

Oak Cliff Lions Club Weekly CUB Newsletter

## Next Meeting & Program

# Wed., Mar. 1 | NOON LUNCH IS FREE FOR MEMBERS & GUESTS \*\*\*Tyler Street Methodist Church - Yeats Hall\*\*\*

927 West 10th Street, Dallas No Reservation Required | Guests Welcome

#### **Darla Shirley**

Executive Director, Youth World

#### LUNCH IS FREE!!! We will meet in Yeats Hall!

Darla Shirley is the Executive Director of Youth World. She has been serving in Dallas County since 1982. Through Church of Faith, Inc., Darla founded Youth World Dallas Learning Center in 1998. Under her leadership and direction, Youth World has implemented programs to help alleviate food deficiencies, illiteracy, juvenile crime, financial stress and much more which positively impacts our families and our communities.

Darla's passion to help children find their place in this world and to help families rise to a higher level and direction is evident. She has been recognized for the positive impact and change in the community by Universities, Radio, News and Media stations, and civic



organizations and received such awards as Community Partner Award, Heart of God Award, Women of Wisdom Award, Shining Star Award, LIFT Award, and Charity Award. Her commitment continues toward expanding Youth World's impact.

#### Meeting Recap

#### In case you missed it...

The relatively new Dallas Morning News Executive Editor Katrice Hardy gave an insightful program last week about our only remaining Dallas newspaper. She talked about the owner's commitment to bringing local stories and investing in more journalists to cover our great city and all the happenings in it. Overall, Hardy demonstrated the

DMN is in more than capable hands to move into the future and stay relevant to its readers.

Gratitude was showered on the members who came out to the Mardi Gras parade and the Build a Bed service activity. Our Tail Twister also shared some helpful redneck medical terminology, so we can better communicate with each other.



## **Upcoming Programs**

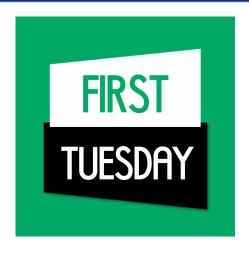




March 1 Darla Shirley, Youth World

March 8 Brian SanFilippo, NTTA

## Announcements



#### Join us for March First Tuesday!



Tues., Mar. 7 | 5:30 to 7 p.m. BB Bop Seoul Kitchen | 828 W Davis

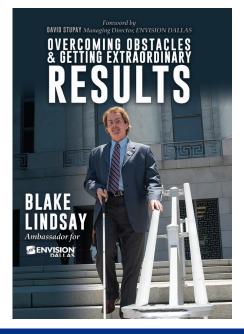


#### Support LSTF. Win a Truck!

The Lions Sight and Tissue Foundation has been part of District 2X-1 since 1956 with OCLC as one of the founding member clubs. This year LSTF has examined over 2,300 North Texans and we've put glasses on nearly 2,000 of them. But this comes at a cost of fuel, bus maintenance and equipment.

To raise money, LSTF is selling tickets to win a 2023 Ford Maverick Hybrid Pickup Truck. Tickets are \$100 each, and no more than 1,000 tickets will be sold. The winning ticket will be drawn at the Denim & Diamonds Gala in June.

Visit https://go.eventgroovefundraising.com/lstf to purchase.



#### **Buy Lion Blake's Book to Support OCLC**

Our President Lion Blake Lindsay has released his book Overcoming Obstacles and Getting Extraordinary Results this month and has offered to sell discounted copies of the book as a fundraiser for the Oak Cliff Lions Club.

The MSRP of the book is \$19.95, and he will offer copies to OCLC members and guests for \$10 each with \$5.80 going to the OCLC Activity Account to support our charities.

We are honored to have such a generous and inspiring leader this year. To read more about his book and story, visit the link below.

https://www.blakelindsay.com/blog-archive/overcomingobstacles-announcement

## Sunshine & Care

Prayers for President Jimmy Carter who also was a Past District Governor for Lions Clubs International. Former member and Past President Lion Carol Donovan is recovering well. Past President Lion Michelle Metzger's daughter's basketball team won two more rounds of Texas UIL 6A playoffs.

Please send Sunshine & Care updates to Lion Chaplain Steve Bayless.

## Birthdays 📇



#### February

7 Brad Nitschke

11 Larry Frazier

15 Linda Peterson & Mickey MacKay

16 Ken Cordier 26 Domingo Garcia

### Service Opportunities

Meals on Wheels

9:30 AM - Monday thru Friday

PRIORITY NEED: 1st and/or 5th Mondays

Cliff Temple Baptist Church, 134 W 10th Street. Dallas, TX 75208 | Other Locations Available!! For more details and to sign up, email Lion Teri Bailey.

North Dallas Shared Ministries Eye Clinic (2nd Friday)

March date TBD - 8 AM to noon

2875 Merrell Rd. Dallas, TX 75229 | ContactLion Charlene Vezina

## **Upcoming Events**

March 18 4th District 2-X1 Cabinet meeting

Apr. 14-15 District Convention | Richardson

May 18-20 MD-2 State Texas Lions Convention | Fort Worth | REGISTRATION LINK





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