



Lions Clubs International – **DISTRICT 2-X1**



## 2008-09 Student Scholarship Contest for **OUTSTANDING YOUTH AWARD**



### Scholarship Awards from District 2-X1

**\$1000** (1<sup>st</sup> Place) - **\$750** (2<sup>nd</sup> Place) - **\$500** (3<sup>rd</sup> Place)

First Place winner will have a chance to represent District 2-X1 at the Texas State Contest (to be held in Lubbock on June 5-6, 2009) for additional scholarship.

- Lions and Lions Clubs participate in the Student Contest by sponsoring local high school students. (*Sponsoring a student in the Contest is EASY. Just contact your local High School Teacher/Counselor. They are eager to help get students involved in the scholarship programs.*)
- Fee to sponsor one student is \$100. You can sponsor more than one student.
- Contestant must be a full time student in a Texas high school or comparable education program and must be junior or senior class member, sponsored by a Lion or Lions Club or Leo Club.
- Each entrant shall compete with other contestants at 2-X1 District's Mid-Winter Conference **on January 10, 2009**, at 9.00 a.m. onwards at South MacArthur Church of Christ, 1401 South MacArthur Blvd, Irving TX 75060 (MacArthur Blvd @ Shady Grove Rd).
- Competition evaluation shall include high school grade point average, a personal biographical information statement, three letters of recommendation, performance of community service and leadership participation and a personal interview (attire should be suitable for a professional job interview).
- The maximum points to be used for judging contestants shall be:

20 Points	Grade Point Average
5 Points	Personal biography information statement
15 Points	Three letters of recommendation (total)
30 Points	Community service/leadership
30 Points	Personal interview

**The judges' total scores are to be combined to reach a grand total score.**

- The **last date** for receipt of the Entry Form, duly completed, is **January 2, 2009**.
- On the contest dates, contestants will draw for positions and remain outside the contest room in a designated waiting area until invited to enter by the Contest Coordinator.

- Upon entering the contest room, contestants shall state only their names and the interview shall proceed. Following the contest, contestants will take their seat in the assigned area and remain to hear following interviews. When all interviews have been conducted, contestants in the order of their presentations will stand and state their names, hometowns, ages, schools, grade levels, and their name of Lions Club sponsor.
- The first place winner of the District Contest is eligible to be entered in the MD2 Texas State Contest for additional scholarship money/award.
- The winners of District 2-X1 Contest will receive scholarship of \$1000 (first place); \$750 (second place) and \$500 (third place). The scholarship amount must be collected within two years following the recipient's date of high school (or equivalent) graduation. The scholarship amount will be paid directly to the College or University or the post-high-school educational institution, for crediting the recipient's account.
- The **Fee of \$100** (paid by the sponsoring Lion/Lions Club/Leo Club) and other documents must be submitted with the **Entry Form on or before Jan.2, 2009 to –**

**PDG Skip Johnson** (2X1 District Chair, Outstanding Youth Contest)  
 802 Cambridge,  
 Grand Prairie, TX 75051

Home: 972-660-3650                      Cell: 469-231-4125  
 Work: 972-262-4972                     email: skip0106@aol.com

(To be submitted on or before January 2, 2009)

**Outstanding Youth Award Contest - Entry Form**

- Three Letters of Recommendation attached.
- \$100 fee enclosed Check # .....
- Certified High School transcript attached.

Full Name of Contestant: ..... Home Phone (.....).....

Home Address: ..... Date of Birth .....  
MM - DD - YYYY

Parent/Guardian Name & address .....

Name of School ..... Grade ..... GPA .....

Name of Counselor/Teacher ..... Phone # (.....).....

College Preference ..... Year planning to begin .....

Name/Address of Sponsoring Lions Club .....

Sponsoring Lion/Lions Club contact name ..... Phone # (.....).....

Biographical Information (Hobbies, interest, school/community activities: (attach separate sheet if necessary)

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I give my permission to the LIONS to use all or parts of audio and video recordings of my presentation in the Lions programs/activities.

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 Signature of the Student

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 Countersigned by the Parent/Guardian