



Form may be completed on line

ORDER OF THE GOLDEN CHAIN AFFIDAVIT

LION _____ CLUB _____

PRESIDENT _____ SECRETARY _____

ELIGIBILITY: Every Lion who completes the following requirements between April 1st, 2017 and February 28th, 2018 shall earn the Golden Chain Award.

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 part I and part II by February 28th qualifies the Lion for the award. The completed affidavits must be mailed to the district chair of the Golden Chain award committee with post mark deadline of March 1st.

PART I - THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES ARE MANDATORY:

- A. A Lion must 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 _____
- C. Attend a local board of directors meeting. Date _____
- D. Be active as a local committee member. Committee _____
- E. Attend one Zone, District or MD Cabinet Meeting.
Date _____ Location _____

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. Office Held _____
- 4. Write an acceptable article for publication covering some phase of a project activity for local or state publication, District Newsletter or far a newspaper, radio or TV station. Article and Date Published _____
- 5. Attend a Zone, District, or Multi-District Meeting *in addition to required activities*.
Meeting/Visit _____
- 6. Attend a Zone, District or International Convention meeting *in addition to required activities*.
Meeting _____ Date _____
- 7. Sign up and mentor a *second new member*.
Name: _____ Club: _____
- 8. Serve as a speaker at a non-Lion meeting in support of a Lions' project
Activity _____ Date _____

9. Participate in an Operation KidSight Vision Screening. Date _____
10. Serve as a district chair, co-chair or vice chair.
Date _____ Zone _____ Committee _____
11. Serve as a cabinet officer OR participate.
Date _____ Activity _____
12. Serve on District Cabinet or participate. Activity: _____
13. Introduce a prospect to a club, sign them up, and help them become an active Lion *in addition to the mandatory section*.
Date _____ Club _____ Members Name _____
14. Visit a regular membership meeting of another club.
Club _____ Date _____
15. Attend Lions Learning Retreat in Manchester. Date _____
16. Give invocation or benediction at a Lions meeting or lead the club in singing "America" or the "Pledge of Allegiance" to the flag.
Date _____ Activity _____
17. Contribute at least \$100 to Middle TN Lions Sight Service or get someone else to contribute. Date _____
18. Attend Ed Lindsey Blind Industries for the Blind Christmas Luncheon. Date _____
19. Participate in Lions Day at the TN School for the Blind Christmas Program.
Date _____
20. Participate in forming a Leo, Branch, or Charter Club. Club: _____

Signature of the club secretary or president verifying all of the above:

FORM MUST BE SUBMITTED POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN MARCH 1, 2018 TO:

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