as designated by the club president) will accompany the winner to the award ceremony. The award ceremony is scheduled for March 2010.
- **23 Merit Award Winners** each receive a cash award of US\$500 (or local equivalent) and a certificate of achievement.

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Peace Poster Contest Kit (PPK-1) \_\_\_\_\_ Qty. @ US\$9.95/each \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Language Required \_\_\_\_\_ Tax \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
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### How to Enter

Lions clubs must order a Peace Poster Contest kit from the Club Supplies Sales Department at International Headquarters. Available in all 11 official languages, it costs US\$9.95, plus shipping, handling and applicable taxes. Each kit contains everything your club needs to sponsor one\* school or organized, sponsored youth group:

- **Official Club Contest Guide & Rules**
- **Official School or Youth Group Contest Guide & Rules**
- **Participant Flyer** may be duplicated and given to each participating student to take home
- **Sticker** to place on back of winning poster
- **District Governor Postcard** to notify your district governor in advance of your club's participation
- **Certificates** for contest winner and school or youth group

*\*Clubs can sponsor more than one contest in either the same or multiple school(s) and/or youth group(s) by purchasing more than one kit. Clubs will send one poster per each contest sponsored to the next level of judging.*



**Kits are available January 15 – October 1, 2009.**  
 Purchase your kit early to allow adequate time for shipment and contest planning.

To order the Peace Poster Contest kit (PPK-1) submit the form below, order through the online Lions Store (Item search: Peace Poster Kit) or call Club Supplies at (630) 571-5466 or (800) 710-7822 (U.S., Puerto Rico, U.S. Virgin Islands and Canada only).

Visit [www.lionsclubs.org](http://www.lionsclubs.org) for more contest information, deadlines, to send a Peace Poster e-card and view past finalists' posters.

### Ship order to:

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E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

**Postage/handling Charges:**

United States - Postage/handling charges will be added at the time of processing your order. An additional \$ 30.00 will be added if expedited delivery is required.

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**Sales Tax:**

We are obligated to charge sales tax in Illinois and Canada



## Lions Clubs International

Dear Club Officer,

On June 17, I attended a meeting at the White House to discuss ways that the U.S. Lions clubs can engage more volunteers in community service this summer as part of the "United We Serve" challenge.

Most Lions would agree that it's a good thing when the nation is reminded about the importance of service. It can bring about more hands to serve unmet needs, more people who are inspired to a lifetime of ongoing service -- and hopefully, even more people who see joining a Lions club as a great way to serve their community year 'round.

My request to you is simple. If your club is planning a service project between now and September 11, 2009, please consider posting your service event or your project's ongoing volunteer needs on the [United We Serve](http://www.unitedweserve.org) web site. By listing your service events on this website, people who are looking for ways to volunteer this summer can contact your club to find out more.

Examples of projects to post at [serve.gov](http://www.serve.gov) can include community clean up days, health fairs and screenings, Lions Crew at Work projects, food collections, youth sporting or youth service days - or really any Lions service activity you feel might benefit from a few extra volunteer hands.

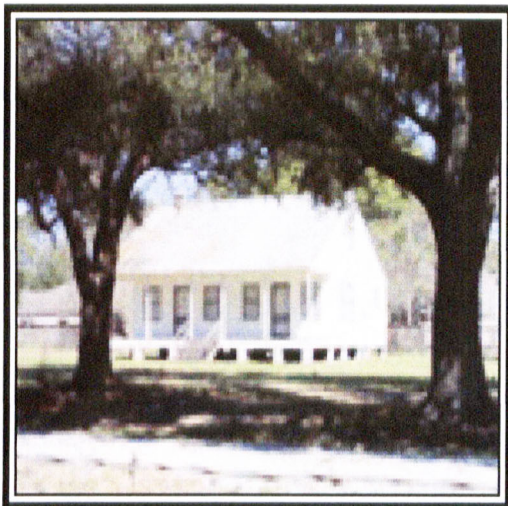
With millions of Americans expected to visit the [serve.gov](http://www.serve.gov) website in the coming months, it would be great to show just how much the **Lions** are already leading the way on the service front.

