

**Order of the Golden Chain**  
**Bahamas, Aruba Bonaire or Curacao Lions Clubs Only**

ELIGIBILITY: Any Lion who completes the following requirements between January 1<sup>st</sup> and December 31<sup>st</sup>, shall earn the Golden Chain Award. The award may be earned each year the qualifications are met.

REQUIREMENTS: The Order of the Golden Chain contains two important parts.

Part I includes five (5) activities that are mandatory.

Part II lists twenty (20) activities a Lion may participate in. To qualify, a Lion must complete all five (5) mandatory activities in Part I and eleven (11) of the twenty (20) options in part II.

**\*\*Completion of parts I and II before December 31<sup>st</sup> qualifies the Lion for the award. \*\***

Lion Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Club Name: \_\_\_\_\_

President's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

Secretary's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

Basic Medal: \_\_\_\_\_ Tab #: \_\_\_\_\_

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### Part 1 - Mandatory Requirements

- A. Attend a minimum of 75% of their regular club meetings during the period. Missed meetings may be made up by attendance at a local board of directors meeting or at meetings of other Lions Clubs. Attendance %  
\_\_\_\_\_
- B. Sign up a new member and help them become an active member.  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Club: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Inducted: \_\_\_\_\_
- C. Attend a local board of directors meeting. Date: \_\_\_\_\_
- D. Be active as a local committee member. Committee: \_\_\_\_\_
- E. Attend a Zone, Cabinet, or Council of Governors meeting. Location: \_\_\_\_\_ Date:  
\_\_\_\_\_

### PART II - THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES ARE OPTIONS - Must complete 11 of the 20 listed.

- 1. Serve as an active local chair of an internal or external committee. Committee:  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 2. Submit a complete plan for a new project to the local board of directors: Date: \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Serve as a local officer or director OR visit one of Florida's two Lions Eye Banks.  
Office Held: \_\_\_\_\_ Eye Bank: \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. Write an acceptable article for publication covering some phase of a project activity for local or Multiple District publication, such as The Lions of Florida, Bahamas, Aruba, Bonaire & Curacao magazine, radio, TV, etc.  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_
- 5. Attend a Council of Governors Conference in addition to required activities OR visit another entity.  
Meeting/Visit: \_\_\_\_\_
- 6. Attend a Zone or Cabinet meeting in addition to required activities. Meeting: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_
- 7. Serve as a speaker at a non-Lion meeting in support of a Lions project OR make a second official visitation to a regular meeting of another club. Activity: \_\_\_\_\_ Date:  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 8. Serve as a member of a successful Extension team and make three (3) visitations within the qualification period after the club is chartered, OR, visit an Eye Bank. Activity: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_
- 9. Serve as a district chair, co-chair or vice chair OR attend a zone meeting in another zone.  
Committee: \_\_\_\_\_ Zone: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_
- 10. Serve as a cabinet officer OR participate in an activity determined by the local club in addition to other options.  
Activity: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_
- 11. Reactivate a dropped Member OR have perfect attendance for the period with make-up rules effective.  
Member: \_\_\_\_\_ Club: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_
- 12. Introduce a prospect to a club, sign them up, and help them become an active Lion. (This must be in addition to the mandatory section.)  
Member: \_\_\_\_\_ Club: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Visit a regular membership meeting of another club as part of an official visitation team.

Club: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Participate in the presentation of an orientation program. Date: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Give invocation or benediction at a Lions meeting or lead the club in singing Your Countries "National Anthem" and/or the Nations "Pledge" to the flag.

Activity \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

16. Contribute a pint of blood to a Lions blood bank or get some else to contribute a pint of blood OR attend a second board of directors meeting.

Activity \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

17. Attend an eye bank meeting or the Florida Lions Foundation board of directors meeting.

Activity \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

18. Participate in an activity determined by the local Lions Club.

Activity: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

19. Make a donation to LCIF in your name, your clubs name or another Lions name.

Donation Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Participate in a Diabetes related Project

Project Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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**SIGNATURE OF SECRETARY VERIFYING ALL TASKS HAVE BEEN COMPLETED**

**\*\*\*RETURN COMPLETED FORM TO THE DISTRICT CHAIR\*\*\***