Yours in Service,

Al Brandel  
International President

United We Serve  
<http://www.serve.gov/>

**Gather the Family, Pack Brown-Bag-Lunches with Beverages, dress as in 1880, and see the Wunderlich Farm "Klein TX Museum." Bring kids Intermediate to College.**



**The Furnished Wunderlich Home**

**Hosted by The Klein LIONS Club  
Saturday, July 25, 2005  
11:00 AM to 3:00 PM**

At Doerre Intermediate School  
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Enjoy midday out-of-doors feeling  
the life and times of your "grandfolks"  
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Do you have BBQ pits, building, tents or  
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Place an ad in "for rent".

Any Club with a classified type ad may  
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for FREE.

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PDG Margaret Badeaux  
by the 10th of the month.  
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33rd Annual  
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September 24-26, 2009  
Memphis, Tennessee

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**\$500 FIRST PLACE!**



**Second Annual  
HOUSTON NORTHWEST  
LIONS CLUB**



**HOT DOG EATING  
CONTEST!  
-FUNDRAISER-  
~SATURDAY, JULY 18th~**



**Party starts at NOON!**

**Contest at 1:30pm!**

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**HOUSTON ROYAL OAKS LIONS CLUB**

**COUSHATTA CASINO FUNDRAISING**

Proceeds from this fundraising will help all the charities supported by Lions Clubs International

**\$15/PERSON**  
(Breakfast & Snacks included)

**SATURDAY, JULY 25, 2009 @ 8:00 A.M.**  
(Bus leaves at exactly 8:30 a.m. so please don't be late.)  
LOCATION: Corner of Foodtown Shopping Complex @ Beltway 8  
(between Beechnut & Bissonnet Sts)

**HOUSTON ROYAL OAKS  
LIONS CLUB**



***We Serve***

**"Together, we can make things happen."**

**Visit One of the Web Sites**

- [www.lions2s2.org](http://www.lions2s2.org)
- [www.texaslions.org](http://www.texaslions.org)
- [www.texasleos.org](http://www.texasleos.org)
- [www.lionsclubs.org](http://www.lionsclubs.org)
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**WE SERVE**

District 2-S2 reported

- Eye exams and eye glasses donated: 1054
- Campbell Soup Labels: 31
- Used eyeglasses collected: 7685
- Hours given towards Lionism: 2802

# **CLUB CLASSIFIEDS**

Any Club with a classified type ad may advertise their need or project for FREE. All such information must be submitted to PDG Margaret Badeaux by the 10th of the month.  
mbado@prodigy.net or calling 713-856-5549

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## **The Pledge of Allegiance**



**I Pledge Allegiance to the Flag  
of the  
United States of America,  
and to the Republic for which it stands.  
One Nation under God,  
Indivisible, with Liberty and Justice for All.**

**WHERE LIONS MEET  
BE PRESENT LORD.  
TO WELD OUR HEARTS IN  
ONE ACCORD.  
TO DO THY WILL,  
LORD MAKE US STRONG.  
TO AID THE WEAK AND  
RIGHT THE WRONG.**



**"Honor the Texas flag;  
I Pledge Allegiance to thee,  
Texas, One State under God,  
One and Indivisible."**

(Face the Texas flag person's right hand over the heart.)

## **Conroe Noon Lions Club**



*1939 - Celebrating 70 years of Community Service - 2009*

## **Cut & Shoot Family Lions Club**



**Second Vice District Governor  
Richard "Rick" Reynolds**

## **Conroe Noon Lions Club**



**First Vice District Governor  
Glen Starr**

## **Houston Cy-Fair Lions Club**



**Home of District Governor  
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**Next PSC Meeting**  
**AUGUST 5, 2009**

**\*\* CHINA BEAR \*\***

**15000 I-45 North**

**Dinner 6:00 P.M. Meeting 7:00 P.M.**

The President and Secretary Council  
meeting is held at the  
**CHINA BEAR RESTAURANT**  
located at 15000 I-45 North  
On the northbound feeder road,  
exit Airtex, both ways.

The cost for the buffet is \$13.00 per person,  
including tax and gratuity.

The food is buffet-style, of Chinese,  
American and Mexican food.

There are desserts galore  
and more than one ice cream machine.



***We Serve***

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**Glen Starr**  
First Vice District Governor

**Richard "Rick" Reynolds**  
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**Terry Landers**  
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